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Google, Tessera Technologies, Citrix: Statistical Spotlight

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Oct. 16 (Bloomberg Television) -- Google Inc., Tessera Technologies Inc. and Citrix Systems Inc. were highlighted on Bloomberg Television's "Statistical Spotlight" after the technology companies increased spending on research and development while cutting other expenses.

The companies were selected from U.S.-based technology firms based on market value exceeding \$1 billion and rising quarterly sales and gross margins. The criteria also included increased research and development spending and reductions in indirect operating expenses after cost of goods sold. The figures are from the most recent quarter compared with the year-earlier period. Google, based in Mountain View, California, is the world's most popular internet search engine. San Jose, California-based Tessera Technologies is a provider of semiconductor technology. Citrix, based in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, is a maker of computer-networking software.

Gross

Company	Revenue	Margin	R&D/Sales
Google (GOOG)	\$5.94 bln	63%	13%
Tessera (TSRA)	\$62 mln	94%	27%
Citrix (CTXS)	\$395 mln	89%	19%



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