

# Formula Grants

**Applies to:**

All grants and cooperative agreements

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## Definition

CFDA.gov defines a formula grant as, "Allocations of money to States or their subdivisions in accordance with distribution formulas prescribed by law or administrative regulation, for activities of a continuing nature not confined to a specific project." [1]

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## Service Policy

Formula grants awarded by the FWS are via its [mandatory programs](#). For a listing of the Service's mandatory programs, see [here](#).

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## References

[1] Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance. (n.d.) General Info. *Types of Assistance*. Retrieved January 3, 2013, from <https://www.cfda.gov/index?s=generalinfo&mode=list&tab=list&tabmode=list&static=assistance>