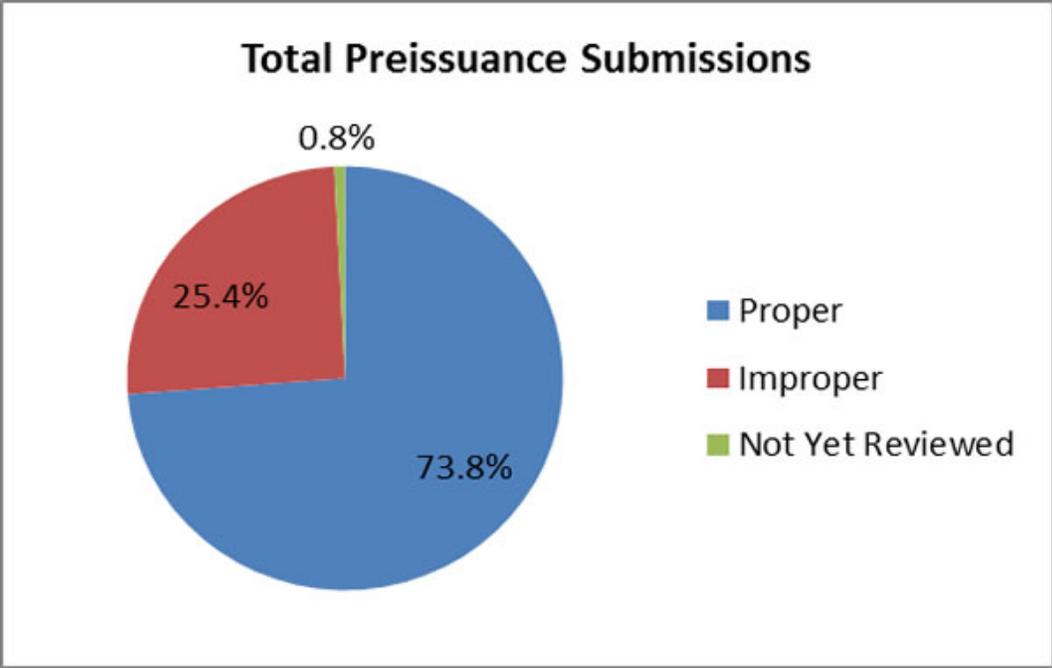


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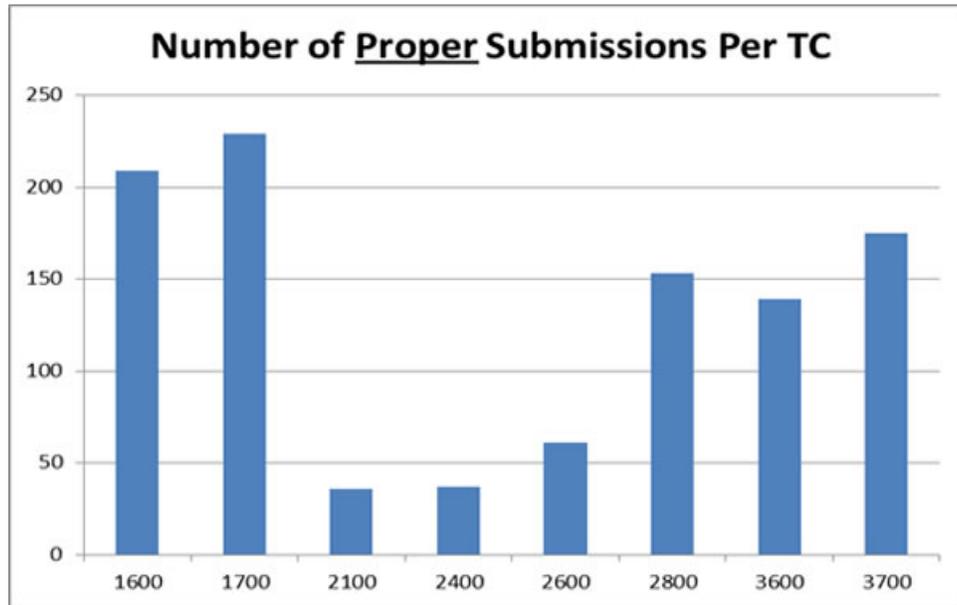
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| TC 1600 | 234 |
| TC 1700 | 278 |
| TC 2100 | 66 |
| TC 2400 | 43 |
| TC 2600 | 102 |
| TC 2800 | 216 |
| TC 3600 | 169 |
| TC 3700 | 274 |

TC = Technology Center



Total Preissuance Submissions

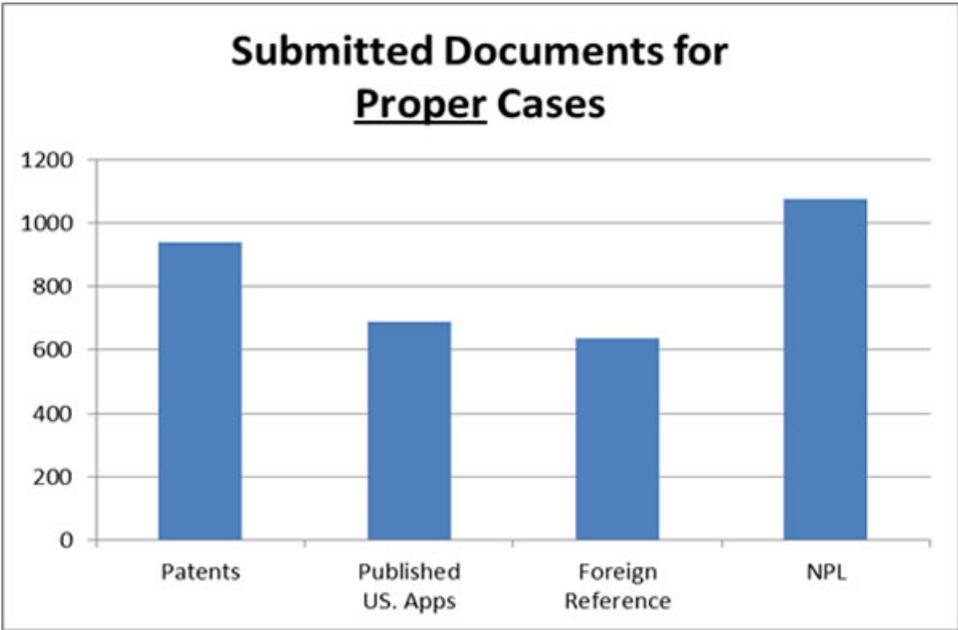
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|------------------|-------|
| Proper | 73.8% |
| Improper | 25.4% |
| Not Yet Reviewed | 0.8% |



Number of Proper Submissions Per TC

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|---------|-----|
| TC 1600 | 209 |
| TC 1700 | 227 |
| TC 2100 | 37 |
| TC 2400 | 39 |
| TC 2600 | 63 |
| TC 2800 | 156 |
| TC 3600 | 138 |
| TC 3700 | 175 |

TC = Technology Center



Submitted Documents for Proper Cases

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|------------------------|-------------|
| Patents | 940 |
| Published US. Apps | 687 |
| Foreign Reference | 637 |
| NPL | 1075 |
| Total Documents | 3339 |

Applications w/ Office Actions after receipt of Proper Third-Party Submission

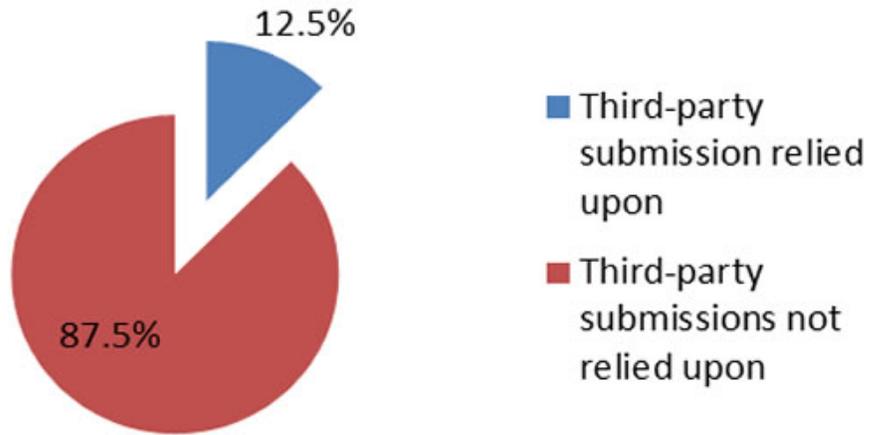


Figure 5: Applications w/ Office Actions Generated after Receipt of Proper Third Party Submissions

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| Third party submission relied upon | 12.5% |
| Third party submissions not relied upon | 87.5% |

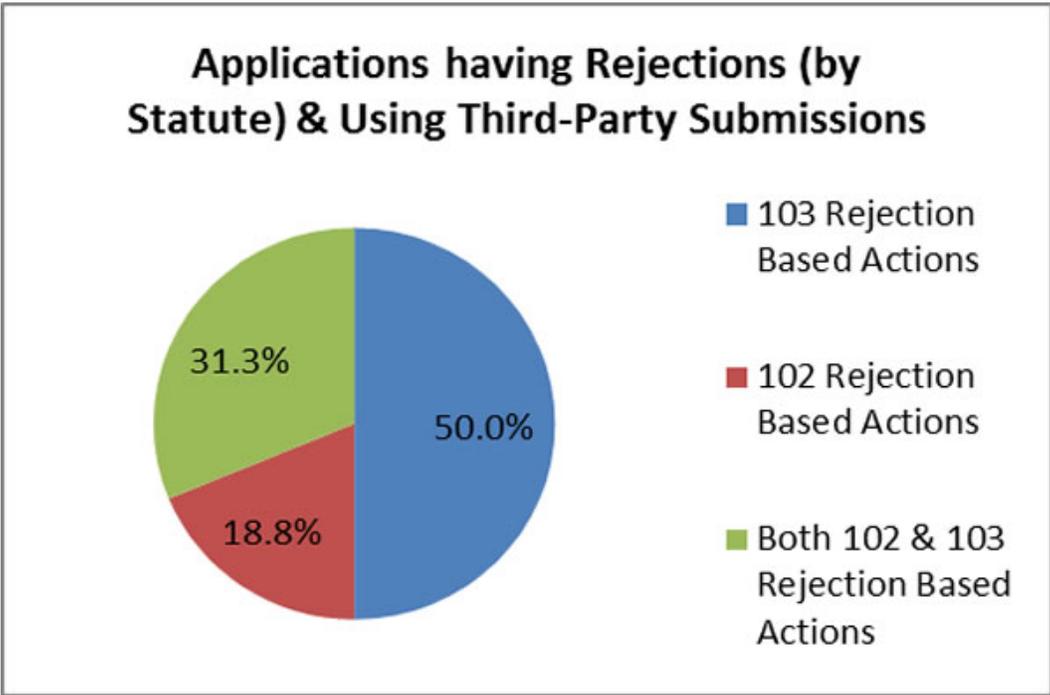


Figure 6: Applications having Rejections (by Statute) & Using Third Party Submissions

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| 103 Rejection Based Actions | 50.0% |
| 102 Rejection Based Actions | 18.8% |
| Both 102 & 103 Rejection Based Actions | 31.3% |

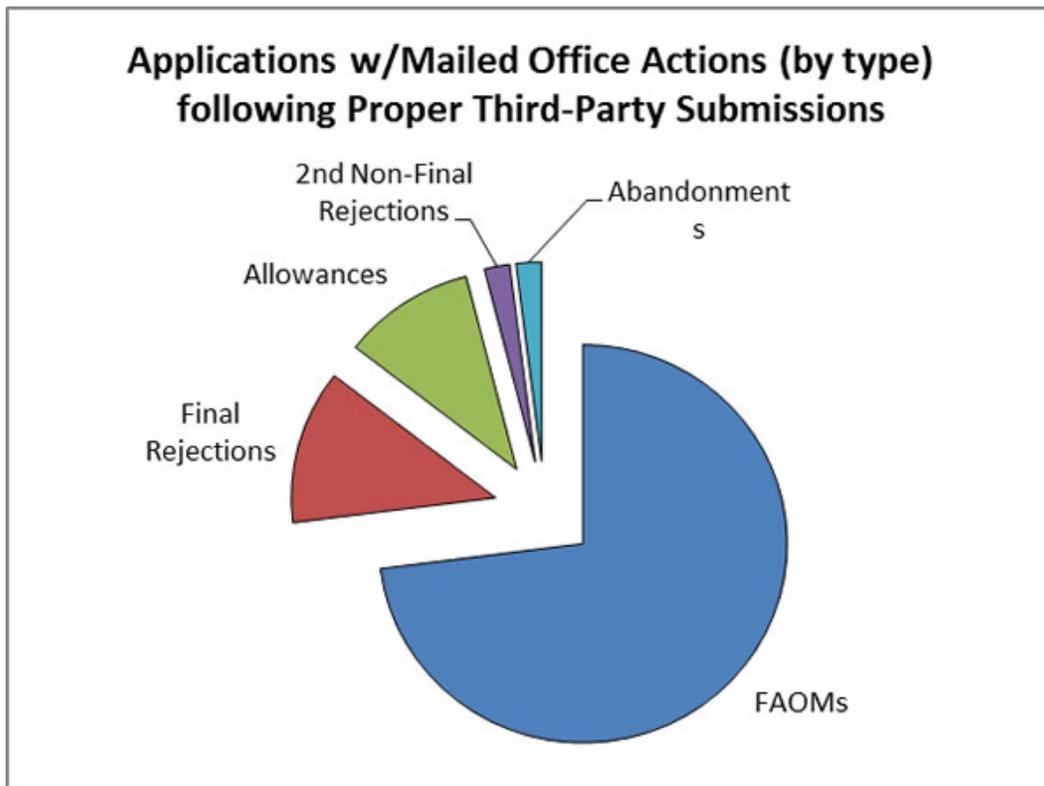


Figure 7: Applications w/Mailed Office Actions (by type) following Proper Third-Party Submissions

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|--------------------------|-------|
| FAOMs | 73.0% |
| Final Rejections | 12.5% |
| Allowances | 10.5% |
| 2nd Non-Final Rejections | 2.0% |
| Abandonments | 2.0% |