

TABLE 85. R&D-active and non-R&D-active companies in the United States that reported new or significantly improved products or processes and the proportion of companies in each R&D program size classification: 2007–09

(Percent)

Company type	Companies (number)	New or significantly improved product or process		New or significantly improved product(s)						New or significantly improved process(es)							
				Any good/service		Goods		Services		Any process		Manufacturing/production methods		Logistics/delivery/distribution methods		Support activities	
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
All companies <sup>a</sup>	1,350,374	16.3	80.3	11.7	85.7	5.8	91.7	9.1	88.3	11.9	84.7	4.4	92.7	4.1	93.0	9.3	87.7
With R&D activity <sup>b</sup>	54,747	64.9	34.2	55.7	43.4	41.8	57.0	31.6	66.7	44.0	53.7	28.2	69.3	15.5	82.4	30.2	68.2
< \$10 million	52,566	65.3	33.9	55.9	43.3	41.7	57.2	31.9	66.6	44.3	53.6	28.4	69.3	15.2	82.8	30.2	68.3
≥ \$10 but < \$50 million	1,533	50.9	47.5	46.1	52.4	41.6	56.9	22.6	75.5	36.0	61.9	21.6	76.1	19.9	78.2	27.7	70.4
≥ \$50 but < \$100 million	270	63.2	29.7	58.1	34.9	53.2	40.1	30.0	61.9	45.9	45.6	34.4	57.8	27.4	63.8	38.5	53.0
≥ \$100 million	378	59.3	28.3	56.1	31.5	52.1	36.0	32.5	54.5	44.2	43.4	32.3	55.3	27.2	59.5	38.1	49.2
Without R&D activity	1,295,627	14.3	82.3	9.8	87.5	4.3	93.1	8.1	89.2	10.5	86.0	3.4	93.7	3.6	93.4	8.4	88.5

<sup>a</sup> Weighted counts for companies that reported on 2009 Business R&D and Innovation Survey whether they did or did not perform or fund R&D. In comparison, total weighted count for companies that did not report these R&D data on survey is 467,100 companies.

<sup>b</sup> Dollar ranges determined by total worldwide R&D expense plus total worldwide R&D cost funded by others.

NOTES: Survey asked companies to identify innovations introduced in 2007–09. Sum of Yes and No percentages may not add to 100% due to item nonresponse to some innovation question items.

SOURCE: National Science Foundation/National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics and U.S. Census Bureau, Business R&D and Innovation Survey, 2009.