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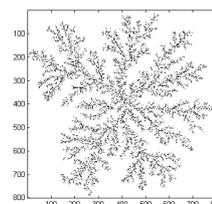


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	Amount of Resources	Allocation Freedom
Industry	high	constrained
Academic	Low	unconstrained

Table 1. Relative allocation and amount of resources in research.

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