

Patent Statistics

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Unit:Case

	Total	Invention	Utility Model	Design
Patent Application	7,247	4,634	1,907	706
Filed by Residents	3,990	1,770	1,867	353
Filed by Non-Residents	3,257	2,864	40	353
Reexamination Filed	161	151		10
Invalidation	87	25	61	1
Requests for Substantive Examination	4,063	4,063		
Application for Technical Evaluation Report	207		207	
Pre-grant Publication	3,322	3,322		
For Applications Filed by Residents	1,317	1,317		
For Applications Filed by Non-Residents	2,005	2,005		
Patents Issued	5,157	2,844	1,855	458
Issued to Residents	3,364	1,308	1,809	247
Issued to Non-Residents	1,793	1,536	46	211
Rejection	557	409	28	120

Trademark Statistics

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	Total	Residents	Non-Residents
Application	5,817	4,570	1,247
Application (no. of Classes)	7,178		
Registration	3,119	2,326	793
Registration (no. of classes)	3,715		
Rejection	376	333	43
Opposition	150		
Invalidation	27		
Revocation	28		
Renewal	2,609		

Copyright Statistics

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	Application	Approval	Non-Approval	Rejection	Return	Cancellation	Dissolution	Withdrawal
Total	5,119	5,119						
Registration for Plate Right								
Compulsory license for a musical work								
Copyright Intermediary Organization								
Cancellation of Copyright Registration (Note)								
Inspection on Copyright Documents	5,119	5,119						

Note : On Jan. 21 , 1998 the amended Copyright Act abolished the copyright registration system, thus the " Cancellation of Copyright Registration" here refers to the copyright registration cases approved before the aforesaid date.