

### Statistics of Short-term Patents in Force by Year of Filing (as at 31/12/2023)

Year of Filing*	Short-term Patents in force
2023	338
2022	516
2021	475
2020	598
2019	430
2018	460
2017	357
2016	339
2015	0
2014	0
2013	0
2012	0
2011	0
2010	0
2009	0
2008	0
2007	0
2006	0
2005	0
2004	0
2003	0
2002	0
2001	0
2000	0
1999	0
1998	0
1997	0
1996	0
1995	0
1994	0
1993	0
1992	0
1991	0
1990	0
1989	0

Note:

\*Year of filing stands for year of filing an application for grant of a short-term patent.