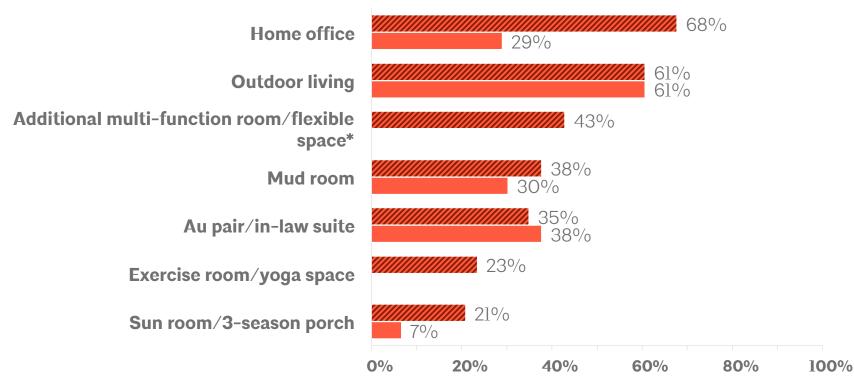
#### **FIGURE 1** Home offices increase in popularity and additional multifunctional spaces become popular as people continue to live and work from home

% of respondents reporting popularity of room "increasing" minus % reporting "decreasing;" data from Q2 2020 compared to data from Q2 2019

≥2020 2019

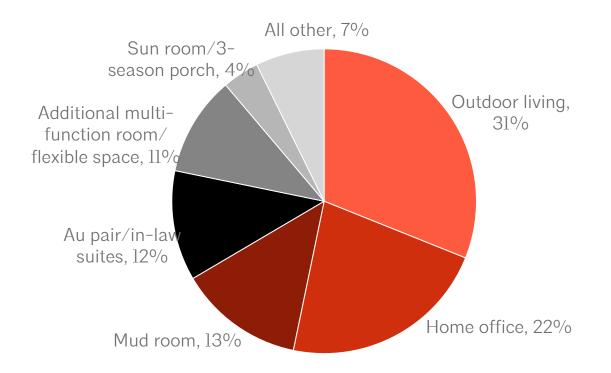




Additional multi-function room/flexible space and exercise room/yoga space not asked about in 2019 \*space that can serve different needs (home office, kids space, etc.) Source: The American Institute of Architects Home Design Trends Survey

## **FIGURE 2** Outdoor living spaces, home offices, and mud rooms continue to top list of most popular special function rooms

Most popular special function room, % of respondents, data from Q2 2020

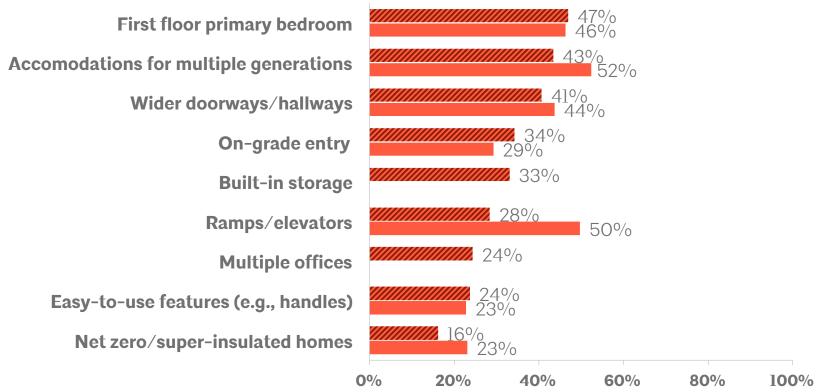




## **FIGURE 3** Ramps/elevators, accommodations for multiple generations, and super-insulated homes see declines in popularity

% of respondents reporting popularity of feature "increasing" minus % reporting "decreasing;" data from Q2 2020 compared to data from Q2 2019

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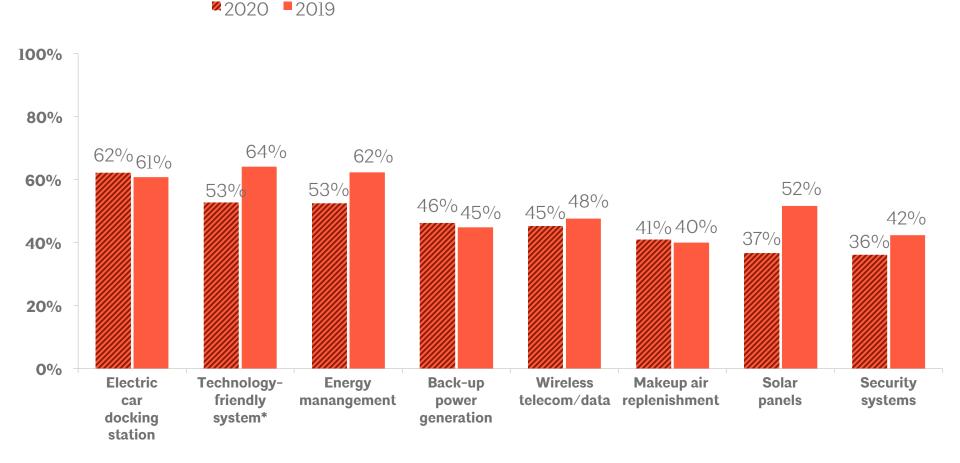




Built-in storage and multiple offices not asked about in 2019 Source: The American Institute of Architects Home Design Trends Survey

### FIGURE 4 Electric car docking stations reported as popular technology

% reporting popularity of system "increasing" minus % reporting "decreasing;" data from Q2 2020 compared to data from Q2 2019

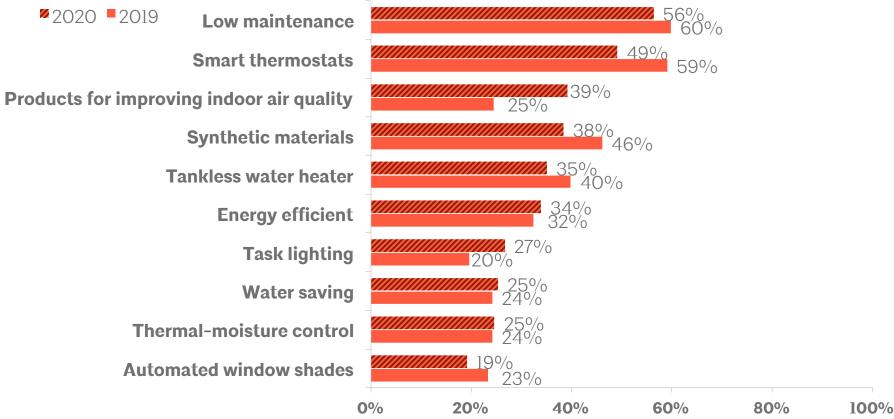




\*extra outlet capacity/charging stations, in-wall wireless mobile charging docks, USB wall outlets Source: The American Institute of Architects Home Design Trends Survey

# **FIGURE 5** Low maintenance materials continue to remain popular while products for improving indoor air quality saw a large increase in popularity

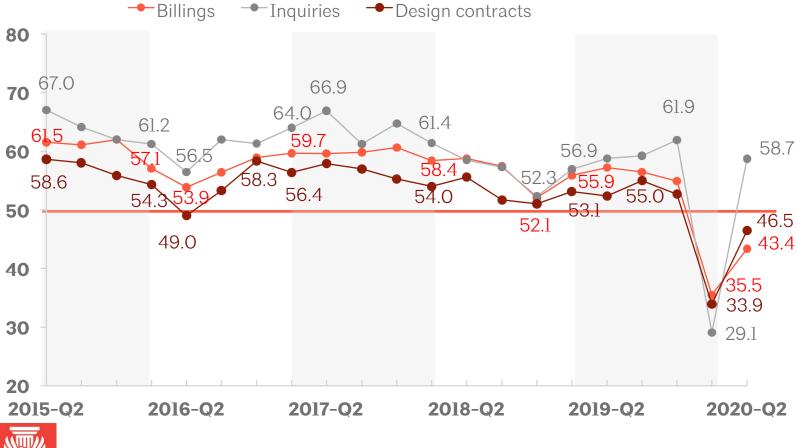
% of respondents reporting popularity of product/product category "increasing" minus % reporting "decreasing;" data from Q2 2020 compared to data from Q2 2019





### **FIGURE 6** Inquiries bounce back after record decline in Q1 while project billings and design contracts start to recover

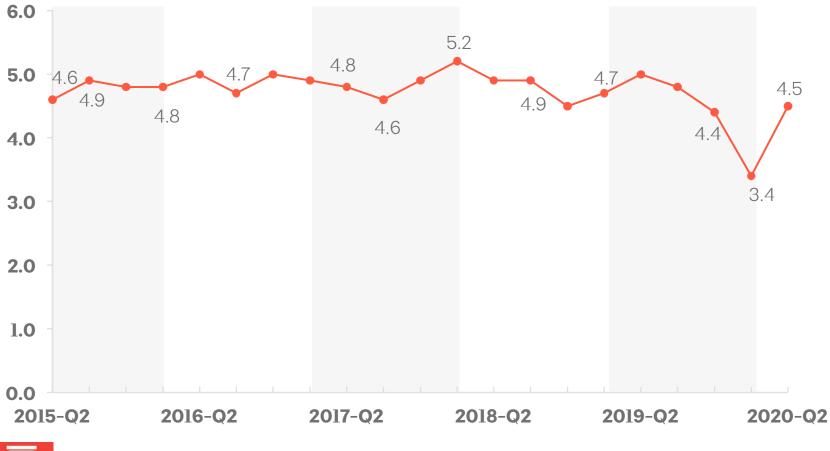
Diffusion index: 50 = no change from previous quarter; data are seasonally adjusted; data from Q2 2015-Q2 2020





#### FIGURE 7 Project backlogs rebound after Q1 decline

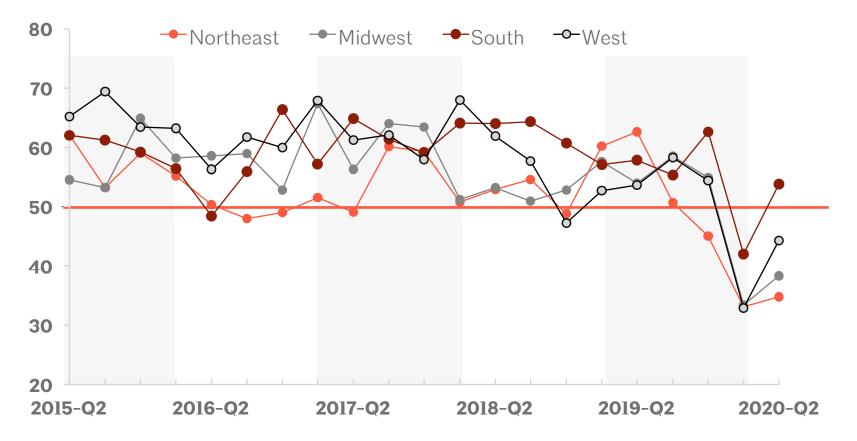
Number of months of project backlogs, averages across all firms; data are not seasonally adjusted; data from Q2 2015-Q2 2020





## **FIGURE 8** Firms in the South see growth, while firms in all other regions continue to report declines in Q2

Diffusion index for billings: 50 = no change from previous quarter; data are seasonally adjusted; data from Q2 2015-Q2 2020

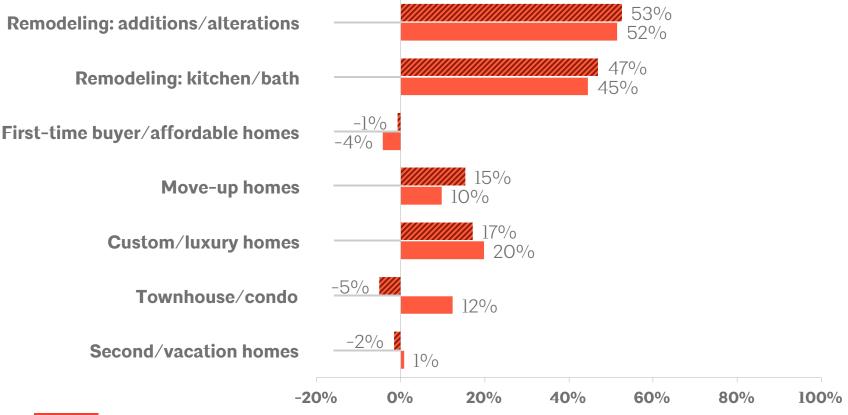




## FIGURE 9 Home improvements strengthen, while new construction sectors are mixed

% of respondents reporting sector "improving" minus % reporting "weakening;" data from Q2 2020 compared to data from Q2 2019

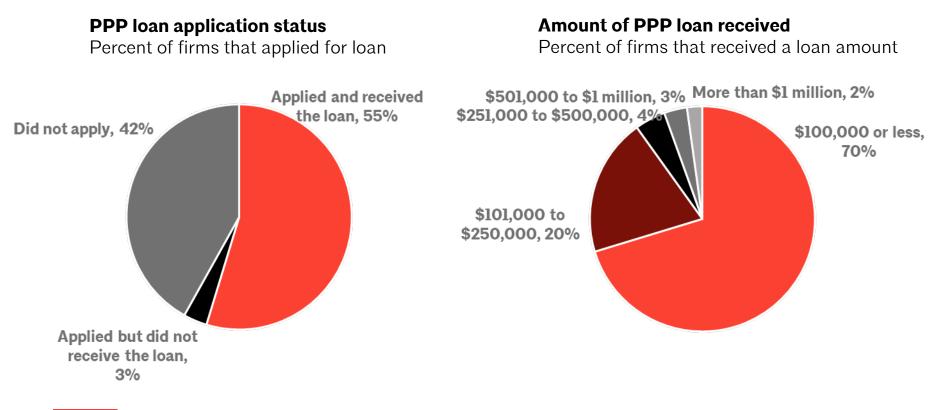
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## **FIGURE 10 55% of firms reported that they applied and received the loan through the Payroll Protection Program, with the majority receiving a loan amount of less than \$100,000**

% of respondents; data from Q2 2020





#### **FIGURE 11** The majority of firms reported that the Payroll Protection Program helped them retain their employees that otherwise would have been furloughed/laid off

% of respondents; data from Q2 2020

