

Revenues by Source (in thousands)

Fiscal Year

	2019-2020 ⁴		2020-2021		2021-2022		2022-2023		2023-2024	
	DOLLARS	%	DOLLARS	%	DOLLARS	%	DOLLARS	%	DOLLARS	%
Revenues										
State Appropriations	\$240,526	16.7%	\$236,784	16.6%	\$239,318	16.1%	\$241,374	15.7%	\$234,654	14.2%
Federal Appropriations	12,694	0.9%	12,158	0.9%	14,985	1.0%	17,546	1.1%	15,567	0.9%
Tuition and Fees	517,257	36.0%	489,989	34.4%	504,955	34.0%	518,652	33.7%	549,215	33.2%
Contracts and Grants	277,630	19.3%	295,564	20.8%	371,352	25.0%	323,104	21.0%	367,022	22.2%
Auxiliary Enterprises ¹	227,374	15.8%	179,212	12.6%	221,433	14.9%	233,423	15.2%	248,062	15.0%
Independent Operations ²	45,999	3.2%	52,576	3.7%	53,698	3.6%	59,188	3.8%	62,605	3.8%
Other ³	116,706	8.1%	156,510	11.0%	78,098	5.3%	145,861	9.5%	178,183	10.8%
Total	\$1,438,186		\$1,422,793		\$1,483,839		\$1,539,148		\$1,655,308	

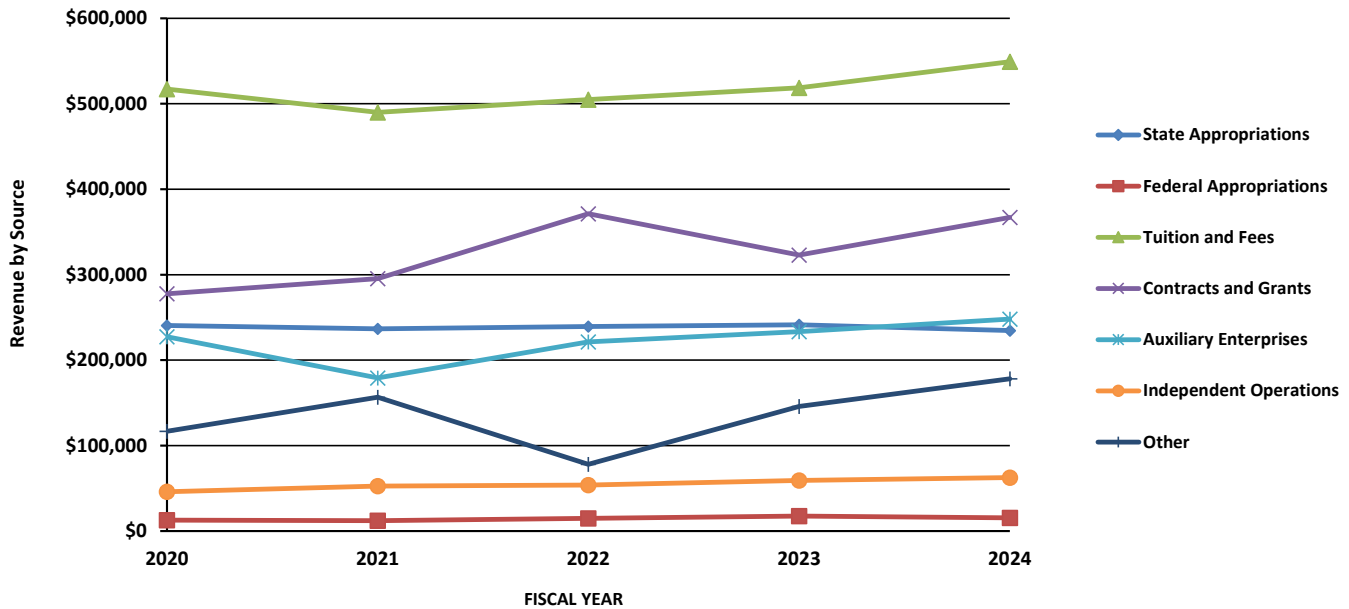
¹Auxiliary Enterprises: activities that exist to furnish goods and services to students and staff, essentially self-supporting, (e.g., Iowa State Center, Residence System, University Bookstore).

²Independent Operations: operations that are independent of but may enhance the mission of the university: Ames Laboratory.

³Other: includes miscellaneous revenue, (e.g., sales of educational activities, interest income from investments, sales of equipment).

⁴Beginning with FY20, data has been restated to better align with annual audited financial statements. This includes the removal of mandatory and non-mandatory transfers. For more detailed financial data, please consult the university's annual financial report on the Controller's website (link below).

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Office of Institutional Research (Source: Office of Controller)

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