

Table 56. Companies with product or business process innovations that had cooperation with other businesses or organizations on innovation, by company size: 2021–23

(Percent)

Company size (number of employees)	All companies (number)	Cooperation on R&D	Cooperation on other innovation activities	Cooperation on other business activities
All companies	1,174,007	9.1	9.9	18.9
Micro companies				
1–4	588,203	9.0	10.0	19.1
5–9	242,152	8.1	8.4	17.6
Small companies				
10–19	162,817	9.0	9.6	18.2
20–49	114,831	9.6	10.2	18.6
Medium companies				
50–99	33,734	11.8	12.1	21.4
100–249	20,936	11.6	14.8	23.7
Large companies				
250–499	5,913	16.9	15.1	25.4
500–999	2,389	20.2	20.8	28.1
1,000–4,999	2,149	25.8 r	28.0 r	30.6 r
5,000–9,999	398	28.1	33.9	35.7
10,000–24,999	301	39.2	37.5	46.5
25,000 or more	182	40.1	49.5	53.3

r = relative standard error > 50%.

Note(s):

Detail may not add to total because of rounding. Companies may be counted in zero, one, or more innovation activity categories. Statistics are representative of companies located in the United States.

Source(s):

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