



Industry  
Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council

**Program by Activities**

(thousands of dollars)	<b>2007–2008 Main Estimates</b>			2006–2007
	<b>Budgetary</b>		<b>Total</b>	Main Estimates
	Operating	Grants		
Promote Science and Engineering	196	3,870	<b>4,066</b>	1,459
Support Students and Fellows	6,802	130,744	<b>137,546</b>	135,251
Attract and Retain Faculty	2,864	163,829	<b>166,693</b>	163,790
Fund Basic Research	16,404	386,111	<b>402,515</b>	411,866
Fund Research in Strategic Areas	3,751	52,848	<b>56,599</b>	47,898
Fund University-Industry-Government Partnerships	9,883	105,086	<b>114,969</b>	107,455
Support Commercialization	736	16,427	<b>17,163</b>	17,539
	<b>40,636</b>	<b>858,915</b>	<b>899,551</b>	885,258

**Transfer Payments**

(dollars)	<b>2007–2008 Main Estimates</b>	2006–2007 Main Estimates
<b>Grants</b>		
<i>Promote Science and Engineering</i>		
Grants and Scholarships	<b>3,870,000</b>	1,263,000
<i>Support Students and Fellows</i>		
Grants and Scholarships	<b>99,244,000</b>	96,907,000
Canada Graduate Scholarships	<b>31,500,000</b>	31,500,000
<i>Attract and Retain Faculty</i>		
Grants and Scholarships	<b>163,829,000</b>	160,909,000
<i>Fund Basic Research</i>		
Grants and Scholarships	<b>386,111,000</b>	390,960,000
<i>Fund Research in Strategic Areas</i>		
Grants and Scholarships	<b>52,848,000</b>	44,319,000
<i>Fund University-Industry-Government Partnerships</i>		
Grants and Scholarships	<b>105,086,000</b>	97,507,000
<i>Support Commercialization</i>		
Grants and Scholarships	<b>16,427,000</b>	16,800,000
<b>Total grants</b>	<b>858,915,000</b>	840,165,000
<b>Items not required</b>		
Perimeter Institute	.....	5,000,000
<b>Total items not required</b>	.....	5,000,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>858,915,000</b>	845,165,000