

TABLE A-7. Survey forms mailed, by sampling stratum: 2011
(Number of forms)

Stratum	Total	BRDI-1	BRDI-1A
Total	42,389	2,708	39,681
Known positive R&D	14,541	2,682	11,859
Certainties	10,153	2,679	7,474
Noncertainties	4,388	3	4,385
Known zero R&D	3,308	9	3,299
Certainties	1,882	9	1,873
Noncertainties	1,426	0	1,426
Unknown R&D	24,516	3	24,513
Certainties	7,024	3	7,021
Noncertainties	17,492	0	17,492
Cases not in the frame	24	14	10

NOTES: Companies were sent the detailed survey form (BRDI-1) if their R&D spending was at least \$7.0 million in 2009. All other companies received an abbreviated form (BRDI-1A). Companies were said to be known to conduct R&D (known positive R&D) if they reported R&D in any of the previous 5 survey years. Companies were said to have known zero R&D if they reported no R&D in all of the previous 5 survey years.

SOURCE: National Science Foundation/National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics and U.S. Census Bureau, Business R&D and Innovation Survey, 2011.