

FISCAL YEAR 2014
PATENT TRIAL & APPEAL BOARD
RECEIPTS AND DISPOSITIONS BY TECHNOLOGY CENTERS
EX PARTE APPEALS

FY 2014 MONTHLY DISPOSITIONS- AUGUST 2014

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	8-1-2013 to 8-31-2013	1633	64	10	2	7	0	0	3	22	1675	42	6.6
1700	8-1-2013 to 8-31-2013	2788	158	51	6	25	0	1	0	83	2863	75	11.2
2100	8-1-2013 to 8-31-2013	3550	87	66	17	44	0	0	1	128	3509	-41	13.7
2400	8-1-2013 to 8-31-2013	3733	99	70	13	36	0	1	0	120	3712	-21	14.5
2600	8-1-2013 to 8-31-2013	3040	98	70	21	35	0	0	1	127	3011	-29	11.8
2800	8-1-2013 to 8-31-2013	1609	63	29	5	44	0	0	0	78	1594	-15	6.2
2900	8-1-2013 to 8-31-2013	70	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72	2	0.3
3600	8-1-2013 to 8-31-2013	4672	181	40	12	38	0	0	3	93	4760	88	18.6
3700	8-1-2013 to 8-31-2013	4129	151	40	13	36	0	0	0	89	4191	62	16.4
3900*	8-1-2013 to 8-31-2013	135	32	15	3	8	0	0	3	29	138	3	0.5
Board Totals		25359	935	391	92	273	0	2	11	769	25525	166	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 8-31-2013	1351	545	103	24	67	0	6	21	221	1675	324	6.6
1700	10-1-2012 to 8-31-2013	2372	1281	468	50	246	0	8	18	790	2863	491	11.2
2100	10-1-2012 to 8-31-2013	3932	1029	788	169	480	0	2	13	1452	3509	-423	13.7
2400	10-1-2012 to 8-31-2013	4073	1128	910	181	377	1	8	12	1489	3712	-361	14.5
2600	10-1-2012 to 8-31-2013	3228	944	713	141	292	0	2	13	1161	3011	-217	11.8
2800	10-1-2012 to 8-31-2013	2177	614	585	131	465	0	3	13	1197	1594	-583	6.2
2900	10-1-2012 to 8-31-2013	77	15	12	0	7	0	0	1	20	72	-5	0.3
3600	10-1-2012 to 8-31-2013	4441	1516	538	186	436	0	7	30	1197	4760	319	18.6
3700	10-1-2012 to 8-31-2013	3648	1531	414	177	373	0	9	15	988	4191	543	16.4
3900*	10-1-2012 to 8-31-2013	138	338	206	68	43	0	6	15	338	138	0	0.5
Board Totals		25437	8941	4737	1127	2786	1	51	151	8853	25525	88	100.0

Disposition	% Decisions Fiscal Year to Date
AFFIRMED	53.5%
AFFIRMED-IN-PART	12.7%
REVERSED	31.5%
PANEL REMANDS	0.0%
ADMINISTRATIVE REMANDS	0.6%
DISMISSED	1.7%
TOTAL	100.0%

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 2012
 CHEMICAL Fiscal Year 2012
 ELECTRICAL Fiscal Year 2011
 MECHANICAL Fiscal Year 2011
 DESIGN Fiscal Year 2012

*Note that Technology Center 3900 is the Central Reexamination Unit.
 There are 78 pending rehearing cases.