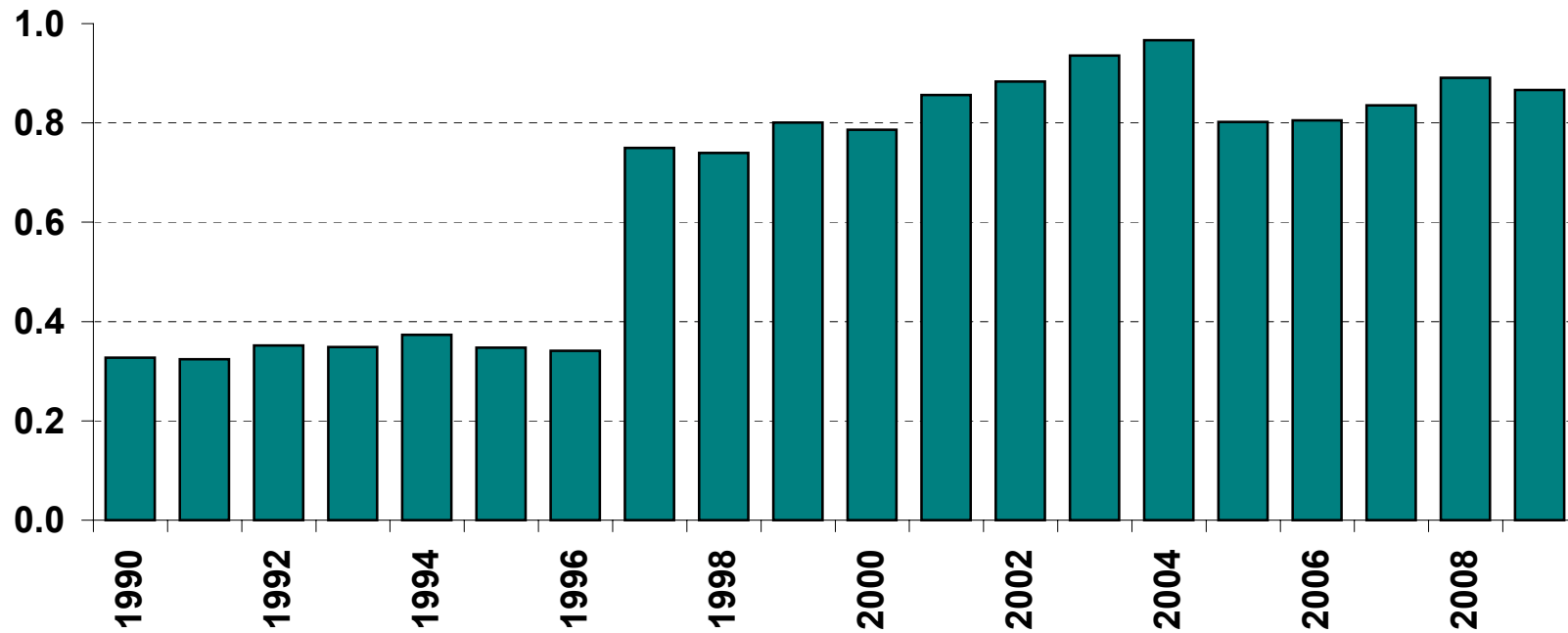


## Trends in VA R&D, FY 1990-2009 \*

in billions of constant FY 2008 dollars



Source: AAAS analyses of R&D in *AAAS Reports VIII-XXXIII*. \* FY 2009 figures are latest AAAS estimates of FY 2009 request. VA changed its accounting structure in 1997 to include personnel and other related costs as R&D.

R&D includes conduct of R&D and R&D facilities.

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