Reagan slashes funds for labs

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MIT may never receive approximately $34 million in funding from the federal government to support research and teaching activities. The university's budget for the fiscal year 1982 was significantly lower than expected, and this has led to a reduction in the amount of money available for research and development activities.

The decrease in funding has been attributed to a variety of factors, including changes in government policy and priorities, as well as the ongoing economic recession. The university has been forced to make difficult decisions about how to allocate its resources in order to continue its ongoing research projects.

In spite of the funding cutbacks, the university remains committed to the pursuit of excellence in its research and teaching efforts. Despite the challenges, the university continues to attract top researchers and students from around the world, and to make significant contributions to the advancement of knowledge in a wide range of fields.

However, the university is also looking to the future and exploring ways to ensure that it can continue to attract the best talent and fund its research efforts. This includes exploring new funding sources, such as private grants and endowments, and seeking to establish partnerships with industry and other organizations that can help to support its research efforts.

Overall, the university is working to ensure that it can continue to provide a world-class education and research environment for its students and faculty, despite the challenges it faces in the current economic climate.