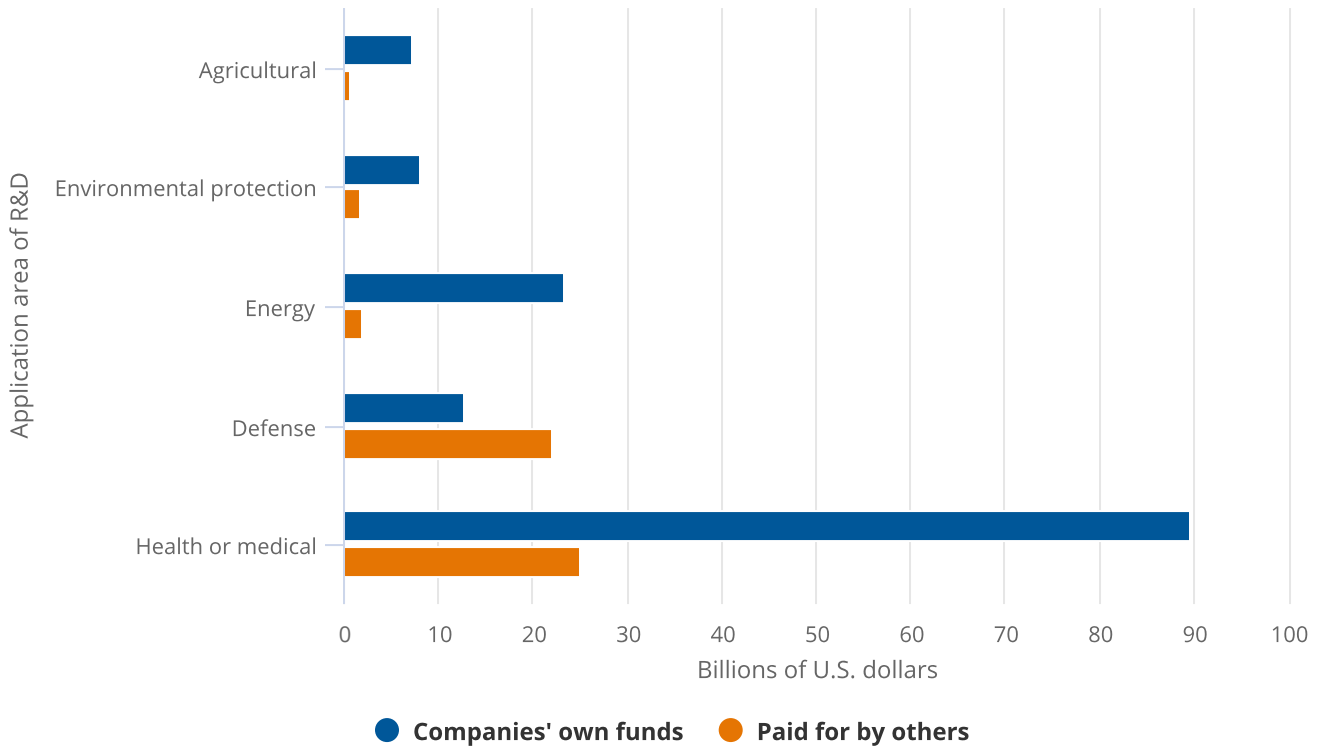


Figure 1

R&D performed by companies in the United States, by application area and source of funds: 2018



Note(s):

Total R&D performed by companies in the United States in 2018 was \$441.0 billion, of which \$377.8 billion was paid for from companies' own funds and \$63.2 billion was paid for by others such as business partners and customers. Detail may not sum to the total because companies may report their R&D costs in zero, one, or many application areas.

Source(s):

National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics and Census Bureau, Business Research and Development Survey, 2018.