

Table 1346. Patents by Country: 2007

[Includes only U.S. patents granted to residents of areas outside of the United States and its territories. See also Table 748]

Country	Total ¹	Inventions	Designs	Country	Total ¹	Inventions	Designs
Total	89,236	77,756	10,569	Netherlands	1,595	1,250	124
Japan	35,942	33,354	2,417	Australia	1,546	1,266	241
Germany	10,012	9,051	810	Switzerland	1,280	1,035	240
Taiwan ²	7,491	6,128	1,355	Sweden	1,278	1,061	207
Korea, South	7,264	6,295	957	Israel	1,219	1,107	80
United Kingdom	4,030	3,292	676	Finland	943	850	92
Canada	3,970	3,318	632	Belgium	624	520	90
France	3,720	3,130	556	Austria	553	456	93
Italy	1,836	1,302	524	Denmark	511	388	63
				Other countries	5,422	3,953	1,412

¹ Includes patents for botanical plants and reissues, not shown separately. ² See footnote 2, Table 1288.

Source: U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Technology Assessment and Forecast Database.