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Industry and company size	NAICS code	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
All industries	21–23, 31–33, 42–81	61,475	54,066	59,162	69,251	72,157	73,245	75,804	73,691
Manufacturing industries	31–33	46,572	40,417	44,464	51,458	53,120	53,392	53,955	51,919
Food	311	596	817	1,006	1,195	1,076	1,315	1,282	1,232
Beverages and tobacco products	312	123	455	783	599	532	531	503	523
Textiles, apparel, and leather products	313–16	367	80	39	49	52	98	103	71
Wood products	321	4	2	3	1	2	2	5	3
Paper	322	274	257	324	93	106	103	158	102
Printing and related support activities	323	9	7	38	30	35	6	3	2
Petroleum and coal products	324	D	156	D	D	D	46	64	38
Chemicals	325	13,990	9,689	14,267	16,215	13,470	12,464	13,294	13,146
Basic chemicals	3251	1,198	797	861	D	695	716	784	636
Resins, synthetic rubber, and artificial synthetic fibers and filaments	3252	224	260	255	319	D	597	688	579
Pesticides, fertilizers, and other agricultural chemicals	3253	371	D	D	D	D	275	299	D
Pharmaceuticals and medicines	3254	10,862	7,041	11,068	12,557	11,069	9,690	10,249	10,591
Soaps, cleaning compounds, and toilet preparations	3256	965	873	884	910	870	924	952	150
Paints, coatings, adhesives, and other chemicals	3255, 3259	370	D	D	195	210	263	321	D
Plastics and rubber products	326	341	595	386	362	861	929	905	358
Nonmetallic mineral products	327	106	54	282	253	261	249	155	228
Primary metals	331	114	130	121	108	77	82	94	87
Fabricated metal products	332	188	117	91	135	122	109	222	193
Machinery	333	1,929	1,930	2,143	3,587	3,710	2,833	2,984	3,292
Agricultural implements	33311	399	391	D	293	596	646	D	621
Semiconductor machinery	333242	366	285	296	376	66	451	493	599
Engines, turbines, and power transmission equipment	3336	92	83	D	D	D	347	537	410
Other machinery	other 333	1,072	1,170	1,254	D	D	1,389	D	1,663
Computer and electronic products	334	15,774	12,917	13,722	16,708	21,117	21,485	20,943	20,674
Communications equipment	3342	2,951	2,862	3,194	2,863	4,525	4,730	3,702	3,625
Semiconductors and other electronic components	3344	7,075	6,058	6,343	7,909	10,082	10,434	10,360	9,896
Navigational, measuring, electromedical, and control instruments	3345	2,308	2,180	2,158	2,390	2,722	2,927	3,122	2,814
Electromedical, electrotherapeutic, and irradiation apparatuses	334510, 334517	838	522	360	557	586	202	1,073	923
Search, detection, navigation, guidance, aeronautical, and nautical systems and instruments	334511	D	508	475	575	578	647	625	673
Other measuring and controlling devices	other 3345	D	1,149	1,324	1,258	1,557	2,077	1,423	1,218
Other computer and electronic products	other 334	3,440	1,817	2,027	3,546	3,788	3,395	3,759	4,338
Electrical equipment, appliances, and components	335	1,162	1,158	1,447	1,695	1,062	1,605	1,382	1,351
Transportation equipment	336	10,267	7,974	8,422	7,936	8,075	7,899	9,621	8,413
Automobiles, bodies, trailers, and parts	3361–63	8,448	6,023	D	D	D	6,877	D	6,621
Aerospace products and parts	3364	1,816	1,846	1,770	772	D	901	D	1,674

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Aircraft, aircraft engines, and aircraft parts	336411–13	1,742	1,760	D	D	D	D	D	1,672
Guided missiles, space vehicles, and related parts	336414–15, 336419	74	85	D	D	5	D	D	2
Military armored vehicles, tanks, and tank components	336992	0	D	D	1	0	0	D	0
Other transportation	other 336	3	D	D	D	D	121	D	118
Furniture and related products	337	27	38	33	28	23	28	45	25
Miscellaneous manufacturing	339	D	4,044	D	D	D	3,608	2,194	2,183
Medical equipment and supplies	3391	766	3,813	1,003	D	1,978	3,197	1,782	1,788
Other miscellaneous manufacturing	3399	D	231	D	D	D	411	412	394 i
Nonmanufacturing industries	21–23, 42–81	14,903	13,648	14,698	17,792	19,037	19,853	21,849	21,771
Mining, extraction, and support activities	21	D	D	239	232	D	452	D	336
Utilities	22	6	13	17	38	21	23	1	3
Wholesale trade	42	509	D	53	141 i	112 i	7	D	25 i
Electronic shopping and electronic auctions	454111–12	NA	NA	D	D	D	490	D	D
Transportation and warehousing	48–49	2	1	29	28 i	8 i	D	13	13
Information	51	7,657	7,243	8,011	9,644	9,915	11,767	13,736	12,523
Publishing	511	6,301	6,332	6,926	7,899	7,880	9,456	10,185	8,841
Newspaper, periodical, book, and directory publishers	5111	27	47	55	29	2 i	6 i	4 i	9
Software publishers	5112	6,274	6,285	6,871	7,870	7,878	9,450	10,181	8,832
Telecommunications	517	175	86	131	98	59	63	61	41
Data processing, hosting, and related services	518	1,089 i	266	142 i	339	661	631	1,294	1,261
Other information	other 51	93	559	812	1,308	1,316	1,616	2,196	2,379
Finance and insurance	52	74	518	467	496	628	587	625	926
Real estate and rental and leasing	53	65	28	37	D	38	11	6	13
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets (except copyrighted works)	533	NA	NA	NA	41	37	D	3	D
Other real estate and rental and leasing	other 53	NA	NA	NA	D	* i	D	3	D
Professional, scientific, and technical services	54	6,150	5,328	5,309	6,424	6,723	6,418	6,534	7,650
Architectural, engineering, and related services	5413	200	126	148 i	D	57	41	65	58
Computer systems design and related services	5415	2,164	1,959	2,099	2,243 i	2,398 i	1,293	1,525 i	2,892
Scientific research and development services	5417	3,544	2,905	2,696	3,581	3,810	4,259	4,546	4,378
Biotechnology research and development	541711	NA	683	729	942	977	1,398	1,438	1,518
Physical, engineering, and life sciences (except biotechnology) research and development	541712	NA	2,213	1,962	2,638	2,830	2,859	3,103	2,856
Social sciences and humanities research and development	541720	NA	9	5	1	2	3	4 i	3
Other professional, scientific, and technical services	other 54	241	338	366	D	458	825	398 i	322
Health care services	621–23	1	10	D	D	36	7	*	12 i
Other nonmanufacturing	23, 44–45 (excluding 454111–12), 55–56, 624, 71–72, 81	NA	NA	NA	D	D	D	D	D

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All companies (number of domestic employees)	-	61,475	54,066	59,162	69,251	72,157	73,245	75,804	73,691
Micro companies ^a									
5–9	-	NA	NA	178	83	99 i	52 i	95 i	118 i
Small companies									
10–19	-	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	76
20–49	-	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	375
Medium companies									
50–99	-	976	509	688 i	539	628	351	547	406
100–249	-	1,735	1,574	1,358 i	1,051	1,212	1,276	1,475	1,389
Large companies									
250–499	-	1,178	985	1,245	1,561	1,306	1,359	1,446	1,122
500–999	-	1,753	1,992	1,741	1,396	1,455	1,650	2,293	2,426
1,000–4,999	-	11,350	10,403	11,674	12,691	12,419	13,238	14,343	13,516
5,000–9,999	-	7,000	5,692	6,907	8,126	10,298	11,430	12,979	9,498
10,000–24,999	-	11,785	10,442	8,856	12,485	10,317	9,741	9,366	11,543
25,000 or more	-	24,671	21,368	25,777	30,497	34,056	33,054	32,647	33,221

* = amount < \$500,000; D = data withheld to avoid disclosing operations of individual companies; i = > 50% of the estimate is a combination of imputation and reweighting to account for nonresponse; NA = not available.

NAICS = 2012 North American Industry Classification System.

^a Business R&D and Innovation Survey does not include companies with fewer than five domestic employees.

Note(s)

Detail may not add to total because of rounding. Industry classification is based on the dominant business code for domestic R&D performance, where available. For companies that did not report business codes, the classification used for sampling was assigned. Statistics are representative of companies located in the United States that performed or funded R&D. Most statistics for years prior to 2015 have been revised since original publication. Revised statistics include adjustments based on information obtained after the original statistics were prepared. For survey year 2008, industry classification was based on the 2002 NAICS. For survey years 2009–13, industry classification was based on the 2007 NAICS. Beginning with survey year 2011, the composition of the other nonmanufacturing industry changed.

Source(s)

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