

Table 1a: Total Allowable Scientific Research and Experimental Development (SR&ED) Expenditures, by Sector (two digits) based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), 2015 to 2021

NAICS Sector	2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021	
	Business count	Amount (\$000)	Business count	Amount (\$000)	Business count	Amount (\$000)	Business count	Amount (\$000)	Business count	Amount (\$000)	Business count	Amount (\$000)	Business count	Amount (\$000)
Agriculture Forestry Fishing and Hunting (11)	520	66,367	480	68,623	450	88,767	430	107,367	470	125,906	450	130,548	450	146,376
Mining and Oil and Gas Extraction (21)	200	616,193	190	425,621	190	490,571	200	765,194	190	702,592	150	611,458	170	592,200
Utilities (22)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	40,144	40	27,494
Construction (23)	400	73,718	370	72,994	340	75,610	350	75,631	420	95,890	410	97,046	400	98,732
Manufacturing (31 32 33)	6,650	4,972,247	6,140	4,639,534	5,830	4,451,847	5,770	4,445,222	5,820	4,458,415	5,530	4,244,785	5,280	4,249,649
Wholesale Trade (41)	1,240	1,163,143	1,140	1,312,034	1,080	1,326,940	1,100	1,398,723	1,130	1,558,832	1,070	1,569,168	1,040	1,644,573
Retail Trade (44 45)	310	48,266	280	45,228	270	55,181	290	59,958	330	73,947	330	105,277	360	109,580
Transportation and Warehousing (48 49)	130	98,659	110	117,295	120	119,940	120	147,444	120	171,558	130	146,425	130	145,946
Information and Cultural Industries (51)	1,150	1,043,329	1,110	942,878	1,100	855,403	1,130	926,502	1,190	1,114,195	1,170	1,219,097	1,140	1,199,535
Finance and Insurance (52)	220	262,379	210	269,928	210	237,555	230	288,733	230	379,931	250	341,180	260	322,543
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing (53)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	110	26,552	120	31,190
Professional Scientific and Technical Services (54)	6,050	3,922,183	5,990	4,137,016	6,040	4,181,634	6,400	4,497,936	6,790	4,884,449	6,930	5,039,643	7,290	5,557,481
Management of Companies and Enterprises (55)	180	108,524	160	104,259	130	124,098	110	98,106	110	105,417	100	121,073	100	127,916
Administrative and Support Waste Management and Remediation Services (56)	340	92,719	300	78,882	280	84,939	310	105,707	340	118,835	310	108,631	310	106,083
Educational Services Health Care Social Assistance Arts Entertainment Recreation Accommodation and Food Services (61 62 71 72)	1,450	131,720	1,420	130,843	1,390	126,663	1,450	149,819	1,520	181,004	1,530	204,888	1,670	248,523
Other Services (including Public Administration) (81 91)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	190	37,759	170	37,345	160	38,311
Missing/Not Assigned	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	6,376	120	12,254
TOTAL	19,320	12,966,092	18,300	12,762,366	17,800	12,708,743	18,270	13,553,209	19,040	14,356,763	18,730	14,049,635	19,020	14,658,383

**Notes:**

1. Total Allowable SR&ED Expenditures are defined where line 380 (or line 400 for tax years earlier than 2019) is greater than zero on Form T661.

2. Data are as of March 31, 2024.

3. A zero (0) indicates that the information has been suppressed for confidentiality purposes. Suppressed information also includes valid zeros.

4. The sum of the data may not add to the total due to rounding or suppression.

5. Data are subject to change due to (re)assessments.

6. Counts are rounded to the nearest ten while amounts are rounded and in thousands of dollars.

7. Data are presented on a tax-year basis.