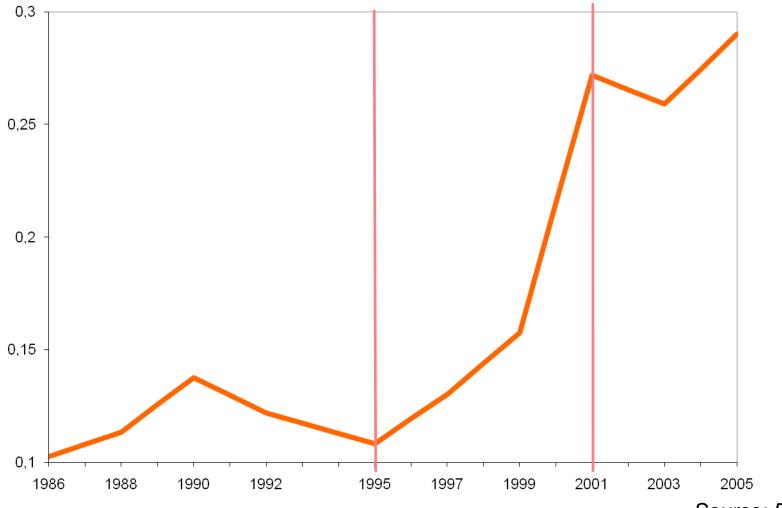
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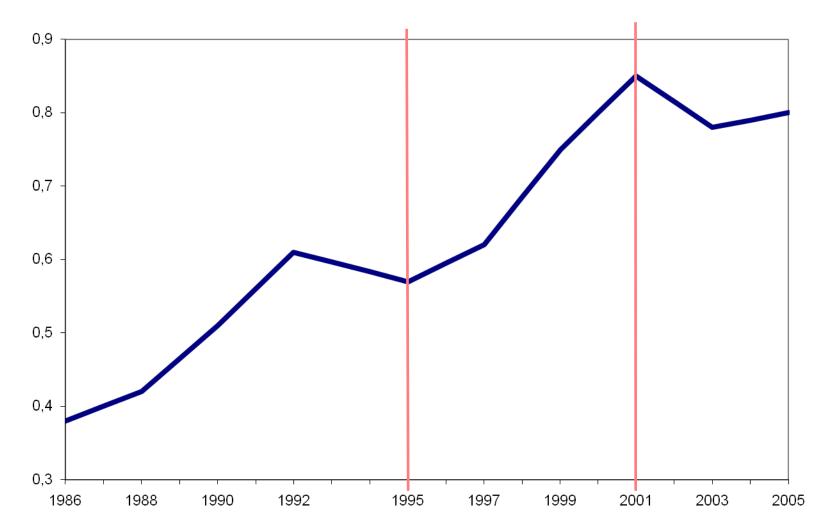
% Business Expense on R&D relative to GNP



Source: Eurostat

... while GERD/GNP grew at 7% per year in 1995-2001 ...

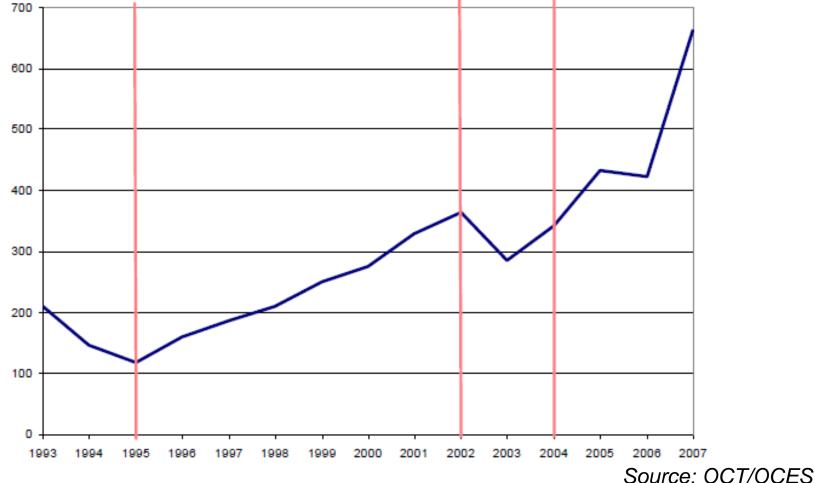
% Gross Expense on R&D relative to GNP



Source: Eurostat

... driven by a competitive science push growth of 22% per year in 1995-2001 which, after falling in 2002-04, was made to grow at 28% per year in 2005-07 ...

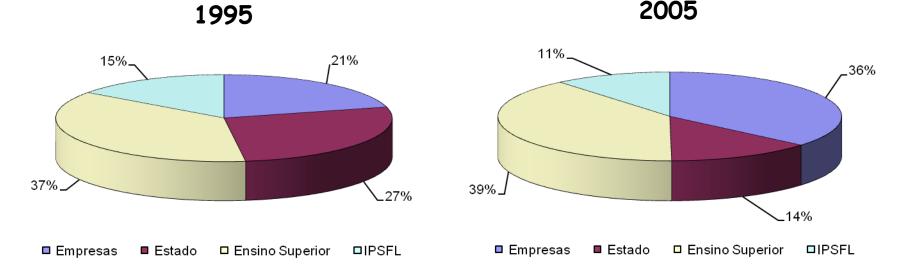
Budget of Competitive Public R&D Funding Agencies (M€ of 2007) (JNICT/FCT+ICCTI+GRICES)



... leading to expectations of reaching about 0.8% BERD/GNP and 1.8% GERD/GNP in 2010, and radically shifting share of the GERD from the State to Enterprises.

Enterprises share grew 71% from 1995 to 2005, a structural reform of the GERD allocation of a magnitude unique in EU.

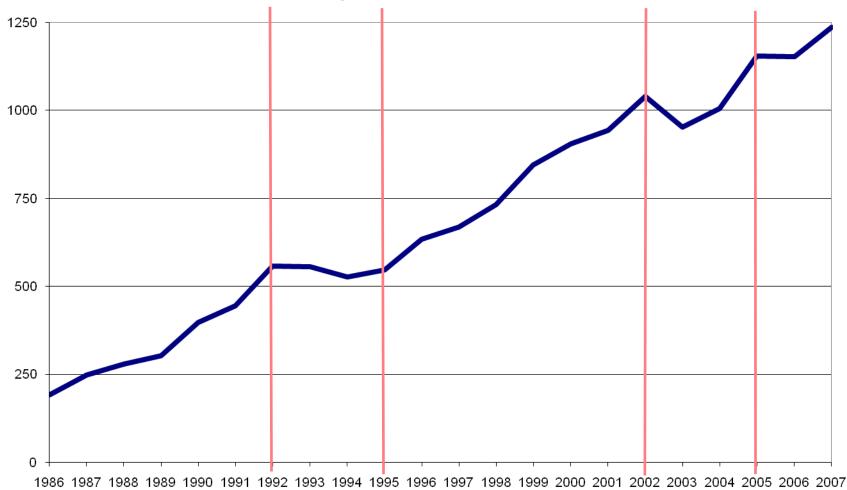
Share in GERD of Enterprises, State, Higher Education, NonProfit Inst.



Source: Eurostat

Total R&D Public Budget (GBAORD) grew at 11% per year from 2004 to 2007, while it had grown at 14% per year from 1995 to 2002, among the highest values in EU

R&D Public Budget (constant prices 2007, M€)



Source: OCT/OCES