

Appendix table 5-3

Sources of R&D funds at private and public institutions: 1981, 1991, and 2001

Source of funds	All institutions		Private institutions		Public institutions	
	Millions of current dollars	Percent distribution	Millions of current dollars	Percent distribution	Millions of current dollars	Percent distribution
1981						
All sources.....	6,847	100.0	2,457	100.0	4,390	100.0
Federal Government	4,571	66.8	1,941	79.0	2,630	59.9
State/local government.....	546	8.0	47	1.9	499	11.4
Industry.....	291	4.3	111	4.5	180	4.1
Academic institutions	1,004	14.7	182	7.4	821	18.7
Other sources.....	435	6.4	176	7.1	259	5.9
1991						
All sources.....	17,585	100.0	5,846	100.0	11,740	100.0
Federal Government	10,234	58.2	4,182	71.5	6,053	51.6
State/local government.....	1,474	8.4	142	2.4	1,331	11.3
Industry.....	1,204	6.8	415	7.1	789	6.7
Academic institutions	3,367	19.1	582	10.0	2,785	23.7
Other sources.....	1,307	7.4	524	9.0	782	6.7
2001						
All sources.....	32,723	100.0	10,382	100.0	22,341	100.0
Federal Government	19,191	58.6	7,496	72.2	11,695	52.3
State/local government.....	2,315	7.1	236	2.3	2,080	9.3
Industry.....	2,234	6.8	744	7.2	1,489	6.7
Academic institutions	6,553	20.0	1,011	9.7	5,542	24.8
Other sources.....	2,430	7.4	895	8.6	1,535	6.9

NOTE: Details may not add to totals and percents may not sum to 100 because of rounding.

SOURCES: National Science Foundation, Division of Science Resources Statistics (NSF/SRS), *Academic Research and Development Expenditures: Fiscal Year 2001*, NSF 03-316 (Arlington, VA, 2003); and NSF/SRS, WebCASPAR database system, <http://caspar.nsf.gov>.