

**PATENT TRIAL & APPEAL BOARD
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APPEALS**

FY 2018 MONTHLY RECEIPTS AND DISPOSITIONS - MAY 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	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	970	54	36	5	22	0	0	3	66	958	-12	8.1
1700	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	1387	114	76	5	35	0	0	0	116	1385	-2	11.7
2100	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	819	89	37	9	24	0	1	0	71	837	18	7.1
2400	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	851	91	43	13	20	0	0	0	76	866	15	7.3
2600	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	722	85	33	13	9	0	2	0	57	750	28	6.3
2800	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	798	65	35	7	21	0	0	1	64	799	1	6.8
2900	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	70	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	3	0.6
3600	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	3953	215	181	18	33	0	2	1	235	3933	-20	33.3
3700	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	2195	149	76	18	84	0	1	2	181	2163	-32	18.3
3900^{#1}	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	26	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	24	-2	0.2
3900^{#2}	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	28	1	5	0	2	0	0	2	9	20	-8	0.2
3900^{#3}	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0.0
3900^{#4}	5-1-2018 to 5-31-2018	10	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	2	0.1
Board Totals		11831	869	524	88	250	0	6	9	877	11823	-8	100

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
1600	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	1068	434	353	34	132	2	3	20	544	958	-110	8.0
1700	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	1546	732	564	73	247	0	5	4	893	1385	-161	11.6
2100	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	914	623	401	75	217	0	5	2	700	837	-77	6.9
2400	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	938	658	390	95	237	0	4	4	730	866	-72	7.4
2600	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	805	580	375	83	168	0	5	4	635	750	-55	6.3
2800	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	828	474	301	44	146	1	7	4	503	799	-29	6.6
2900	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	56	39	9	0	12	0	1	0	22	73	17	0.5
3600	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	4087	1537	1283	114	263	1	13	17	1691	3933	-154	32.6
3700	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	2731	1054	711	241	643	0	8	19	1622	2163	-568	19.5
3900	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	29	28	28	4	1	0	0	0	33	24	-5	0.2
3900	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	23	25	13	1	10	0	0	4	28	20	-3	0.2
3900	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	2	0.0
3900	10-1-2017 to 9-30-2018	18	16	13	0	8	0	0	1	22	12	-6	0.1
Board Totals		13044	6203	4442	764	2084	4	51	79	7424	11823	-1221	100.0

Disposition	% Decisions Fiscal Year to Date
AFFIRMED	59.8%
AFFIRMED-IN-PART	10.3%
REVERSED	28.1%
PANEL REMANDS	0.1%
ADMINISTRATIVE REMANDS	0.7%
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