

## **National R&D ranking of universities announced**

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The University of California, San Diego, ranked fifth in the nation and first in the UC system in federal Research and Development expenditures for 1994, the most recent year for which figures are available, according to a recently released report by the National Science Foundation.

UCSD's ranks in two of the funding measures increased over the previous year: federal R&D expenditures were fifth in the nation, compared to sixth in 1993, and total R&D expenditures moved from 10th place to seventh place nationally. These rankings remain first in the University of California system.

Federal R&D expenditures for UCSD in fiscal 1994 were \$266 million, only \$2 million behind Stanford University's fourth place ranking. In 1993 UCSD reported \$243 million in federal expenditures.

Total and federal R&D expenditures are amounts expended on research and development as reported by the universities for their fiscal year, typically July 1, 1993 to June 30, 1994.

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