

Patent Statistics

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Unit:Case

	Total	Invention	Utility Model	Design
Patent Application	6,215	4,016	1,669	530
Filed by Residents	3,592	1,725	1,625	242
Filed by Non-Residents	2,623	2,291	44	288
Reexamination Filed	148	129		19
Invalidation	86	17	66	3
Requests for Substantive Examination	3,417	3,417		
Application for Technical Evaluation Report	207		207	
Pre-grant Publication	3,841	3,841		
For Applications Filed by Residents	1,428	1,428		
For Applications Filed by Non-Residents	2,413	2,413		
Patents Issued	3,651	1,377	1,888	386
Issued to Residents	2,740	638	1,852	250
Issued to Non-Residents	911	739	36	136
Rejection	602	395	4	203

Trademark Statistics

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	Total	Residents	Non-Residents
Application	4,300	3,211	1,089
Application (no. of Classes)	5,415		
Registration	4,814	3,637	1,177
Registration (no. of classes)	6,114		
Rejection	364	321	43
Opposition	132		
Invalidation	30		
Revocation	26		
Renewal	1,948		

Copyright Statistics

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	Application	Approval	Non-Approval	Rejection	Return	Cancellation	Dissolution	Withdrawal
Total	4,165	4,164						
Registration for Plate Right	1							
Compulsory license for a musical work								
Copyright Intermediary Organization								
Cancellation of Copyright Registration (Note)								
Inspection on Copyright Documents	4,164	4,164						

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.