

# PTMT SPECIAL REPORT

## ALL PATENTS, ALL TYPES

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*A PATENT TECHNOLOGY MONITORING TEAM REPORT*

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Explanation of Data

This Patent Technology Monitoring Team (PTMT) report profiles patent activity for all U.S. patent documents (design, plant, reissue, and utility patents, defensive publications, and statutory invention registrations) granted between **January 1, 1977** and **December 31, 2008**. The source of the data used for this report is the TAF database maintained by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Data Distribution By Date of Grant and By Date of Application

**Parts A1 and A2**

Part A1 distributes patent GRANT data by year of patent grant ("Patents Granted By Date of Patent Grant"). Part A2 distributes grant data by the year in which the patented application was filed ("Patents Granted By Date of Patent Application"). Parts A1 and A2 each provide patent counts (pages A1-1 and A2-1) and percent distributions (pages A1-2 and A2-2).

Patent data in the "**Pre 1995**" column corresponds to the period **January 1, 1977** through **December 31, 1994**.

**Part B**

Part B of this report distributes patent GRANT data for organizations that have received U.S. patents since **1977**. Data are presented by the year in which the patent was granted ("Patents By Year of Grant") and the year the patented application was filed ("Patents by Year of Application").

Patent data in the "**Pre 1995**" column corresponds to the period **January 1, 1977** through **December 31, 1994**.

DATA FOR THOSE APPLICATIONS WHICH WERE FILED BUT NEVER ISSUED (ROUGHLY 35% OF TOTAL FILINGS) ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THIS REPORT.

Since the average time period between filing for a (utility) patent and the issuing of the patent (i.e., a patent's "pendency") is now about 32 months, the patented application data for the most recent years are incomplete.\* This is because a significant number of the applications filed in the most recent years, which will ultimately become patents, were still pending in **December 2008**.

Since they had not yet become patents at the time this report was prepared, they were not included in this report.

Patented application data are of significant value since the date an application was filed more accurately reflects when the technology was developed. Additionally, fluctuations in data based on application date are much more likely to reflect changes in technological activity, since such

fluctuations would for the most part be immune from changes in PTO processing such as occurred in 1986 and 2005 when the PTO issued fewer patents than would normally have been expected due to administrative reasons. Note that a patent's "pendency" can be quite variable from one patent to another thereby affecting the date of patent grant. Such variation in pendency is determined by many factors, including PTO workload (which varies between technologies), budget and manpower levels, patent printing schedules, etc.

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**Parts of the Report**

**Parts A1 and A2** present tables which show, by number and percent, the patent activity. Part A1 presents data by year of patent grant ("Patents Granted by Date of Patent Grant"). Part A2 redistributes grant data by year of patent application ("Patents Granted by Date of Patent Application"). The location of **patent origin is determined by the residence of the first-named inventor at the time of grant**.

**Patent ownership** reflects ownership at the time of patent grant and does not include subsequent changes in ownership. If more than one assignee was declared at the time of grant, the patent is attributed to the first-named assignee. The U.S. and Foreign Corporation ownership categories count predominantly corporate patents; however, patents assigned to other organizations such as small businesses, nonprofit organizations, universities, etc. are also included in these categories. While U.S. Government patent ownership includes only patents granted to the Federal Government, no similar distinction is made for Foreign Government patents.

Note that for a patent, the country of origin may differ from the country of ownership. Therefore, **the sum of U.S. origin patents does not equal the sum of U.S. ownership category patents**.

**Part B** is a ranked listing of national and international organizations (i.e., corporations, universities, government agencies) which have received **1000** or more U.S. patents since **1977**. Data line 1 for each listed organization distributes counts of patent grants by year of grant. Data line 2 for each organization redistributes those same patent grants by year in which the patented application was filed. Information on patent ownership reflects ownership at the time of patent grant. Although a substantial effort has been made to combine name variations into a single organizational name, many organizations continue to have patents listed under more than one organizational name.

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\* As of **12/31/2008**, utility patent application data were approximately **98%** complete for patent applications filed in **2000**, **93%** complete for **2001** filings, **90%** complete for **2002** filings, **78%** complete for **2003** filings, **60%** complete for **2004** filings, **37%** complete for **2005** filings, and **17%** complete for **2006** filings. Data were essentially complete for applications filed prior to **2000**.

Part A1  
Patent Grants as Distributed By Year of Patent Grant

## ---- Technology Assessment and Forecast Report ----

## ---- Patents Granted By Date Of Patent Grant (Granted: Jan 01, 1977 - Dec 31, 2008) ----

	Pre 1995	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Total
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Total	1496531	113955	121805	124147	163204	169145	176083	184046	184424	187048	181319	157741	196437	182928	185244	3824057
U.S. Origin	851365	64510	69419	69923	90697	94089	97011	98655	97125	98590	94128	82586	102267	93690	92000	2096055
Foreign Origin	645166	49445	52386	54224	72507	75056	79072	85391	87299	88458	87191	75155	94170	89238	93244	1728002
JAPAN	260680	22871	24059	24191	32118	32514	32922	34890	36339	37248	37032	31834	39411	35941	36679	718729
GERMANY	122171	6874	7125	7292	9582	9895	10824	11894	11957	12140	11367	9575	10889	10012	10086	261683
UNITED KINGDOM	47503	2685	2676	2906	3729	3904	4092	4358	4202	4037	3905	3560	4329	4031	3843	99760
FRANCE	46724	3010	3016	3202	3991	4097	4173	4456	4421	4126	3686	3106	3856	3720	3813	99397
TAIWAN	9217	2087	2419	2597	3805	4526	5806	6545	6730	6676	7207	5993	7920	7491	7779	86798
CANADA	29325	2447	2638	2817	3536	3678	3925	4063	3857	3894	3781	3177	4094	3970	4125	79327
KOREA, SOUTH	3812	1240	1567	1965	3362	3679	3472	3763	4009	4132	4671	4591	6509	7264	8731	62767
ITALY	19457	1242	1385	1417	1821	1686	1967	1978	1962	2022	1946	1591	1899	1836	1916	44125
SWITZERLAND	23096	1187	1192	1179	1374	1390	1458	1557	1532	1433	1405	1106	1388	1280	1403	41980
SWEDEN	15441	914	971	970	1346	1542	1738	1933	1824	1629	1388	1189	1360	1278	1260	34783
NETHERLANDS	15111	894	886	895	1382	1396	1410	1494	1681	1570	1537	1200	1647	1596	1724	34423
AUSTRALIA	7508	548	566	568	830	832	860	1032	992	1049	1093	1032	1538	1545	1614	21607
ISRAEL	3873	432	525	577	820	792	836	1031	1108	1260	1092	976	1325	1219	1312	17178
BELGIUM	5408	419	516	561	755	718	756	796	801	727	678	577	720	624	605	14661
FINLAND	3998	387	453	468	629	695	649	769	856	944	954	751	1005	943	908	14409
AUSTRIA	5825	359	387	393	408	505	537	632	559	639	575	492	626	554	574	13065
DENMARK	3716	314	334	432	500	588	509	556	559	611	530	473	546	511	566	10745
CHINA, HONG KONG S.A.R.	1831	248	247	261	373	413	548	621	589	681	641	596	753	756	717	9275
CHINA, PEOPLE'S REPUB	377	63	48	66	88	99	161	265	390	424	597	565	970	1235	1874	7222
SPAIN	2014	168	187	193	308	265	318	340	358	358	312	318	381	363	418	6301
NORWAY	1987	138	150	157	232	246	266	282	261	279	255	242	272	286	297	5350
SINGAPORE	261	61	97	100	136	152	242	304	421	460	485	377	469	451	450	4466
INDIA	282	38	37	48	94	114	131	180	267	356	376	403	506	578	672	4082
U.S.S.R.	3859	12	16	4	6	3	1		1							3902
SOUTH AFRICA	1734	127	116	114	132	127	125	137	123	131	115	108	127	116	124	3456
NEW ZEALAND	1009	60	78	109	145	134	136	160	173	165	192	143	173	165	169	3011
IRELAND	625	55	86	76	78	100	137	164	142	182	197	169	198	161	188	2558
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	41	99	118	112	194	185	185	239	203	203	173	154	176	193	181	2456
HUNGARY	1696	51	43	25	52	39	38	61	48	72	52	48	49	55	72	2401
BRAZIL	630	70	69	67	88	98	113	125	112	180	161	98	148	118	133	2210
MEXICO	756	45	46	57	77	94	100	87	105	93	102	95	88	90	77	1912
LUXEMBOURG	556	34	27	42	46	35	55	48	52	53	55	49	49	66	35	1202
MALAYSIA	96	8	24	29	35	34	47	56	62	63	93	98	131	173	168	1117
ARGENTINA	388	32	32	38	46	46	63	58	58	70	50	29	47	53	42	1052
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	775	15	9	10	9	5										823
VENEZUELA	304	31	30	26	29	39	32	28	32	20	23	10	15	17	16	652
Others ( 137 )	3080	180	211	260	351	391	440	489	513	531	465	430	556	547	673	9117

## Ownership:

U.S. Corporations	637983	49052	53542	55305	72358	75932	78825	82079	81110	82804	79999	70942	88180	81127	80982	1670220
U.S. Government	20751	1083	961	974	1040	1000	960	985	945	891	859	713	815	738	691	33406
U.S. Individuals	228416	16813	17415	16285	20764	20540	20352	18840	17497	16901	15182	12785	15256	13774	13067	463887
Foreign Corporations	522466	41350	44189	45641	61422	64225	68057	74028	76855	78686	78571	67952	85839	81530	85166	1475977
Foreign Government	6856	250	260	278	258	164	108	97	115	89	81	58	60	76	37	8787
Foreign Individuals	80059	5407	5438	5664	7362	7284	7781	8017	7902	7677	6627	5291	6287	5683	5301	171780

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---- PERCENT OF PATENTS ----

	Pre 1995	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Total
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<b>Total</b>	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
U.S. Origin	57	57	57	56	56	56	55	54	53	53	52	52	52	51	50	55
Foreign Origin	43	43	43	44	44	44	45	46	47	47	48	48	48	49	50	45
JAPAN	17	20	20	19	20	19	19	19	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	19
GERMANY	8	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	5	5	7
UNITED KINGDOM	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3
FRANCE	3	3	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3
TAIWAN	1	2	2	2	2	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	2
CANADA	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
KOREA, SOUTH	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	4	5	2
ITALY	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
SWITZERLAND	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
SWEDEN	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
NETHERLANDS	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
AUSTRALIA	1				1			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
ISRAEL					1			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
BELGIUM																0
FINLAND											1	1		1	1	0
AUSTRIA																0
DENMARK																0
CHINA, HONG KONG S.A.R																0
CHINA, PEOPLE'S REPUB															1	1
SPAIN																0
NORWAY																0
SINGAPORE																0
INDIA																0
U.S.S.R.																0
SOUTH AFRICA																0
NEW ZEALAND																0
IRELAND																0
RUSSIAN FEDERATION																0
HUNGARY																0
BRAZIL																0
MEXICO																0
LUXEMBOURG																0
MALAYSIA																0
ARGENTINA																0
CZECHOSLOVAKIA																0
VENEZUELA																0
Others ( 137 )																0

**Ownership:**

U.S. Corporations	43	43	44	45	44	45	45	45	44	44	44	45	45	44	44	44
U.S. Government	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
U.S. Individuals	15	15	14	13	13	12	12	10	9	9	8	8	8	8	7	12
Foreign Corporations	35	36	36	37	38	38	39	40	42	42	43	43	44	45	46	39
Foreign Government																0
Foreign Individuals	5	5	4	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	4

Part A2  
Patent Grants as Distributed By Year of Patent Application

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----- Patents Granted By Date Of Patent Application (Granted: Jan 01, 1977 - Dec 31, 2008) -----

	NUMBER OF PATENTED APPLICATIONS															
	Pre 1995	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Total

<b>Total</b>	1726563	157267	158339	183957	183286	195186	209313	217877	217216	195184	161721	117594	67952	29366	3236	3824057
U.S. Origin	981393	90385	86978	101480	100990	106262	111936	111825	110465	100236	82337	60217	34491	15262	1798	2096055
Foreign Origin	745170	66882	71361	82477	82296	88924	97377	106052	106751	94948	79384	57377	33461	14104	1438	1728002
JAPAN	307724	30217	32099	37062	34608	35579	40347	44314	42196	38904	32908	24626	12933	4879	333	718729
GERMANY	135572	8962	9211	10822	10897	12705	13484	14611	15187	11807	8540	5536	3055	1192	102	261683
UNITED KINGDOM	53202	3722	3670	4221	4353	4765	4910	5293	5241	4087	2740	1860	1107	524	65	99760
FRANCE	52839	4010	3822	4384	4260	4755	5118	5036	4975	3990	2764	1788	1057	541	58	99397
TAIWAN	12273	2806	3518	4196	5338	6677	6250	7204	8288	8521	8343	6611	4474	2032	267	86798
CANADA	34141	3548	3457	4000	4209	4292	4541	4504	4551	4053	3418	2443	1417	685	68	79327
KOREA, SOUTH	6501	2180	3593	3936	4087	3832	4424	4964	6004	6763	6931	5192	3143	1083	134	62767
ITALY	21962	1696	1692	1884	1844	2018	2141	2381	2413	2149	1624	1124	790	353	54	44125
SWITZERLAND	25402	1437	1321	1466	1490	1585	1706	1830	1791	1438	1030	700	493	255	36	41980
SWEDEN	17387	1242	1289	1854	1936	1965	2056	2007	1837	1312	856	525	380	126	11	34783
NETHERLANDS	16942	1187	1353	1575	1424	1580	1785	1980	1965	1631	1461	765	523	232	20	34423
AUSTRALIA	8711	748	829	849	1043	1061	1299	1273	1496	1229	1343	867	506	318	35	21607
ISRAEL	4960	740	746	886	1001	1316	1477	1605	1445	1042	816	655	327	136	26	17178
BELGIUM	6323	750	753	755	792	851	851	887	889	746	459	320	191	86	8	14661
FINLAND	4858	563	720	788	767	1022	1224	1310	1196	858	568	294	167	66	8	14409
AUSTRIA	6537	478	424	496	561	618	645	718	850	642	480	290	213	91	22	13065
DENMARK	4350	570	471	557	614	628	620	784	697	567	390	234	160	95	8	10745
CHINA, HONG KONG S.A.R	2233	267	351	331	458	558	617	763	757	783	771	624	411	290	61	9275
CHINA, PEOPLE'S REPUB	491	68	83	107	135	227	390	594	735	776	1065	976	922	577	76	7222
SPAIN	2362	234	274	306	309	321	389	483	439	419	313	240	116	85	11	6301
NORWAY	2275	204	220	253	245	325	340	382	407	272	204	128	69	23	3	5350
SINGAPORE	419	107	147	191	246	377	474	528	574	441	430	293	173	61	5	4466
INDIA	363	54	88	127	142	206	339	485	639	635	484	299	167	51	3	4082
U.S.S.R.	3886	9	2	3	2											3902
SOUTH AFRICA	1992	112	130	122	140	143	142	173	162	124	99	55	35	27		3456
NEW ZEALAND	1176	107	133	169	134	150	208	230	214	203	102	85	70	27	3	3011
IRELAND	782	82	87	114	174	146	207	225	250	169	134	108	53	26	1	2558
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	258	149	189	199	196	256	251	261	226	199	130	81	45	15	1	2456
HUNGARY	1788	51	38	38	54	56	73	70	90	58	34	36	7	8		2401
BRAZIL	777	71	89	99	108	128	139	148	210	185	118	59	47	26	6	2210
MEXICO	848	54	80	100	100	101	104	127	91	115	70	63	42	14	3	1912
LUXEMBOURG	612	31	40	60	43	47	57	65	76	56	54	27	28	3	3	1202
MALAYSIA	122	31	44	45	30	58	69	97	97	156	162	105	73	28		1117
ARGENTINA	456	37	50	46	63	51	70	80	55	42	41	23	30	8		1052
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	803	10	6	4												823
VENEZUELA	361	27	28	35	33	36	31	34	25	8	11	14	6	3		652
Others ( 137 )	3482	321	314	397	460	489	599	606	683	568	491	331	231	138	7	9117

**Ownership:**

U.S. Corporations	740346	72669	70425	83147	83478	88685	94525	96006	94453	85259	69357	50056	28341	12095	1378	1670220
U.S. Government	23126	1210	955	987	952	864	1006	1022	954	843	685	512	228	59	3	33406
U.S. Individuals	258527	19760	18949	20834	19428	19507	19226	17662	17927	16458	13960	10891	6791	3476	491	463887
Foreign Corporations	607368	56981	60936	71388	72088	77879	85939	94594	95280	85583	72373	52128	29944	12340	1156	1475977
Foreign Government	7371	298	249	172	115	112	134	93	98	63	56	16	7	3		8787
Foreign Individuals	89825	6349	6825	7429	7225	8139	8483	8500	8504	6978	5290	3991	2641	1393	208	171780

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Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
U.S. Origin	57	57	55	55	55	54	53	51	51	51	51	51	51	52	56	55
Foreign Origin	43	43	45	45	45	46	47	49	49	49	49	49	49	48	44	45
JAPAN	18	19	20	20	19	18	19	20	19	20	20	21	19	17	10	19
GERMANY	8	6	6	6	6	7	6	7	7	6	5	5	4	4	3	7
UNITED KINGDOM	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3
FRANCE	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3
TAIWAN	1	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	4	4	5	6	7	7	8	2
CANADA	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
KOREA, SOUTH	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	4	4	5	4	4	2
ITALY	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1
SWITZERLAND	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
SWEDEN	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
NETHERLANDS	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
AUSTRALIA	1		1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
ISRAEL					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
BELGIUM															0	0
FINLAND						1	1	1	1							0
AUSTRIA															1	0
DENMARK																0
CHINA, HONG KONG S.A.R												1	1	1	2	0
CHINA, PEOPLE'S REPUB											1	1	1	2	2	0
SPAIN															0	0
NORWAY															0	0
SINGAPORE															0	0
INDIA															0	0
U.S.S.R.															0	0
SOUTH AFRICA															0	0
NEW ZEALAND															0	0
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RUSSIAN FEDERATION															0	0
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BRAZIL															0	0
MEXICO															0	0
LUXEMBOURG															0	0
MALAYSIA															0	0
ARGENTINA															0	0
CZECHOSLOVAKIA															0	0
VENEZUELA															0	0
Others ( 137 )															0	0

## Ownership:

U.S. Corporations	43	46	44	45	46	45	45	44	43	44	43	43	42	41	43	44
U.S. Government	1	1	1	1	1										1	1
U.S. Individuals	15	13	12	11	11	10	9	8	8	8	9	9	10	12	15	12
Foreign Corporations	35	36	38	39	39	40	41	43	44	44	45	44	44	42	36	39
Foreign Government															0	0
Foreign Individuals	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	4	5	6	4

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## INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	11630	1468	1930	1781	2685	2778	2905	3429	3297	3438	3253	2950	3635	3134	4182	52495
Patents By Year of Application:	15262	2617	2775	3620	3787	4383	4285	3852	3251	3180	2395	1745	856	397	90	52495

## CANON KABUSHIKI KAISHA

Patents By Year of Grant:	11000	1164	1610	1458	2000	1864	1971	1976	1950	2051	1842	1840	2385	2000	2126	37237
Patents By Year of Application:	14393	2549	2079	2507	1840	2017	1906	2123	1853	1980	1641	1481	646	212	10	37237

## HITACHI, LTD

Patents By Year of Grant:	12610	924	970	914	1110	1024	1059	1297	1622	1907	1521	1275	1755	1407	1323	30718
Patents By Year of Application:	14830	1150	1017	1084	994	1348	1635	2227	1870	1472	1507	853	541	187	3	30718

## TOSHIBA CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	11448	1009	957	889	1237	1232	1271	1189	1181	1254	1364	1277	1727	1587	1631	29253
Patents By Year of Application:	13419	1132	1276	1385	1329	1181	1230	1459	1563	1510	1600	1144	744	270	11	29253

## GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	14617	765	824	669	738	702	790	1122	1423	1142	982	905	1055	918	922	27574
Patents By Year of Application:	16075	846	738	780	921	1235	1402	1269	1145	1138	945	697	298	81	4	27574

## MATSUSHITA ELECTRIC INDUSTRIAL CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	6238	921	887	784	1090	1107	1216	1500	1593	1903	2060	1802	2417	2068	1684	27270
Patents By Year of Application:	8071	1005	1102	1335	1418	1662	2049	2399	2227	2273	1822	1075	606	219	7	27270

## SONY CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	5248	805	945	944	1445	1641	1666	1546	1605	1470	1470	1299	1944	1681	1701	25410
Patents By Year of Application:	7063	1277	1568	2137	1811	1825	1772	1939	1483	1353	1146	1319	511	202	4	25410

## SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1292	439	495	591	1309	1557	1449	1449	1340	1316	1617	1724	2719	3352	4276	24925
Patents By Year of Application:	2255	664	1540	1619	1862	1484	1358	1604	1956	2791	2983	2394	1744	589	82	24925

## NEC CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	5297	1009	1054	1105	1639	1850	2041	1970	1847	1200	829	675	738	605	532	22391
Patents By Year of Application:	7372	1280	1690	2332	2348	2141	1805	1374	828	536	368	218	80	19	0	22391

## MITSUBISHI DENKI KABUSHIKI KAISHA

Patents By Year of Grant:	8279	975	939	901	1092	1073	1047	1208	1399	1264	790	624	615	483	504	21193
Patents By Year of Application:	10135	1123	1088	1184	1063	1140	1330	1474	1046	576	500	283	182	67	2	21193

## FUJITSU LIMITED

Patents By Year of Grant:	3945	732	872	908	1232	1200	1155	1176	1216	1306	1302	1159	1494	1300	1483	20480
Patents By Year of Application:	5719	1232	1298	1477	1460	1283	1437	1578	1344	1108	1079	942	414	106	3	20480

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## MOTOROLA, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	6872	1108	1163	1186	1542	1273	1267	811	729	668	630	494	641	443	405	19232
Patents By Year of Application:	9075	1499	1528	1497	1092	739	1027	649	740	607	397	240	98	38	6	19232

## EASTMAN KODAK COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	8149	784	796	802	1145	1012	894	733	703	757	717	582	689	494	321	18578
Patents By Year of Application:	9550	792	1215	1114	1133	673	902	828	825	667	553	224	77	24	1	18578

## SIEMENS AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT

Patents By Year of Grant:	7964	429	418	455	627	744	915	801	698	683	766	703	868	708	746	17525
Patents By Year of Application:	8760	518	626	849	962	998	869	969	931	796	674	344	175	51	3	17525

## MICRON TECHNOLOGY, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	516	63	125	319	592	942	1312	1646	1837	1710	1760	1564	1616	1479	1259	16740
Patents By Year of Application:	664	396	705	1202	1513	1557	1835	1943	2004	1535	1509	1044	708	124	1	16740

## INTEL CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	764	271	423	405	708	744	806	818	1095	1600	1605	1552	1967	1869	1774	16401
Patents By Year of Application:	1525	615	847	1011	1097	1388	1715	1785	1925	1963	1390	789	304	45	2	16401

## FUJI PHOTO FILM CO., LTD

Patents By Year of Grant:	7799	523	524	481	560	550	552	605	709	845	1048	776	948	332	14	16266
Patents By Year of Application:	8774	561	638	680	566	700	944	999	955	795	437	195	22	0	0	16266

## XEROX CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	5718	554	706	610	776	671	592	726	697	646	520	464	536	558	546	14320
Patents By Year of Application:	6982	727	693	652	867	870	783	549	598	515	450	468	143	20	3	14320

## TEXAS INSTRUMENTS, INCORPORATED

Patents By Year of Grant:	4345	529	603	607	611	599	689	798	717	765	898	734	880	750	755	14280
Patents By Year of Application:	5624	834	561	758	707	800	785	923	955	890	660	505	216	61	1	14280

## U.S. PHILIPS CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	8915	527	501	499	760	764	723	754	267	4	2	0	2	0	0	13718
Patents By Year of Application:	9958	698	770	828	709	497	211	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13718

## HONDA GIKEN KOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA (HONDA MOTOR CO., LTD.)

Patents By Year of Grant:	3938	254	302	353	416	487	493	612	720	703	810	778	948	815	847	12476
Patents By Year of Application:	4445	420	390	490	550	463	791	849	1029	946	840	681	393	171	18	12476

## SHARP KABUSHIKI KAISHA (SHARP CORPORATION)

Patents By Year of Grant:	4551	435	378	422	584	554	625	573	579	526	556	502	687	694	610	12276
Patents By Year of Application:	5408	536	588	621	655	511	737	706	612	735	581	384	162	38	2	12276

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## ROBERT BOSCH GMBH

Patents By Year of Grant:	4483	312	307	267	351	423	560	709	686	756	907	772	683	617	439	12272
Patents By Year of Application:	5044	312	390	498	527	774	781	965	1232	890	421	265	119	51	3	12272

## E. I. DU PONT DE NEMOURS AND COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	7364	445	397	313	399	341	341	337	316	341	332	251	363	369	327	12236
Patents By Year of Application:	8104	429	368	409	338	345	395	374	375	405	335	223	107	29	0	12236

## AT&amp;T CORP.

Patents By Year of Grant:	8204	654	523	49	150	279	295	291	285	209	218	202	264	273	248	12144
Patents By Year of Application:	9292	214	220	488	345	301	270	300	216	136	119	151	59	29	4	12144

## BAYER AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT

Patents By Year of Grant:	7554	328	323	357	382	342	306	364	399	348	330	176	149	39	11	11408
Patents By Year of Application:	8147	402	416	388	284	359	341	436	424	155	41	10	5	0	0	11408

## MICROSOFT CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	62	53	104	206	343	356	359	455	511	519	661	787	1618	1966	2312	10312
Patents By Year of Application:	346	275	384	510	648	780	1048	877	962	1109	1441	1243	527	148	14	10312

## RICOH COMPANY, LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	3547	274	295	340	408	411	431	389	338	417	539	473	702	756	872	10192
Patents By Year of Application:	4168	373	417	446	430	467	483	546	682	747	594	493	269	75	2	10192

## HEWLETT-PACKARD DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, L.P.

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1346	1821	1813	2180	1545	1475	10180
Patents By Year of Application:	1	2	7	25	97	325	985	2105	2160	2323	1239	720	144	45	2	10180

## GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	5993	282	298	277	306	276	254	177	190	291	377	394	500	343	195	10153
Patents By Year of Application:	6476	312	312	265	278	172	219	286	516	571	563	160	20	3	0	10153

## BASF AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT

Patents By Year of Grant:	5155	304	319	276	399	414	510	487	476	393	343	231	278	226	215	10026
Patents By Year of Application:	5692	386	365	479	514	502	497	506	525	337	153	41	23	5	1	10026

## SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	856	162	200	239	327	316	422	530	648	797	858	896	1256	1239	1274	10020
Patents By Year of Application:	1300	317	326	384	502	605	752	972	1025	1220	1305	842	353	108	9	10020

## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, NAVY

Patents By Year of Grant:	5521	352	299	303	346	360	366	326	388	366	322	262	284	273	229	9997
Patents By Year of Application:	6266	354	339	377	362	292	341	364	348	338	285	192	104	33	2	9997

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KONINKLIJKE PHILIPS ELECTRONICS N.V.

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	860	1424	1250	801	955	633	525	6460
Patents By Year of Application:	5	11	26	36	169	578	1123	1745	1432	696	407	111	85	25	11	6460

HOECHST AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT

Patents By Year of Grant:	4781	313	353	353	328	152	82	18	18	9	1	2	0	0	0	6410
Patents By Year of Application:	5420	497	226	203	39	14	5	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	6410

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, THE REGENTS OF

Patents By Year of Grant:	1091	205	257	265	390	434	434	404	436	445	424	392	418	337	242	6174
Patents By Year of Application:	1672	483	376	414	451	463	488	535	457	378	243	134	69	11	0	6174

BOEING COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	2416	98	99	114	157	147	138	163	200	268	428	414	490	433	441	6006
Patents By Year of Application:	2619	213	150	120	141	130	187	374	518	585	479	317	130	40	3	6006

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ARMY

Patents By Year of Grant:	3866	192	156	170	167	143	147	165	150	131	135	127	181	144	130	6004
Patents By Year of Application:	4192	208	179	148	158	154	163	144	156	159	161	125	47	10	0	6004

SANYO ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1283	124	134	175	270	254	271	300	386	382	394	369	544	485	477	5848
Patents By Year of Application:	1556	180	285	291	344	332	487	483	488	447	424	312	169	47	3	5848

MOBIL OIL CORP.

Patents By Year of Grant:	5090	204	167	91	67	72	71	52	14	5	4	3	0	0	1	5841
Patents By Year of Application:	5454	137	53	68	70	51	6	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	5841

LG ELECTRONICS INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	1	23	120	227	244	234	290	382	442	551	531	843	875	1018	5781
Patents By Year of Application:	4	175	234	312	311	327	501	671	689	747	767	523	318	162	40	5781

MINOLTA CAMERA CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	2781	115	166	160	308	369	346	312	240	223	211	159	169	113	54	5726
Patents By Year of Application:	3110	197	290	439	410	362	345	267	167	102	19	11	2	5	0	5726

DENSO CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	7	124	307	371	437	482	552	646	609	732	755	657	5679
Patents By Year of Application:	2	5	115	348	387	441	442	637	672	746	719	696	355	114	0	5679

OLYMPUS OPTICAL CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	3065	214	224	217	282	230	291	279	276	272	121	82	62	32	16	5663
Patents By Year of Application:	3568	266	240	250	280	289	290	234	143	71	15	11	6	0	0	5663

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<b>SHELL OIL COMPANY</b>																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	3702	173	139	129	148	136	135	129	81	100	170	122	189	139	137	5629	
Patents By Year of Application:	3994	161	163	147	129	111	114	226	234	137	123	46	30	14	0	5629	
<b>NIKON CORPORATION</b>																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	1408	231	433	495	599	371	303	303	251	311	235	188	151	138	161	5578	
Patents By Year of Application:	1933	641	523	520	289	323	362	306	199	169	106	121	67	19	0	5578	
<b>INFINEON TECHNOLOGIES AG</b>																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	219	453	642	785	787	892	848	812	5480	
Patents By Year of Application:	0	1	5	8	85	173	482	837	1118	951	818	705	270	27	0	5480	
<b>CATERPILLAR INC.</b>																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	2274	149	209	213	197	267	354	268	255	221	174	157	146	191	186	5261	
Patents By Year of Application:	2581	230	264	265	322	304	269	245	248	149	127	154	83	18	2	5261	
<b>TELEFONAKTIEBOLAGET LM ERICSSON</b>																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	576	81	153	116	224	386	491	522	526	473	390	331	359	253	264	5145	
Patents By Year of Application:	818	225	269	608	665	642	729	524	299	178	129	45	11	3	0	5145	
<b>ALLIED-SIGNAL INC.</b>																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	3756	198	190	119	140	147	187	162	68	39	13	3	1	2	1	5026	
Patents By Year of Application:	4112	158	161	161	173	194	35	20	9	2	1	0	0	0	0	5026	
<b>HON HAI PRECISION IND. CO., LTD.</b>																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	0	1	13	26	50	176	523	496	509	484	631	363	606	471	640	4989	
Patents By Year of Application:	12	33	35	106	263	613	373	585	652	435	683	463	479	237	20	4989	
<b>RCA CORPORATION</b>																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	4938	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4938	
Patents By Year of Application:	4938	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4938	
<b>3M INNOVATIVE PROPERTIES COMPANY</b>																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	181	476	463	567	608	560	455	542	546	461	4859	
Patents By Year of Application:	37	37	79	297	450	493	576	685	606	605	421	320	177	70	6	4859	
<b>UNITED TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION</b>																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	3212	215	160	123	117	109	119	101	78	59	54	82	133	123	130	4815	
Patents By Year of Application:	3615	142	111	116	119	95	49	71	85	117	166	87	35	7	0	4815	
<b>PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY</b>																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	4017	101	91	76	75	72	113	89	82	48	15	9	11	3	2	4804	
Patents By Year of Application:	4192	127	65	70	120	90	74	28	14	18	4	2	0	0	0	4804	

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## TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	30	25	74	130	220	290	385	530	449	431	463	442	472	468	367	4776
Patents By Year of Application:	70	108	250	311	384	585	353	451	679	525	588	301	146	25	0	4776

## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Patents By Year of Grant:	4038	119	71	69	63	53	57	69	45	43	40	22	22	23	17	4751
Patents By Year of Application:	4246	69	68	56	55	48	58	43	43	29	15	13	6	2	0	4751

## GOODYEAR TIRE + RUBBER COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	1940	109	113	235	206	153	181	229	282	260	226	168	221	201	193	4717
Patents By Year of Application:	2122	158	215	219	176	208	284	294	240	240	186	131	128	82	34	4717

## UNISYS CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	3227	112	134	109	122	91	98	107	119	99	118	83	106	87	89	4701
Patents By Year of Application:	3487	136	120	141	152	157	126	101	103	106	42	24	5	1	0	4701

## FORD MOTOR COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	2955	338	383	266	147	151	103	27	18	46	58	48	41	31	72	4684
Patents By Year of Application:	3559	347	157	145	114	45	73	29	58	52	36	24	14	27	4	4684

## MERCK + CO., INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	2597	126	127	163	179	217	188	185	175	132	58	64	81	102	99	4493
Patents By Year of Application:	2880	165	147	231	212	189	169	153	112	122	81	17	9	6	0	4493

## APPLIED MATERIALS, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	217	68	97	93	178	266	390	442	503	537	360	352	354	285	275	4417
Patents By Year of Application:	396	172	276	368	366	434	587	440	456	321	254	204	128	15	0	4417

## BROTHER KOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA

Patents By Year of Grant:	1469	123	137	157	217	266	233	191	115	105	165	154	241	325	465	4363
Patents By Year of Application:	1735	171	262	268	299	154	104	111	165	279	314	309	146	45	1	4363

## KONICA CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	2332	179	160	128	170	166	157	155	182	157	194	124	114	65	40	4323
Patents By Year of Application:	2621	165	164	183	189	162	176	175	224	220	16	17	8	3	0	4323

## MURATA MANUFACTURING CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	831	118	151	150	217	268	302	321	444	446	373	228	177	108	163	4297
Patents By Year of Application:	1085	169	242	293	282	361	473	432	346	273	170	58	42	65	6	4297

## OKI ELECTRIC INDUSTRY CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1022	90	81	73	130	202	225	299	328	295	307	315	318	279	234	4198
Patents By Year of Application:	1185	115	109	255	304	269	338	307	387	361	258	194	90	24	2	4198

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EATON CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	2028	166	182	145	165	222	196	149	159	139	124	126	137	134	124	4196
Patents By Year of Application:	2342	144	177	187	196	175	187	134	147	141	141	129	75	21	0	4196

FUJI XEROX CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1002	182	173	197	283	259	199	170	187	175	198	201	250	317	338	4131
Patents By Year of Application:	1358	250	312	279	188	209	237	233	203	339	223	204	78	18	0	4131

HUGHES AIRCRAFT COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	3278	326	273	130	50	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4065
Patents By Year of Application:	3846	168	48	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4065

EXXON RESEARCH + ENGINEERING CO.

Patents By Year of Grant:	3407	90	72	74	106	122	101	73	10	1	1	0	0	0	0	4057
Patents By Year of Application:	3565	99	81	120	118	65	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4057

YAZAKI CORP.

Patents By Year of Grant:	811	115	180	242	291	307	305	336	315	313	203	157	154	146	164	4039
Patents By Year of Application:	1081	221	326	319	306	285	358	312	253	162	153	117	103	41	2	4039

SUMITOMO ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1611	233	210	172	159	162	136	156	171	184	177	170	160	151	147	3999
Patents By Year of Application:	2040	249	146	162	135	143	184	203	208	212	146	99	55	17	0	3999

LSI LOGIC CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	137	78	127	168	229	339	325	289	308	375	378	340	385	247	248	3973
Patents By Year of Application:	345	232	307	398	385	231	279	513	460	394	235	154	32	8	0	3973

SUMITOMO CHEMICAL COMPANY, LIMITED

Patents By Year of Grant:	2030	139	138	123	149	136	149	168	187	174	152	113	102	109	80	3949
Patents By Year of Application:	2326	159	143	151	138	172	169	209	192	141	78	46	20	5	0	3949

NATIONAL SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	1036	186	202	188	178	197	188	183	208	217	219	224	259	229	191	3905
Patents By Year of Application:	1387	259	167	174	229	192	220	231	261	263	278	163	58	22	1	3905

SEMICONDUCTOR ENERGY LABORATORY CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	431	43	90	98	127	185	159	211	246	275	336	293	406	413	468	3781
Patents By Year of Application:	631	166	174	236	184	253	265	342	392	364	394	216	124	38	2	3781

HONEYWELL INTERNATIONAL INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	61	222	351	380	536	466	572	544	641	3773
Patents By Year of Application:	7	4	9	34	116	196	455	479	558	547	610	492	203	60	3	3773

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## NOKIA CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	44	332	449	379	654	749	775	3390
Patents By Year of Application:	1	0	0	5	18	202	355	624	785	570	399	221	101	100	9	3390

## AGILENT TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	124	338	314	388	647	559	468	286	262	3386
Patents By Year of Application:	3	5	10	30	238	360	383	513	676	551	294	208	106	9	0	3386

## ELI LILLY AND COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	1589	148	245	223	182	189	162	115	123	91	59	48	61	69	64	3368
Patents By Year of Application:	1909	383	112	219	159	113	98	112	114	92	33	13	8	3	0	3368

## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	2115	122	104	97	95	93	97	92	85	80	102	87	62	70	66	3367
Patents By Year of Application:	2345	111	99	95	102	72	104	94	113	91	62	48	27	4	0	3367

## ASAHI KOGAKU KOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA

Patents By Year of Grant:	1465	156	182	165	277	307	260	252	259	18	5	1	0	0	0	3347
Patents By Year of Application:	1806	196	241	308	263	258	182	85	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	3347

## ROCKWELL INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	2800	117	122	75	77	68	11	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3278
Patents By Year of Application:	3039	121	61	45	8	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3278

## PFIZER INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1396	76	83	102	120	119	165	176	187	196	166	163	140	109	77	3275
Patents By Year of Application:	1597	115	77	133	110	232	226	201	187	192	114	64	22	5	0	3275

## INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH INSTITUTE, TAIWAN

Patents By Year of Grant:	416	145	112	157	220	210	199	221	218	207	197	162	255	229	288	3236
Patents By Year of Application:	649	191	196	227	212	256	219	222	247	260	245	181	100	29	2	3236

## TDK CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	596	67	81	76	83	104	163	217	258	233	206	159	296	340	324	3203
Patents By Year of Application:	747	85	75	109	204	249	276	271	183	242	373	229	123	36	1	3203

## AISIN SEIKI KABUSHIKI KAISHA

Patents By Year of Grant:	1759	62	91	74	116	137	110	110	131	109	115	90	103	97	96	3200
Patents By Year of Application:	1895	89	119	129	124	120	93	152	123	105	104	86	52	9	0	3200

## DEERE + COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	1505	72	65	59	71	99	82	146	145	178	166	155	153	160	138	3194
Patents By Year of Application:	1608	71	66	88	86	134	162	197	190	188	148	160	77	19	0	3194

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## MEDTRONIC INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	661	93	79	92	243	208	233	188	173	195	179	182	234	251	152	3163
Patents By Year of Application:	838	121	203	248	234	237	227	279	248	273	158	66	20	11	0	3163

## RENESAS TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	914	607	583	513	502	3139
Patents By Year of Application:	0	0	2	3	11	28	92	284	737	736	460	375	275	134	2	3139

## RAYTHEON COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	1213	45	10	20	117	219	205	182	158	184	176	145	207	126	123	3130
Patents By Year of Application:	1358	55	146	237	144	137	157	178	209	190	156	113	38	12	0	3130

## MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Patents By Year of Grant:	1253	105	119	102	139	145	114	128	136	127	132	136	140	141	134	3051
Patents By Year of Application:	1544	143	118	128	150	154	150	144	165	154	84	77	35	5	0	3051

## MONSANTO COMPANY, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	2455	75	82	99	77	83	78	63	11	11	6	4	2	0	1	3047
Patents By Year of Application:	2617	119	76	92	55	55	18	9	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	3047

## NIPPONDENSO CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1760	189	311	313	309	100	35	19	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	3045
Patents By Year of Application:	2198	390	365	57	19	8	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3045

## YAMAHA CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	741	140	162	151	208	224	149	124	133	126	125	160	174	198	223	3038
Patents By Year of Application:	1039	180	211	220	161	137	162	182	177	212	130	132	56	38	1	3038

## NCR CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	1365	54	40	83	176	192	143	140	164	168	129	84	113	103	79	3033
Patents By Year of Application:	1507	120	178	235	178	187	190	169	121	45	51	38	12	2	0	3033

## ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	754	60	72	93	125	99	143	184	154	215	227	250	193	228	205	3002
Patents By Year of Application:	870	101	106	112	138	172	207	237	285	270	202	167	92	34	9	3002

## UNITED MICROELECTRONICS CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	64	150	170	149	174	266	430	584	278	188	77	95	107	125	121	2978
Patents By Year of Application:	313	188	205	226	521	483	275	226	121	94	128	128	55	15	0	2978

## HOFFMANN-LA ROCHE INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1850	104	106	79	72	70	62	77	73	84	63	51	78	100	103	2972
Patents By Year of Application:	2054	98	58	66	57	64	83	96	80	87	101	73	46	9	0	2972

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**ABBOTT LABORATORIES**

Patents By Year of Grant:	1293	119	191	200	175	159	135	129	115	115	67	48	75	58	78	2957
Patents By Year of Application:	1574	305	174	164	135	132	111	100	74	74	57	24	22	10	1	2957

**TEXACO INC.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	2503	107	65	25	34	35	43	25	22	19	13	6	9	13	9	2928
Patents By Year of Application:	2664	47	31	32	48	23	17	28	16	11	8	3	0	0	0	2928

**PIONEER ELECTRONIC CORPORATION**

Patents By Year of Grant:	1846	148	101	110	141	140	132	120	64	36	30	14	9	5	8	2904
Patents By Year of Application:	2094	114	152	172	159	142	18	18	18	10	6	0	1	0	0	2904

**KIMBERLY-CLARK WORLDWIDE, INC.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	100	173	188	272	338	284	417	313	259	230	178	144	2896
Patents By Year of Application:	38	122	188	283	206	355	453	457	391	204	108	68	20	3	0	2896

**TRW INC.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	1185	96	98	101	144	200	275	309	227	134	51	26	14	1	1	2862
Patents By Year of Application:	1363	132	177	221	269	284	224	145	46	1	0	0	0	0	0	2862

**BROADCOM CORPORATION**

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	2	2	0	6	42	75	167	299	415	660	533	643	2844
Patents By Year of Application:	2	3	0	7	14	91	215	343	575	523	576	307	136	52	0	2844

**BLACK & DECKER INC.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	691	66	112	126	141	118	122	158	135	151	129	131	247	237	267	2831
Patents By Year of Application:	799	159	129	154	113	143	124	170	178	185	225	181	154	110	7	2831

**SCHLUMBERGER TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION**

Patents By Year of Grant:	759	50	56	48	46	80	122	161	178	196	207	178	224	218	260	2783
Patents By Year of Application:	864	56	63	101	128	137	223	216	290	247	200	144	94	18	2	2783

**TOKYO ELECTRON LIMITED**

Patents By Year of Grant:	209	77	91	90	101	176	193	204	238	191	229	199	218	234	287	2737
Patents By Year of Application:	382	95	116	190	208	170	296	268	272	268	186	152	92	42	0	2737

**COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY**

Patents By Year of Grant:	1217	84	84	95	141	164	137	128	181	157	84	57	83	49	59	2720
Patents By Year of Application:	1379	87	139	141	104	124	126	148	165	137	57	55	28	24	6	2720

**BRIDGESTONE CORPORATION**

Patents By Year of Grant:	1262	95	85	85	94	112	108	163	143	112	120	70	68	83	106	2706
Patents By Year of Application:	1422	113	109	131	152	135	146	129	110	87	60	56	30	23	3	2706

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UNION CARBIDE CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	2702	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2704
Patents By Year of Application:	2703	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2704

SHIN ETSU CHEMICAL CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1023	142	134	97	96	97	111	128	134	136	166	119	107	97	93	2680
Patents By Year of Application:	1253	141	102	91	116	108	167	178	163	146	118	64	29	3	1	2680

DAIMLER-CHRYSLER AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	89	387	485	362	293	283	223	266	195	87	2670
Patents By Year of Application:	4	5	22	125	277	506	390	346	337	235	177	136	64	41	5	2670

AMP INCORPORATED

Patents By Year of Grant:	2667	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2668
Patents By Year of Application:	2668	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2668

PPG INDUSTRIES INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	2326	53	52	74	97	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2648
Patents By Year of Application:	2443	78	71	53	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2648

THOMSON-CSF

Patents By Year of Grant:	2112	90	52	52	66	67	47	46	46	21	12	2	2	0	0	2615
Patents By Year of Application:	2265	72	55	63	55	42	42	19	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2615

DAIMLER-BENZ AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT

Patents By Year of Grant:	1610	108	144	172	279	218	38	18	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	2590
Patents By Year of Application:	1833	183	228	237	105	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2590

MAZDA MOTOR CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	1685	109	59	62	66	60	91	73	53	58	53	43	46	38	70	2566
Patents By Year of Application:	1882	54	62	61	75	52	65	58	66	55	51	42	26	17	0	2566

AMOCO CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	2298	58	67	56	67	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2562
Patents By Year of Application:	2426	71	42	22	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2562

BRISTOL-MYERS SQUIBB COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	831	73	76	109	125	138	110	104	102	136	97	115	182	174	150	2522
Patents By Year of Application:	1030	120	113	111	109	118	112	137	162	167	151	114	57	21	0	2522

NIKE, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	447	57	42	173	220	123	101	66	87	83	130	137	354	261	229	2510
Patents By Year of Application:	502	73	171	163	126	92	101	75	128	145	223	207	205	221	78	2510

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<b>HYUNDAI ELECTRONICS INDUSTRIES CO., LTD.</b>																		
Patents By Year of Grant:	116	79	138	154	212	244	298	539	392	180	107	25	15	2	1	2502		
Patents By Year of Application:	293	174	257	306	332	463	433	165	48	21	5	3	2	0	0	2502		
<b>QUALCOMM, INC.</b>																		
Patents By Year of Grant:	38	23	51	46	84	120	109	175	196	180	284	201	401	284	291	2483		
Patents By Year of Application:	117	80	126	137	187	286	218	370	336	253	184	129	48	12	0	2483		
<b>VICTOR COMPANY OF JAPAN, LIMITED</b>																		
Patents By Year of Grant:	1378	52	62	64	77	79	82	63	62	65	89	76	96	109	128	2482		
Patents By Year of Application:	1491	72	94	89	93	72	71	107	58	92	88	59	54	39	3	2482		
<b>APPLE COMPUTER, INC.</b>																		
Patents By Year of Grant:	299	124	185	230	261	181	126	107	96	100	122	103	132	156	252	2474		
Patents By Year of Application:	704	345	222	135	120	104	90	126	148	141	120	86	73	58	2	2474		
<b>WARNER-LAMBERT COMPANY</b>																		
Patents By Year of Grant:	1450	85	69	91	67	85	96	85	80	74	75	78	77	42	13	2467		
Patents By Year of Application:	1608	108	48	73	103	96	76	85	95	74	68	19	13	1	0	2467		
<b>PITNEY-BOWES, INC.</b>																		
Patents By Year of Grant:	1200	98	73	85	124	98	83	81	83	91	117	96	87	64	83	2463		
Patents By Year of Application:	1420	105	115	105	84	133	93	111	112	80	55	32	16	2	0	2463		
<b>NGK INSULATORS LTD.</b>																		
Patents By Year of Grant:	857	65	67	81	92	123	116	132	162	148	144	105	125	116	128	2461		
Patents By Year of Application:	986	102	100	137	136	140	141	155	193	135	105	80	33	18	0	2461		
<b>SILVERBROOK RESEARCH PTY. LTD</b>																		
Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	117	121	122	172	247	515	536	608	2448		
Patents By Year of Application:	0	0	0	0	158	33	230	81	244	308	619	453	193	117	12	2448		
<b>COMMISSARIAT A L'ENERGIE ATOMIQUE</b>																		
Patents By Year of Grant:	1304	40	69	79	88	81	62	83	87	82	89	83	92	92	98	2429		
Patents By Year of Application:	1410	85	94	93	63	104	100	119	140	115	65	22	13	6	0	2429		
<b>CASIO COMPUTER CO. LTD.</b>																		
Patents By Year of Grant:	999	115	126	86	129	140	127	102	82	46	58	67	87	125	112	2401		
Patents By Year of Application:	1225	118	103	141	145	99	100	61	43	88	107	102	40	28	1	2401		
<b>INSTITUT FRANCAIS DU PETROLE</b>																		
Patents By Year of Grant:	978	75	69	86	143	112	161	154	119	113	79	57	70	90	74	2380		
Patents By Year of Application:	1126	114	120	157	147	150	152	121	95	76	68	36	17	1	0	2380		

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FMC CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	1583	54	70	72	99	81	75	52	47	17	17	10	6	4	3	2190
Patents By Year of Application:	1707	76	93	96	69	49	55	19	14	6	5	0	1	0	0	2190

DOW CORNING CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	1328	107	108	89	108	106	76	58	51	47	47	15	16	10	22	2188
Patents By Year of Application:	1519	110	112	89	88	64	44	58	55	26	17	4	1	1	0	2188

ROHM AND HAAS COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	1096	117	97	63	71	86	78	95	76	83	86	61	77	55	46	2187
Patents By Year of Application:	1294	102	59	79	85	93	89	105	99	92	40	31	14	5	0	2187

BAXTER INTERNATIONAL INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1243	62	74	68	99	102	78	79	56	71	50	53	63	33	27	2158
Patents By Year of Application:	1414	108	84	99	88	70	57	68	95	45	10	14	5	1	0	2158

LOCKHEED MARTIN CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	20	49	109	121	178	159	193	224	203	202	229	244	209	2140
Patents By Year of Application:	69	68	107	107	164	186	212	279	282	267	187	138	66	8	0	2140

LG. PHILIPS LCD CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	69	151	222	304	320	382	418	251	2128
Patents By Year of Application:	0	0	5	9	56	104	251	323	398	397	407	129	39	10	0	2128

BAKER HUGHES INCORPORATED

Patents By Year of Grant:	345	68	70	79	98	108	134	160	141	162	124	132	134	172	199	2126
Patents By Year of Application:	466	111	87	148	136	132	156	164	182	159	143	149	71	22	0	2126

ROHM COMPANY LIMITED

Patents By Year of Grant:	264	152	102	96	112	95	116	132	150	128	135	113	178	153	168	2094
Patents By Year of Application:	534	108	104	115	117	138	163	141	141	157	175	127	47	24	3	2094

POLAROID CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	1625	56	62	63	64	55	36	28	14	28	18	13	19	4	5	2090
Patents By Year of Application:	1737	70	68	60	30	18	42	21	14	15	11	4	0	0	0	2090

SUMITOMO WIRING SYSTEMS, LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	190	116	133	122	132	143	154	152	192	167	164	114	134	106	63	2082
Patents By Year of Application:	444	136	118	155	116	136	163	180	157	158	111	98	80	29	1	2082

HALLIBURTON ENERGY SERVICES, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1	2	0	25	75	115	140	170	167	186	212	193	282	284	224	2076
Patents By Year of Application:	7	16	72	128	153	159	164	201	296	270	307	190	81	31	1	2076

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**TEKTRONIX INC.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	1212	63	72	57	73	105	60	57	61	55	58	54	38	50	52	2067
Patents By Year of Application:	1339	83	58	102	113	32	71	63	56	44	49	32	17	8	0	2067

**CHRYSLER MOTORS CORPORATION**

Patents By Year of Grant:	952	130	189	147	188	240	156	35	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	2043
Patents By Year of Application:	1210	183	215	218	197	15	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2043

**COMPAQ COMPUTER CORPORATION, INC.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	279	121	118	132	250	267	321	365	166	24	0	0	0	0	0	2043
Patents By Year of Application:	560	161	330	373	407	131	68	12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2043

**HEIDELBERGER DRUCKMASCHINEN AG**

Patents By Year of Grant:	457	97	88	88	129	96	122	94	158	248	205	89	49	52	56	2028
Patents By Year of Application:	623	119	117	108	139	145	208	222	154	85	49	44	14	1	0	2028

**FORD GLOBAL TECHNOLOGIES, L.L.C.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	206	363	286	370	410	384	2019
Patents By Year of Application:	0	0	0	0	1	10	76	158	413	355	327	324	266	80	9	2019

**YAMAHA HATSUDOKI KABUSHIKI KAISHA, YAMAHA MOTOR CO., LTD.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	818	57	73	76	131	103	105	94	74	62	54	62	84	106	115	2014
Patents By Year of Application:	963	87	127	125	97	89	70	49	73	80	77	107	48	22	0	2014

**CHEVRON RESEARCH & TECHNOLOGY CO.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	1968	24	5	5	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2009
Patents By Year of Application:	2002	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	2009

**UPJOHN COMPANY**

Patents By Year of Grant:	1905	24	33	21	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1987
Patents By Year of Application:	1961	23	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1987

**HOECHST CELANESE CORPORATION**

Patents By Year of Grant:	1613	78	72	75	69	25	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1945
Patents By Year of Application:	1748	92	61	39	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1945

**NOKIA MOBILE PHONES LTD.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	125	66	45	52	138	204	219	236	265	204	166	104	96	16	5	1941
Patents By Year of Application:	243	83	186	269	264	282	353	218	21	9	9	4	0	0	0	1941

**W. R. GRACE & CO.-CONN.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	1430	87	86	74	56	28	16	30	28	23	23	24	16	10	8	1939
Patents By Year of Application:	1579	118	43	34	21	19	23	30	29	26	10	5	2	0	0	1939

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XILINX, INC.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	50	21	56	60	78	93	115	126	146	137	137	177	261	233	244	1934	
Patents By Year of Application:	102	83	81	110	108	115	188	153	202	260	246	186	82	17	1	1934	
CARRIER CORPORATION																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	887	67	51	41	69	66	109	98	84	90	77	77	75	73	42	1906	
Patents By Year of Application:	987	57	71	66	105	73	94	97	100	98	112	20	20	2	4	1906	
ERICSSON, INC.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	5	4	29	70	211	297	332	272	254	181	109	59	46	24	9	1902	
Patents By Year of Application:	57	97	340	370	383	335	166	110	33	7	4	0	0	0	0	1902	
KAO KABUSHIKI KAISHA (KAO CORPORATION)																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	578	82	70	109	131	98	84	94	94	92	96	87	102	78	80	1875	
Patents By Year of Application:	737	113	126	114	113	72	109	156	122	101	70	31	7	4	0	1875	
AGFA-GEVAERT N.V.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	550	95	104	115	140	128	174	140	104	81	71	46	65	44	17	1874	
Patents By Year of Application:	719	137	169	133	164	132	106	87	78	82	36	25	6	0	0	1874	
MERCK PATENT GESELLSCHAFT MIT BESCHRANKTER HAFTUNG																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	645	65	54	63	99	56	75	79	107	130	107	88	100	105	100	1873	
Patents By Year of Application:	785	88	91	59	66	86	123	173	170	111	73	27	17	4	0	1873	
FANUC LTD.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	1051	70	73	51	71	51	47	53	38	27	29	49	91	93	71	1865	
Patents By Year of Application:	1187	91	36	69	61	54	28	27	32	63	87	81	42	7	0	1865	
FORD GLOBAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	86	315	259	260	364	396	151	7	5	2	5	3	1853	
Patents By Year of Application:	35	75	239	293	265	280	413	189	51	5	1	6	0	1	0	1853	
UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	564	89	87	81	96	91	89	89	91	94	99	89	109	90	79	1837	
Patents By Year of Application:	814	125	71	95	85	99	116	119	108	95	59	32	16	3	0	1837	
NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORPORATION																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	8	55	106	104	198	164	133	88	97	152	175	145	162	134	114	1835	
Patents By Year of Application:	164	169	139	184	146	117	151	167	139	178	129	105	44	3	0	1835	
OLIN CORPORATION																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	1600	47	57	28	23	17	17	4	5	4	7	8	6	6	2	1831	
Patents By Year of Application:	1689	44	18	22	14	8	5	8	3	6	9	2	2	1	0	1831	

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## CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Patents By Year of Grant:	451	37	24	46	94	100	103	125	111	139	138	102	115	116	96	1797
Patents By Year of Application:	541	73	96	96	131	138	153	180	120	101	76	62	27	3	0	1797

## NIPPON STEEL CORP.

Patents By Year of Grant:	989	85	72	89	94	67	56	51	62	59	41	45	28	26	23	1787
Patents By Year of Application:	1137	102	102	84	52	58	54	60	68	37	24	7	1	1	0	1787

## SCI-MED LIFE SYSTEMS, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	76	40	47	32	54	83	148	180	222	312	252	139	114	59	28	1786
Patents By Year of Application:	160	57	54	114	170	229	287	334	209	120	38	8	4	2	0	1786

## TAKEDA CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1032	70	99	77	73	80	71	102	64	46	39	18	10	2	3	1786
Patents By Year of Application:	1218	101	85	70	49	93	65	48	44	9	2	1	1	0	0	1786

## ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	1502	61	38	29	34	42	37	19	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1766
Patents By Year of Application:	1594	46	31	31	37	21	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1766

## ITT CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	1536	85	69	36	24	11	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1764
Patents By Year of Application:	1680	63	14	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1764

## STANFORD UNIVERSITY

Patents By Year of Grant:	575	55	56	64	79	84	103	85	102	86	76	90	98	85	121	1759
Patents By Year of Application:	723	88	65	93	107	110	94	122	102	100	61	41	41	12	0	1759

## LUCAS INDUSTRIES PUBLIC LTD. COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	1271	48	52	54	58	50	45	67	44	26	16	2	0	1	0	1734
Patents By Year of Application:	1359	61	59	53	55	55	45	30	16	0	1	0	0	0	0	1734

## STMICROELECTRONICS S.R.L.

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	4	57	145	237	268	219	165	160	161	168	143	1727
Patents By Year of Application:	3	13	18	48	160	238	270	263	193	199	148	106	62	6	0	1727

## WHITAKER CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	256	201	213	198	223	231	258	79	39	8	3	1	3	0	0	1713
Patents By Year of Application:	609	221	244	278	230	103	22	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1713

## SUMITOMO RUBBER INDUSTRIES, LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	529	76	76	69	83	71	84	91	88	130	129	79	73	69	61	1708
Patents By Year of Application:	693	65	77	93	95	98	109	128	126	89	63	47	22	3	0	1708

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**SEIKO INSTRUMENTS INC.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	319	62	56	60	67	79	98	151	192	184	142	61	75	79	70	1695
Patents By Year of Application:	478	77	66	76	113	154	173	171	120	87	64	60	43	13	0	1695

**NIPPON TELEGRAPH & TELEPHONE CORP.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	760	54	62	67	89	58	67	79	56	65	65	52	76	64	57	1671
Patents By Year of Application:	878	77	91	89	87	81	78	58	81	63	51	20	13	4	0	1671

**DELL PRODUCTS, L.P.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	29	66	88	96	109	85	95	132	109	131	134	132	129	158	176	1669
Patents By Year of Application:	179	127	89	118	94	207	134	148	107	158	113	111	65	17	2	1669

**DEGUSSA AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT**

Patents By Year of Grant:	752	42	50	48	63	49	21	39	86	102	117	86	90	66	48	1659
Patents By Year of Application:	833	55	61	65	33	45	66	183	133	99	49	29	8	0	0	1659

**SMITHKLINE BEECHAM CORPORATION**

Patents By Year of Grant:	60	24	24	72	98	191	197	256	211	140	90	56	81	78	70	1648
Patents By Year of Application:	126	94	69	260	218	224	167	164	161	78	36	27	17	7	0	1648

**EMERSON ELECTRIC CO.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	766	36	52	43	62	73	83	83	63	60	80	42	79	65	56	1643
Patents By Year of Application:	855	39	65	70	86	81	68	65	89	68	58	50	35	10	4	1643

**FUJI ELECTRIC CO., LTD.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	679	100	124	95	92	110	72	53	57	77	74	49	35	12	6	1635
Patents By Year of Application:	891	120	90	92	71	50	77	87	79	55	11	7	2	3	0	1635

**GENENTECH, INC.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	211	29	44	82	133	53	78	66	69	71	62	70	147	282	226	1623
Patents By Year of Application:	353	210	39	77	73	50	89	189	408	42	37	33	21	2	0	1623

**ELECTRONICS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS RESEARCH INSTITUTE**

Patents By Year of Grant:	38	20	31	58	120	130	124	72	89	103	86	112	172	206	257	1618
Patents By Year of Application:	107	51	126	144	162	78	79	111	191	216	189	107	50	7	0	1618

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Patents By Year of Grant:	1005	57	57	73	71	57	71	65	55	54	23	9	11	3	0	1611
Patents By Year of Application:	1108	78	78	72	56	63	117	8	16	8	6	1	0	0	0	1611

**Fujifilm Corporation**

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	681	903	1587
Patents By Year of Application:	0	0	0	1	2	3	35	70	125	236	363	440	248	61	3	1587

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ROLLS-ROYCE PLC																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	803	47	35	34	26	36	43	42	42	56	54	50	87	76	86	1517	
Patents By Year of Application:	875	41	26	49	35	43	44	52	65	77	105	83	18	4	0	1517	
LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	1071	76	81	57	68	72	47	30	10	2	2	0	0	0	0	1516	
Patents By Year of Application:	1190	97	82	74	50	14	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1516	
WISCONSIN ALUMNI RESEARCH FOUNDATION																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	443	44	64	62	83	86	64	74	80	85	64	77	101	91	90	1508	
Patents By Year of Application:	545	88	69	84	71	92	93	115	103	78	72	57	35	6	0	1508	
DANA CORPORATION																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	570	42	59	79	82	88	103	97	77	70	86	56	49	34	12	1504	
Patents By Year of Application:	669	86	101	88	80	112	63	103	77	77	22	24	2	0	0	1504	
THOMSON LICENSING S.A.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	95	140	187	180	151	267	229	203	1496	
Patents By Year of Application:	0	6	15	35	111	210	259	259	257	193	96	43	12	0	0	1496	
WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	716	35	46	21	43	38	39	24	53	78	51	61	74	129	83	1491	
Patents By Year of Application:	789	31	27	53	19	33	35	68	88	76	88	101	68	9	6	1491	
LEXMARK INTERNATIONAL, INC.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	68	18	37	33	60	113	134	139	121	128	108	91	118	168	148	1484	
Patents By Year of Application:	120	48	61	130	91	127	153	142	125	141	196	116	25	9	0	1484	
NEC ELECTRONICS CORPORATION																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	263	264	214	207	261	267	1476	
Patents By Year of Application:	0	0	0	2	8	47	137	212	253	253	198	233	113	20	0	1476	
ASAHI GLASS COMPANY, LTD.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	529	36	47	47	64	68	54	85	82	106	93	59	76	49	75	1470	
Patents By Year of Application:	604	50	73	83	66	80	77	101	110	66	63	52	31	14	0	1470	
AGFA-GEVAERT, AG																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	1211	39	20	38	51	53	13	6	14	6	7	7	2	2	0	1469	
Patents By Year of Application:	1268	48	41	50	20	13	11	7	3	7	0	1	0	0	0	1469	
TOYODA GOSEI KABUSHIKI KAISHA																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	422	48	39	52	75	67	58	50	84	87	88	116	91	108	80	1465	
Patents By Year of Application:	503	65	78	69	67	45	89	97	132	115	104	65	30	6	0	1465	

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<b>SCHERING CORP.</b>																			
Patents By Year of Grant:	585	50	29	71	78	81	53	72	63	64	44	58	72	68	73	1461			
Patents By Year of Application:	700	111	48	67	55	67	60	79	81	75	54	32	25	6	1	1461			
<b>HALLIBURTON CO.</b>																			
Patents By Year of Grant:	1210	88	94	39	25	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1458			
Patents By Year of Application:	1357	65	28	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1458			
<b>PIONEER HI-BRED INTERNATIONAL, INC.</b>																			
Patents By Year of Grant:	57	22	52	26	108	99	113	114	62	71	130	116	134	205	142	1451			
Patents By Year of Application:	119	80	63	81	123	159	141	77	99	103	144	133	97	32	0	1451			
<b>PORSCHE AG</b>																			
Patents By Year of Grant:	529	43	50	53	42	70	49	67	85	75	80	78	78	74	72	1445			
Patents By Year of Application:	609	57	48	79	46	46	67	97	93	78	77	75	47	26	0	1445			
<b>AGERE SYSTEMS INC.</b>																			
Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	52	316	274	168	240	193	182	1443			
Patents By Year of Application:	2	0	1	8	46	231	252	277	172	145	152	95	53	9	0	1443			
<b>CITIZEN WATCH CO., LTD.</b>																			
Patents By Year of Grant:	779	34	35	34	44	71	82	89	65	56	56	33	38	19	1	1436			
Patents By Year of Application:	846	43	45	85	82	95	82	64	50	29	11	4	0	0	0	1436			
<b>SAMSUNG SDI CO., LTD.</b>																			
Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	108	118	150	125	162	315	432	1436			
Patents By Year of Application:	0	0	0	0	5	31	160	136	191	205	366	252	78	12	0	1436			
<b>E. R. SQUIBB + SONS, INC.</b>																			
Patents By Year of Grant:	1308	27	28	29	19	11	4	2	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1433			
Patents By Year of Application:	1379	33	11	7	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1433			
<b>TORAY INDUSTRIES INC.</b>																			
Patents By Year of Grant:	733	44	37	62	48	61	70	72	65	62	44	36	33	23	35	1425			
Patents By Year of Application:	831	47	73	70	80	72	61	66	61	34	18	5	3	4	0	1425			
<b>B. F. GOODRICH CO.</b>																			
Patents By Year of Grant:	1196	30	33	17	29	28	24	39	17	5	1	1	0	0	0	1420			
Patents By Year of Application:	1258	32	22	36	23	30	15	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1420			
<b>EXXON CHEMICALS PATENTS INC.</b>																			
Patents By Year of Grant:	648	124	103	115	119	112	111	69	6	6	3	0	0	1	0	1417			
Patents By Year of Application:	852	174	98	166	84	38	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1417			

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**3COM CORPORATION**

Patents By Year of Grant:	16	18	20	22	37	93	161	229	196	200	182	89	83	33	34	1413
Patents By Year of Application:	56	36	40	151	278	342	266	143	57	33	9	1	1	0	0	1413

**EMC CORPORATION**

Patents By Year of Grant:	10	11	29	21	60	69	79	91	101	135	131	131	161	173	193	1395
Patents By Year of Application:	58	55	70	101	100	127	174	178	151	121	139	72	44	5	0	1395

**VISTEON GLOBAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.**

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	1	30	206	188	243	274	193	138	80	42	1395
Patents By Year of Application:	1	1	2	16	54	176	201	273	301	209	87	60	10	4	0	1395

**DAIKIN INDUSTRIES LIMITED**

Patents By Year of Grant:	540	30	32	52	60	43	60	83	68	66	78	59	63	75	75	1384
Patents By Year of Application:	609	62	46	59	73	77	68	90	104	89	50	16	14	18	9	1384

**FUJI JUKOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA**

Patents By Year of Grant:	694	33	34	37	40	32	44	56	51	85	87	45	63	48	35	1384
Patents By Year of Application:	755	40	36	42	46	51	58	94	77	72	71	28	9	5	0	1384

**SUNDSTRAND CORPORATION**

Patents By Year of Grant:	1186	31	45	29	45	35	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1381
Patents By Year of Application:	1273	28	41	29	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1381

**CIBA SPECIALTY CHEMICALS CORPORATION**

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	23	164	182	158	114	142	124	99	88	114	91	69	1368
Patents By Year of Application:	18	39	120	190	176	103	137	162	178	132	71	23	15	4	0	1368

**HYUNDAI MOTOR COMPANY**

Patents By Year of Grant:	25	17	50	72	92	93	60	118	152	106	111	119	133	109	105	1362
Patents By Year of Application:	71	90	104	111	31	99	172	103	164	156	109	103	38	10	1	1362

**BRUNSWICK CORPORATION**

Patents By Year of Grant:	746	26	17	24	50	52	61	55	52	45	41	46	56	48	41	1360
Patents By Year of Application:	781	28	35	66	42	58	53	54	53	48	58	40	34	10	0	1360

**SCHERING AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT**

Patents By Year of Grant:	784	49	31	44	52	45	62	35	33	41	38	35	46	34	29	1358
Patents By Year of Application:	897	68	39	38	48	38	53	44	44	40	22	18	9	0	0	1358

**BAYERISCHE MOTOREN WERKE AG**

Patents By Year of Grant:	328	7	29	30	48	68	61	86	82	85	89	91	118	100	134	1356
Patents By Year of Application:	367	22	51	53	85	76	95	93	84	80	73	88	114	68	7	1356

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MITA INDUSTRIAL COMPANY LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	814	89	94	73	169	81	32	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1355
Patents By Year of Application:	981	104	101	111	42	15	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1355

BASF CORP.

Patents By Year of Grant:	444	73	101	92	97	89	82	58	83	55	45	39	31	28	21	1338
Patents By Year of Application:	573	153	106	107	68	60	72	67	52	31	27	17	4	1	0	1338

MITSUI TOATSU CHEMICALS INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1037	96	79	72	45	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1334
Patents By Year of Application:	1190	97	39	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1334

KOBE STEEL LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	714	43	46	42	67	59	49	46	45	45	48	19	37	33	39	1332
Patents By Year of Application:	805	46	67	74	39	47	41	50	57	33	34	33	5	1	0	1332

FREESCALE SEMICONDUCTOR, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	134	256	287	322	322	1321
Patents By Year of Application:	0	0	0	1	0	8	45	78	215	273	231	295	147	28	0	1321

HITACHI GLOBAL STORAGE TECHNOLOGIES NETHERLANDS B.V.

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59	127	188	295	323	321	1313
Patents By Year of Application:	0	0	0	1	9	7	40	120	147	290	344	249	87	19	0	1313

TOYODA JIDOSHOKKI SEISAKUSHO KABUSHIKI KAISHA

Patents By Year of Grant:	506	51	51	49	80	88	118	133	141	67	15	3	3	2	0	1307
Patents By Year of Application:	589	62	70	118	114	117	147	88	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1307

ZENITH ELECTRONICS CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	1037	31	33	33	28	25	24	17	8	16	14	10	7	14	8	1305
Patents By Year of Application:	1103	34	37	32	20	22	15	12	10	10	8	2	0	0	0	1305

INTERNATIONAL FLAVORS + FRAGRANCES INC

Patents By Year of Grant:	1072	27	19	12	17	4	20	21	20	13	8	12	18	22	17	1302
Patents By Year of Application:	1105	18	18	11	11	26	21	20	16	20	13	12	8	3	0	1302

ETHYL CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	1208	8	12	14	10	8	11	8	4	8	4	6	0	0	0	1301
Patents By Year of Application:	1224	17	10	11	9	10	5	4	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	1301

SHIMANO INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	152	35	31	45	68	83	100	97	98	90	65	101	138	101	87	1291
Patents By Year of Application:	220	34	70	115	73	83	98	99	95	121	110	106	44	22	1	1291

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	Pre 1995	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	TOTAL	
DAI NIPPON PRINTING CO. LTD.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	86	43	59	61	103	86	105	87	78	91	113	86	103	90	93	1284	
Patents By Year of Application:	192	87	100	101	97	103	73	129	128	123	83	48	12	8	0	1284	
G. D. SEARLE & CO.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	632	90	66	75	60	62	61	39	74	46	27	17	23	10	2	1284	
Patents By Year of Application:	792	123	56	45	47	50	53	43	38	19	9	5	4	0	0	1284	
NGK SPARK PLUG CO., LTD.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	500	34	32	22	45	64	57	68	59	92	100	54	59	46	52	1284	
Patents By Year of Application:	567	36	31	75	61	74	66	97	98	68	58	31	13	9	0	1284	
DAEWOO ELECTRONICS COMPANY, LTD.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	32	47	131	216	320	279	123	55	15	4	7	12	12	13	17	1283	
Patents By Year of Application:	214	215	305	282	175	20	7	7	10	8	22	10	8	0	0	1283	
NSK LIMITED																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	75	55	78	67	60	59	71	117	117	105	111	88	90	93	91	1277	
Patents By Year of Application:	177	92	62	80	84	105	107	146	134	133	87	44	18	8	0	1277	
NESTEC, S.A.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	414	64	50	45	67	108	76	97	67	73	59	47	35	38	20	1260	
Patents By Year of Application:	533	63	78	85	84	71	110	88	64	48	29	5	1	1	0	1260	
FURUKAWA ELECTRIC CO., LTD.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	327	47	44	26	41	53	41	52	85	134	162	100	63	45	39	1259	
Patents By Year of Application:	409	39	44	61	40	51	98	184	154	84	32	37	19	7	0	1259	
STMICROELECTRONICS S.A.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	1	22	78	109	138	148	150	136	170	158	143	1253	
Patents By Year of Application:	2	1	7	3	103	171	195	139	196	175	130	76	45	9	1	1253	
JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	277	28	27	47	79	98	74	80	81	71	94	72	91	62	67	1248	
Patents By Year of Application:	371	94	68	68	103	90	84	93	97	92	60	14	11	3	0	1248	
ETHICON, INC.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	402	72	45	61	55	61	75	73	70	90	62	40	64	53	23	1246	
Patents By Year of Application:	512	55	74	62	87	84	83	106	85	56	27	13	2	0	0	1246	
KOHLER CO.																	
Patents By Year of Grant:	427	25	23	32	43	38	32	48	42	61	71	74	115	102	109	1242	
Patents By Year of Application:	462	30	42	40	21	35	59	47	61	70	112	108	90	59	6	1242	

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## OLYMPUS CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	203	180	275	272	296	1239
Patents By Year of Application:	8	0	1	0	12	16	41	62	204	271	316	184	93	30	1	1239

## BRITISH TELECOMMUNICATION, PLC

Patents By Year of Grant:	455	64	49	37	74	80	72	94	58	48	32	31	40	57	45	1236
Patents By Year of Application:	599	48	92	83	184	37	67	72	36	15	2	1	0	0	0	1236

## EBARA CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	194	30	29	54	75	78	75	83	123	97	97	81	80	82	57	1235
Patents By Year of Application:	254	54	85	98	79	71	145	136	96	87	61	36	21	12	0	1235

## GILLETTE COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	496	36	31	29	60	55	72	69	62	53	50	54	64	56	48	1235
Patents By Year of Application:	565	37	56	57	50	72	87	55	55	74	48	45	14	18	2	1235

## LITTON SYSTEMS INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	602	73	67	35	59	78	73	92	42	36	27	16	15	10	8	1233
Patents By Year of Application:	747	35	45	84	84	89	53	34	20	13	14	10	4	1	0	1233

## DART INDUSTRIES INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	683	26	32	41	57	60	48	43	35	62	28	25	28	35	28	1231
Patents By Year of Application:	720	50	45	48	56	41	38	39	55	36	32	24	36	10	1	1231

## KAWASAKI STEEL CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	639	54	62	70	59	64	60	86	77	42	3	2	1	0	0	1219
Patents By Year of Application:	762	61	72	61	72	68	63	48	11	1	0	0	0	0	0	1219

## KIMBERLY-CLARK CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	817	84	146	111	23	9	8	6	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1209
Patents By Year of Application:	1017	138	41	4	1	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1209

## DAINIPPON SCREEN MFG. CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	624	36	29	40	52	55	37	20	17	18	51	50	64	44	67	1204
Patents By Year of Application:	697	43	64	44	48	8	9	22	70	84	58	36	18	3	0	1204

## L'AIR LIQUIDE, SOCIETE ANONYME A DIRECTOIRE ET CONSEIL DE SURVEILLANCE POUR L'ETUDE ET L'EXPLOITATION DES PROCEDES GEORGES CLAUDE

Patents By Year of Grant:	390	58	52	35	50	76	75	130	81	80	39	36	31	38	33	1204
Patents By Year of Application:	485	49	56	72	79	113	103	90	50	59	35	10	2	1	0	1204

## SYMBOL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	144	44	46	47	66	67	55	39	52	66	92	72	130	141	143	1204
Patents By Year of Application:	230	71	63	71	61	40	87	101	97	104	119	84	48	28	0	1204

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MITSUBISHI GAS-CHEMICAL COMPANY, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	540	51	40	33	47	66	43	51	48	46	38	27	45	40	30	1145
Patents By Year of Application:	617	40	54	53	52	53	48	55	57	40	47	17	7	4	1	1145

TEIJIN LIMITED

Patents By Year of Grant:	641	43	38	47	37	37	43	55	57	45	41	22	17	11	11	1145
Patents By Year of Application:	722	57	33	35	48	56	51	68	48	20	7	0	0	0	0	1145

SMITHKLINE BECKMAN CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	1009	37	27	21	24	21	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	1143
Patents By Year of Application:	1072	34	17	15	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1143

MEAD CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	873	27	21	32	54	40	29	25	22	16	0	0	0	0	0	1139
Patents By Year of Application:	917	30	46	43	32	19	35	10	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1139

ACUSHNET COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	92	7	14	27	45	40	43	60	62	99	110	98	164	136	139	1136
Patents By Year of Application:	107	33	37	46	48	63	61	92	131	136	142	109	70	55	6	1136

NATIONAL RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	1117	1	0	1	1	1	2	3	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	1131
Patents By Year of Application:	1120	2	0	0	4	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1131

AMERICAN STANDARD, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	722	42	53	31	47	79	87	18	16	19	6	0	0	0	0	1120
Patents By Year of Application:	792	57	46	44	74	71	5	11	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	1120

MCDONNELL DOUGLAS CORP.

Patents By Year of Grant:	589	40	43	52	111	138	77	41	15	3	8	0	1	0	2	1120
Patents By Year of Application:	678	53	115	155	80	20	7	7	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1120

EASTMAN CHEMICAL COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	66	94	67	81	63	111	119	109	97	78	54	37	28	56	59	1119
Patents By Year of Application:	194	118	69	103	124	106	104	76	60	65	46	27	20	7	0	1119

CORNELL RESEARCH FOUNDATION INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	380	36	54	50	64	71	49	63	36	61	40	41	66	56	51	1118
Patents By Year of Application:	493	72	64	67	65	44	67	60	59	39	37	30	19	2	0	1118

SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY, INCORPORATED

Patents By Year of Grant:	251	40	65	98	164	193	237	29	15	8	3	2	2	0	9	1116
Patents By Year of Application:	371	122	142	246	162	46	9	5	0	4	3	1	1	4	0	1116

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## NALCO CHEMICAL COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	803	69	30	34	33	34	41	38	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	1113
Patents By Year of Application:	891	48	35	32	40	35	28	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1113

## ADVANTEST CORP.

Patents By Year of Grant:	72	14	20	41	80	76	75	104	123	93	73	52	86	93	110	1112
Patents By Year of Application:	107	42	78	90	103	134	100	93	62	77	81	76	58	10	1	1112

## CASE CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	603	21	26	23	37	67	79	73	51	77	49	1	2	0	0	1109
Patents By Year of Application:	644	37	53	53	67	78	53	68	42	14	0	0	0	0	0	1109

## VLSI TECHNOLOGY, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	245	112	100	94	150	158	135	88	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	1109
Patents By Year of Application:	456	116	162	186	108	69	11	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1109

## MACRONIX INTERNATIONAL CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	1	6	9	14	23	31	32	39	123	183	162	101	109	130	136	1099
Patents By Year of Application:	14	17	23	30	26	44	37	208	218	147	133	107	67	27	1	1099

## UNION OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

Patents By Year of Grant:	987	28	11	15	14	8	13	8	4	5	3	1	1	1	0	1099
Patents By Year of Application:	1034	16	6	9	13	6	5	4	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	1099

## KOITO MANUFACTURING COMPANY LIMITED

Patents By Year of Grant:	219	38	46	39	50	51	61	67	84	97	63	52	67	88	73	1095
Patents By Year of Application:	297	50	55	47	62	56	93	77	87	78	69	84	36	4	0	1095

## ZAHNRADFABRIK FRIEDRICHSHAFEN AG

Patents By Year of Grant:	397	12	24	16	34	31	36	52	45	54	60	55	82	94	99	1091
Patents By Year of Application:	423	23	30	30	38	51	40	71	95	102	107	57	23	1	0	1091

## BABCOCK &amp; WILCOX COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	774	53	71	56	38	9	14	16	15	7	7	13	3	7	0	1083
Patents By Year of Application:	882	67	38	22	12	12	13	9	15	6	4	3	0	0	0	1083

## HILTI AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT

Patents By Year of Grant:	377	15	28	39	39	30	61	36	59	86	75	65	77	45	46	1078
Patents By Year of Application:	408	35	43	38	38	52	62	92	92	82	72	36	25	3	0	1078

## KAWASAKI JUKOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA

Patents By Year of Grant:	490	22	12	9	15	23	26	46	42	52	56	75	75	59	76	1078
Patents By Year of Application:	519	13	18	23	20	43	40	49	66	91	70	51	52	20	3	1078

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## NOVO NORDISK A/S

Patents By Year of Grant:	136	32	61	102	124	179	142	93	39	56	24	29	24	20	17	1078
Patents By Year of Application:	271	149	74	164	144	91	47	61	34	31	4	5	3	0	0	1078

## GOLDSTAR COMPANY, LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	573	183	182	85	36	13	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1076
Patents By Year of Application:	964	61	40	10	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1076

## ADVANCED CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEMS, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	126	24	33	23	30	37	54	76	96	184	109	78	68	68	69	1075
Patents By Year of Application:	188	30	27	57	58	137	157	153	121	88	28	14	12	5	0	1075

## SHOWA DENKO KABUSHIKI KAISHA

Patents By Year of Grant:	320	20	18	29	32	37	52	70	85	70	86	63	88	48	55	1073
Patents By Year of Application:	361	31	27	52	54	59	91	110	120	90	50	19	9	0	0	1073

## CONOCO, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	985	13	11	7	7	7	2	9	21	5	3	0	0	0	0	1070
Patents By Year of Application:	1007	7	8	8	4	11	14	8	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1070

## S. C. JOHNSON + SON, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	342	22	21	32	41	60	29	29	54	61	54	63	62	101	97	1068
Patents By Year of Application:	375	35	52	51	30	37	54	45	78	73	62	91	44	38	3	1068

## AKZO NOBEL NV

Patents By Year of Grant:	21	57	59	87	105	121	98	89	94	109	72	56	47	32	19	1066
Patents By Year of Application:	158	109	83	125	104	90	101	127	94	52	18	3	2	0	0	1066

## COMBUSTION ENGINEERING INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	926	26	19	15	39	22	14	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1064
Patents By Year of Application:	977	17	28	24	14	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1064

## LAM RESEARCH CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	25	2	6	17	42	45	78	103	107	133	103	125	111	90	74	1061
Patents By Year of Application:	30	30	67	60	58	109	147	123	131	134	97	45	26	4	0	1061

## OTIS ELEVATOR COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	450	52	54	55	88	74	42	37	68	33	25	15	19	16	24	1052
Patents By Year of Application:	565	69	76	66	37	48	68	41	33	32	14	3	0	0	0	1052

## PENTAX CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	218	219	196	186	132	86	1049
Patents By Year of Application:	0	0	0	3	12	38	94	181	192	186	153	108	48	34	0	1049

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BENDIX CORPORATION (NOW ALLIED-SIGNAL INC.)

Patents By Year of Grant:	1048	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1048
Patents By Year of Application:	1048	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1048

COUNCIL OF SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH

Patents By Year of Grant:	35	9	10	18	25	37	37	59	131	139	131	119	127	96	73	1046
Patents By Year of Application:	57	15	28	35	46	47	119	180	198	158	117	21	22	3	0	1046

LEAR CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	2	20	64	78	58	49	60	83	117	118	200	127	66	1042
Patents By Year of Application:	4	12	62	86	54	55	79	69	140	176	192	87	16	10	0	1042

HERCULES INCORPORATED

Patents By Year of Grant:	737	26	42	37	32	22	32	36	29	17	7	6	5	8	4	1040
Patents By Year of Application:	814	38	33	35	31	22	30	12	9	9	5	1	1	0	0	1040

LG SEMICON CO., LTD.

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	32	119	235	312	255	42	30	8	4	2	0	1	0	1040
Patents By Year of Application:	12	140	230	329	237	69	10	8	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	1040

RAYCHEM CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	839	40	34	35	51	36	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1040
Patents By Year of Application:	909	50	42	35	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1040

SANSHIN KOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA

Patents By Year of Grant:	459	32	74	58	83	70	87	63	72	35	2	1	1	0	1	1038
Patents By Year of Application:	539	72	99	79	85	64	64	30	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1038

GE MEDICAL SYSTEMS GLOBAL TECHNOLOGY COMPANY, LLC

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	174	172	189	154	140	78	88	1026
Patents By Year of Application:	0	0	0	0	10	57	171	187	265	178	88	36	28	6	0	1026

CIRRUS LOGIC, INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	23	33	64	84	128	110	100	82	84	83	44	45	40	62	43	1025
Patents By Year of Application:	125	150	123	139	97	75	68	53	41	38	35	45	28	8	0	1025

NITTO DENKO CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	97	20	26	31	35	41	56	70	74	78	90	84	109	101	112	1024
Patents By Year of Application:	135	39	47	48	54	78	93	104	118	108	100	66	25	5	4	1024

STANDARD OIL COMPANY

Patents By Year of Grant:	928	9	7	15	10	11	11	8	9	2	2	5	4	1	0	1022
Patents By Year of Application:	941	16	10	11	12	12	6	6	4	3	0	1	0	0	0	1022

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BATTELLE MEMORIAL INSTITUTE

Patents By Year of Grant:	405	28	17	24	33	35	39	36	43	71	75	61	68	43	42	1020
Patents By Year of Application:	450	27	38	30	52	52	53	96	77	75	37	21	10	2	0	1020

TOKAI RIKA DENKI SEISAKUSHO K.K.

Patents By Year of Grant:	428	24	28	40	46	30	33	42	50	69	57	39	54	47	30	1017
Patents By Year of Application:	482	34	50	39	22	47	55	72	64	60	38	35	14	5	0	1017

BELLSOUTH INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	12	19	26	61	90	185	191	309	118	3	1014
Patents By Year of Application:	0	1	8	27	31	95	163	223	242	136	66	16	6	0	0	1014

DAIMLERCHRYSLER CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	0	0	0	0	0	34	163	209	161	75	110	90	100	71	0	1013
Patents By Year of Application:	1	2	8	22	61	302	172	76	92	122	79	53	22	1	0	1013

MILES INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	936	62	6	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1011
Patents By Year of Application:	1006	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1011

MATTEL INC.

Patents By Year of Grant:	380	8	16	13	20	34	49	45	53	118	65	48	58	59	38	1004
Patents By Year of Application:	392	24	18	29	38	46	59	62	132	70	67	40	24	3	0	1004

CHISSO CORPORATION

Patents By Year of Grant:	515	33	24	37	49	43	42	77	47	41	24	10	20	12	29	1003
Patents By Year of Application:	563	41	51	49	53	66	56	41	24	24	6	16	10	3	0	1003

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Patents By Year of Grant:	670198	50782	54367	57126	74905	78399	81779	87491	88047	89109	86154	75612	95450	91166	94574	1775159
Patents By Year of Application:	774150	72995	71257	82835	84135	91695	99668	105354	106419	96110	79265	57641	35409	16386	1840	1775159