

**UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**



CAWS Results

Office \ Technology	CIPO	EPO	JPO	KIPO	UK IPO	USPTO	
	<i>Novelty</i>	<i>Novelty</i>	<i>Novelty*</i>	<i>Novelty*</i>	<i>Novelty</i>	<i>Novelty</i>	<i>Inv. Step</i>
<i>Biotechnology and Chemistry</i>	0.86%	12.0%	2.00%	0.30%	4.50%	0.00%	5.00%
<i>Electrical</i>	0.00%	4.00%	5.00%	0.19%	5.00%	7.00%	9.00%
<i>Mechanical</i>	1.07%	12.0%	3.00%	0.20%	3.50%	2.00%	6.00%
<i>Average Percent</i>	0.064%	9.33%	3.33%	0.23%	4.33%	3.0%	6.66%

- Ranges across technologies:
 - Biotechnology and Chemistry: 0%-12% | Avg. 3.87%
 - Mechanical: 1.07%-12% | Avg. 4.31%
 - Electrical: 0%-7% | Avg. 4.20%