

Estonian Patent Office
Files of International Patent Applications
and Processing of International Applications
Filing of International Patent Applications
01.01.2008 - 31.12.2008 Statistical Basic Report

1. Filed international patent applications

Table 1

Year of application	Number of PCT applications filed
1997	3
1998	2
1999	1
2000	5
2001	9
2002	9
2003	7
2004	10
2005	10
2006	11
2007	26
2008	27
Total	120

Note: 'PCT applications filed' denotes international patent applications filed under the Patent Cooperation Treaty with the Estonian Patent Office as the receiving office.

2. International patent applications filed during the period of 01.01.2008 - 31.12.2008 broken down according to the International Patent Classification

Table 2

Section of the IPC	Filed PCT applications	
	number	percentage
1. Section A Human necessities	3	11,11%
2. Section B Performing operations; transporting	5	18,52%
3. Section C Chemistry; metallurgy	13	48,15%
4. Section D Textiles; paper	0	0,00%
5. Section E Fixed constructions	0	0,00%
6. Section F Mechanical engineering; lighting; heating; weapons; blasting	0	0,00%
7. Section G Physics	5	18,52%
8. Section H Electricity	1	3,70%
9. Applications not classified	0	0,00%
Total	27	100,00%