

Gross Domestic Expenditures on Research and Development in Canada (GERD), and the Provinces – National Estimates 1997 to 2008 and Provincial Estimates 2002 to 2006

Table 8-10
Provincial Gross Domestic Expenditures on Research and Development, in the natural sciences and engineering
— British Columbia

| Funding sector | Performing sector | | | | | Total |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------|
| | Federal government | Provincial governments | Provincial research organizations | Business enterprise | Higher education | |
| millions of dollars | | | | | | |
| 2006 Natural sciences | | | | | | |
| Total | 91 | 15 | 0 | 1,576 | 750 | 2,432 |
| Federal government | 89 | . | 0 | 35 | 247 | 371 |
| Provincial governments | 0 ^s | 15 | 0 | 10 | 85 | 110 |
| Provincial research organizations | . | . | .. | . | . | .. |
| Business enterprise | 2 | 0 | 0 | 985 | 46 | 1,033 |
| Higher education | . | . | . | . | 284 | 284 |
| Private non-profit organizations | . | . | . | . | 73 | 73 |
| Foreign | . | . | . | 547 | 13 | 560 |
| 2005 r Natural sciences | | | | | | |
| Total | 91 | 15 | 0 | 1,493 | 707 | 2,306 |
| Federal government | 88 | . | 0 | 35 | 245 | 368 |
| Provincial governments | 0 ^s | 15 | 0 | 9 | 65 | 90 |
| Provincial research organizations | . | . | 0 | . | . | 0 |
| Business enterprise | 2 | 0 | 0 | 931 | 43 | 976 |
| Higher education | . | . | . | . | 269 | 269 |
| Private non-profit organizations | . | . | . | . | 75 | 75 |
| Foreign | . | . | . | 518 | 10 | 528 |
| 2004 r Natural sciences | | | | | | |
| Total | 91 | 15 | 0 | 1,434 | 648 | 2,188 |
| Federal government | 88 | . | 0 | 36 | 237 | 362 |
| Provincial governments | 0 ^s | 15 | 0 | 10 | 31 | 56 |
| Provincial research organizations | . | . | 0 | . | . | 0 |
| Business enterprise | 3 | 0 | 0 | 948 | 31 | 982 |
| Higher education | . | . | . | . | 247 | 247 |
| Private non-profit organizations | . | . | . | . | 94 | 94 |
| Foreign | . | . | . | 440 | 8 | 448 |
| 2003 r Natural sciences | | | | | | |
| Total | 80 | 14 | 0 | 1,173 | 620 | 1,886 |
| Federal government | 77 | . | 0 | 32 | 194 | 303 |
| Provincial governments | 0 ^s | 14 | 0 | 21 | 70 | 105 |
| Provincial research organizations | . | . | 0 | . | . | 0 |
| Business enterprise | 2 | 0 | 0 | 897 | 65 | 963 |
| Higher education | . | . | . | . | 228 | 228 |
| Private non-profit organizations | . | . | . | . | 56 | 56 |
| Foreign | . | . | . | 224 | 7 | 231 |
| 2002 r Natural sciences | | | | | | |
| Total | 99 | 20 | 0 | 1,093 | 586 | 1,798 |
| Federal government | 97 | . | 0 | 38 | 175 | 309 |
| Provincial governments | 0 ^s | 20 | 0 | 8 | 60 | 88 |
| Provincial research organizations | . | . | 0 | . | . | 0 |
| Business enterprise | 2 | 0 | 0 | 890 | 60 | 952 |
| Higher education | . | . | . | . | 226 | 226 |
| Private non-profit organizations | . | . | . | . | 54 | 54 |
| Foreign | . | . | . | 158 | 11 | 169 |

Note(s): Components may not add to totals due to rounding. Commencing with reference year 2000 the data for the private non-profit sector performing research and development are not distributed by provinces, territories or the National Capital Region.