

Patent Statistics

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Unit:Case

	Total	Invention	Utility Model	Design
Patent Application	8,763	5,846	2,271	646
Filed by Residents	5,641	3,044	2,236	361
Filed by Non-Residents	3,122	2,802	35	285
Reexamination Filed	156	143		13
Invalidation	97	27	67	3
Requests for Substantive Examination	4,822	4,822		
Application for Technical Evaluation Report	185		185	
Pre-grant Publication	3,546	3,546		
For Applications Filed by Residents	1,198	1,198		
For Applications Filed by Non-Residents	2,348	2,348		
Patents Issued	3,628	1,398	1,677	553
Issued to Residents	2,618	687	1,639	292
Issued to Non-Residents	1,010	711	38	261
Rejection	429	349	2	78

Trademark Statistics

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	Total	Residents	Non-Residents
Application	4,849	3,614	1,235
Application (no. of Classes)	5,890		
Registration	5,234	4,025	1,209
Registration (no. of classes)	6,120		
Rejection	908	800	108
Opposition	80		
Invalidation	34		
Revocation	23		
Renewal	2,338		

Copyright Statistics

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	Application	Approval	Non-Approval	Rejection	Return	Cancellation	Dissolution	Withdrawal
Total	3,665	3,664						
Registration for Plate Right	1							
Compulsory license for a musical work								
Copyright Intermediary Organization								
Cancellation of Copyright Registration (Note)								
Inspection on Copyright Documents	3,664	3,664						

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.