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25%

of the companies in The USA were zombie companies in 2020. That number was only 1% in 1997. A hard increase of 1700%!

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COMMENT: The definition of Zombie Companies: “**Companies that earn just enough money to continue operating and service debt but are unable to pay off their debt. Companies that are not profiting and should have went out of business but can get the money to at least stay operational**.”. Thanks to Patrick Bet-David, we now know that 18% of companies listed in the Bloomberg Total Return Index are zombie companies. That was only 1% in 1997. How many more companies are just existing without making money today?