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Companies that reported product or business process innovation, by size of company and innovation R&D activity: 2017–19

(Number and percent)

Employment size	Companies (number)	Innovation R&D activity			
		Number		Percent	
		Yes	No	Yes	No
All companies	1,230,217	300,469	929,748	24.4	75.6
Micro companies					
1–4	598,206	143,179	455,027	23.9	76.1
5–9	259,822	57,418	202,404	22.1	77.9
Small companies					
10–19	177,846	42,555	135,291	23.9	76.1
20–49	123,549	33,133	90,416	26.8	73.2
Medium companies					
50–99	38,021	12,243	25,778	32.2	67.8
100–249	20,339	6,496	13,843	31.9	68.1
Large companies					
250–499	6,741	2,741	4,000	40.7	59.3
500–999	2,645	1,145	1,500	43.3	56.7
1,000–4,999	2,278	1,100	1,178	48.3	51.7
5,000–9,999	349	197	152	56.4	43.6
10,000–24,999	253	158	95	62.5	37.5
25,000 or more	167	106	61	63.5	36.5

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, 2020 Annual Business Survey: Data Year 2019.