The United States spends more on defense than the next seven countries combined.

**Defense Spending (Billions of Dollars)**

- **$609 Billion**
  - China
- **$649 Billion**
  - United States
- **Saudi Arabia**
- **India**
- **France**
- **Russia**
- **United Kingdom**
- **Germany**

**Source:** Stockholm International Peace Research Institute, SIPRI Military Expenditure Database, April 2019.

**Notes:** Figures are in U.S. dollars, converted from local currencies using market exchange rates. Data for the United States are for fiscal year 2018, which ran from October 1, 2017 through September 30, 2018. Data for the other countries are for calendar year 2018.