

Patent Statistics

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Unit : Case

	Total	Invention	Utility Model	Design
Patent Application	6,404	3,837	1,974	593
Filed by Residents	4,069	1,827	1,899	343
Filed by Non-Residents	2,335	2,010	75	250
Reexamination Filed	263	244	–	19
Invalidation	70	9	57	4
Requests for Substantive Examination	3,437	3,437		
Application for Technical Evaluation Report	194		194	
Pre-grant Publication	3,489	3,489		
For Applications Filed by Residents	1,806	1,806		
For Applications Filed by Non-Residents	1,683	1,683		
Patents Issued	4,029	1,613	1,856	560
Issued to Residents	2,918	818	1,785	315
Issued to Non-Residents	1,111	795	71	245
Rejection	1,163	1,072	18	73

Trademark Statistics

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	Total	Residents	Non-Residents
Application	5,200	3,814	1,386
Application (no. of Classes)	6,806		
Registration	2,586	1,945	641
Registration (no. of classes)	3,253		
Rejection	896	776	120
Opposition	62		
Invalidation	30		
Revocation	48		
Renewal	2,702		

Copyright Statistics

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	Application	Approval	Non-Approval	Rejection	Return	Cancellation	Dissolution	Withdrawal
Total	3,312	3,290		1		21		
Registration for Plate Right								
Compulsory license for a musical work								
Copyright Collective Management								
Cancellation of Copyright Registration (Note)								
Inspection on Copyright Documents	3,312	3,290		1		21		
Registration and Review of Pledges of Copyright								
Application for Approval of License of Works of Unknown Owner of Copyrights								

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.