

TABLE IX.—Scientific Committee on Antarctic research on ICSU (SCAR)—Continuing program

Purpose	International organization		U.S. participation	
	Sponsorship and participating bodies	Approximate annual budget	NAS-NRC	U.S. Government
International coordination of research in the Antarctic in biology and medicine, communications, geodesy and cartography, geology, geomagnetism, glaciology, logistics, meteorology, oceanography, solid-earth geophysics, and upper atmosphere geophysics.	SCAR consists of members representing IGU, IUBS, IUGG, IUGS, IUPAC, IUPS, URSI, and WMO, and of national delegates representing the 12 original signatories of the Treaty on Antarctic Research (Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Chile, France, Japan, New Zealand, Norway, South Africa, United Kingdom, United States, U.S.S.R.). The President of SCAR is D. L. M. Gould, Department of Geology, University of Arizona, Tucson, Ariz.	Budget for meetings and secretariat currently \$20,000 to \$25,000 per annum.	Committee on Polar Research. The Chairman is Dr. L. M. Gould, who is also President of SCAR.	Coordinated by the NSF Office of Antarctic Programs, of which the Chief Scientist is Dr. A. P. Cravy.
				NSF grants and Naval Operation Deep Freeze run to over \$25,000,000 per annum, not counting the expenditures of other governmental agencies.

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