

FISCAL YEAR 2013
PATENT TRIAL & APPEAL BOARD
RECEIPTS AND DISPOSITIONS BY TECHNOLOGY CENTERS
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FY 2013 MONTHLY DISPOSITIONS- APRIL 2013

TECHNOLOGY CENTER	REPORTING PERIOD	PENDING BEGINNING MONTH	APPEALS RECEIVED MONTH	AFFIRMED	AFFIRMED-IN-PART	REVERSED	PANEL REMANDS	ADMINISTRATIVE REMANDS	DISMISSED	TOTAL	PENDING END MONTH	INCREASE/DECREASE MONTH	PERCENT OF CASE MONTH
1600	4-1-2013 to 4-30-2013	1258	84	15	2	6	0	1	4	28	1314	56	5.0
1700	4-1-2013 to 4-30-2013	2452	178	90	12	45	1	2	1	151	2479	27	9.5
2100	4-1-2013 to 4-30-2013	4007	164	53	15	35	0	2	1	106	4065	58	15.5
2400	4-1-2013 to 4-30-2013	4158	140	79	17	27	1	0	0	124	4174	16	15.9
2600	4-1-2013 to 4-30-2013	3240	137	55	15	10	0	4	4	88	3289	49	12.5
2800	4-1-2013 to 4-30-2013	2174	94	41	8	18	0	1	2	70	2198	24	8.4
2900	4-1-2013 to 4-30-2013	85	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	86	1	0.3
3600	4-1-2013 to 4-30-2013	4592	198	90	22	51	0	2	6	171	4619	27	17.6
3700	4-1-2013 to 4-30-2013	3930	177	89	42	72	0	0	7	210	3897	-33	14.9
3900*	4-1-2013 to 4-30-2013	113	17	13	5	3	0	0	0	21	109	-4	0.4
Board Totals		26009	1190	525	138	267	2	12	25	969	26230	221	100.0

FY 2013 CUMULATIVE DISPOSITIONS

TECHNOLOGY CENTER	REPORTING PERIOD	PENDING BEGINNING FISCAL YEAR	APPEALS 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	10-1-2012 to 4-30-2013	1210	459	199	32	84	0	5	35	355	1314	104	5.0
1700	10-1-2012 to 4-30-2013	2595	1022	669	93	355	1	3	17	1138	2479	-116	9.5
2100	10-1-2012 to 4-30-2013	4048	849	518	110	189	0	8	7	832	4065	17	15.5
2400	10-1-2012 to 4-30-2013	4056	913	514	101	159	1	13	7	795	4174	118	15.9
2600	10-1-2012 to 4-30-2013	3309	695	459	91	145	0	5	15	715	3289	-20	12.5
2800	10-1-2012 to 4-30-2013	2182	468	283	47	108	0	5	9	452	2198	16	8.4
2900	10-1-2012 to 4-30-2013	78	16	4	0	4	0	0	0	8	86	8	0.3
3600	10-1-2012 to 4-30-2013	4694	1124	526	207	412	0	12	42	1199	4619	-75	17.6
3700	10-1-2012 to 4-30-2013	4303	967	517	274	552	0	5	25	1373	3897	-406	14.9
3900*	10-1-2012 to 4-30-2013	95	164	85	36	22	1	3	3	150	109	14	0.4
Board Totals		26570	6677	3774	991	2030	3	59	160	7017	26230	-340	100.0

Disposition	% Decisions Fiscal Year to Date
AFFIRMED	53.8%
AFFIRMED-IN-PART	14.1%
REVERSED	28.9%
PANEL REMANDS	0.0%
ADMINISTRATIVE REMANDS	0.8%
DISMISSED	2.3%
TOTAL	100.0%

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BIOTECH Fiscal Year 2011
CHEMICAL Fiscal Year 2011
ELECTRICAL Fiscal Year 2010
MECHANICAL Fiscal Year 2010
DESIGN Fiscal Year 2011

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