

FISCAL YEAR 2013
PATENT TRIAL & APPEAL BOARD
RECEIPTS AND DISPOSITIONS BY GROUPS
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FY 2013 MONTHLY DISPOSITIONS- DECEMBER 2012

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	12-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	1228	56	45	4	18	0	0	4	71	1213	-15	4.6
1700	12-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	2624	126	89	10	47	0	0	3	149	2601	-23	9.8
2100	12-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	4077	78	62	16	20	0	2	2	102	4053	-24	15.2
2400	12-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	4107	134	61	13	17	0	4	3	98	4143	36	15.6
2600	12-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	3326	78	69	13	25	0	0	1	108	3296	-30	12.4
2800	12-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	2219	49	46	9	18	0	0	1	74	2194	-25	8.2
2900	12-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	81	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	81	0	0.3
3600	12-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	4684	156	50	23	67	0	1	5	146	4694	10	17.6
3700	12-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	4279	112	52	19	68	0	0	0	139	4252	-27	16.0
3900*	12-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	114	12	9	7	8	0	0	1	25	101	-13	0.4
Board Totals		26739	803	485	114	288	0	7	20	914	26628	-111	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 12-31-2012	1210	184	103	17	46	0	1	14	181	1213	3	4.6
1700	10-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	2595	435	249	36	138	0	1	5	429	2601	6	9.8
2100	10-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	4048	331	197	44	76	0	4	5	326	4053	5	15.2
2400	10-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	4056	410	213	32	63	0	12	3	323	4143	87	15.6
2600	10-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	3309	270	182	38	59	0	0	4	283	3296	-13	12.4
2800	10-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	2182	188	110	22	41	0	1	2	176	2194	12	8.2
2900	10-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	78	7	2	0	2	0	0	0	4	81	3	0.3
3600	10-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	4694	461	192	79	173	0	6	11	461	4694	0	17.6
3700	10-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	4303	415	175	87	194	0	1	9	466	4252	-51	16.0
3900*	10-1-2012 to 12-31-2012	95	71	34	16	12	0	1	2	65	101	6	0.4
Board Totals		26570	2772	1457	371	804	0	27	55	2714	26628	58	100.0

Disposition	% Decisions Fiscal Year to Date
AFFIRMED	53.7%
AFFIRMED-IN-PART	13.7%
REVERSED	29.6%
PANEL REMANDS	0.0%
ADMINISTRATIVE REMANDS	1.0%
DISMISSED	2.0%
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.