

FISCAL YEAR 2013
PATENT TRIAL & APPEAL BOARD
RECEIPTS AND DISPOSITIONS BY TECHNOLOGY CENTERS
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FY 2013 MONTHLY DISPOSITIONS- MAY 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	5-1-2013 to 5-31-2013	1314	54	18	2	12	0	1	2	35	1333	19	5.1
1700	5-1-2013 to 5-31-2013	2479	130	65	10	60	0	0	2	137	2472	-7	9.5
2100	5-1-2013 to 5-31-2013	4065	102	62	18	35	0	3	1	119	4048	-17	15.5
2400	5-1-2013 to 5-31-2013	4174	102	72	13	19	0	1	3	108	4168	-6	16.0
2600	5-1-2013 to 5-31-2013	3289	77	62	11	14	0	1	1	89	3277	-12	12.5
2800	5-1-2013 to 5-31-2013	2198	61	35	3	9	0	2	1	50	2209	11	8.5
2900	5-1-2013 to 5-31-2013	86	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	88	2	0.3
3600	5-1-2013 to 5-31-2013	4619	150	77	27	77	0	1	3	185	4584	-35	17.6
3700	5-1-2013 to 5-31-2013	3897	143	94	35	75	0	0	5	209	3831	-66	14.7
3900*	5-1-2013 to 5-31-2013	109	29	19	6	5	2	0	1	33	105	-4	0.4
Board Totals		26230	850	504	125	306	2	9	19	965	26115	-115	100

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 5-31-2013	1210	513	217	34	96	0	6	37	390	1333	123	5.1
1700	10-1-2012 to 5-31-2013	2595	1152	734	103	415	1	3	19	1275	2472	-123	9.5
2100	10-1-2012 to 5-31-2013	4048	951	580	128	224	0	11	8	951	4048	0	15.5
2400	10-1-2012 to 5-31-2013	4056	1015	586	114	178	1	14	10	903	4168	112	16.0
2600	10-1-2012 to 5-31-2013	3309	772	521	102	159	0	6	16	804	3277	-32	12.5
2800	10-1-2012 to 5-31-2013	2182	529	318	50	117	0	7	10	502	2209	27	8.5
2900	10-1-2012 to 5-31-2013	78	18	4	0	4	0	0	0	8	88	10	0.3
3600	10-1-2012 to 5-31-2013	4694	1274	603	234	489	0	13	45	1384	4584	-110	17.6
3700	10-1-2012 to 5-31-2013	4303	1110	611	309	627	0	5	30	1582	3831	-472	14.7
3900*	10-1-2012 to 5-31-2013	95	193	104	42	27	3	3	4	183	105	10	0.4
Board Totals		26570	7527	4278	1116	2336	5	68	179	7982	26115	-455	100.0

Disposition	% Decisions Fiscal Year to Date
AFFIRMED	53.6%
AFFIRMED-IN-PART	14.0%
REVERSED	29.3%
PANEL REMANDS	0.1%
ADMINISTRATIVE REMANDS	0.9%
DISMISSED	2.2%
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.