

Estonian Patent Office

Database of Patent Applications and Processing Thereof Processing of Patent Applications 01.01.2008 - 31.12.2008 Statistical Basic Report

Processing procedures	Indicator
1. Number of filed patent applications	72
2. Number of refusals to process or return of patent applications	0
3. Number of patent applications approved for processing	73
4. Number of published patent applications	53
5. Number of patent applications approved for substantive examination	56
6. Number of processing decisions made on patent applications during the reporting period	309
-incl. number of decisions on granting a patent	172
-incl. number of decisions on rejecting the patent application	1
-incl. number of patent applications withdrawn or considered withdrawn during substantive and preliminary examination	136
7. Number of appeals filed on processing decisions	0
-incl. number of satisfied appeals	0
8. Number of issued letters patent	172
Number of pending patent applications on the 02.01.2009	856
-incl. in substantive examination	721