

Patent Statistics

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Unit : Case

	Total	Invention	Utility Model	Design
Patent Application	7,089	4,286	2,075	728
Filed by Residents	4,272	1,875	1,990	407
Filed by Non-Residents	2,817	2,411	85	321
Reexamination Filed	395	393	-	2
Invalidation	85	25	57	3
Requests for Substantive Examination	3,696	3,696		
Application for Technical Evaluation Report	208		208	
Pre-grant Publication	4,013	4,013		
For Applications Filed by Residents	1,529	1,529		
For Applications Filed by Non-Residents	2,484	2,484		
Patents Issued	4,489	2,065	1,885	539
Issued to Residents	3,054	941	1,792	321
Issued to Non-Residents	1,435	1,124	93	218
Rejection	1,668	1,584	29	55

Trademark Statistics

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	Total	Residents	Non-Residents
Application	6,374	4,656	1,718
Application (no. of classes)	8,353		
Registration	4,160	3,108	1,052
Registration (no. of classes)	5,184		
Rejection	280	233	47
Opposition	70		
Invalidation	55		
Revocation	34		
Renewal	3,163		

Copyright Statistics

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	Application	Approval	Non-Approval	Rejection	Return	Cancellation	Dissolution	Withdrawal
Total	3,269	3,252		4		12		
Registration for Plate Right								
Compulsory license for a musical work								
Copyright Collective Management								
Cancellation of Copyright Registration (Note)								
Inspection on Copyright Documents	3,268	3,252		4		12		
Registration and Review of Pledges of Copyright	1							
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.