

Patent Statistics

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Unit:Case

	Total	Invention	Utility Model	Design
Patent Application	6,119	3,901	1,664	554
Filed by Residents	3,611	1,677	1,639	295
Filed by Non-Residents	2,508	2,224	25	259
Reexamination Filed	147	132		15
Invalidation	92	20	64	8
Requests for Substantive Examination	3,546	3,546		
Application for Technical Evaluation Report	226		226	
Pre-grant Publication	4,386	4,386		
For Applications Filed by Residents	2,164	2,164		
For Applications Filed by Non-Residents	2,222	2,222		
Patents Issued	5,214	2,711	1,962	541
Issued to Residents	3,202	1,045	1,910	247
Issued to Non-Residents	2,012	1,666	52	294
Rejection	448	339	5	104

Trademark Statistics

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	Total	Residents	Non-Residents
Application	5,265	3,977	1,288
Application (no. of Classes)	6,418		
Registration	4,646	3,478	1,168
Registration (no. of classes)	5,617		
Rejection	1,039	936	103
Opposition	104		
Invalidation	29		
Revocation	29		
Renewal	2,647		

Copyright Statistics

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	Application	Approval	Non-Approval	Rejection	Return	Cancellation	Dissolution	Withdrawal
Total	4,280	4,280					1	
Registration for Plate Right								
Compulsory license for a musical work								
Copyright Intermediary Organization							1	
Cancellation of Copyright Registration (Note)								
Inspection on Copyright Documents	4,280	4,280						

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.