

PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Process Production Report
Preliminary Report

	FY2010 Actual	FY2011 Oct.	FY2011 Nov.	FY2011 Dec.	FY2011 Jan.	FY2011 Feb.	FY2011 Mar.	FY2011 Apr.	FY2011 May	FY2011 Jun.	FY2011 Jul.	FY2011 Aug.	FY2011 Sep.	FY2011 Actual
Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences														
CONTESTED CASES														
Interferences														
Cases Declared														
Monthly		3	5	1	2	4	3	6						
Year-to-date	52	3	8	9	11	15	18	24	24	24	24	24	24	24
Cases Disposed														
Monthly		3	5	6	3	7	6	1						
Year-to-date	50	3	8	14	17	24	30	31	31	31	31	31	31	31
Cases Pending														
Year-to-date	46	46	46	41	40	37	34	39	39	39	39	39	39	39
Ex Parte Reexams Appeals														
Cases Received														
Monthly		13	7	9	16	12	12	8						
Year-to-date	158	13	20	29	45	57	69	77	77	77	77	77	77	77
Cases Disposed														
Monthly		27	11	16	26	6	20	8						
Year-to-date	149	27	38	54	80	86	106	114	114	114	114	114	114	114
Cases Pending														
Year-to-date	74	60	56	49	39	45	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37
Inter Partes Reexam Appeals														
Cases Received														
Monthly		5	4	15	4	5	14	7						
Year-to-date	44	5	9	24	28	33	47	54	54	54	54	54	54	54
Cases Disposed														
Monthly		2	4	4	3	3	15	2						
Year-to-date	30	2	6	10	13	16	31	33	33	33	33	33	33	33
Cases Pending														
Year-to-date	23	26	26	37	38	40	39	44	44	44	44	44	44	44
EX PARTE APPEALS														
Ex Parte Appeals*														
Cases Received														
Monthly		1213	1132	1220	1029	1000	1207	1210	0	0	0	0	0	
Year-to-date	12380	1213	2345	3565	4594	5594	6801	8011	8011	8011	8011	8011	8011	8011
Cases Disposed														
Monthly		443	506	521	566	608	817	435	0	0	0	0	0	
Year-to-date	7133	443	949	1470	2036	2644	3461	3896	3896	3896	3896	3896	3896	3896
Cases Pending														
Year-to-date	17754	18524	19150	19849	20312	20704	21094	21869	21869	21869	21869	21869	21869	21869

*Ex parte appeals of applications for patents, not including ex parte reexamination or inter partes reexamination appeals.