

As of May 4th, 2015, STAR METRICS is no longer accepting new institutions and will be discontinuing Level I data collections and reports generation on January 1, 2016.

This requires the calculation of one number. A subset of the STAR METRICS® FDP working group has determined that the least burdensome approach is as follows:

Retrieve your adjusted cost of distribution by cost pool. Then calculate the total salaries and fringe benefits, as well as the total non labor costs. Sum each across cost pools, and calculate the proportion as (salaries and fringe benefits)/(salaries and fringe benefits plus non labor costs)

Note that these are intended to produce estimates of jobs in a statistical context, not an accounting context. So you can also provide us with a range of proportions, and we will generate separate estimates for each proportion you provide.