

Estonian Patent Office

Database of Patent Applications and Processing Thereof Processing of Patent Applications 01.01.2002 - 31.12.2002 Statistical Basic Report

Processing procedures	Indicator
1. Number of filed patent applications	719
2. Number of refusals to process or return of patent applications	19
3. Number of patent applications approved for processing	904
4. Number of published patent applications	861
5. Number of patent applications approved for substantive examination	704
6. Number of processing decisions made on patent applications during the reporting period	504
-incl. number of decisions on granting a patent	322
-incl. number of decisions on rejecting the patent application	2
-incl. number of patent applications withdrawn or considered withdrawn during substantive and preliminary examination	180
7. Number of appeals filed on processing decisions	1
-incl. number of satisfied appeals	0
8. Number of inventions entered into the State Register of Patents	358
9. Number of issued letters patent	357
Number of pending patent applications on the 31.12.2002	2667
-incl. in substantive examination	1482