

PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD  
AIA PROGRESS  
*Statistics (as of 01/01/2015):*

NUMBER OF AIA PETITIONS

FY	Total	IPR	CBM	PGR	DER
2012	25	17	8	-	-
2013	563	514	48	-	1
2014	1,494	1,310	177	2	5
2015	505	458	44	1	2
Cumulative	2,587	2,299	277	3	8

AIA PETITION TECHNOLOGY BREAKDOWN  
FY15 (based on Technology Center)

Technology	Number of Petitions	Percentage
Electrical/Computer – TCs 2100, 2400, 2600, 2800	323	64.0%
Mechanical/Business Methods – TCs 3600, 3700	118	23.3%
Chemical – TC 1700	22	4.3%
Bio/Pharma – TC 1600	40	8.0%
Design – TC 2900	2	0.4%

NUMBER OF PATENT OWNER PRELIMINARY RESPONSES

FY	IPR		CBM		PGR	
	Filed	Waived	Filed	Waived	Filed	Waived
2013	237	63	33	2	-	-
2014	829	202	116	18	-	-
2015	318	55	27	3	1	-

## AIA TRIALS INSTITUTED/DISPOSALS

		Trials Instituted	Joinders	Denials	Total No. of Decisions on Institution	Disposals			
						Settled	FWD*	RAJ**	Other***
IPR	FY13	167	10 <sup>+</sup>	26	203	38	0	2	1
	FY14	557	15 <sup>+</sup>	193	765	210	130	39	1
	FY15	207	67 <sup>+</sup>	81	355	81	64	7	-
CBM	FY13	14	0	3	17	3	1	0	0
	FY14	91	1 <sup>+</sup>	30	122	27	13	3	2
	FY15	18	-	4	22	18	13	2	4
PGR	FY15	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
DER	FY14	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0

<sup>+</sup>93 cases joined to 57 base trials for a total of 150 cases involved in joinder.

\*Final Written Decisions on the merits.

\*\*Judgments based on Request for Adverse Judgment.

\*\*\*Includes terminations due to dismissal.

## AIA PETITION FILINGS BY MONTH

Month	Number of Petitions Filed				Total
	IPR	CBM	PGR	DER	
Sep-12	17	8			25
Oct-12	24	5			29
Nov-12	24	2			26
Dec-12	32				32
Jan-13	25				25
Feb-13	30				30
Mar-13	38	2			40
Apr-13	27	4			31
May-13	45	7			52
Jun-13	65	8		1	74
Jul-13	69	3			72
Aug-13	62	9			71
Sep-13	73	8			81
Oct-13	77	19		2	98
Nov-13	89	18		1	108
Dec-13	101	11			112
Jan-14	60	9			69
Feb-14	54	12		1	67
Mar-14	76	22			98
Apr-14	143	14		1	158
May-14	131	19			150
Jun-14	184	6			190
Jul-14	116	10			126
Aug-14	159	16	1		176
Sep-14	120	21	1		142
Oct-14	179	16			195
Nov-14	102	13	1		116
Dec-14	177	15		2	194
Jan-15					
Cumulative Totals	2,299	277	3	8	2,587