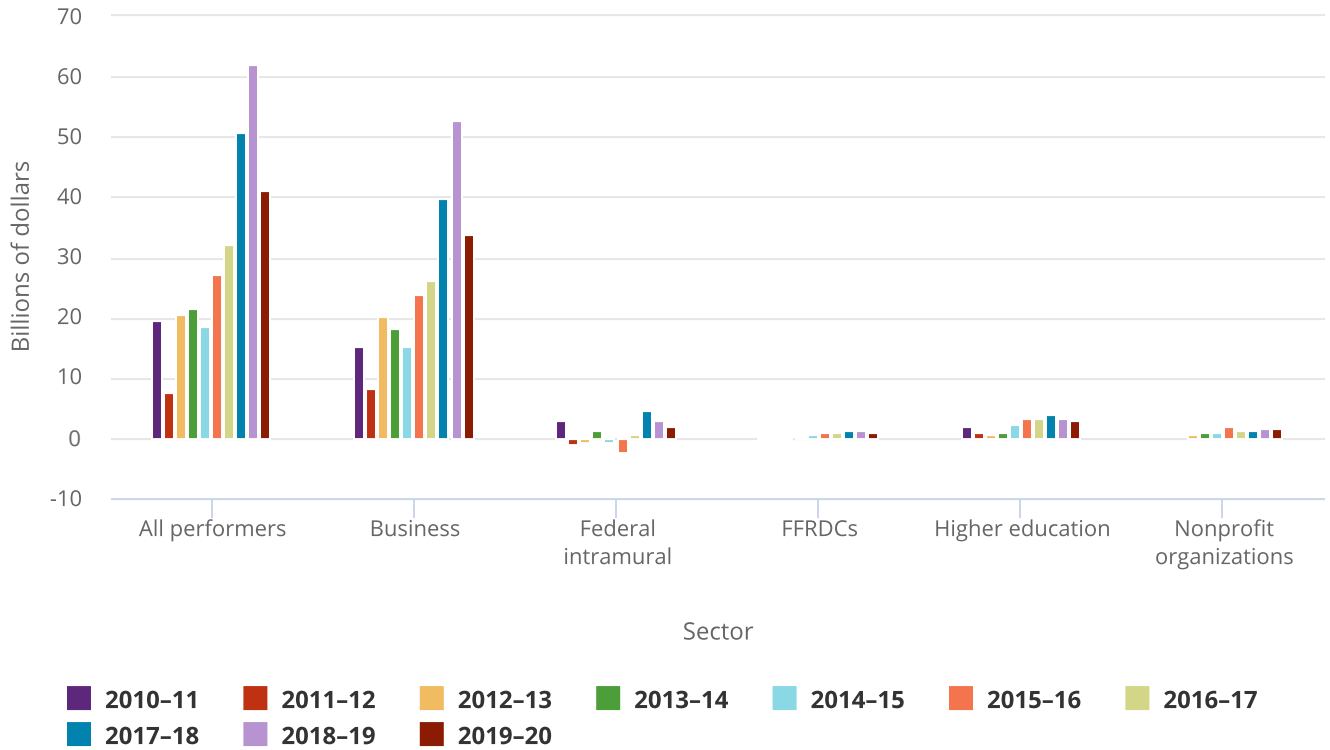


Figure RD-2

Year-to-year changes in U.S. R&D expenditures, by performing sector: 2010–20



FFRDC = federally funded research and development center.

Note(s):

Data are calculated from R&D expenditure data reported for performers in Table RD-1. The data for 2020 include estimates and are likely to later be revised. Expenditures by nonfederal government performers are comparatively negligible, and specific bars for this sector are excluded.

Source(s):

National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics, National Patterns of R&D Resources (2019–20 edition).

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