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MARYLAND PHYSICS RANKS EIGHTH IN FEDERAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT DOLLARS

WASHINGTON--In a recent report completed by the National Science Foundation’s Division of Science Resources Studies titled *Academic Research and Development Expenditures: Fiscal Year 1999*, the Maryland Physics Department ranked 8th on a list of 50 colleges and universities for total and federally financed R&D expenditures in physics.

Having received nearly $27 million, Maryland surpasses a number of other prestigious schools including Michigan State, University of Illinois, Harvard and Yale.


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