Oregon general revenues vs. OUS appropriations

While Oregon’s general fund revenues have grown over the last 20 years, appropriations to the state’s public universities have been relatively flat. Twenty years ago, universities received a 15 percent share of general fund appropriations. That share is 6 percent in the current biennium. Oregon continues to rank among the bottom ten states in terms of public support provided to its seven university campuses.

LAB: Legislatively Approved Budget  
GRB: Governor’s Recommended Budget  
--- Total general fund  
--- OUS appropriations

*Includes federal stimulus  
**Estimated; subject to change

Source: Oregon University System