

**FISCAL YEAR 2018**  
**PATENT TRIAL & APPEAL BOARD**  
**RECEIPTS AND DISPOSITIONS BY TECHNOLOGY CENTERS**  
**APEALS**

**FY 2018 MONTHLY RECEIPTS AND DISPOSITIONS - MARCH 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
<b>1600</b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	998	71	59	4	17	0	1	3	84	985	-13	8.3
<b>1700</b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	1484	89	100	15	43	0	2	1	161	1412	-72	11.9
<b>2100</b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	854	86	76	17	47	0	1	0	141	799	-55	6.7
<b>2400</b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	931	80	92	17	57	0	0	0	166	845	-86	7.1
<b>2600</b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	789	63	98	16	40	0	0	0	154	698	-91	5.9
<b>2800</b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	817	52	51	7	21	0	1	0	80	789	-28	6.6
<b>2900</b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	57	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	59	2	0.5
<b>3600</b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	4112	194	253	24	50	0	2	1	330	3976	-136	33.5
<b>3700</b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	2395	147	134	33	132	0	0	4	303	2239	-156	18.9
<b>3900<sup>#1</sup></b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	26	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	28	2	0.2
<b>3900<sup>#2</sup></b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	29	4	2	0	2	0	0	2	6	27	-2	0.2
<b>3900<sup>#3</sup></b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0.0
<b>3900<sup>#4</sup></b>	3-1-2018 to 3-31-2018	11	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	2	0.1
<b>Board Totals</b>		<b>12505</b>	<b>796</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>411</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1429</b>	<b>11872</b>	<b>-633</b>	<b>100</b>

**FY 2018 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
<b>1600</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	1068	346	283	26	101	2	3	14	429	985	-83	8.0
<b>1700</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	1546	543	427	61	181	0	4	4	677	1412	-134	11.6
<b>2100</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	914	456	327	61	180	0	2	1	571	799	-115	6.9
<b>2400</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	938	499	310	77	198	0	3	4	592	845	-93	7.4
<b>2600</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	805	423	319	62	142	0	3	4	530	698	-107	6.3
<b>2800</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	828	356	238	32	115	1	7	2	395	789	-39	6.6
<b>2900</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	56	23	9	0	10	0	1	0	20	59	3	0.5
<b>3600</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	4087	1139	945	87	193	1	9	15	1250	3976	-111	32.6
<b>3700</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	2731	786	566	197	497	0	5	13	1278	2239	-492	19.5
<b>3900</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	29	28	24	4	1	0	0	0	29	28	-1	0.2
<b>3900</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	23	22	8	1	7	0	0	2	18	27	4	0.2
<b>3900</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0.0
<b>3900</b>	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	18	14	12	0	6	0	0	1	19	13	-5	0.1
<b>Board Totals</b>		<b>13044</b>	<b>4637</b>	<b>3469</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>1631</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>5809</b>	<b>11872</b>	<b>-1172</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Disposition	% Decisions Fiscal Year to Date
AFFIRMED	59.7%
AFFIRMED-IN-PART	10.5%
REVERSED	28.1%
PANEL REMANDS	0.1%
ADMINISTRATIVE REMANDS	0.6%
DISMISSED	1.0%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

With the exception of a limited number of appeals involving special circumstances, the Patent Trial & Appeal Board is currently deciding appeals received at the Board as follows:

BIOTECH Fiscal Year 2014  
 CHEMICAL Fiscal Year 2015  
 ELECTRICAL Fiscal Year 2015  
 MECHANICAL Fiscal Year 2015  
 DESIGN Fiscal Year 2015

\*Note that Technology Center 3900 is the Central Reexamination Unit.  
 1 - Inter Partes Reexaminations; 2 - Ex Parte Reexamination; 3 - Supplemental Examination; 4 - Reissue