

## DEFENSE: THE TOP 100

National Defense, which includes the war in Viet Nam, is costing the U.S. about \$75 billion a year—of which \$39 billion goes directly to the U.S. corporations and institutions that are the Government's prime suppliers. As of last week, a Senate subcommittee was holding hearings in an attempt to find out whether there is any profiteering. As an aid to the subcommittee, the Defense Department listed the latest ranking of the top 100 companies and institutions that do business with it:

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| 1. McDonnell Douglas Corp.   | 50. Sanders Associates, Inc.                            |
| 2. General Dynamics Corp.  | 51. TRW Inc.  |
| 3. Lockheed Aircraft Corp.   | 52. Asiatic Petroleum Corp.                             |
| 4. General Electric Co.  | 53. Signal Oil and Gas Co.                              |
| 5. United Aircraft Corp.   | 54. Harvey Aluminum, Inc.                               |
| 6. Boeing Co.  | 55. Pan American World Airways, Inc.                    |
| 7. North American Aviation, Inc.   | 56. Mobil Oil Corp.                                     |
| 8. American Telephone & Telegraph Co.  | 57. Eastman Kodak Co.                                   |
| 9. General Motors Corp.  | 58. Mason & Hanger-Silas Mason Co.                      |
| 10. Ling-Temco-Vought, Inc.  | 59. Pacific Architects & Engineers, Inc.                |
| 11. Textron Inc.   | 60. Lear Siegler, Inc.                                  |
| 12. Grumman Aircraft Engineering Corp.   | 61. Magnavox Co.  |
| 13. Sperry Rand Corp.  | 62. Massachusetts Institute of Technology*              |
| 14. RMK-BRJ (a joint venture of Raymond International Inc.; Morrison-Knudsen Co., Inc.; Brown & Root, Inc.; and J.A. Jones Construction Co.) | 63. American Machine & Foundry Co.                      |
| 15. Westinghouse Electric Corp.  | 64. Texas Instruments Incorporated                      |
| 16. Avco Corp.   | 65. Fairchild Hiller Corp.                              |
| 17. Hughes Aircraft Co.  | 66. Curtiss-Wright Corp.                                |
| 18. Ford Motor Co.   | 67. Teledyne, Inc.                                      |
| 19. Raytheon Co.   | 68. Dillingham Overseas Corporation and H.B. Zachry Co. |
| 20. Honeywell Inc.   | 69. Chamberlain Corp.                                   |
| 21. Northrop Corp.   | 70. Flying-Tiger Line, Inc.                             |
| 22. Kaiser Industries Corp.  | 71. International Harvester Co.                         |
| 23. Bendix Corp.   | 72. Federal Cartridge Corp.                             |
| 24. Martin-Marietta Corp.  | 73. Johns Hopkins University*                           |
| 25. Ryan Aeronautical Co.  | 74. Aerospace Corp.                                     |
| 26. General Tire & Rubber Co.  | 75. Dow Chemical Co.                                    |
| 27. Radio Corp. of America   | 76. Continental Air Lines, Inc.                         |
| 28. International Telephone and Telegraph Corp.  | 77. White Motor Corp.                                   |
| 29. Ogden Corp.  | 78. Condec Corp.  |
| 30. Standard Oil Co. (New Jersey)  | 79. Western Union Telegraph Co.                         |
| 31. Uniroyal, Inc.   | 80. The Emerson Electric Co.                            |
| 32. Collins Radio Co.  | 81. Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.                         |
| 33. Hercules Incorporated  | 82. Bethlehem Steel Corp.                               |
| 34. International Business Machines Corp.  | 83. Airlift International, Inc.                         |
| 35. Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co.   | 84. Hughes Tool Co.                                     |
| 36. Litton Industries, Inc.  | 85. Cessna Aircraft Co.                                 |
| 37. E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Co.  | 86. Atlantic Research Corp.                             |
| 38. Thiokol Chemical Corp.   | 87. Sverdrup & Parcel & Associates, Inc.                |
| 39. FMC Corp.  | 88. American Mfg. Co. of Texas                          |
| 40. Chrysler Corp.   | 89. J.P. Stevens & Co., Inc.                            |
| 41. Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.   | 90. Vinnell Corp.                                       |
| 42. Olin Mathieson Chemical Corp.  | 91. Westinghouse Air Brake Co.                          |
| 43. Standard Oil Co. of California   | 92. System Development Corporation                      |
| 44. Day & Zimmermann, Inc.   | 93. Northwest Airlines, Inc.                            |
| 45. General Telephone & Electronics Corp.  | 94. Gulf Oil Corp.                                      |
| 46. Morrison-Knudsen Co., Inc.   | 95. Smith Investment Co.                                |
| 47. Norris Industries, Inc.  | 96. Motorola, Inc.                                      |
| 48. General Precision Equipment Corp.  | 97. Cities Service Co.                                  |
| 49. Texaco Inc.  | 98. Tumpane Co., Inc.                                   |
|  | 99. Union Carbide Corp.                                 |
|  | 100. Maxson Electronics Corp.                           |

\* M.I.T. and Johns Hopkins, the only two academic entries on an otherwise corporation list, are among the top 100 because both institutions are involved in expensive applied research in such fields as over-the-horizon radar, electromagnetic applications and military uses for the laser beam. M.I.T.'s contracts last year totaled \$94.9 million, while Hopkins' amounted to \$71.1 million.