

Statistical Report (Overview)

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(1) The Number of Applications

Year/ Month		2024 9	10	2024/1-10 (Cum Sum of 2024)	2023/1-10 (Year-on-Year)	2024/4 - 10 (Cum Sum of FY2024)	2023/4 - 10 (Year-on-Year)	Q1 of FY2024	Q2 of FY2024
Patents & Utility Models		28,273 (▲23.1)	26,901 (18.6)	257,620 (1.1)	254,735 (5.2)	180,439 (2.8)	175,553 (8.5)	68,531 (▲2.9)	85,007 (3.2)
	Patents	27,918 (▲23.1)	26,513 (18.9)	253,787 (1.3)	250,592 (5.1)	177,704 (3.0)	172,554 (8.4)	67,340 (▲2.7)	83,851 (3.5)
	Utility Models	355 (▲19.7)	388 (2.9)	3,833 (▲7.5)	4,143 (9.4)	2,735 (▲8.8)	2,999 (12.7)	1,191 (▲10.1)	1,156 (▲10.9)
Designs		2,709 (▲4.4)	2,760 (▲3.3)	26,617 (2.2)	26,056 (▲2.1)	18,885 (3.6)	18,229 (▲0.9)	7,911 (1.7)	8,214 (8.2)
	National Applications	2,285 (▲6.4)	2,416 (0.2)	22,877 (0.3)	22,806 (▲4.2)	16,047 (1.0)	15,881 (▲3.8)	6,742 (▲0.9)	6,889 (3.3)
Trademarks		12,375 (▲6.9)	14,092 (3.8)	131,580 (▲4.0)	137,010 (▲3.6)	93,330 (▲2.9)	96,097 (▲2.4)	40,415 (▲4.3)	38,823 (▲3.6)
	National Applications	11,028 (▲7.9)	12,088 (▲1.0)	118,206 (▲3.5)	122,463 (▲2.7)	83,538 (▲3.2)	86,328 (▲1.0)	36,735 (▲3.6)	34,715 (▲3.6)
Total Number		43,357 (▲18.0)	43,753 (11.9)	415,817 (▲0.5)	417,801 (1.7)	292,654 (1.0)	289,879 (4.0)	116,857 (▲3.1)	132,044 (1.4)
Trademark Class Counts		21,263 (▲9.7)	23,152 (▲7.1)	230,327 (▲5.7)	244,363 (▲1.6)	161,105 (▲5.4)	170,320 (▲0.5)	71,317 (▲3.9)	66,636 (▲6.4)

(2) The Number of International Applications

Year/ Month		2024 9	10	2024/1-10 (Cum Sum of 2024)	2023/1-10 (Year-on-Year)	2024/4 - 10 (Cum Sum of FY2024)	2023/4 - 10 (Year-on-Year)	Q1 of FY2024	Q2 of FY2024
P C T	RO	3,634 (▲3.6)	3,977 (12.3)	39,181 (▲0.5)	39,364 (▲3.7)	25,742 (0.5)	25,615 (7.3)	10,353 (▲4.1)	11,412 (1.1)
	DO	6,352 (▲10.7)	5,914 (▲1.7)	60,928 (▲3.4)	63,046 (0.3)	43,405 (▲3.1)	44,782 (▲0.8)	19,750 (▲0.6)	17,741 (▲6.1)
Hague Agreement	OA	0 (▲100.0)	0 (0.0)	7 (16.7)	6 (▲25.0)	4 (▲33.3)	6 (▲14.3)	4 (33.3)	0 (▲100.0)
	DO	424 (7.9)	344 (▲22.2)	3,740 (15.1)	3,250 (14.9)	2,838 (20.9)	2,348 (23.6)	1,169 (19.2)	1,325 (43.2)
Madrid Protocol	OO	267 (0.4)	280 (14.3)	2,478 (9.7)	2,259 (▲11.2)	1,715 (9.1)	1,572 (▲8.8)	643 (9.0)	792 (7.5)
	DO	1,347 (2.8)	2,004 (45.7)	13,374 (▲8.1)	14,547 (▲10.5)	9,792 (0.2)	9,769 (▲13.2)	3,680 (▲10.3)	4,108 (▲4.3)

(3) The Number of Requests for Patent Examination and Report of Utility Model Technical Opinion

Year/ Month		2024 9	10	2024/1-10 (Cum Sum of 2024)	2023/1-10 (Year-on-Year)	2024/4 - 10 (Cum Sum of FY2024)	2023/4 - 10 (Year-on-Year)	Q1 of FY2024	Q2 of FY2024
Request for Patent Examination		19,239 (▲1.3)	19,015 (2.1)	191,502 (0.1)	191,270 (▲1.8)	130,180 (0.1)	130,074 (▲2.8)	55,169 (0.2)	55,996 (▲0.7)
	Year-on-Year	19,483 (▲4.5)	18,632 (▲1.2)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Report of Utility Model Technical Opinion		5 (▲70.6)	14 (40.0)	128 (▲22.0)	164 (▲12.8)	92 (▲17.9)	112 (▲1.8)	41 (▲14.6)	37 (▲31.5)

(4) The Number of Requests for Trials and Appeals

Year/ Month		2024 9	10	2024/1-10 (Cum Sum of 2024)	2023/1-10 (Year-on-Year)	2024/4 - 10 (Cum Sum of FY2024)	2023/4 - 10 (Year-on-Year)	Q1 of FY2024	Q2 of FY2024
Patents	Appeals against Examiner's Decision of Refusal	1,620 (▲6.8)	1,688 (▲7.4)	16,564 (▲4.5)	17,344 (8.2)	11,454 (▲8.3)	12,490 (7.4)	5,119 (▲5.6)	4,647 (▲11.4)
	Trials for Invalidation	9 (125.0)	10 (66.7)	121 (77.9)	68 (▲19.0)	73 (55.3)	47 (▲9.6)	33 (65.0)	30 (42.9)
	Trials for Correction	10 (25.0)	18 (157.1)	127 (2.4)	124 (▲36.4)	101 (13.5)	89 (▲40.3)	41 (▲26.8)	42 (61.5)
	Hantei (Advisory Opinion)	3 (▲40.0)	1 (▲90.9)	26 (▲18.8)	32 (39.1)	22 (0.0)	22 (29.4)	13 (160.0)	8 (33.3)
	oppositions	137 (▲17.5)	137 (▲2.1)	1,180 (▲7.9)	1,281 (8.7)	862 (▲5.6)	913 (3.5)	351 (▲6.6)	374 (▲5.8)
	Total	1,779 (▲7.4)	1,854 (▲6.7)	18,018 (▲4.4)	18,849 (7.7)	12,512 (▲7.7)	13,561 (6.5)	5,557 (▲5.5)	5,101 (▲10.4)

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Utility Models	Appeals against Examiner's Decision of Refusal	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)
	Trials for Invalidation	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	4 (0.0)	0 (▲100.0)	3 (0.0)	0 (▲100.0)	1 (0.0)	2 (0.0)
	Trials for Correction	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)
	Hantei (Advisory Opinion)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)
	Total	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	4 (0.0)	0 (▲100.0)	3 (0.0)	0 (▲100.0)	1 (0.0)	2 (0.0)

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Designs	Appeals against Examiner's Decision of Refusal	22 (10.0)	23 (▲17.9)	240 (▲5.5)	254 (▲8.6)	170 (▲1.2)	172 (▲15.7)	81 (8.0)	66 (▲4.3)
	Trials for Invalidation	1 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	7 (0.0)	7 (▲22.2)	4 (100.0)	2 (▲50.0)	2 (0.0)	2 (0.0)
	Hantei (Advisory Opinion)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.0)	11 (22.2)	9 (80.0)	6 (▲14.3)	7 (133.3)	4 (33.3)	1 (▲66.7)
	Total	23 (15.0)	24 (▲17.2)	258 (▲4.4)	270 (▲7.5)	180 (▲0.6)	181 (▲14.2)	87 (11.5)	69 (▲6.8)

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Trademarks	Appeals against Examiner's Decision of Refusal	58 (▲25.6)	67 (15.5)	735 (▲21.7)	939 (▲25.8)	541 (▲11.2)	609 (▲34.9)	264 (▲9.0)	210 (▲19.5)
	Trials for Invalidation	9 (12.5)	18 (1700.0)	74 (▲8.6)	81 (▲5.8)	58 (20.8)	48 (▲23.8)	19 (▲9.5)	21 (▲19.2)
	Trials for Cancellation	106 (3.9)	113 (32.9)	876 (2.9)	851 (▲17.1)	656 (6.5)	616 (▲11.7)	249 (▲5.3)	294 (9.7)
	Hantei (Advisory Opinion)	1 (▲50.0)	1 (0.0)	8 (▲46.7)	15 (275.0)	6 (▲57.1)	14 (366.7)	3 (▲62.5)	2 (▲60.0)
	Oppositions	27 (12.5)	28 (▲6.7)	250 (▲2.3)	256 (▲47.2)	166 (▲8.3)	181 (▲47.2)	63 (▲23.2)	75 (8.7)
	Total	201 (▲6.1)	227 (29.7)	1,943 (▲9.3)	2,142 (▲25.3)	1,427 (▲2.8)	1,468 (▲28.1)	598 (▲9.9)	602 (▲4.3)