Call Schedule for 2015

			2014	2015												2016			
	Investment area	Funding Instruments	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
1	Established Researchers	Bioinformatics					NO CALL												
2		Centres of Excellence			CALL							X							
3						CALL								X					
4		Competitive Support for Rated Researchers					CALL							X					
5		Competitive Support for Unrated Researchers					CALL							X					
6		Incentive Funding for Rated Researchers				CALL								X					
7		SARChI & UK Bilateral			CALL					X									
8		Y-rated research grants					CALL							X					
9	Human and Infrastructure Capacity Development	Career Awards																	
10		Collaborative Training Groups (H,M,D,PD)								CALL					X				
11		Drug Discovery Programme							CALL				x						
12		(M, D) Students with disabilities								CALL					x				
13		Post-Doctoral fellowships								CALL					x				
14		Sabbatical Grants to complete PhD					CALL				x								
15		Professional Development Programme (PD)							CALL					x					
16		SHIP/DST Innovation and SSDF (M & D)								CALL					x				
17		SKA Scholarships Programme									CALL				X				
18		Study support for completing PhD studies part-time									CALL				X				
19		Thuthuka continuing applications									CALL			X					
20		Thuthuka NEW applications					CALL							X					
21		VU-NRF Desmond Tutu Doctoral scholarships					CALL				X								
22		Commonwealth-split site bursaries										CALL							
23	Strategic knowledge Fields	African Coelecanth Ecosystem					CALL							X					
24		African Origins Platform						CALL						X					
25		Blue Skies Research Programme					CALL							X					
26		Global Change, Society and Sustainability Programme						CALL						X					
27		Human and Social Dynamics					CALL							X					
28		Indigenous Knowledge Systems					CALL							X					
29		Integrated Biodiversity Information Programme					CALL							x					
30		Knowledge Fields Development Grants					MONTHLY CLOSED CALLS												
31		Knowledge Fields - Education Research in South Africa					CALL							x					
32		Marine Research Grants					CALL							x					
33		Multi-Wavelength Astronomy					CALL							x					
24		Risk and Vulnerability Assessment Programme					CALL							x					
35		SA National Antarctic Programme					CALL							x					
36	Applied Research Innovation & Collaboration	Renewable & Sustainable Energy Scholarships (M,D)							CALL						x				
37		Research and Technology Fund						CALL						X					
38		SANHARP Bursaries and School Outreach programme					CALL SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS												
39		THRIP							CALL					X					
40	Strategic Platforms Grants	Equipment-Related Mobility and Training Grants					CALL							X					
41		Research & Innovation Reward Programme for NF					CALL							X					
42		Research Infrastructure Support Programme							CALL					X					
23		Nanoflagships Programme					NO CALL												
44	International Relations and Cooperation	UK-SA Newton Fund PhD Training							CALL				X						
45		Finland-SA bilateral					CALL						X						
46		China-SA bilateral					CALL						X						
47		Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)-SA bilateral					CALL						X						
48		Brazil National Council for Scientific and Technological Development (CNPq)-SA bilateral					CALL						X						
49		Brazil Sao Paulo Research Foundation (FAPESP)-SA bilateral					CALL						X						
50		Poland National Centre for Research and Development (NCRD)-SA bilateral					CALL						X						
51		Sweden-SA bilateral						CALL					X						
52		Argentina-SA bilateral					CALL						X						
53		Germany (DAAD)-SA scholarship						CALL					X	X					
54		Mozambique-SA bilateral					CALL						X						
55		Namibia-SA bilateral					CALL						X						
56		Tanzania-SA bilateral					CALL						X						
57		Algeria-SA bilateral joint call					CALL						X						

58		Angola-SA bilateral joint call					CALL					X								
59		KIC mobility call		CALL		X				CALL	X									
60		Joint Institute for Nuclear Research (JINR) call					CALL		X	X										
61		SA Young Scientists Summer Programme (YSSP) call					CALL		X	X										
62		Astronomy call	CALL	X																
63		ICSU travel and events	CALL			X	x		CALL	X	X	X								
64	Community Engagement Grants	Community Engagement Grants					NO CALL													
65	Evaluation and Rating of Individual	For 2015	X	→																
66		For 2016																		
				NB. The NRF reserve the right to modify this schedule without prior notice; however any changes will be communicated on the website																

Key	
Call =	Call for proposals
X=	Expected date for results
Shaded bar=	Represent call periods
Blue line =	Represent NRF Call Period
Red line =	Represent NRF financial year