

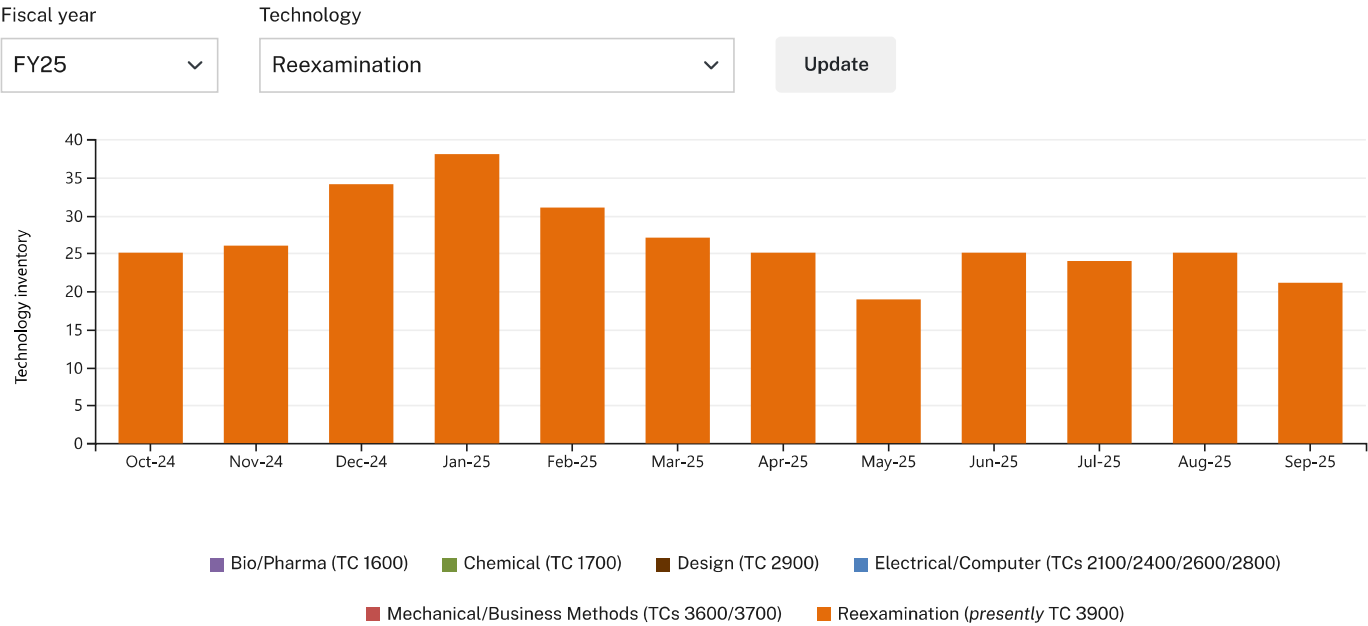
PTAB data at a glance December 2025

The PTAB Appeals Dashboard provides important data on the USPTO's PTAB operations. Access average appeal pendency information, as well as other critical indicators, such as the number of appeals in inventory, the number of appeals filed, and the appeals outcome all by both fiscal year and technology. This tool provides the intellectual property community with a better understanding of the USPTO's PTAB appeals process and enables applicants to make more informed decisions when deciding whether to appeal their applications.

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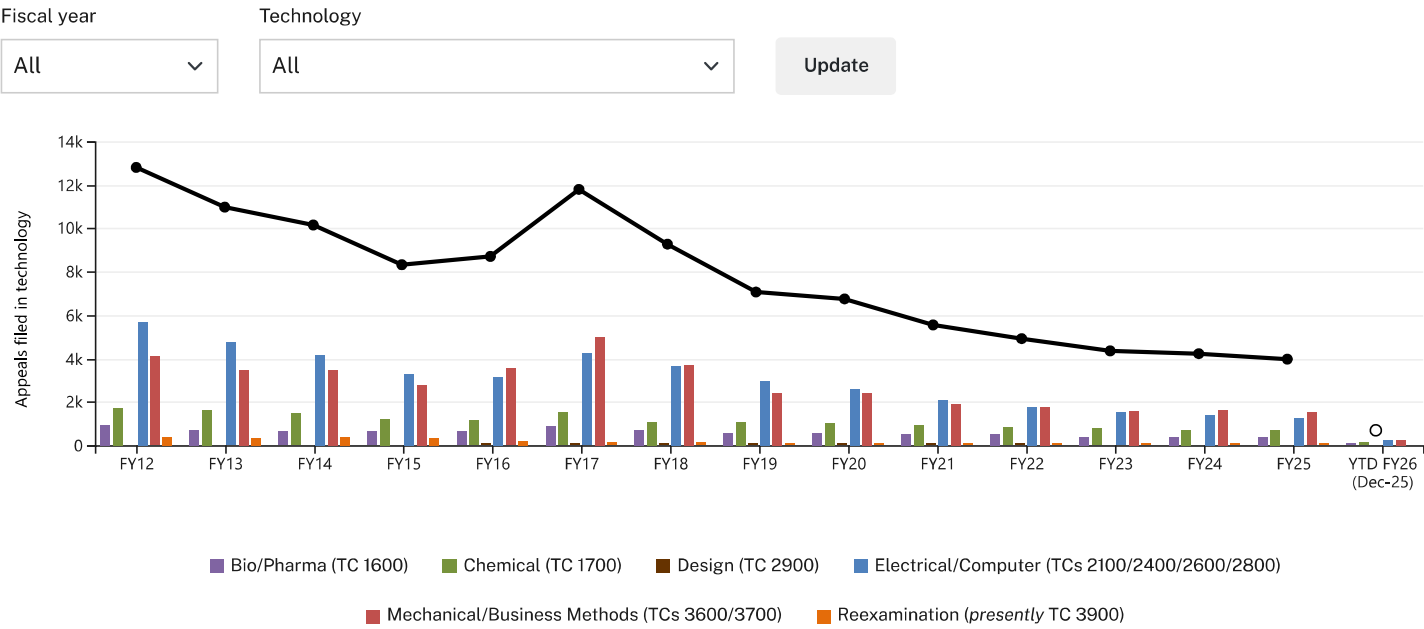
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Appeals inventory by technology and fiscal year



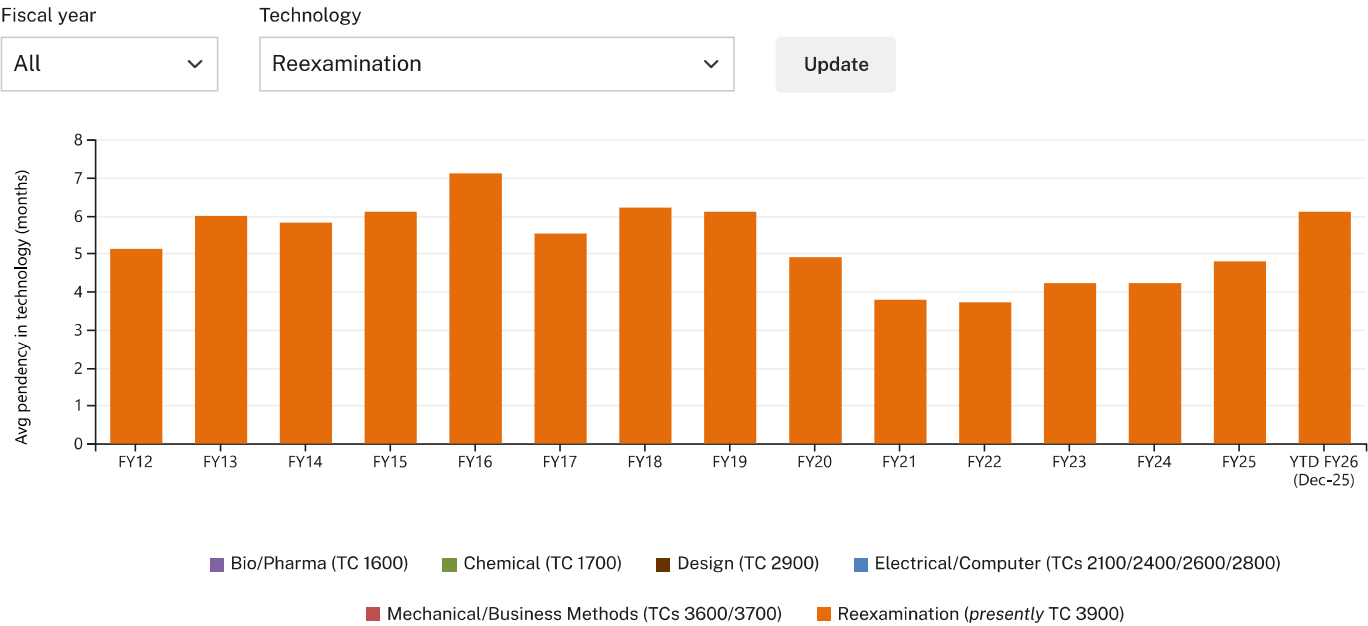
Date	Reexamination
Oct-24	25
Nov-24	26
Dec-24	34
Jan-25	38
Feb-25	31

Appeals filed by technology and fiscal year



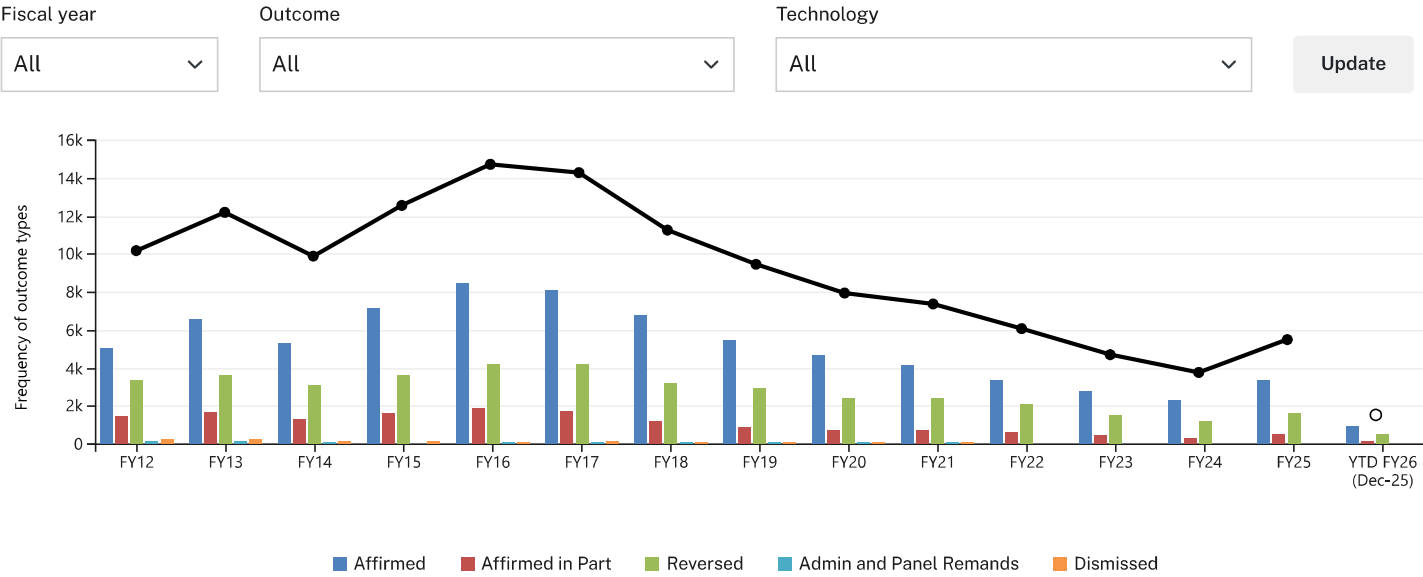
Fiscal year	Bio/Pharma	Chemical	Design	Electrical/Computer	Mechanical/Business Methods	Reexamination
FY12	917	1,714	31	5,658	4,121	350
FY13	724	1,659	22	4,738	3,486	343
FY14	616	1,461	12	4,179	3,485	380
FY15	631	1,216	20	3,293	2,794	344
FY16	647	1,127	37	3,165	3,558	160

Average appeal pendency (months) by technology and fiscal year



Fiscal year	Reexamination
FY12	5.1
FY13	6
FY14	5.8
FY15	6.1
FY16	7.1

Appeal outcome by type and fiscal year



Fiscal year	Affirmed	Affirmed in Part	Reversed	Admin and Panel Remands	Dismissed
FY12	5,016 (49.4%)	1,458 (14.4%)	3,310 (32.6%)	155 (1.5%)	214 (2.1%)
FY13	6,552 (53.9%)	1,686 (13.9%)	3,573 (29.4%)	119 (1.0%)	234 (1.9%)
FY14	5,292 (53.8%)	1,262 (12.8%)	3,089 (31.4%)	50 (0.5%)	147 (1.5%)
FY15	7,145 (56.9%)	1,600 (12.7%)	3,637 (29.0%)	28 (0.2%)	146 (1.2%)
FY16	8,450 (57.5%)	1,888 (12.8%)	4,208 (28.6%)	48 (0.3%)	99 (0.7%)

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