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Companies that reported business process innovation, by size of company and innovation R&D activity: 2016–18

(Number and percent)

Employment size	Companies (number)	Innovation R&D activity			
		Number		Percent	
		Yes	No	Yes	No
All companies	929,754	262,972	666,783	28.3	71.7
Micro companies					
1–4	440,470	123,315	317,154	28.0	72.0
5–9	203,963	56,055	147,908	27.5	72.5
Small companies					
10–19	132,998	37,187	95,810	28.0	72.0
20–49	96,530	26,952	69,577	27.9	72.1
Medium companies					
50–99	30,046	10,507	19,538	35.0	65.0
100–249	16,611	5,268	11,344	31.7	68.3
Large companies					
250–499	4,779	1,644	3,136	34.4	65.6
500–999	1,907	823	1,085	43.2	56.8
1,000–4,999	1,856	846	1,009	45.6	54.4
5,000–9,999	275	167	109	60.4	39.6
10,000–24,999	187	129	59	68.4	31.6
25,000 or more	136	80	55	59.6	40.4

Note(s):

Detail may not add to total because of rounding. Innovation R&D activity is based on unedited company responses to innovation questions, not R&D expenditures. Statistics are representative of companies located in the United States.

Source(s):

National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics and Census Bureau, 2019 Annual Business Survey: Data Year 2018.