

Table 3-3
Total expenditures of provincial governments on scientific activities — In the natural sciences and engineering, by activity

	2001/2002 [†]	2002/2003 [†]	2003/2004 [†]	2004/2005 [†]	2005/2006
	thousands of dollars				
Science and technology					
Ontario	493,505	484,833	569,547	616,994	625,090 ^p
Manitoba	34,053	45,144	50,813	53,814	57,197
Alberta	292,842	311,509	291,865	330,023	356,834
British Columbia	202,445	214,022	199,528	155,933	195,170
Research and development					
Quebec ¹	339,779	301,518	436,550	323,202	306,544
Ontario	371,581	357,327	412,136	394,068	373,389 ^p
Manitoba	17,380	16,394	19,804	22,278	22,951
Alberta	240,482	242,518	235,564	251,888	266,386
British Columbia	87,718	115,614	117,570	73,069	133,780
Related scientific activities					
Ontario	121,924	127,506	157,411	222,926	251,701 ^p
Manitoba	16,673	28,750	31,009	31,536	34,246
Alberta	52,360	68,991	56,301	78,135	90,448
British Columbia	114,727	98,408	81,958	82,864	61,390

1. Since 1994/1995, the Quebec provincial government collects only research and development activities.