

Table 25e. Federal R&D budget authority, by budget function: fiscal years 1978-83

Budget function	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
(In millions of dollars)						
Total.....	25,976	28,208	29,739	33,735	36,115	38,768
National defense.....	12,899	13,791	14,946	18,413	22,070	24,936
Health.....	2,968	3,401	3,694	3,871	3,869	4,298
Space research and technology.....	2,939	3,136	2,738	3,111	2,584	2,134
Energy.....	3,134	3,461	3,603	3,501	3,012	2,578
General science.....	1,050	1,119	1,233	1,340	1,359	1,502
Natural resources and environment.....	904	1,010	999	1,061	965	952
Transportation.....	768	798	887	869	791	876
Agriculture.....	501	552	585	659	693	745
Education, training, employment, and social services.....	345	354	468	298	228	189
International affairs.....	57	117	125	160	165	177
Veterans benefits and services.....	111	123	126	143	139	157
Commerce and housing credit.....	77	93	101	106	104	107
Community and regional development.....	92	127	119	104	63	44
Administration of justice.....	44	47	45	34	31	37
Income security.....	67	57	47	43	32	32
General government.....	20	23	22	22	10	6
(In millions of constant FY 1996 dollars)						
Total.....	53,993	54,393	52,804	54,640	54,753	56,251
National defense.....	26,811	26,593	26,538	29,823	33,460	36,181
Health.....	6,169	6,558	6,559	6,270	5,866	6,236
Space research and technology.....	6,109	6,047	4,862	5,039	3,918	3,096
Energy.....	6,514	6,674	6,397	5,671	4,566	3,741
General science.....	2,182	2,158	2,189	2,170	2,060	2,179
Natural resources and environment.....	1,879	1,948	1,774	1,718	1,463	1,381
Transportation.....	1,596	1,539	1,575	1,408	1,199	1,271
Agriculture.....	1,041	1,064	1,039	1,067	1,051	1,081
Education, training, employment, and social services.....	717	683	831	483	346	274
International affairs.....	118	226	222	259	250	257
Veterans benefits and services.....	231	237	224	232	211	228
Commerce and housing credit.....	160	179	179	172	158	155
Community and regional development.....	191	245	211	168	96	64
Administration of justice.....	91	91	80	55	47	54
Income security.....	139	110	83	70	49	46
General government.....	42	44	39	36	15	9

NOTES: Because of rounding, components may not add to totals. GDP implicit price deflators used to convert current dollars to constant 1996 dollars.

SOURCES: Agencies' submissions to Office of Management and Budget, Circular No. A-11, Exhibit 44A, "Research and Development Activities"; and supplemental data obtained from agencies' budget offices.