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Written answers: Wednesday, 7 June 2006**Defence, Atomic Weapons Establishment****Alan Simpson** (Nottingham South, Labour) Hansard source

To ask the Secretary of State for Defence what the budget for the Atomic Weapons Establishment was in each of the last 20 years.

Des Browne (Secretary of State, Ministry of Defence) Hansard source

The following table represents annual expenditure at the Atomic Weapons Establishment during the period of contractorisation (that is, from 1 April 1993 onwards). Costs prior to 1993 were not collected on the same basis and the detail of these, which would be necessary in order to analyse the financial data and establish verifiable comparisons, could be provided only at disproportionate cost.

Atomic Weapons Establishment annual expenditure (as at 31 March 2006, 2005-06 prices)

	<i>£ million</i>
1993-94	299
1994-95	383
1995-96	387
1996-97	340
1997-98	367
1998-99	336
1999-2000	331
2000-01	311
2001-02	291
2002-03	278
2003-04	300
2004-05	363
2005-06 (Provisional)	493

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