

TABLE 93

**Use of specialized equipment as a production technology for goods and services, by company size: 2016–18**

(Number and percent)

Employment size	Companies (number)	Did not use	Tested, but not used in production or service	Low use	Moderate use	High use	Don't know
All companies	4,805,151	75.9	0.3	5.3	6.9	5.6	6.0
Micro companies							
1–4	2,667,724	80.9	0.3	4.3	5.1	3.9	5.5
5–9	936,576	72.6	0.3	5.8	8.1	6.9	6.3
Small companies							
10–19	579,513	69.7	0.3	6.3	9.4	7.8	6.5
20–49	402,199	67.5	0.4	7.2	9.9	8.1	6.9
Medium companies							
50–99	119,497	64.0	0.6	8.1	10.8	8.5	8.0
100–249	65,565	59.5	0.7	8.3	13.3	9.9	8.3
Large companies							
250–499	18,897	60.7	0.5 r	6.9	13.1	7.6	11.2
500–999	7,289	56.4	0.3	8.7 r	10.4	10.7	13.5
1,000–4,999	6,199	52.0	0.5	8.6 r	11.5	11.0 r	16.4
5,000–9,999	823	42.6	1.1	8.1	15.6	7.2	25.4
10,000–24,999	514	33.7	D	8.9	13.6	10.5	32.7
25,000 or more	358	24.9	0.8	5.8	13.0	13.3	42.3 r

D = withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual companies; data are included in higher-level totals. r = relative standard error > 50%.

**Note(s):**

Detail may not add to total because of rounding. Statistics are representative of companies located in the United States.

**Source(s):**

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