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Product innovating companies and partners, by firm classification of sex: 2017–19

(Number and percent)

Sex of owners	All companies	Any cooperation partner	Parent, affiliated, or subsidiary business	Suppliers	Other businesses	Federal, state, or local government	Customers	Consultants or commercial laboratories	Universities, colleges, or other institutions of higher education	Nonprofit organizations	Households or individuals
All companies (sex of owner)	530,124	69.7	12.1	40.8	31.3	7.0	40.1	12.9	6.4	6.4	17.7
Female majority owned	125,121	68.4	11.0	36.1	29.6	8.4	38.6	12.9	7.7	8.5	19.4
Male majority owned	318,378	70.0	12.0	42.4	31.9	6.7	40.6	13.1	6.0	5.6	16.6
Equally owned by male and female	81,246	69.4	12.3	40.6	30.7	5.7	39.7	11.1	5.3	6.2	20.2
Unclassifiable	5,380	83.9	42.6	52.6	38.3	11.9	48.1	28.8	11.7	8.5	11.4

Note(s):

Detail may not add to total because of rounding. 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.