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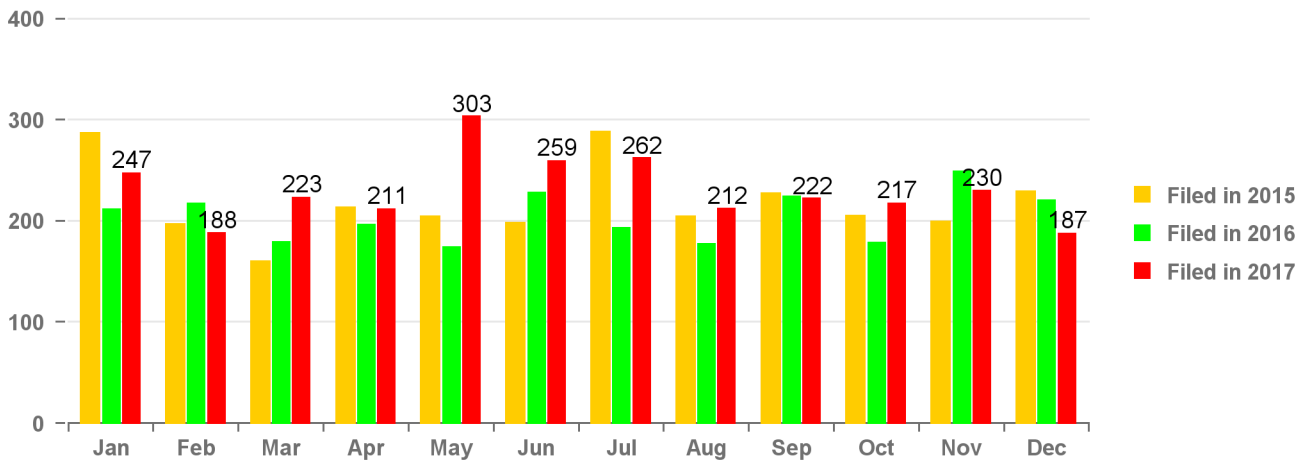
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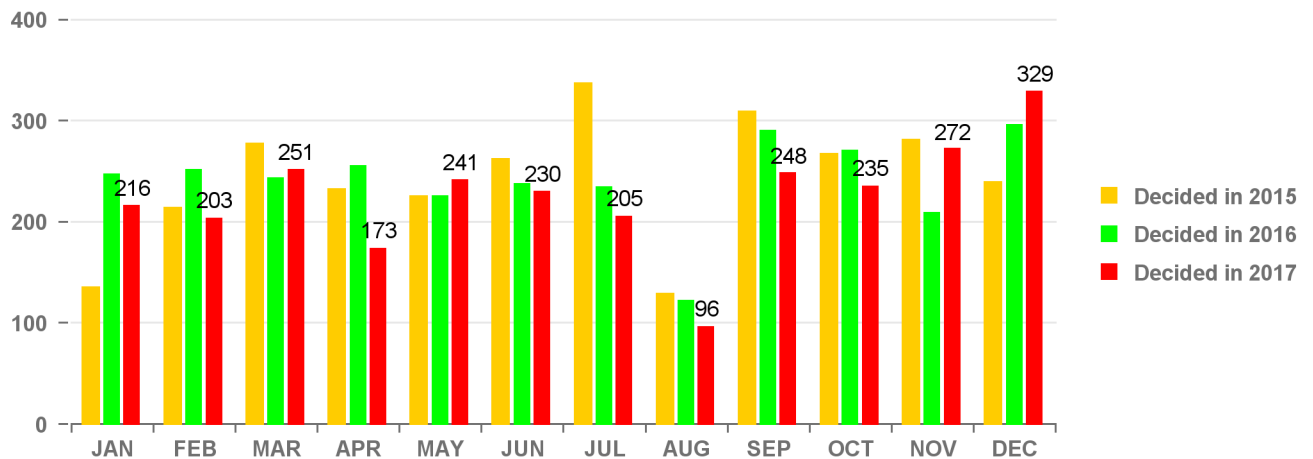
	December / 2017	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Appeals Filed	187	2,761	2,446	2,611	3,284	2,603
Decisions	329	2,699	2,884	2,911	2,783	2,568
Appeals Closed	329	2,718	2,897	2,936	2,855	2,587

Year of filing >	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2000	Total:
Appeals Pending as of 03/01/2018	1,751	165	58	81	18	35	7	1	1	2	5	6	5	1	2,136
of which ready for decision	549	70	11	6	3	29	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	669

2015-2017 Comparison of Appeals filed by month



2015-2017 Comparison of Appeal decisions made by month



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Appeals filed by Type	Dec / 2017	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
EX-PARTE	75	1,163	1,078	946	1,240	890
INTER PARTES	112	1,598	1,368	1,665	2,044	1,712
Total:	187	2,761	2,446	2,611	3,284	2,602

Appeals filed by Procedure or Right	Dec / 2017	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Cancellation	11	239	304	317	375	297
EUTM	66	953	925	783	1,066	716
Internat. Reg. Design	0	1	0	0	0	0
Opposition	90	1,291	1,000	1,272	1,537	1,354
Others (1)	8	180	133	149	157	167
RCD (2)	12	97	84	90	149	68
Sum:	187	2,761	2,446	2,611	3,284	2,602

Appeals by Source	Dec / 2017	2017	2016
e-Appeal	162	1,795	0
E-Filing	0	487	1,373
Fax	12	412	996
Mail	0	27	27
Others	13	40	50
Total:	187	2,761	2,446

Resolutions without decision	Dec / 2017	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Revision Granted	0	17	12	22	34	15
Withdrawal	0	0	0	0	0	4
Other	0	2	1	3	6	0
Total:	0	19	13	25	40	19

Language of Appeal Proceedings

	Dec. / 2017		2017		2016		2015		2014		2013	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
EN	107	63%	1,744	63%	1,541	63%	1,713	66%	2,088	64%	1,744	67%
DE	38	22%	568	21%	571	23%	507	19%	694	21%	456	18%
FR	9	3%	76	3%	72	3%	117	4%	130	4%	138	5%
ES	17	6%	171	6%	126	5%	131	5%	161	5%	136	5%
IT	7	2%	62	2%	45	2%	76	3%	77	2%	53	2%
Other	9	4%	140	5%	91	4%	67	3%	134	4%	75	3%
Total	187		2,761		2,446		2,611		3,284		2,602	

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Decisions		Dec. / 2017	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
EX-PARTE	Confirmed	113	863	730	785	740	541
	Deemed not been filed, inadmissible	7	86	80	98	93	70
	Reversed in Full	17	157	141	175	134	64
	Reversed in Part	8	33	46	55	38	38
EX-PARTE Total		145	1139	997	1113	1005	713
INTER PARTES	Confirmed	102	829	1,079	916	906	1,030
	Deemed not been filed, inadmissible	11	97	66	110	131	70
	Reversed in Full	30	295	323	329	270	292
	Reversed in Part	20	153	190	182	186	244
	Settled by parties / Costs	21	186	229	261	285	219
INTER PARTES Total		184	1560	1887	1798	1778	1855
Total number of decisions:		329	2699	2884	2911	2783	2568
Remanded on Art. 7(3) EUTMR (does not contribute to overall Decision total)		0	3	5	3	2	1
Number of interim decisions		3	38	38	0	8	10
Number of revocation decisions		0	8	6	0	4	0
Decisions on fixing of costs		0	20	5	3	4	4

Decisions on RCD	December / 2017	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
RCD Decisions (3)	2	113	119	95	102	87
Total number of RCD decisions:	2	113	119	95	102	87

Ratio Of Confirmation By The Boards Of First Instance Decisions	December / 2017	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
EX-PARTE (4)	82%	82%	80%	77%	81%	84%
INTER PARTES (5)	67%	65%	68%	64%	67%	66%
Opposition	69%	64%	69%	65%	65%	66%
Cancellation	58%	69%	67%	61%	67%	65%
RCD	100%	57%	58%	69%	78%	73%

ACTIONS BROUGHT BEFORE GC (CJ) (at 31/12/2017)															
	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003
ex parte	70(9)	89(5)	80(9)	97(5)	52(5)	44(2)	42(9)	48(11)	45(4)	58(6)	55(6)	46(4)	28(4)	21(3)	22(2)
inter partes	214(33)	245(43)	216(55)	195(28)	241(33)	198(40)	177(29)	159(20)	159(19)	139(16)	114(9)	86(14)	69(10)	89(4)	77(5)

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1. Others include: General authorization, Recordal, Representative, International Registration, International Application, Subsequent Designation and Seniority
2. RCD includes: RCDs, RCD Applications and Design Invalidity
3. The RCD decisions are also accounted for in the field DECISIONS
4. Confirmed first instance ex parte decisions divided by total ex parte decisions, except decisions with the result: not admissible, not filed, etc
5. Confirmed first instance inter partes decisions divided by total inter partes decisions, except decisions with result: Settled by parties/cost, not admissible, not filed, etc.
6. Source Others are Cases remitted by the General Court