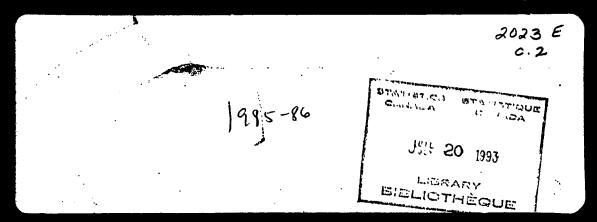# Science, Technology and Capital Stock Division

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ESTIMATION
OF
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENDITURES
IN THE HIGHER EDUCATION SECTOR,
1985-86

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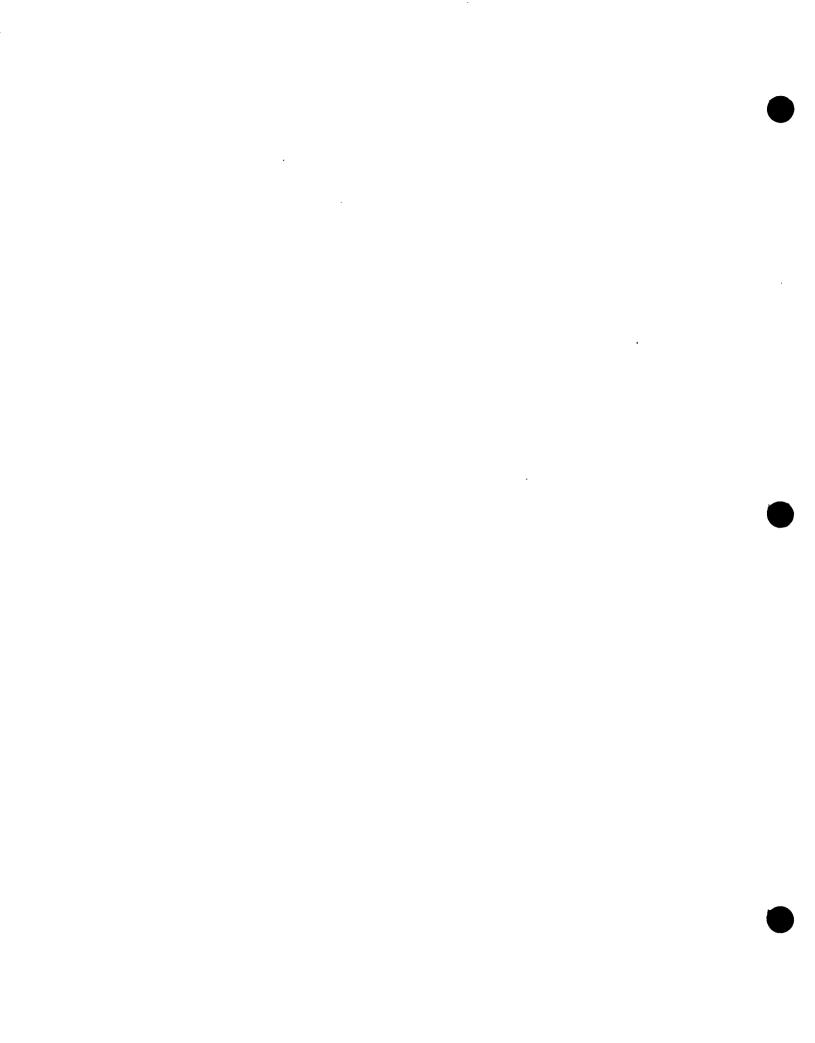Science, Technology and
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Introduction

The Higher Education sector is composed of "all universities, colleges of technology and other institutes of post-secondary education, whatever their source of finance or legal status. It also includes all research institutes, experimental stations and clinics operating under the direct control of or administered by or associated with higher education establishments."(1)

It is one of the sectors which make up the national research and development(R&D) system. For most policy analyses, the R&D system is sub-divided into five performing sectors: federal government, provincial governments, business enterprises, higher education and private non-profit. It is also sub-divided into six funding sectors: the five above plus all foreign sources. So far as possible, R&D expenditure and personnel data are secured by surveying the performing institutions. There are, however, unusually serious problems to surveying R&D activities in the Higher Education sector. One is that R&D is not necessarily an organized institutional activity but more of a personal activity of members of the institutions. Institutions in the sector usually have records of funds received by the institution specifically for R&D and some can provide lists of research projects carried out by staff. However, faculty members are expected to perform research as part of their normal duties and neither they, nor their institutions, have any cause to identify the resources devoted to this activity (largely their own time). Surveys of R&D in the sector have not been deemed feasible in most OECD countries because of the lack of records and the number of members performing R&D more-or-less autonomously (in Canada, there are about 35,000 full-time university teachers, 10,000 doctoral students, and an unknown number of part-time teachers and post-doctorate fellows). Consequently, it is necessary to estimate R&D expenditures by using a model incorporating any relevant data available to us. The pages below describe the method currently used to prepare these estimates.

Selection of Institutions

Institutions with R&D activities are first identified. This selection is based on reports of payments (grants or contracts) awarded to institutions, or members of these institutions, in support of R&D. These reports may be provided by the performing institutions themselves, mainly through the annual survey of the Canadian Association of University Business Officers (CAUBO), or by funders, mainly federal government departments and agencies providing information on R&D payments to Statistics Canada.

As a result of this review, the following institutions have been identified:

Province	Institution
Newfoundland	Memorial University
Prince Edward Island	University of Prince Edward Island
Nova Scotia	Acadia University
	University College of Cape Breton
	Dalhousie University
	Mount St. Vincent University
	Nova Scotia Agricultural College
	St. Francis Xavier University
	St. Mary's University
	Technical University of Nova Scotia
New Brunswick	Université de Moncton
	Mount Allison University
	University of New Brunswick
Québec	Bishop's University
	Concordia University
	Université Laval
	McGill University
	Université de Montréal
	Université de Québec
	Institut national de la recherche scientifique
	Université de Sherbrooke
Ontario	Brock University
	Carleton University
	University of Guelph
	Lakehead University
	Laurentian University
	McMaster University
	University of Ottawa
	Queen's University
	Ryerson Polytechnical Institute
	University of Toronto

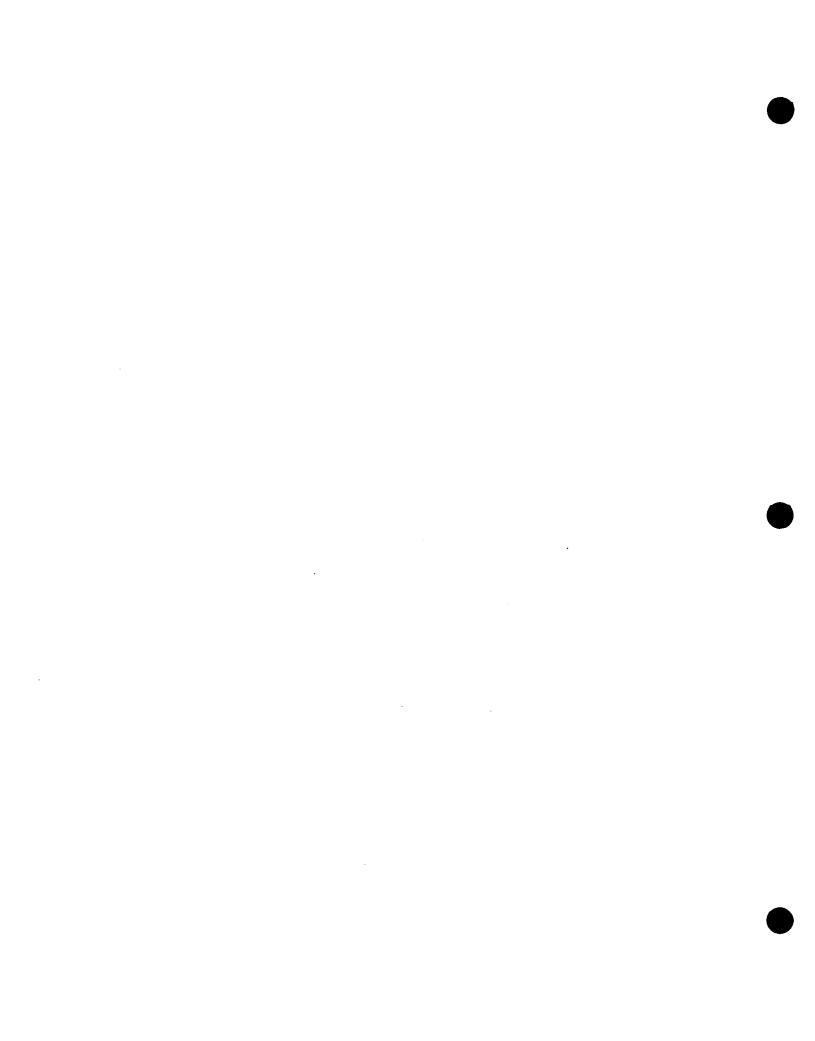| Province	Institution
Ontario - concl'd	Trent University
	University of Waterloo
	University of Western Ontario
	Wilfrid Laurier University
	University of Windsor
	York University
Manitoba	Brandon University
	University of Manitoba
	University of Winnipeg
Saskatchewan	University of Regina
	University of Saskatchewan
Alberta	University of Alberta
	University of Calgary
	University of Lethbridge
British Columbia	University of British Columbia
	Simon Fraser University
	University of Victoria

Distribution of Total Expenditures

The estimation of R&D expenditures is based on total university expenditures. Since we require R&D expenditures by major field of science, the next step is to divide the total expenditures of the listed institutions into these fields.

This distribution is based on the numbers of full-time teachers in the different teaching fields (no information is available on part-time teachers); the data are provided by the Postsecondary Section of the Education, Culture and Tourism Division of Statistics Canada.

Eight teaching fields are specified: education, fine and applied arts, humanities, social sciences, agriculture and biological sciences, engineering and applied sciences, health sciences, and mathematics and physical sciences. Since the number of teachers in each field is used only to distribute total costs, these field sub-totals are weighted to reflect the characteristics of the data (such as lack of information on part-time teachers), different consumptions of university resources and different requirements for capital equipment.

Teachers in education, fine and applied arts, the humanities and the social sciences are given a weight of one. To allow for the higher costs per teacher due to the need for more equipment and special facilities, as well as a slightly different rank and age structure, teachers in the agricultural and biological sciences, engineering and applied sciences, and mathematics and physical sciences are given a weight of two. Because of the extensive use of part-time teachers, as well as the costs of equipment and facilities required for instruction and research in the health sciences, full-time teachers in the health professions are given a weight of 2.5.(2)

For example, assume that the full-time teachers in one of the above institutions are distributed as follows:

Education	75
Fine and applied arts	50
Humanities	100
Social sciences	250
Agricultural and biological sciences	75
Engineering and applied sciences	75
Health professions	125
Mathematics and physical sciences	150
Total	**900**

Applying the weights of the above example provides us with the field ratios to be used for each institution.

Teaching field	Weighted No.	Percent of total
Education	75	5
Fine and applied arts	50	4
Humanities	100	7
Social sciences	250	18
Agricultural and biological sciences	150	11
Engineering and applied sciences	150	11
Health professions	312	22
Mathematics and physical sciences	300	22

The field of science percentage distributions, calculated in this manner for each of the listed institutions, are applied to the relevant total costs of each institution. The relevant total costs are total expenditures, excluding costs of "ancillary enterprises", as provided by the CAUBO survey.

Estimation of R&D Costs

This is the most difficult step. One method of estimating these costs is based on the assumption that the relative amount of time spent on R&D by the university staff is representative of the proportion of costs that should be attributed to the activity. Surveys to determine the "time budgets" of faculty members are expensive, difficult and rare. We have, therefore, been compelled to postulate ratios which seem plausible. The situation is complicated by the fact that different teaching fields would have different ratios and that institutions have different degrees of involvement in R&D. For example, analysis of a recent survey by the National Science Foundation indicates that, for the surveyed U.S. institutions, R&D accounts for 22% of the total time of faculty in engineering, 23% for physical scientists, 33% for agricultural and biological scientists, 26% for medical scientists, 8% for psychologists, 8% for social scientists and 6% for mathematicians.(3) A review of the data provided in the CAUBO survey shows that 17 institutions had no sponsored research, that the sponsored R&D expenditures of 24 of the remaining 47 institutions was less than 10% of general operating expenditures, that 7 had sponsored R&D expenditures of 10-19% of general operating expenditures and 16 had R&D expenditure ratios of 20-50%.

In the table which follows, R&D ratios are suggested, based on teaching field and apparent relative institutional effort devoted to R&D.

Teaching field	Small R&D performers	Medium R&D performers	Large R&D performers
Education	.1	.2	.3
Fine and applied arts	-	.1	.2
Humanities	-	.2	.3
Social sciences	.1	.2	.3
Engineering and applied sciences	.1	.25	.35
Agricultural and biological sciences	.1	.25	.35
Health professions	.1	.25	.35
Mathematics and physical sciences	.1	.25	.35

Two points should be made in reply to potential criticisms. Although the table appears to be far too detailed for the amount of "hard" information available, it is almost as easy to apply a variety of ratios in an estimation program as one or two. It also seems to us that the table reflects reality: relatively more time is spent on R&D by faculty in some universities than in others, and R&D is a more important activity in some teaching fields than in others. The exact ratios are impossible to defend but easy to change - if anyone can provide better ones. Examples of the estimates of R&D costs resulting from the use of different ratios are shown in the next section (Models II and III). The second point is that the activity is defined as R&D, which is rather narrower than "research" or "development" in normal usage. Much scholarly activity, from teaching to improving one's own knowledge of a field, outside of a research project, is excluded.(4)

In an earlier step, the total costs of each institution were distributed among the eight teaching fields. In the present step, the ratios of the preceding table are applied to these teaching field costs. The ratios in the first column would be applied to institutions at which R&D is a relatively minor activity (typically universities without a doctoral program), those in the second column to universities at which R&D is a more important function, and those in the third column to the universities with large R&D and doctoral programs.

Three Models

Three sets of teacher weights and R&D ratios were applied to the same teacher and cost data for those institutions which replied to the 1985-86 CAUBO survey (estimates for one of the listed institutions have to be made separately). In the first model, no weights were applied to the numbers of teachers in each institution. This would be based on the assumption that the different fields make the same relative use of part-time teachers, that their rank/salary patterns are the same, and that each requires the same amount of equipment and other resources. It is also assumed that teachers in the different fields spend the same amount of time in R&D (10% for smaller R&D institutions, 20% for medium R&D institutions, and 30% for larger R&D institutions).

R&D Costs: Model I

Social sciences	$ 700
Health sciences	262
Other natural sciences	395
Total	**1,357 million**

In the second model, the numbers of teachers are weighted to reflect different cost patterns in the teaching fields. The weights used are those used in the earlier sections: one for teachers in education, fine and applied arts, humanities and social sciences; two for teachers in agricultural and biological sciences, engineering and applied sciences, and mathematics and physical sciences; 2.5 for teachers in the health sciences. As in model one, R&D times are assumed to be the same for different fields but to differ by institutional group (i.e., 10% for smaller R&D institutions, etc.).

R&D Costs: Model II

Social sciences	$ 460
Health sciences	398
Other natural sciences	499
Total	**1,357 million**

The third model is that used in this note: weighted teacher costs as in model 2 and different R&D ratios for the teaching fields as shown in the table on page 11.

R&D Costs: Model III

Social sciences	$ 424
Health sciences	471
Other natural sciences	583
Total	**1,478 million**

Sources of Funds

The sources of funds for academic R&D must now be estimated. Unfortunately, data exist only for sponsored research. Much R&D is carried out without external funding and hence has no accounting record. Furthermore, university administrations have frequently stated that funds received as R&D grants do not cover the full cost to the university of the R&D carried out. Contracts normally come closer to covering full costs.

While the funding of R&D in U.S. universities will probably differ from the Canadian pattern, U.S. data may indicate the kind of distribution which might occur in Canada. Some relevant statistics are shown below, illustrating the different funding patterns of the teaching fields in the U.S.A.

Item	Physical sciences	Mathematical sciences	Engineering.	Life sciences	Social sciences
	hours				
Professional activities[1]	50	41	49	51	48
Of which research	(21)	(10)	(15)	(19)	(11)
Support for research:					
	per cent				
Federal govt.	70	34	69	72	20
Other sponsors	8	6	15	15	16
Unsponsored	22	59	16	13	64

[1] Average number of hours spent in professional activities per week by faculty at doctorate-granting institutions in 1978-79.

Source: NSF 81-317, op. cit.

The pattern shown in the table above seems reasonable: a greater degree of financial support for R&D in the engineering, life and physical sciences and a greater amount of faculty R&D carried out in the same fields, compared to the funding and level of activity in the social and mathematical sciences.

The classification of sources of funds must correspond to the standard sectors in order to permit international comparisons of R&D statistics. In accordance with the recommendations of **A Framework for Measuring Research and Development Expenditures in Canada** (Statistics Canada Catalogue No. 88-506E), the reports of R&D performing institutions are preferred to those of funders, so we turn initially to the annual CAUBO survey.

The CAUBO survey provides data on sponsored research for participating institutions (47 of the 48 R&D performers). These data are classified as follows:

Federal government:
  Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council
  Health and Welfare Canada
  Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council
  Medical Research Council
  Other
Provincial governments
Municipal governments
Foreign governments
Gifts, non-government grants
Investment income
Miscellaneous
Interfund transfers

The CAUBO sources can be partially assigned to the six standard sectors:

Federal government	Federal government
Provincial governments	Provincial governments
	Municipal governments
Foreign	Foreign governments

The problem is to allocate the remaining sponsored research funds ("gifts, non-government grants" - 20% of total funds; "investment income" - 1% of total funds; "miscellaneous income" - 1% of total funds; and "interfund transfers" - 1% of total funds). It is assumed that all these sponsored research funds are derived from the two remaining external sectors: the business enterprise and private non-profit sectors. This is slightly inaccurate because at least some of the funds shown as investment income or interfund transfers come from the higher education sector. However, as indicated above, the amounts cannot be significant. The difference between the total of the funds for sponsored research and the total costs of R&D is attributable to the higher education sector.

Because of the lack of information on R&D funding, the eight major teaching fields must be consolidated into three:

Social sciences and humanities (education, fine and applied arts, humanities, and social sciences),

Health sciences (health professions), and

Other natural sciences and engineering (engineering and applied sciences, agricultural and biological sciences, mathematics and physical sciences).

For each institution, the following model is applied:

Source	Social sciences and humanities	Health sciences	Other natural sciences and engineering	Total
Sponsored research				
Federal government[1]	SSHRC, 30% of remainder	H&WC, MRC 10% of remainder	NSERC, 60% of remainder	CAUBO
Provincial governments[2]	30%	20%	50%	CAUBO
Business enterprises	20%[3]	20%[3]	60%[3]	4
Private non-profit	5%[5]	85%[5]	10%[5]	6
Foreign	0%[7]	50%[7]	50%[7]	CAUBO
Sub-total	sum	sum	sum	CAUBO
Other costs				
Higher education residual	residual	residual	residual	
Total	8	8	8	8

See page 18 for footnotes.

Footnotes for the Table on page 17.

1 The "remainder" is the difference between the Federal government total for university and the amounts attributed to SSHRC, H&WC, MRC and NSERC. Distribution of "remainder" is based on the survey of 1985-86 federal expenditures.

2 Distribution of the provincial government funds for each university is based on that reported by six provincial governments for 1985-86.

3 Statistics Canada estimate.

4 An enquiry of members of the Canadian Association of University Research Administrators yielded estimates of R&D payments from business enterprises for 20 universities. These estimates are used for the 20 respondents. These R&D payments amounted to 29% of the total gifts and non-government grants reported to CAUBO for these institutions. A slightly lower ratio (25%) was applied to this source for all other institutions to provide the total business enterprise funding because of the concentration of medical faculties among the 20 respondents.

5 Distribution based on reports by private non-profit organizations. See "R&D Expenditures of Private Non-profit Organizations, 1985", **Science Statistics**, Vol.10, No. 11, December 1986.

6 The difference between the business enterprise funding and the total gifts and non-government grants is assigned to the private non-profit sector.

7 Based on federal obligations for basic research to Canadian performers, as reported in **Federal Funds for Research and Development, Fiscal Years 1983, 1984, and 1985**, NSF 84-336, National Science Foundation, Washington, D.C., 1984, Table C-98.

8 As estimated earlier.

Looking at the model, it is apparent that the area of uncertainty is basically in the "Other costs" section. The totals of the sponsored research are known from the CAUBO survey and an alternative but still reasonable distribution pattern between fields of science would not make much difference. "Other costs", on the other hand, are the difference between the known funding of sponsored research and the estimated total costs of all R&D in the sector. As this total would change with different assumptions, so would these "other costs".

Special calculations are made for the Institut national de la recherche scientifique, which is not included in the CAUBO statistics. Aggregating all institutions provides an estimate of total R&D expenditures in the higher education sector which may be integrated into the national totals (GERD).

Footnotes

1. **A Framework for Measuring Research and Development Expenditures in Canada**, Catalogue No. 88-506E, Statistics Canada, Ottawa, 1984, p. 18.

2. Examples of R&D cost estimates derived from unweighted numbers of full-time university teachers are presented later in "Model I".

3. **Academic Science/Engineering: Scientists and Engineers, January 1983**, National Science Foundation, Washington, D.C., 1984, p. 16 (Table B-18 divided by Table B-17). Another example of the different field ratios is given in "University S/E Faculty Spend One-Third of Professional Time in Research", Science Resources Studies Highlights, NSF 81-317, National Science Foundation, Washington, D.C., 31 August 1981.

4. See, for example, Chapter 1 of the first reference or **Manual for Statistics on Scientific and Technological Activities**, ST-84/WS/12, Unesco, Paris, June 1984 pp 26-33.

In the tables which follow, these estimated national aggregates are distributed by province. The use of a decimal place does not indicate a greater degree of accuracy - it is merely a mathematical convenience because of the number of small amounts which would otherwise disappear with rounding.

TABLE 1. Total R&D Costs in the Higher Education Sector, by Source of Funds and by Major Teaching Field, 1985-86

Source of funds	Social sciences and humanities	Health sciences	Other natural sciences and engineering	Total
	millions of dollars			
Federal government	53.4	159.7	303.5	516.6
Provincial governments	51.4	28.7	98.5	178.6
Business enterprises	12.1	11.0	37.6	60.7
Higher education	302.4	164.3	128.4	595.1
Private non-profit	8.3	112.5	42.3	163.1
Foreign	-	3.7	4.6	8.3
Total	427.5	479.9	615.0	1,522.4

TABLE 2. Total R&D Costs in the Higher Education Sector, by Source of Funds, 1977-78 to 1985-86

Year	Federal govern-ment	Provincial govern-ments	Business enter-prise	Higher education	Private non-profit	Foreign	Total
millions of dollars							
1977-78	191.7	60.4	15.3	382.2	56.8	5.8	712.2
1978-79	210.2	70.2	18.4	390.0	72.6	6.8	768.2
1979-80	233.8	75.9	21.5	416.6	81.7	7.4	837.0
1980-81	277.8	96.3	30.0	471.5	91.3	8.0	974.9
1981-82	353.5	114.7	33.5	478.0	104.5	8.9	1,093.0
1982-83	393.1	141.8	28.4	586.6	100.8	10.5	1,261,2
1983-84	457.3	153.1	31.1	566.8	121.5	11.1	1,340.9
1984-85	517.3	168.4	45.7	547.1	134.6	11.0	1,424,1
1985-86	516.6	178.6	60.7	595.1	163.1	8.3	1,522.4

TABLE 3. Total R&D Costs in the Higher Education Sector, by Province, 1979-80 to 1985-86

Province	1979-80	1980-81	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
	millions of dollars						
Nfld.	16.8	19.9	21.1	23.9	25.2	25.3	28.3
P.E.I.	0.7	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.4
N.S.	27.3	31.6	37.9	37.1	41.6	46.9	51.1
N.B.	12.2	15.2	17.0	19.3	21.7	22.9	24.6
Que.	204.2	228.8	256.4	278.6	289.0	316.6	344.1
Ont.	329.6	376.5	423.9	494.8	546.8	574.4	616.1
Man.	41.0	45.2	51.9	61.5	68.7	72.3	73.8
Sask.	28.0	34.3	30.6	39.3	41.4	46.0	48.7
Alta.	99.0	123.7	143.6	186.3	184.2	193.0	207.1
B.C.	78.2	99.0	109.8	119.4	121.3	125.6	127.2
Canada	837.0	974.9	1,093.0	1,261.2	1,340.9	1,424.1	1,522.4

TABLE 4. Estimated Costs of R&D in the Social Sciences and Humanities in the Higher Education Sector, by Source of Funds and by Province, 1985-86

Province	Federal government	Provincial government	Business enterprise	Higher education	Private non-profit	Total
	millions of dollars					
Nfld.	1.0	0.1	0.2	6.3	0.1	7.7
P.E.I.	0.1	--	--	0.3	--	0.5
N.S.	2.4	0.1	0.3	7.3	0.2	10.3
N.B.	1.5	0.3	0.1	6.1	0.1	8.1
Que.	15.5	21.0	2.3	45.9	1.9	86.6
Ont.	20.8	13.1	6.6	146.3	4.0	190.7
Man.	2.0	1.4	0.4	14.3	0.4	18.4
Sask.	2.0	1.6	0.4	6.8	0.3	11.2
Alta.	2.8	11.9	1.0	44.1	0.7	60.4
B.C.	5.2	1.9	0.9	24.9	0.7	33.6
Canada	53.4	51.4	12.1	302.4	8.3	427.5

"--" = less than $0.05 million.

Components do not always add to total due to rounding.

TABLE 5. Estimated Costs of R&D in the Social Sciences and Humanities in
the Higher Education Sector, by Province, 1979-80 to 1985-86

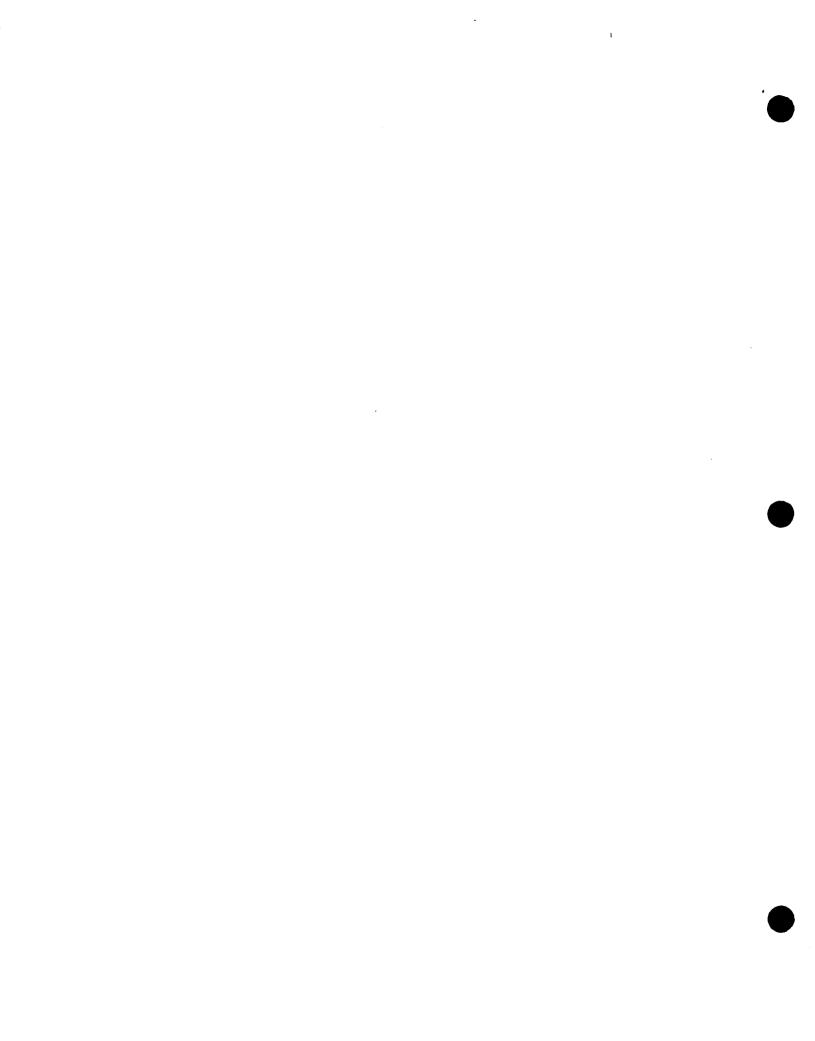| Province	1979-80	1980-81	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
millions of dollars							
Nfld.	4.6	5.4	5.7	6.5	6.7	7.0	7.7
P.E.I.	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5
N.S.	6.7	7.2	8.1	8.4	8.7	9.2	10.3
N.B.	3.9	5.2	5.8	6.5	7.2	7.4	8.1
Que.	56.7	60.3	67.1	72.6	74.7	80.7	86.6
Ont.	107.7	120.5	134.5	155.2	169.6	176.7	190.7
Man.	10.5	11.7	13.0	15.3	17.2	17.7	18.4
Sask.	6.6	8.0	7.0	8.9	9.3	10.3	11.2
Alta.	32.0	39.1	44.5	56.6	55.6	57.3	60.4
B.C.	23.5	28.7	31.9	34.2	33.7	33.2	33.6
Canada	252.5	286.4	317.8	364.6	383.0	400.1	427.5

TABLE 6. Estimated Costs of R&D in the Health Sciences in the Higher Education
Sector, by Source of Funds and by Province, 1985-86

Province	Federal govern- ment	Provincial govern- ment	Business enter- prise	Higher educa- tion	Private non- profit	Foreign	Total
	millions of dollars						
Nfld.	2.2	--	0.2	3.8	2.0	--	8.3
P.E.I.	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	0.1
N.S.	6.0	--	0.2	9.5	2.9	0.1	18.8
N.B.	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.1	1.2	-	2.3
Que.	46.3	13.4	1.9	17.0	25.1	0.7	104.3
Ont.	61.7	4.2	6.0	65.8	49.0	1.3	188.1
Man.	10.2	0.9	0.4	8.8	6.0	0.5	26.8
Sask.	5.3	1.0	0.4	7.9	4.3	-	18.9
Alta.	13.8	7.9	1.0	36.4	10.9	0.2	70.2
B.C.	13.5	1.1	0.8	15.0	11.0	0.8	42.1
Canada	159.7	28.7	11.0	164.3	112.5	3.7	479.9

"-" = nil.
"--" = less than $0.05 million.

Components do not always add to total due to rounding.

TABLE 7. Estimated Costs of R&D in the Health Sciences in the Higher Education Sector, by Povince, 1979-80 to 1985-86

Province	1979-80	1980-81	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
	millions of dollars						
Nfld.	4.7	5.5	6.2	6.9	7.5	7.4	8.3
P.E.I.	-	-	-	-	--	--	0.1
N.S.	11.6	13.6	15.4	14.0	16.4	17.5	18.8
N.B.	1.5	2.3	2.2	1.9	2.2	2.4	2.2
Que.	59.0	70.0	77.9	85.9	89.6	98.7	104.3
Ont.	93.8	113.4	127.6	149.1	168.0	179.2	188.1
Man.	15.6	16.8	19.2	22.8	25.4	26.8	26.8
Sask.	9.8	12.9	11.7	14.7	15.9	17.5	18.9
Alta.	28.9	36.3	43.5	58.6	60.1	64.9	70.2
B.C.	23.2	31.0	35.2	38.5	39.2	41.1	42.1
Canada	248.1	301.9	338.9	392.4	424.3	455.5	479.9

"-" = nil.
"--" = less than $0.05 million.

Components do not always add to total due to rounding.

TABLE 8. Estimated Costs of R&D in the Natural Sciences and Engineering[1] in the Higher Education Sector, by Source of Funds and by Province, 1985-86

Province	Federal govern- ment	Prov. govern- ment	Bus. enter- prise	Higher educa- tion	Private non- profit	Foreign	Total
millions of dollars							
Nfld.	8.0	0.1	0.8	9.4	2.3	--	20.6
P.E.I.	0.4	--	--	0.3	0.1	-	0.9
N.S.	20.7	1.9	1.0	13.1	3.8	0.2	40.8
N.B.	7.9	0.6	0.4	6.1	1.5	-	16.5
Que.	110.3	54.7	9.1	48.1	33.7	1.6	257.5
Ont.	193.4	30.5	26.4	96.1	75.7	3.4	425.4
Man.	21.1	3.2	1.7	21.2	7.1	1.1	55.4
Sask.	18.7	3.8	1.7	8.5	4.9	-	37.6
Alta.	38.6	27.9	4.0	63.4	12.4	0.4	146.7
B.C.	44.2	4.5	3.4	26.5	13.2	1.6	93.5
Canada	463.2	127.3	48.6	292.7	154.8	8.3	1,094.9

[1] Includes "health" and "other natural sciences and engineering".

"-" = nil.
"--" = less than $0.05 million.

Components do not always add to total due to rounding.

TABLE 9.   Estimated Costs of R&D in the Natural Sciences and Engineering[1] in
           the Higher Education Sector, by Province, 1979-80 to 1985-86

Province	1979-80	1980-81	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
millions of dollars							
Nfld.	12.2	14.5	15.4	17.4	18.4	18.3	20.6
P.E.I.	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.9
N.S.	20.6	24.4	29.8	28.7	33.0	37.6	40.8
N.B.	8.3	10.0	11.2	12.8	14.5	15.5	16.5
Que.	147.4	168.5	189.3	206.0	214.4	235.9	257.5
Ont.	221.9	255.9	289.4	339.5	377.2	397.7	425.5
Man.	30.5	33.5	38.9	46.2	51.5	54.6	55.4
Sask.	21.4	26.3	23.6	30.4	32.1	35.8	37.6
Alta.	67.0	84.6	99.1	129.8	128.6	135.7	146.7
B.C.	54.7	70.3	77.9	85.2	87.6	92.4	93.5
Canada	584.5	688.4	775.2	896.6	957.9	1,024.0	1,094.9

[1] Includes health and other natural sciences and engineering.

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