

# Secretary Treasurer's Report

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CW started term in January 2025 — still learning

Thanks to James Dunlop for exemplary service 2022–2024

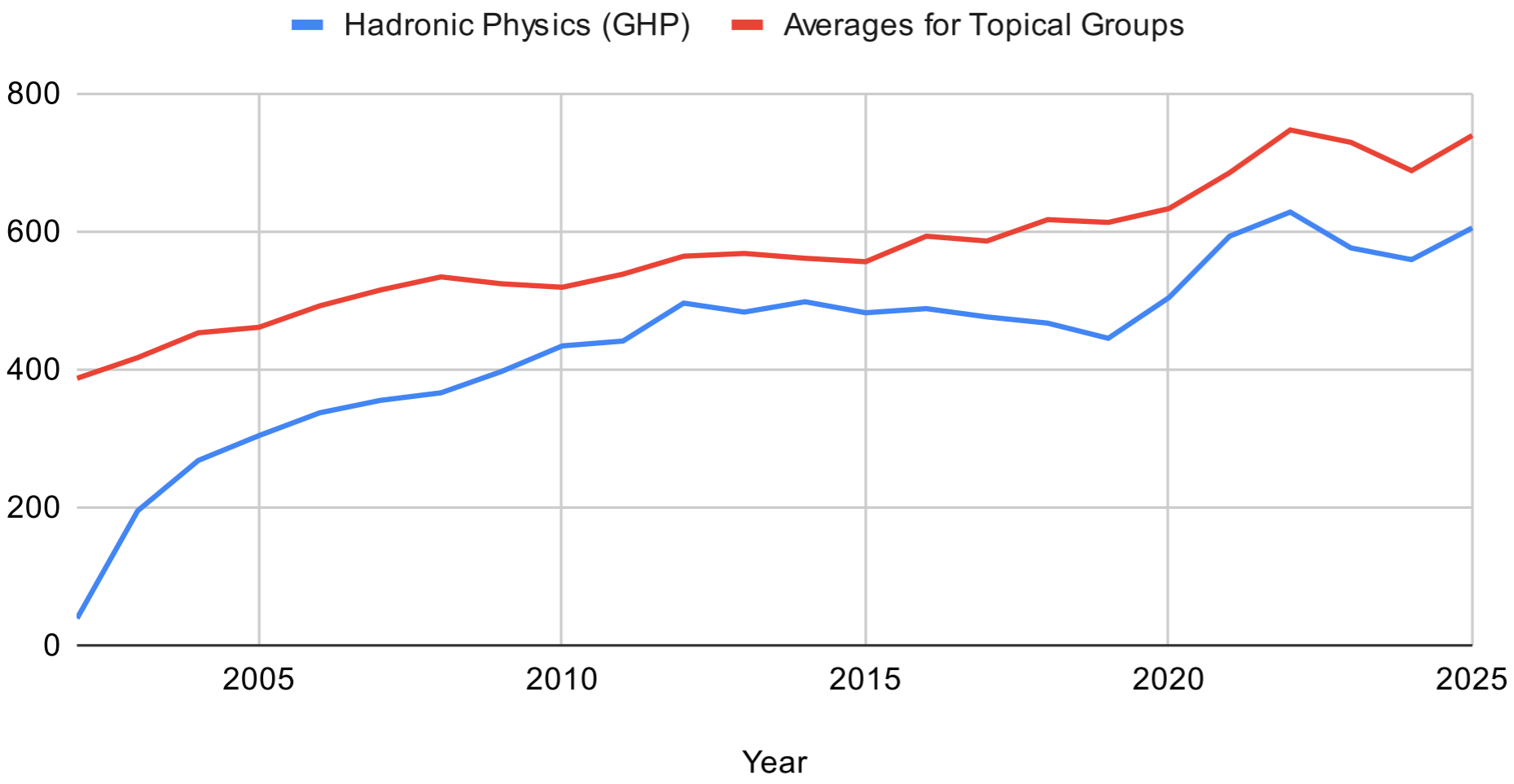
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## **This report**

Membership and demographics

Financial situation

## Hadronic Physics (GHP) and Averages for Topical Groups



2010-2019: Stable around ~450-500

2020-2022: Rapid increase to ~600, likely connected with pandemic

2023-2025: Stable around ~600

	Undergraduate student (+ SPS)	Graduate student	Early Career	Regular (regular + lifetime)	Senior (retired + lifetime)	Total
Female	9	9	10	54	2	84
Male	42	84	40	275	54	495
Non-binary / Not listed	2	2	1	2	0	7
Not available / Not specified	2	2	1	14	3	22
<b>Total</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>608</b>

Source: APS Unit Service Desk. Date: 12-Mar-2025

Much material for discussion...

Healthy overall numbers of students and early-career scientists

Females underrepresented among graduate students

$$(Female\ grad) / (Total\ grad) = 9\%$$

$$(Female\ overall) / (Total\ overall) = 14\%$$

$$(Female\ early\ career) / (Total\ early\ career) = 19\%$$

	Total
<b>Country</b>	608
United States	525
Canada	14
Japan	12
China	9
Germany	8
United Kingdom	6
Australia	4
Chile	3
India	3
Israel	3
South Korea	3

GHP Topical Group membership overwhelmingly in US

International membership 13%, broadly distributed

+ 11 countries with 2 or 1 members



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**The American Physical Society  
Summary Budget Report  
For The 12 Months Ended 12/31/24**

YTD 12/31/24	YTD 12/31/23	\$ Change
\$71,323.39	\$60,856.31	\$10,467.08
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\$2,795.00	\$2,880.00	-\$85.00
\$756.22	\$785.94	-\$29.72
\$1,645.67	\$982.23	\$663.44
\$5,196.89	\$4,648.17	\$548.72
\$0.00	\$20.40	-\$20.40
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\$5,196.89	\$4,627.77	\$569.12

Account Description	
1605-0000	Funds Available from APS
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4230-3201	Dues-APS Divisions/Top Groups
4472-0000	Unit Share of APS General Mtg-General
4890-0000	Allocated Investment Income-General
	<b>Revenue - Total</b>
5938-0000	Shipping Expense-General
	<b>Expense - Total</b>
	<b>Net Income (Loss)</b>

Further information available upon request

**Sources of funds:** APS funds for Topical Groups, GHP membership dues, share of APS investment income, APS meeting funds, registration fees

**Expenses:** Biannual workshop - logistics, participant support, honors prizes

GHP in healthy financial situation because 2023 workshop was generously supported by the Moore Foundation and funds could be retained

Hope to about break even in covering logistics expenses for GHP 2025 workshop from APS conference funds and registration fees

GHP is providing support grants of up to \$600 to 30 student/postdoc participants, total expenses \$18,000.

GHP healthy in membership numbers and financial situation

Strong participation of junior-career scientists (students, postdocs)

Points for discussion (based on input from membership):

Supporting our junior-career colleagues is critical for the future of our field, especially in this time of uncertainty. What actions can/should GHP take?

The high cost of APS meetings has become a major issue for members and is limiting participation. What options can/should GHP consider to save costs?  
Online participation, standalone workshops at university locations?