

Table 2.19 Companies involved in solar thermal collector related activities by type, 2008 and 2009

Type of Activity	2008	2009
Collector or System Design	45	59
Prototype Collector Development	27	27
Prototype System Development	23	23
Wholesale Distribution	58	61
Retail Distribution	29	31
Installation	21	27
Noncollector System Component Manufacture	26	32

Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-63A, "Annual Solar Thermal Collector Manufacturers Survey."