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SURVEY OF PRACTICES IN INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY OFFICES REGARDING  
CODES USED FOR INTERNAL PURPOSES OR INDIVIDUAL USE (TASK No. 26)

*Document prepared by the Secretariat*

1. The Standards and Documentation Working Group (SDWG) of the Standing Committee on Information Technologies (SCIT), at its eighth session, held in March 2007, requested the International Bureau (IB) to undertake a survey of the practices in industrial property offices (IPOs) regarding codes used for internal purposes or individual use. The results of the survey would be published in the WIPO *Handbook on Industrial Property Information and Documentation*. (See paragraph 36 of document SCIT/SDWG/8/14.)
2. In accordance with the said decision by the SDWG, the IB issued Circular SCIT 2644, dated November 15, 2008, which invited IPOs to complete a questionnaire to provide information on the codes regarding patents, trademarks and industrial designs, which were normally used by them for internal purposes or individual use but whose existence could be of interest to the industrial property community. The circular, the questionnaire and the 27 responses received by the IB are available on WIPO's website at:  
<http://www.wipo.int/scit/en/mailbox/circ07.html>.

3. On the basis of the replies to the questionnaire by IPOs referred to in paragraph 2, above, the IB prepared a first draft of the survey, which was temporarily posted on the Internet along with Circular SCIT 2644 and the replies. The IB invited the IPOs that had responded to the questionnaire to review the information related to their specific Office that was contained in the said draft survey, and, whenever appropriate, to provide the IB with relevant information and comments to amend or revise the draft survey.

4. As a follow-up to the above, the IB has prepared a revised version of the Survey of Practices in Industrial Property Offices regarding Codes Used for Internal Purposes or Individual Use, which is reproduced as the Annex to this document for consideration by the SDWG.

5. *The SDWG is invited:*

*(a) to consider the information given in the Survey reproduced as the Annex to this document; and*

*(b) to decide whether the Survey should be published in the WIPO Handbook on Industrial Property Information and Documentation.*

[Annex follows]

## ANNEX

**SURVEY OF PRACTICES IN INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY OFFICES  
REGARDING CODES USED FOR INTERNAL PURPOSES OR INDIVIDUAL USE**

*Survey for presentation to the SCIT Standards and Documentation Working Group  
at its tenth session in November 2008*

## INTRODUCTION

1. The Standards and Documentation Working Group (SDWG), at its eighth session, held in March 2007, requested the International Bureau (IB) to undertake a survey on the codes regarding patents, trademarks and industrial designs, which are normally used by Industrial Property Offices (IPOs) for internal purposes or individual use. The intention of the survey was not to collect all of the codes that offices use, but only those codes that could be of interest to the users of industrial property information (see paragraph 36 of document [SCIT/SDWG/8/14](#)).

2. The use of codes is a convenient method of presenting and easily understanding an element of information in a precise, shortened and uniform way. The use of codes is also useful for distinguishing different elements of information, as well as for improving data processing and access to information. IPOs very often use codes to identify some elements of industrial property information in their official publications, documents, records, databases, etc. Users of industrial property information may sometimes encounter difficulties in identifying the meaning of the codes. In order to overcome most of these difficulties, WIPO has developed recommendations providing the definitions for a number of codes which are widely used in the field of industrial property information and documentation. There are, however, also codes regarding patents, trademarks and industrial designs that have been developed by IPOs for internal purposes or individual use.

3. WIPO Standard ST.9 provides the list and definitions of numerical codes allotted to bibliographic data relating to patents, the so-called "INID Codes" or "INID Numbers" ("INID" is an acronym for "Internationally agreed Numbers for the Identification of (bibliographic) Data"). WIPO Standards ST.60 and ST.80 cover the lists of INID codes developed for the identification of bibliographic data relating to trademarks and industrial designs, respectively. By these INID codes, it is possible to identify the various data usually printed on the first pages of industrial property documents and certificates, and published in official gazettes, without actual knowledge of the language used and the laws, conventions or treaties applied. WIPO Standard ST.3 recommends the use of the so-called "two-letter country or organization codes". WIPO Standard ST.16 recommends the letter codes and numerical codes that should be applied for the identification of the different kind of patent documents published by IPOs; moreover, Part 7.3 of the WIPO *Handbook on Industrial Property Information and Documentation* (WIPO Handbook) provides examples of different kinds of patent documents and their corresponding WIPO Standard ST.16 kind-of-document codes published by IPOs.

4. This survey was prepared on the basis of the replies by IPOs to a questionnaire that was distributed along with Circular SCIT 2644 in November 2007. The circular, the questionnaire and the responses received by the IB are available on WIPO's website at: <http://www.wipo.int/scit/en/mailbox/circ07.html>.

## SURVEY RESULTS

5. The following 27 Offices responded to the survey:

Armenia (AM),	Georgia (GE),	Serbia (RS),
Austria (AT),	Hungary (HU),	Slovakia (SK),
Belgium (BE),	Kazakhstan (KZ),	Thailand (TH),
Bulgaria (BG),	Monaco (MC),	United Republic of Tanzania (TZ),
Canada (CA),	Republic of Moldova (MD),	Ukraine (UA),
China (CN),	Mexico (MX),	United States of America (US),
Czech Republic (CZ),	Malaysia (MY),	World Intellectual Property
Germany (DE),	Netherlands (NL),	Organization (International Bureau
Estonia (EE),	Poland (PL),	of) (WO/IB).
European Patent Office (EP),	Russian Federation (RU),	

6. Of the 27 responding Offices, eight Offices (AM, BG, CN, KZ, MC, MY, NL and TH) reported that they do not have codes for internal purposes or individual use.

7. Eighteen Offices (AT, BE, CZ, DE, EE, EP, GE, HU, MD, MX, PL, RS, RU, SK, TZ, UA, US and WO/IB) provided information regarding patents; 16 Offices (AT, CA, CZ, DE, EE, GE, HU, MD, PL, RS, RU, SK, TZ, UA, US and WO/IB) regarding trademarks and 13 Offices (AT, CZ, DE, EE, GE, MD, MX, PL, RS, RU, SK, UA and WO/IB) regarding industrial designs.

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8. The survey presents the responses collated in three tables, for patents, trademarks and industrial designs respectively. In these tables, the "External exposure" column indicates whether the corresponding code has been exposed to the industrial property community in external publications and/or fora. If the answer to the "External exposure" question is "Yes", the "Publications/Fora" column states in which publications and/or fora the code has been exposed to the industrial property community.

9. Whenever it was possible to find the information provided by the IPOs in WIPO Standards ST.3, ST.9, ST.16, ST.60, ST.80 and Part 7.3 of the WIPO Handbook, this information was not included in the tables.

10. The RU Office reported the publication, along with the bibliographic data, of some specific entries which are presented using plain language, but no code is used for their representation. This information is also included in the survey.

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TABLE I – PATENTS

Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
AM	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by AM							
AT	A	AT Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Series code associated with AT patent applications	Yes	AT patent documents, priority documents, and related databases	In use at present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify an AT patent application
AT	GM	AT Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Series code associated with AT utility model applications	Yes	AT patent documents, priority documents, and related databases	In use at present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify an AT utility model application
AT	SZ	AT Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Series code associated with AT SPC (Supplementary Protection Certificate) applications	Yes	AT patent documents, priority documents, and related databases	In use at present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify an AT SPC application
AT	HL	AT Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Series code associated with AT topography of semiconductor applications	Yes	AT patent documents, priority documents	In use at present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify an AT topography of semiconductor
BE	C	BE Office	ST.13	Series code associated with SPC (application) numbers	Yes	Belgian Patents Register	1993 to present	
BG	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by BG							
CA	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by CA							
CN	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by CN							
CZ	PV	CZ Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Code associated with the invention application filing numbers (e.g., PV 2007-1) Code associated with the PCT invention applications in its national phase (e.g., PV 2007-2) Code indicating a kind of right (group) regarding patents	Yes	Priority documents, letters (the reference number), IPOs website	In use at present	

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
CZ	PUV	CZ Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Code associated with utility model application filing numbers (e.g., PUV 2007-18423) Code associated with the PCT utility model applications in its national phase (e.g., PUV 2007-18311) Code indicating a kind of right (group) regarding utility models	Yes	Priority documents, letters (the reference number), IPOs website	In use at present	
CZ	SPC	CZ Office	ST.13	Code indicating a kind of right (group) regarding SPC	Yes	IPOs website	In use at present	
CZ	EP	CZ Office	ST.13	Code indicating a kind of right (group) regarding patent granted in EPO	Yes	IPOs website	In use at present	
DE	10	DE Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	First two digits in application/publication numbers, associated with national patent applications	Yes	German patent documents and related databases	2004 to present	
DE	11	DE Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	First two digits in application/publication numbers, associated with PCT application in its national phase	Yes	German patent documents and related databases	2004 to present	
DE	20	DE Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	First two digits in application/publication numbers, associated with utility models	Yes	German documents relating to patents and utility models and related databases	2004 to present	
DE	21	DE Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	First two digits in application/publication numbers, indicating a utility model resulting from a PCT application in its national phase	Yes	German documents relating to patents and utility models and related databases	2004 to present	Designation "DE, Gebrauchsmuster" in a PCT application indicates that this application should result in a utility model (and not a patent) in its national phase
DE	50	DE Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	First two digits in application/publication numbers, indicating a European patent, which was originally filed in German	Yes	German documents relating to patents and utility models and related databases	2004 to present	

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
DE	60	DE Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	First two digits in application/publication numbers, indicating a European patent, which was originally filed in a language other than German	Yes	German documents relating to patents and utility models and related databases	2004 to present	
EE	PV	EE Office		Code is used in relation to the receipt of national patent applications after the receipt number	Yes	File inspection	1994 to present	XXXX/YY PV
EE	PC	EE Office		Code is used in relation to the receipt of international patent applications entering the national phase after the receipt number	Yes	File inspection	1994 to present	XXXX/YY PC
EE	P	EE Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Code followed by the national patent application number	Yes	EE patent documents, official gazette and related databases	1994 to present	
EE	E	EE Office	ST.16	Code followed by the registration number of the translation of the specification of the European patent	Yes	EE patent documents, official gazette and related databases	2002 to present	EXXXXXX
EP	XP	EPO	ST.3	NPL (non-patent literature) reference numbers in the search documentation of the European Patent Office (e.g., XP002421919)	Yes	- Esp@cenet - DOCDB - search report citations	1989 to present	Code XP was first used internally only
EP	K1,...,Kn	EPO	ST.16	Kind code for the publication of non-official translation of patent documents	Yes	- Esp@cenet - DOCDB - citations	2007 to present	1,..., n numbering relates to kind codes A, B, C, U, Y, S,... of original publications
EP	D, K, L, M, N	EPO	ST.13	Kind code for application numbers used for solving conflicting situations for countries with identical application numbers corresponding to different publications	Yes	- Esp@cenet - DOCDB		Used for following countries: MC, PH, RU, SU, US,...
EP	E	EPO	ST.13	Kind code for exhibition priority data	Yes	- Esp@cenet - DOCDB		

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
EP	T	EPO	ST.13	Kind code for the application of the official translation of the corresponding EP/WO patent publications in the national office language	Yes	- Esp@cenet - DOCDB		
GE	AP...	GE Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Application for inventions (e.g., AP 2006 009697)				
GE	AP...A	GE Office	ST.16, ST.6	Published applications for inventions (the first publication) (e.g., AP 2007 9697 A)				
GE	P...B	GE Office	ST.16, ST.6	Patents for inventions (the second publication) (e.g., P 2007 4233 B)				
GE	API...	GE Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Applications for the imported patents (e.g., API 2007 010078)				
GE	PI...B	GE Office	ST.16, ST.6	Imported patents (the second publication) (e.g., PI 2007 4228 B)				
GE	AU	GE Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Application for utility models (e.g., AU 2007 009935)				
GE	AU...U	GE Office	ST.16, ST.6	Published applications for the utility models (the first publication) (e.g., AU 2007 9935 U)				
GE	U...Y	GE Office	ST.16, ST.6	Patents for utility models (the second publication) (e.g., U 2007 1392 Y)				
HU	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by HU							
KZ	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by KZ							
MC	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by MC							



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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
MD	(10)*	MD Office		Title of protection of the former USSR (verbal designation of the document, number of the document, code of the country) (e.g., inventors' certificates, 1752091, SU)	Yes	The official bulletin of industrial property (www.db.agepi.md)	1992 to present	
MD	(30)*	MD Office		Priority data of the applications registered with the patent office of the former USSR (number of the document, application filing date, code of the country): (e.g., 4925543/13, 1991.04.04, SU)	Yes	The official bulletin of industrial property (www.db.agepi.md)	1992 to present	
MX	PA	MX Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Series code associated with patent and utility model application numbers of the Central Office	Yes	The industrial property gazette - patent applications; the industrial property gazette - inventions, utility models and industrial designs; Esp@cenet and BANAPA (Banco Nacional de Patentes)	2000-01-01 to 2006-12-31	
MX	NL	MX Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Series code associated with patent and utility model application numbers of the Northern Regional Office	Yes	The industrial property gazette - patent applications; the industrial property gazette - inventions, utility models and industrial designs; Esp@cenet and BANAPA	2000-01-01 to 2006-12-31	
MX	JL	MX Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Series code associated with patent and utility model application numbers of the Western Regional Office	Yes	The industrial property gazette - patent applications; the industrial property gazette - inventions, utility models and industrial designs; Esp@cenet and BANAPA	2000-01-01 to 2006-12-31	

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
MX	GT	MX Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Series code associated with patent and utility model application numbers of the León Regional Office	Yes	The industrial property gazette - patent applications; the industrial property gazette - inventions, utility models and industrial designs; Esp@cenet and BANAPA	2000-01-01 to 2006-12-31	
MX	YU	MX Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Series code associated with patent and utility model application numbers of the South-East Regional Office	Yes	The industrial property gazette - patent applications; the industrial property gazette - inventions, utility models and industrial designs; Esp@cenet and BANAPA	2000-01-01 to 2006-12-31	
MX	a	MX Office	ST.13	Series code associated with invention patent applications	Yes	The industrial property gazette - patent applications; the industrial property gazette - inventions, utility models and industrial designs; Esp@cenet and BANAPA	1975? to present	
MX	u	MX Office	ST.13	Series code associated with utility model applications	Yes	The industrial property gazette - patent applications; the industrial property gazette - inventions, utility models and industrial designs; Esp@cenet and BANAPA	1991 to present	
MX	c	MX Office	ST.13	Series code associated with applications for invention certificates	Yes	Esp@cenet	1980 to 1991	
MX	t	MX Office	ST.13	Series code associated with applications for circuit layouts	Yes	The industrial property gazette - patent applications; the industrial property gazette - inventions, utility models and industrial designs; Esp@cenet and BANAPA		
MY	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by MY							

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
NL	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by NL							
PL	IN	PL Office	ST.13	Code indicating a kind of right (English language interface) regarding patents	Yes	PPO's website - databases	1978 to present	INID codes recommended by WIPO Standards are also used in the database, e.g., A1 to indicate first level of publication (patent application); B1 for patents
PL	UM	PL Office	ST.13	Code indicating a kind of right (English language interface) regarding utility models	Yes	PPO's website - databases	1977 to present	INID codes recommended by WIPO Standards are also used in the database, e.g., U1 for the utility model application; Y1 for second level of publication
PL	WYN	PL Office	ST.13	Code indicating a kind of right (Polish language interface) regarding patents	Yes	PPO's website - databases	1978 to present	INID codes recommended by WIPO Standards are also used in the database, e.g., A1 to indicate first level of publication (patent application); B1 for patents
PL	UZY	PL Office	ST.13	Code indicating a kind of right (Polish language interface) regarding utility models	Yes	PPO's website - databases	1977 to present	INID codes recommended by WIPO Standards are also used in the database, e.g., U1 for the utility model application; Y1 for second level of publication
PL	PIE	PL Office		Information on priority data with regard to foreign publications (both EN and PL interfaces)	Yes	PPO's website - databases		ST.3 codes are also provided
PL	PL/EP	PL Office		Code associated with EP patents translated into Polish - translation of the whole patent specification	Yes	Paper documents and PDFs published in related databases	2005 to present	ST.16 - T3 codes are also provided on paper carriers and PDFs
RS	P	RS Office	ST.13	Patent applications	Yes	Intellectual Property Gazette	1921 to present	Number of patent application is P-2005003
RS	MP	RS Office	ST.13	Petty patent applications	Yes	Intellectual Property Gazette	1997 to present	Number of petty patent application is MP-20050010

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
RU		RU Office		Address(es) for correspondence with an applicant or his/her representative(s)	Yes	Official Bulletin "Inventions. Utility models"; bibliographic data and notifications in official publications (CD/DVD-ROM, DB RUPTO)	In use at present	This information is published without any code on the first page of patent documents (bibliographic data section)
RU		RU Office		Address(es) for correspondence with patent holder or his/her representative(s)	Yes	Official Bulletin "Inventions. Utility models"; bibliographic data and notifications in official publications (CD/DVD-ROM, DB RUPTO)	In use at present	This information is published without any code on the first page of patent documents (bibliographic data section)
RU		RU Office		Data related to the declaration on public offer to conclude a contract on alienation of the patent under Article 1366, Part IV, Civil Code of the Russian Federation (p.3 Article 13 Patent Law of the Russian Federation till January 1, 2008)	Yes	Official Bulletin "Inventions. Utility models"; bibliographic data and notifications in official publications (CD/DVD-ROM, DB RUPTO)	In use at present	This information is published without any code on the first page of patent documents (bibliographic data section)
RU		RU Office		Data related to the subject of published patent notification	Yes	Official Bulletin "Inventions. Utility models"; bibliographic data and notifications in official publications (CD/DVD-ROM, DB RUPTO)	In use at present	This information is published without any code in notifications on patents
SK	PP	SK Office	ST.10/C	Code associated with the patent application filing number (e.g., PP 1300-2006)	Yes	web register	2001-11-11 to present	Used also in notifications of the first filing and certificates of priority; may be cited on first pages of foreign patent documents as a part of priority data

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
SK	PV	SK, CS Offices	ST.10/C	Code associated with the invention application filing numbers (e.g., PV 1230-2000)	Yes	web register	1952(?) to 2001- 11-10	Used also in notifications of the first filing; may be cited on first pages of foreign patent documents as a part of priority data  CS ceased to exist on 1992-12-31
SK	PÚV	SK, CS Offices	ST.10/C	Code associated with the utility model application filing numbers (e.g., PÚV 69-2003)	Yes	web register	1992-10 to present	Used also in notifications of the first filing and certificates of priority; may be cited on first pages of foreign patent documents as a part of priority data (e.g., AU2005280780A1, CA2579229A1, WO2006028423A1, US2007210925A1, EP1797447A1  CS ceased to exist on 1992-12-31
SK	E	SK Office	ST.10/C	Code associated with the number of the translation of European patent specification allotted by the IPO SR (e.g., E 2174)	Yes	Official gazette announcements, web register	2002-07-01 to present	
TH	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by TH							
TZ	440321- 050821	TZ Office		Application fee				
TZ	440321- 050822	TZ Office		Registration fee				
TZ	440321- 051011	TZ Office		Annual maintenance fee				
UA	A1	UA Office		Identification of author's certificate in the USSR title of protection number format (e.g., A1 865169)	Yes	Patent documentation of Ukraine and relevant databases	1993 to present	Used for identification of the former USSR author's certificates re-registered to become patents of Ukraine

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
UA	A3	UA Office		Identification of the USSR patent in the USSR title of protection number format (e.g., A3 1572400)	Yes	Patent documentation of Ukraine and relevant databases	1993 to 1998-01	Used for identification of the former USSR patents re-registered to become patents of Ukraine
UA	A	UA Office		Identification of patents for inventions granted without substantive examination in the title of protection number format (e.g., 25821 A)	Yes	Patent documentation of Ukraine and relevant databases	1994 to 2000-01	Used for identification of patents for inventions granted without substantive examination
UA	A	UA Office		Identification of declarative patents for inventions in the title of protection number format (e.g., 28139 A)	Yes	Patent documentation of Ukraine and relevant databases	2000 to present	Used for identification of declarative patents for inventions
UA	a	UA Office	ST.13	Indication of industrial property right type / Used for identification of applications for inventions (e.g., a 200608695)	Yes	Patent documentation of Ukraine and relevant databases	2005 to present	Indicated in the application for invention number format
UA	u	UA Office	ST.13	Indication of industrial property right type / Used for identification of applications for utility models (e.g., u 200604004)	Yes	Patent documentation of Ukraine and relevant databases	2005 to present	Indicated in the application for utility model number format
US	01	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US utility and plant patent application numbers (e.g., 01-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1915-01-01 to 1934-12-31	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	02	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US utility and plant patent application numbers (e.g., 02-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1935-01-01 to 1947-12-31	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	03	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US utility and plant patent application numbers (e.g., 03-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1948-01-01 to 1959-12-31	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	04	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US utility and plant patent application numbers (e.g., 04-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1960-01-01 to 1969-12-31	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application

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US	05	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US utility and plant patent application numbers (e.g., 05-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1970-01-01 to 1978-12-31	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	06	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US utility and plant patent application numbers (e.g., 06-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1979-01-01 to 1986-12-31	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	07	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US utility and plant patent application numbers (e.g., 07-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1987-01-01 to 1992-12-31	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	08	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US utility and plant patent application numbers (e.g., 08-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1993-01-01 to 1997-12-29	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	09	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US utility and plant patent application numbers (e.g., 09-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1997-12-30 to 2001-12-04	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	10	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US utility and plant patent application numbers (e.g., 10-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	2001-12-05 to 2004-12	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	11	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US utility and plant patent application numbers (e.g., 11-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	2004-12 to present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	12	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US utility and plant patent application numbers (e.g., 12-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	2007-12 to present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	29	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US design patent application numbers (e.g., 29-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1992-10-01 to present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
US	60	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US provisional patent application numbers (e.g., 60-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1995-06-08 to present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	90	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US Ex Parte Reexamination patent application numbers (e.g., 90-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1981-07-01 to present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	95	US Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US Inter Partes Reexamination patent application numbers (e.g., 95-123456)	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	2001-02-01 to present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US patent application
US	AA	US Office	ST.3	Used as an ISO 3166-2 country subdivision code for US Armed Forces in Americas, excluding Canada	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1999-03-01 to present	ST.3 or ISO 3166-1 code is US
US	AE	US Office	ST.3	Used as an ISO 3166-2 country subdivision code for US Armed Forces in Europe, the Middle East, Africa and Canada	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1999-03-01 to present	ST.3 or ISO 3166-1 code is US
US	AP	US Office	ST.3	Used as an ISO 3166-2 country subdivision code for US Armed Forces in the Pacific	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1999-03-01 to present	ST.3 or ISO 3166-1 code is US
US	XP	US Office	ST.3	Used as WIPO Standard ST.3 or ISO 3166-1 country/organization code is not provided to USPTO	Yes	US patent documents and related databases	1999-03-01 to present	Used until correct WIPO Standard ST.3 or ISO 3166-1 code is provided by applicant or other source
US	ZZ	US Office	ST.3	Used as WIPO Standard ST.3 or ISO 3166-1 country/organization code for stateless individuals or entities	Yes	USPTO patent databases	1970-01-01 to present	
WO/IB	R1	WO/IB		Later publication of amendment under Article 19	Yes	PATENTSCOPE® search service	1997-02-13 to present	PCT System



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WO/IB	R2	WO/IB		Later publication of a supplementary International Search Report (ISR)	Yes	PATENTSCOPE® search service	1997-02-13 to present	PCT System
WO/IB	R3	WO/IB		Later publication of a revised ISR	Yes	PATENTSCOPE® search service	1997-02-13 to present	PCT System
WO/IB	R4	WO/IB		Later publication of an ISR	Yes	PATENTSCOPE® search service	1997-02-13 to present	PCT System
WO/IB	R5	WO/IB		Correction of bibliographic data	Yes	PATENTSCOPE® search service	1997-02-13 to present	PCT System
WO/IB	R6	WO/IB		Correction to pamphlet body (description, claims, drawings, etc.)	Yes	PATENTSCOPE® search service	1997-02-13 to present	PCT System
WO/IB	R7	WO/IB		Change in title and abstract and/or drawing on front page	Yes	PATENTSCOPE® search service	1997-02-13 to present	PCT System
WO/IB	R8	WO/IB		Later publication of declaration under Article 17.2(a)	Yes	PATENTSCOPE® search service	1997-02-13 to present	PCT System
WO/IB	R9	WO/IB		Later publication of a translated ISR	Yes	PATENTSCOPE® search service	1997-02-13 to present	PCT System

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AM	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by AM							
AT	AM	AT Office	ST.13	Series code associated with AT national trademark applications	Yes	AT trademark gazette, priority documents, and related databases	In use at present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify an AT trademark application
BG	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by BG							
CA	A1	CA Office	ST.3	Alberta	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	B1	CA Office	ST.3	British Columbia	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	M1	CA Office	ST.3	Manitoba	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	N1	CA Office	ST.3	Newfoundland	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	N2	CA Office	ST.3	Nova Scotia	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	N3	CA Office	ST.3	New Brunswick	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	N4	CA Office	ST.3	Northwest Territories	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
CA	N6	CA Office	ST.3	Nunavut	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	O1	CA Office	ST.3	Ontario	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	P1	CA Office	ST.3	Prince Edward Island	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	Q1	CA Office	ST.3	Quebec	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	S1	CA Office	ST.3	Saskatchewan	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	Y1	CA Office	ST.3	Yukon	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	AS	CA Office	ST.3	American Samoa	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	B3	CA Office	ST.3	Benelux Office for IP (Belgium)	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	FM	CA Office	ST.3	Micronesia (Federated States of)	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
CA	GP	CA Office	ST.3	Guadeloupe	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	MH	CA Office	ST.3	Marshal Islands	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	N5	CA Office	ST.3	Benelux Office for IP (Netherlands)	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	L3	CA Office	ST.3	Benelux Office for IP (Luxembourg)	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	WI	CA Office	ST.3	West Indies	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	XC	CA Office	ST.3	Channel Islands	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		
CA	ZZ	CA Office	ST.3	Unknown	Yes	CIPO trademark search database as well data provide to external search systems		Used until correct ST.3 code is provided by applicant or other source
CN	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by CN							
CZ	O	CZ Office	ST.13	Code associated with trademark application filing numbers, (e.g., O-44182)	Yes	Letters (the reference number), search reports	In use at present	
CZ	IPO-CZ	CZ Office		Code indicating a source - regarding IPO -CZ data (common search database)	Yes	IPO's website	In use at present	

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
CZ	OHIM	CZ Office		Code indicating a source - regarding OHIM data (common search database)	Yes	IPO's website	In use at present	
CZ	WIPO-CZ	CZ Office		Code indicating a source - regarding WIPO data designated in CZ (common search database)	Yes	IPO's website	In use at present	
CZ	WIPO-EU	CZ Office		Code indicating a source regarding WIPO data designated in EU	Yes	IPO's website	In use at present	
DE	3	DE Office	ST.13	First digit in application/publication numbers, indicating a trademark. This digit is followed by 7 digits and optionally a check digit which can be separated by '.'	Yes	German documents relating to trademarks and related databases	1994-11-1 to 2007-12-31	Example: 39500927 395009278 39500927.8
DE	30	DE Office	ST.13	First two digits in application/publication numbers, indicating a trademark. These two digits are followed by 11 digits, and optionally a check digit which can be separated by '.'	Yes	German documents relating to trademarks and related databases	2008-1-1 to present	Example: 302008123456 3020081234567 302008123456.7
DE	31	DE Office	ST.13	First two digits in application/publication numbers, indicating an indication of geographical origin	Yes	German documents relating to indications of geographical origin and related databases	2008-1-1 to present	
EE	M	EE Office	ST.13	Code followed by the national trademark application number	Yes	EE trademark documents, official gazette and related databases	2000 to present	MYYYYXXXXX
EE	R	EE Office		Code is used in relation to the receipt of the international trademark registrations under the Madrid Protocol	Yes	EE trademark documents, official gazette and related databases	1999 to present	RYYYYXXXXX
EE	E	EE Office		Code is used in relation to the receipt of the trademark applications for international registration under the Madrid Protocol	Yes	EE trademark documents and internal database	1999 to present	EYYYYXXXXX

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
GE	AM	GE Office		Application for trademarks (e.g., AM 042217)				
GE	AM...A	GE Office		Published applications for trademarks (e.g., AM 2007 42217 A)				
GE	M...R	GE Office		Number of the registrations (e.g., M 2007 017981 R)				
GE	M...RN	GE Office		Number of renewals in which N=1, 2, 3, etc. (e.g., M 1997 7822 R 1)				
GE	M...R (P)	GE Office		Number of the registration under partial assignment of rights				
HU	-	HU Office		Entry of the fact of seizure: Act XI of 1997 on the protection of trademarks and geographical indications, Article 47	Yes	Trademark register	2004 to present	
KZ	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by KZ							
MC	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by MC							
MD	(300)*	MD Office	ST.60	Priority data of the applications registered with the patent office of the former USSR (number of the document, application filing date, the code of the country, e.g.: 101932, 1985.06.21, SU)	Yes	The official bulletin of industrial property (www.db.agepi.md)	1992 to present	
MX	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by MX							
MY	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by MY							
NL	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by NL							
PL	TMN	PL Office		Code indicating a kind of right (English language interface) under national law	Yes	PL Office's website databases	Entire collection of national trademarks in force: 1918 to present	

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
PL	TMM	PL Office		Code indicating a kind of right (English language interface) under Madrid Agreement and Madrid Protocol	Yes	PL Office's website databases	Entire collection of international registrations designating Poland as contracting party	The Romarin codes and explanations in English derived from source records are used in the PL Office's database for purposes of dissemination of international registrations designating Poland as contracting party
PL	TOW	PL Office		Code indicating a kind of right (Polish language interface) under national law	Yes	PL Office's website databases	Entire collection of national trade marks in force: 1918 to present	
PL	MAD	PL Office		Code indicating a kind of right (Polish language interface) under Madrid Agreement and Madrid Protocol	Yes	PL Office's website databases	Entire collection of international registrations designating Poland as contracting party	The Romarin codes and explanations in English derived from source records are used in the PL Office's database for purposes of dissemination of international registrations designating Poland as contracting party
PL	PIE	PL Office		Information on priority data with regard to foreign applicants (both EN and PL interfaces)	Yes	PL Office's website databases		ST.3 codes are also provided
RS	Ž	RS Office		Application of trademarks	Yes	Intellectual Property Gazette	1921 to present	Number of application of trademarks is Ž-20050453
RU		RU Office		Priority date	Yes	Official Bulletin "Trademarks. Service Marks. Appellations of Origin"; bibliographic data and notifications in official publications (CD/DVD-ROM, DB RUPTO)	In use at present	This information is published without any code in bibliographic data section of trademark certificates

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
RU		RU Office		Details of the persons entitled to use the collective trademark	Yes	Official Bulletin "Trademarks. Service Marks. Appellations of Origin"; bibliographic data and notifications in official publications (CD/DVD-ROM, DB RUPTO)	In use at present	This information is published without any code in bibliographic data section of trademark certificates
RU		RU Office		Registration date and registration number of the alienation contract	Yes	Official Bulletin "Trademarks. Service Marks. Appellations of Origin"; bibliographic data and notifications in official publications (CD/DVD-ROM, DB RUPTO)	In use at present	This information is published without any code in bibliographic data section of trademark certificates
RU		RU Office		Word element(s) of either trademarks or service marks	Yes	Official Bulletin "Trademarks. Service Marks. Appellations of Origin"; bibliographic data and notifications in official publications (CD/DVD-ROM, DB RUPTO)	In use at present	Searching systems of official publications on CD/DVD ROM and RUPTO DB provide opportunity to search by a word element of mark
RU		RU Office		Data related to the subject of the published notification	Yes	Official Bulletin "Trademarks. Service Marks. Appellations of Origin"; bibliographic data and notifications in official publications (CD/DVD-ROM, DB RUPTO)	In use at present	This information is published without any code in notifications on trademark certificates
SK	POZ	SK, CS Office		Code associated with trademark application filing numbers (e.g., POZ 567-2003)	Yes	Web register	1952(?) to present	Used also in notifications of the first filing and certificates of priorit CS ceased to exist on 1992-12-31
TH	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by TH							



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TZ	440322-050821	TZ Office		Application fees				
TZ	440322-050822	TZ Office		Registrations fees				
TZ	440322-050823	TZ Office		Advertisement fees				
TZ	440322-050824	TZ Office		Renewal fees				
TZ	440322-050825	TZ Office		Amendments fees				
TZ	440322-050826	TZ Office		Association fees				
TZ	440322-050827	TZ Office		Disclaimer fees				
TZ	440322-050830	TZ Office		Certifying fees				
TZ	440322-050831	TZ Office		Search fee				
TZ	440322-050832	TZ Office		Opposition fees				
TZ	440322-051011	TZ Office		Annual maintenance fees				
TZ	440322-051017	TZ Office		Recordal (change of address)				
TZ	440322-051018	TZ Office		Recordal (change of name)				
TZ	440322-051019	TZ Office		Recordal (registered user)				
TZ	440322-051020	TZ Office		Recordal (assignment)				
TZ	440322-051021	TZ Office		Recordal (merger)				
TZ	440322-051018	TZ Office		Journal fees				

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
UA	B	UA Office		Indication of the application being divisional  Used in case of the previous application being divided (e.g., 2002031812B)	Yes	Patent documentation of Ukraine and relevant databases	2002 to present	Indicated in the application number format
UA	A	UA Office		Indication of the first divided mark registration  Used in case when partial transfer of proprietary rights for the mark took place (e.g., 17923A)	Yes	Patent documentation of Ukraine and relevant databases	2000 to present	The letter A indicated in the trademark certificate number format means the first registration, and every next letter of the Ukrainian alphabet (e.g., Б, В etc.) means the next divisional registration (e.g., 11884Б)
UA	m	UA Office	ST.13	Indication of the industrial property right type  Used for identification of applications for a mark for goods and services (e.g., m 200607806)	Yes	Patent documentation of Ukraine and relevant databases	2005 to present	Indicated in the application number format
US	70	US Office	ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US trademark application numbers (e.g., 70-123456)	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	1881 to 1905-03-31	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US trademark application
US	71	US Office	ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US trademark application numbers (e.g., 71-123456)	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	1905-04-01 to 1955-12-31	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US trademark application
US	72	US Office	ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US trademark application numbers (e.g., 72-123456)	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	1956-01-01 to 1973-08-31	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US trademark application
US	73	US Office	ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US trademark application numbers (e.g., 73-123456)	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	1973-09-01 to 1989-11-15	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US trademark application

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US	74	US Office	ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US trademark application numbers (e.g., 74-123456)	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	1989-11-16 to 1995-09-30	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US trademark application
US	75	US Office	ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US trademark application numbers (e.g., 75-123456)	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	1995-10-01 to approximately 2000-03-20	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US trademark application
US	76	US Office	ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US trademark application numbers for paper filings (e.g., 76-123456)	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	2000-03-20 to present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US trademark application
US	77	US Office	ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US trademark application numbers for Internet filings (e.g., 77-123456)	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	2006-09-14 to present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US trademark application
US	78	US Office	ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US trademark application numbers for Internet filings (e.g., 78-123456)	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	2000-03-20 to 2006-09-13	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US trademark application
US	79	US Office	ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US trademark application numbers for §66(a) filings (e.g., 79-123456)	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	2003-11-02 to present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US trademark application
US	80-81	US Office	ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US trademark pseudo application numbers (e.g., 80-123456)	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	1995-10-01 to approximately 2000-03-20	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US trademark application
US	89	US Office	ST.13	2-digit series code followed by a 6-digit serial number form US trademark application numbers (e.g., 89-123456); indicates a non-registration document	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	1995-10-01 to approximately 2000-03-20	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify a US trademark application

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US	AA	US Office	ST.3	Used as an ISO 3166-2 country subdivision code for US Armed Forces in Americas, excluding Canada	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	1999-03-01 to present	ST.3 or ISO 3166-1 code is US
US	AE	US Office	ST.3	Used as an ISO 3166-2 country subdivision code for US Armed Forces in Europe, the Middle East, Africa and Canada	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	1999-03-01 to present	ST.3 or ISO 3166-1 code is US
US	AP	US Office	ST.3	Used as an ISO 3166-2 country subdivision code for US Armed Forces in the Pacific	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	1999-03-01 to present	ST.3 or ISO 3166-1 code is US
US	XP	US Office	ST.3	Used as WIPO Standard ST.3 or ISO 3166-1 country/organization code is not provided to USPTO	Yes	US trademark documents and related databases	1999-03-01 to present	Used until correct WIPO Standard ST.3 or ISO 3166-1 code is provided by applicant or other source
US	ZZ	US Office	ST.3	Used as WIPO Standard ST.3 or ISO 3166-1 country/organization code for Stateless individuals or entities	Yes	USPTO trademark databases	1970-01-01 to present	
WO/IB	APNE	WO/IB		No request for review or appeal has been lodged	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	APNL	WO/IB		A request for review or an appeal has been lodged	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	APNW	WO/IB		Withdrawal of request for review or appeal	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	CBN1	WO/IB		Judicial actions or proceedings under Rule 22(1)(b)	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	CBNP	WO/IB		Cancellation effected for some of the goods and services at the request of an Office of origin in accordance with Article 6(4) of the Agreement or Article 6(4) of the Protocol	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System

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WO/IB	CBNT	WO/IB		Cancellation effected for all the goods and services at the request of an Office of origin in accordance with Article 6(4) of the Agreement or Article 6(4) of the Protocol	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	CEN	WO/IB		Continuation of effect	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	CPN	WO/IB		Partial assignment	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	DBN	WO/IB		Division/merger of basic registration	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	DIN	WO/IB		Disclaimer	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	EEN	WO/IB		Designated contracting party(ies) for which the second installment has been paid under Rule 40(3)	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	EN	WO/IB		Application (Common)	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	ENN	WO/IB		Registration	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	EXN	WO/IB		Subsequent designation	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	FBN	WO/IB		Replacement of national registration by an international registration	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	FI	WO/IB		Final Decision	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	FINC	WO/IB		Final decision confirming the refusal of protection	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	FINO	WO/IB		Other final decision	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	FINT	WO/IB		Statement indicating that protection of the mark is refused for all the goods and services requested	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	FINV	WO/IB		Statement indicating that the mark is protected for all the goods and services requested	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	FUN	WO/IB		Merger of international registrations	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	GPN	WO/IB		Grant of protection	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System

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WO/IB	GPON	WO/IB		Grant of protection subject to opposition	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	HRN	WO/IB		Restriction of the holder's right of disposal of the international registration	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	INNP	WO/IB		Partial invalidation	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	INNT	WO/IB		Total invalidation	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	LIN	WO/IB		Limitation	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	LLCN	WO/IB		Change in the name or address of the licensee	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	LNN	WO/IB		Declaration that a limitation has no effect	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	NLCN	WO/IB		New license	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	NTR	WO/IB		Cancellation after new tax	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	OBN	WO/IB		Conversion (opting back)	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	OPN	WO/IB		Opposition possible after the 18 months time limit	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	P2N	WO/IB		Cancellation effected with respect to a designated Contracting Party following the non payment of the second part of the individual fee under Rule 34(3)	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	PCN	WO/IB		Cancellation effected for some of the goods and services at the request of the holder under Rule 25	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	RAN	WO/IB		Cancellation effected for all the goods and services at the request of the holder under Rule 25	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	RCN	WO/IB		Complementary renewal	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	REN	WO/IB		Renewal	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	REN2	WO/IB		Designated contracting party(ies) which has not been the subject of a renewal under Rule 31(4)(a)	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
WO/IB	REN3	WO/IB		Designated contracting party(ies) which has not been the subject of a renewal under Rule 31(4)(b)	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	RFN	WO/IB		Refusal of protection	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	RFNP	WO/IB		Partial refusal of protection	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	RFNT	WO/IB		Total refusal of protection	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	RHR	WO/IB		Removal of a holder's right of disposal	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	RNN	WO/IB		Renunciation	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	RTN	WO/IB		Declaration that a change in ownership has no effect	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	SEN	WO/IB		Balances of fees	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System
WO/IB	SNN	WO/IB		Seniority	Yes	ROMARIN	2004 to present	Madrid System

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TABLE III – INDUSTRIAL DESIGNS

Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
AM	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by AM							
AT	MU	AT Office	ST.13	Series code associated with AT national design applications	Yes	AT Design Gazette, Priority Documents, and related databases	In use at present	Both series code and serial number are needed to uniquely identify an AT design application
BG	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by BG							
CA	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by CA							
CN	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by CN							
CZ	PVZ	CZ Office	ST.13	Code associated with industrial design application filing numbers (e.g., PVZ 2007-36956)	Yes	Priority documents	In use at present	
DE	M	DE Office	ST.13	First letter in application/publication numbers, indicating a design	Yes	German documents relating to designs and related databases	1988 to 1998-06-30	Example: M9701227.0
DE	4	DE Office	ST.13	First digit in application/publication numbers, indicating a design	Yes	German documents relating to designs and related databases	1998-07-01 to 2007-12-31	Example: 40305958.5
DE	40	DE Office	ST.13	First two digits in application/publication numbers, indicating a design	Yes	German documents relating to designs and related databases	2008-01-01 to present	
EE	D	EE Office	ST.13	Code followed by national industrial design application numbers	Yes	Industrial design documents, official gazette and related databases	1998 to present	DYYYYXXXXX
EE	H	EE Office		Code is used in relation to the receipt of the international design registrations under the Hague system	Yes	Industrial design documents, official gazette and internal database	2004 to present	HYYYYXXXXX
EE	DM	EE Office		Code followed by international design registration numbers under the Hague system	Yes	Industrial design documents, official gazette and internal database	2004 to present	DM/XXXXXX



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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
GE	33	GE Office	ST.80, ST.13	Code of the country or regional organization allotting the priority application number	Yes	GE patent documents and related databases	1992 to present	
GE	34	GE Office	ST.80, ST.13	Two-letter code identifying the authority with which the priority application was made	Yes	GE patent documents and related databases	2006-04 to present	
GE	AD	GE Office	ST.10/C, ST.13	Application for industrial designs (e.g., AD 2007 000448)				
GE	AD...S	GE Office	ST.6, ST.10/C, ST.13, ST.16	Published application for industrial designs (the first publication) (e.g., AD 2007 448 S)				
GE	D...S	GE Office	ST.6, ST.10/C, ST.13, ST.16	Patent for industrial designs (the second publication) (e.g., D 2007 3199 S)				
HU	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by HU							
KZ	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by KZ							
MC	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by MC							
MD	(30)*	MD Office		Priority data of the applications registered with the patent office of the former USSR (number of the document, application filing date, the code of the country (e.g., 60293, 1981.03.28, SU)	Yes	www.db.agepi.md, The official bulletin of industrial property	1992 to present	
MX	f	MX Office	ST.13	Series code associated with industrial design applications	Yes	Industrial property gazette - patent applications; industrial property gazette - inventions, utility models and industrial designs; and BANAPA (Banco Nacional de Patentes)	1976 to present	
MY	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by MY							
NL	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by NL							

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
PL	PRZ	PL Office		Code indicating a kind of right (Polish language interface) under national (NEW) law	Yes	PPO's website – databases	1994 to present	
PL	ZDB	PL Office		Code indicating a kind of right (Polish language interface) under national (OLD) law	Yes	PPO's website – databases	1983 to present	
PL	DESN	PL Office		Code indicating a kind of right (English language interface) under national (NEW) law	Yes	PPO's website – databases	1994 to present	
PL	DESO	PL Office		Code indicating a kind of right (English language interface) under national (OLD) law	Yes	PPO's website – databases	1983 to present	
PL	PIE	PL Office		Information on priority data with regard to foreign applicants (both EN and PL interfaces)	Yes	PPO's website – databases		ST.3 codes are also provided
RS	D	RS Office	ST.13	Application of industrial designs	Yes	Intellectual Property Gazette	2005 to present	Number of application of industrial designs is D-2/2005
RU		<sup>1</sup> RU Office		Address(es) for correspondence with patent holder or his/her representative(s)	Yes	Official Bulletin "Industrial Designs"; bibliographic data and notifications in official publications (CD/DVD-ROM, DB RUPTO)	In use at present	This information is published without any code on the first page of patent documents (bibliographic data section)
RU		RU Office		Data related to the subject of the published notification	Yes	Official Bulletin "Industrial Designs"; bibliographic data and notifications in official publications (CD/DVD-ROM, DB RUPTO)	In use at present	These data are published without any code in notifications on patents for industrial designs
SK	PD	SK Office		Code associated with industrial design application filing numbers (e.g., PD 5004-2007)	Yes	web register	2002-07 to present	Used also in notifications of the first filing and certificates of priority

<sup>1</sup> Rospatent grants patents for industrial designs and follows WIPO Standard ST.80 to identify the corresponding data; certain codes provided by WIPO Standard ST.9 are also used, e.g., (13) for the kind-of-document code.

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
SK	PVZ	SK, CS Offices		Code associated with industrial design application filing numbers (e.g., PVZ 1234-1996)	no		1972 to 2002	Used also in notifications of the first filing CS ceased to exist on 1992-12-31
TH	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by TH							
TZ	No codes (for internal purposes or individual use) provided by TH							
UA	A1	UA Office		Identification of author's certificate in the USSR title of protection number format (e.g., A1 17854)	Yes	Patent documentation of Ukraine and relevant databases	1993 to 1997-01	It was used for identification of the former USSR author's certificates re-registered to become patents of Ukraine
UA	A3	UA Office		Identification of the USSR patent in the USSR title of protection number format (e.g., A3 33797)	Yes	Patent documentation of Ukraine and relevant databases	1993 to 1996-01	It was used for identification of the former USSR patents re-registered to become patents of Ukraine
UA	s	UA Office	ST.13	Designation of the industrial property right type / Used for identification of applications for industrial designs (e.g., s 200600500)	Yes	Patent documentation of Ukraine and relevant databases	2005 to present	Indicated in application for industrial design number format
WO/IB	DCR	WO/IB		Creator registration	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DEN	WO/IB		Industrial design application	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DFU	WO/IB		Industrial design fusion	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DGP	WO/IB		Grant of protection	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DIN	WO/IB		Invalidation	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DIV	WO/IB		Division	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DLI	WO/IB		Limitation	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DMA	WO/IB		Appointment of representative	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System.

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
WO/IB	DMB	WO/IB		Representative renunciation	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DMC	WO/IB		Representative name change	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DMT	WO/IB		Holder name change	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DOD	WO/IB		Opening of sealed deposit	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DPR	WO/IB		Prolongation (renewal)	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DRC	WO/IB		Complementary renewal	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DRE	WO/IB		Renewal	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DRF	WO/IB		Refusal	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DRI	WO/IB		Corrections	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DRL	WO/IB		Refusal of protection	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DRN	WO/IB		Renunciation of deposit	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DRP	WO/IB		Partial withdrawal	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DRT	WO/IB		Industrial design total withdrawal	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DTP	WO/IB		Termination of protection	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DTR	WO/IB		Change in ownership	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	DWR	WO/IB		Withdrawal of refusal	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System

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Country/ Organization	Code	Source	Related WIPO Standard	Meaning/Use	External exposure	Publications/ Fora	Date range (yyyy-mm-dd)	Comments
WO/IB	D34	WO/IB		1934 deposit	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to present	Hague System
WO/IB	D60	WO/IB		1960 deposit	Yes	International Designs Bulletin	2004-04 to 2005	Hague System, replaced by Industrial design application

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