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Companies that reported product or 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	1,428,609	296,661	1,131,948	20.8	79.2
Micro companies					
1–4	745,109	140,794	604,315	18.9	81.1
5–9	295,942	61,416	234,526	20.8	79.2
Small companies					
10–19	185,636	41,815	143,821	22.5	77.5
20–49	129,014	30,394	98,620	23.6	76.4
Medium companies					
50–99	39,093	11,498	27,595	29.4	70.6
100–249	21,658	6,299	15,359	29.1	70.9
Large companies					
250–499	6,468	1,984	4,484	30.7	69.3
500–999	2,499	1,007	1,492	40.3	59.7
1,000–4,999	2,442	1,007	1,435	41.2	58.8
5,000–9,999	354	203	151	57.3	42.7
10,000–24,999	232	147	85	63.4	36.6
25,000 or more	167	97	70	58.1	41.9

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):

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