

### **Survey of Innovation – Disclosure control**

Estimates that were too unreliable to be published (code F) were suppressed.

The reliability of the data was reported using the following convention for quality indicator interpretation. This convention combines the effect of sampling (since we did not do a census) and the imputation rate.

The reliability of the data was reported using the following symbol convention:

<b>Symbol</b>	<b>Meaning</b>	<b>Coefficient of variation combined with imputation rate</b>	<b>Standard error combined with imputation rate</b>
A	Very reliable	$\leq 5.0\%$	$\leq 2.5\%$
B	Reliable	$> 5.0\%$ and $\leq 15.0\%$	$> 2.5\%$ and $\leq 7.5\%$
E	Use with caution	$> 15.0\%$ and $\leq 30.0\%$	$> 7.5\%$ and $\leq 15.0\%$
F	Too unreliable to be published	$> 30.0\%$	$> 15.0\%$