

PATENT TRIAL & APPEAL BOARD
RECEIPTS AND DISPOSITIONS BY TECHNOLOGY CENTERS
APPEALS

FY 2019 MONTHLY RECEIPTS AND DISPOSITIONS - DECEMBER 2018

TECHNOLOGY CENTER	REPORTING PERIOD	PENDING BEGINNING MONTH	RECEIPTS RECEIVED MONTH	AFFIRMED	AFFIRMED-IN-PART	REVERSED	PANEL REMANDS	ADMINISTRATIVE REMANDS	DISMISSED	TOTAL	PENDING END MONTH	INCREASE/ DECREASE MONTH	PERCENT OF CASE MONTH
1600	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	954	33	31	2	15	0	0	3	51	936	-18	9.0
1700	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	1297	43	51	6	36	0	1	1	95	1245	-52	12.0
2100	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	933	48	34	9	27	0	1	0	71	910	-23	8.8
2400	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	998	57	36	12	20	0	0	0	68	987	-11	9.5
2600	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	751	42	24	3	15	0	1	2	45	748	-3	7.2
2800	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	760	30	40	6	25	0	0	1	72	718	-42	6.9
2900	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	50	19	1	0	3	0	0	0	4	65	15	0.6
3600	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	3243	97	197	13	51	0	1	4	266	3074	-169	29.6
3700	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	1741	67	68	17	69	0	1	1	156	1652	-89	15.9
3900^{#1}	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0.1
3900^{#2}	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	3	0.1
3900^{#3}	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0
3900^{#4}	12-1-2018 to 12-31-2018	17	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	17	0	0.2
Board Totals		10767	440	482	68	262	0	5	12	829	10378	-389	100

FY 2019 CUMULATIVE RECEIPTS AND DISPOSITIONS

TECHNOLOGY CENTER	REPORTING PERIOD	PENDING BEGINNING FISCAL YEAR	RECEIPTS RECEIVED FISCAL YEAR	AFFIRMED	AFFIRMED-IN-PART	REVERSED	PANEL REMANDS	ADMINISTRATIVE REMANDS	DISMISSED	TOTAL	PENDING END FISCAL YEAR	INCREASE/ DECREASE FISCAL YEAR	PERCENT OF CASE WORKLOAD
1600	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	982	147	119	13	53	0	0	8	193	936	-46	9.0
1700	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	1315	224	169	25	95	0	1	4	294	1245	-70	12.0
2100	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	874	222	87	25	71	0	2	1	186	910	36	8.8
2400	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	936	215	78	19	64	0	3	0	164	987	51	9.5
2600	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	728	163	70	17	52	0	2	2	143	748	20	7.2
2800	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	751	148	92	18	68	0	1	2	181	718	-33	6.9
2900	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	58	21	3	0	11	0	0	0	14	65	7	0.6
3600	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	3462	381	566	47	146	1	4	5	769	3074	-388	29.6
3700	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	1870	231	202	69	173	0	2	3	449	1652	-218	15.9
3900	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	13	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	12	-1	0.1
3900	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	13	9	4	0	2	2	0	1	9	13	0	0.1
3900	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	-1	0.0
3900	10-1-2018 to 9-30-2019	17	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	3	17	0	0.2
Board Totals		11021	1765	1393	233	737	4	15	26	2408	10378	-643	100.0

Disposition	% Decisions Fiscal Year to Date
AFFIRMED	57.8%
AFFIRMED-IN-PART	9.7%
REVERSED	30.6%
PANEL REMANDS	0.2%
ADMINISTRATIVE REMANDS	0.6%
DISMISSED	1.1%
TOTAL	100.0%

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BIOTECH Fiscal Year 2017
CHEMICAL Fiscal Year 2017
ELECTRICAL Fiscal Year 2017
MECHANICAL Fiscal Year 2017
DESIGN Fiscal Year 2017
BUSINESS METHODS Fiscal Year 2016

*Note that Technology Center 3900 is the Central Reexamination Unit.

1 - Inter Partes Reexaminations; 2 - Ex Parte Reexamination; 3 - Supplemental Examination; 4 - Reissue