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**Changes in R&D due to the coronavirus pandemic, by selected industry and R&D activity, for companies with 1–9 employees: 2020**

(Number and percent)

R&D activity	All companies	New R&D project were started	Existing R&D projects were canceled	Existing R&D projects were disrupted
All companies	511,793	8.0	5.5	12.8
R&D-performing companies	15,391	50.8	16.6	56.4
Non-R&D-performing companies	496,400	6.6	5.1	11.5

**Note(s):**

Detail may not add to total because of rounding. Only companies in the following NAICS (North American Industrial Classification System) sectors and industries are included in this table: 31–33, 42, 51, 5413, 5415, and 5417. Industry classification is based on dominant establishment payroll. Statistics are representative of companies located in the United States.

**Source(s):**

National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics and Census Bureau, 2021 Annual Business Survey: Data Year 2020.