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ANALYSIS OF APPLICATION NUMBER FORMATS BASED ON APPENDIX TO WIPO STANDARD ST.10/C

Country or Organization	Example of Application Number	Elements of Application Number					Period
		Type	Year	Serial Number	Others	Notes	
ARMENIA	P20020142	P	2002	0142			
ARMENIA	U20020140	U	2002	0140			
ARGENTINA	231790			231790			-1995/10/31
ARGENTINA	P950103456	P	95	03456	01*	*Receiving office code	1995/11/1-
ARGENTINA	M950103456	M	95	03456	01*	*Receiving office code	1995/11/1-
AUSTRIA	A 1234/95	A	95	1234			-1999/12
AUSTRIA	GM 123/95	GM	95	1234			-1999/12
AUSTRIA	A 733/2003	A	2003	733			2000/1/1-
AUSTRIA	GM158/2003	GM	2003	158			2000/1/1-
AUSTRALIA	59195/69						-2002/7/4
AUSTRALIA	PA0001					*Provisional applications	-2002/7/4
AUSTRALIA	2002901123	9*	2002	01123		*9: Provisional patent application	2002/7/5-
AUSTRALIA	2002200345	2*	2002	00345		*2-7: Standard patent application	2002/7/5-
AUSTRALIA	2001100123	1*	2001	00123		*1: Innovative patent application	2002/7/5-
AZERBAIJAN	92/123456		92	123456			1992-1999
AZERBAIJAN	a 2002 0001	a	2002	0001			2000/1/1-
AZERBAIJAN	u 2002 0001	u	2002	0001			2000/1/1-
BELGIUM	96469			96469			-1986
BELGIUM	9200547		92	00547			1987/1/1-1999/12/31
BELGIUM	2000/0624		2002	0624			2000/1/10-
BULGARIA	100116			100116		Common continuous numbering system for applications for patents for inventions and for utility models (as of June 1, 1993).	
BULGARIA	183			183		Common continuous numbering system for applications for plant varieties and animal breeds (as of January 4, 1997).	
BRAZIL	222986			222986			-1972
BRAZIL	10432/72		72	10432			1972-1975
BRAZIL	PI 8300014-3	PI	83	00014	3*	*Error control digit	
BRAZIL	MU 6100132-2	MU	61*	00132	2**	*The first digit denotes the number of the decade minus a control digit which is different for various kinds of documents, e.g., for PI-0, MU-2. **Error control digit	
BELARUS	961234		96	1234			-1997
BELARUS	a 20031234	a	2003	1234			
BELARUS	u 20031234	u	2004	1234			
SWITZERLAND	01234/96-2		96	01234	2*	*Check digit	
CANADA	103828						-1989/9/30
CANADA	2103828			2103828		The starting number of the current numbering system is 2000001.	1989/10/1-
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	PV 3628-72	PV	72	3628			
COLOMBIA	126050			126050			
CUBA	33384			33384			-1984
CUBA	1/85		85	1			1985-
GERMANY (former DD Office)	AP 84 C/137 355	AP		137 355	84 C*	*Classification symbols	
GERMANY (former DD Office)	WP 35 B/147 203	WP		147 203	35 B*	*Classification symbols	
GERMANY (former DD Office)	AP C 07 C/166 692	AP		166 692	C 07 C*	*Classification symbols	
GERMANY (former DD Office)	WP H 04 C/174 347	WP		174 347	H 04 C*	*Classification symbols	

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GERMANY (former DD Office)	AP C07D / 2273 773	AP		273 773	C07D* 2**	*Classification symbols **Check number for electronic data processing	
GERMANY (former DD Office)	WP E21C/ 2269 623	WP		269 623	E21C* 2**	*Classification symbols **Check number for electronic data processing	
GERMANY	195 00 002.1	1	95	00 002	1*	*Check digit	
GERMANY	295 00 001.5	2	95	00 001	5*	*Check digit	
GERMANY	589 00 001.2	5	89	00 001	2*	*Check digit	
GERMANY	689 00 001.4	6	89	00 001	4*	*Check digit	
GERMANY	10 2004 000 001.7	10	2004	000 001	7*	*Check digit	
GERMANY	20 2004 000 001.3	20	2004	000 001	3*	*Check digit	
GERMANY	50 2004 000 001.4	50	2004	000 001	4*	*Check digit	
GERMANY	60 2004 000 001.9	60	2004	000 001	9*	*Check digit	
DENMARK	2986/68		68	2986			-1997
DENMARK	9500242		95	00242			-1997
DENMARK	PA 1998 01234	PA	1998	01234			
DENMARK	BA 1998 00123	BA	1998	00123			
ECUADOR	SP 94-1046	SP	94	1046			
ECUADOR	SMU.94-033	SMU	94	033			
ESTONIA	P 200300001	P	2003	0001			
ESTONIA	U 200300001	U	2003	0001			
EGYPT	541/88		88	541			
EGYPT	1996010001		1996	0001	01*	*Month of filing of the application	
EPO	79100953.3		79	0953	10* 3**	*Place of filing **Check digit	
SPAIN	406952			406952			-1986
SPAIN	185284			185284			-1986
SPAIN	P 8802029 (0)	P	88	02029	(0)*	*The digit in parentheses is used for computer control	1986-1999
SPAIN	U 8900627 (5)	U	89	00627	(5)*	*The digit in parentheses is used for computer control	1986-1999
SPAIN	P 200100123 (1)	P	2001	00123	(1)*	*The digit in parentheses is used for computer control	
SPAIN	U 200100123 (1)	U	2001	00123	(1)*	*The digit in parentheses is used for computer control	
SPAIN	P 200150001 (7)	P	2001	0001	(7)* 5**	*The digit in parentheses is used for computer control **National phase of a PCT international application	
SPAIN	U 200150001 (7)	U	2001	0001	(7)* 5**	*The digit in parentheses is used for computer control **National phase of a PCT international application	
FINLAND	3032/73		73	3032			
FINLAND	834567		83	4567			1975-1999
FINLAND	20031234		2003	1234			1999-
FINLAND	U951234	U	95	1234			
FINLAND	U20031234	U	2003	1234			1999-
FRANCE	73.19342		73	19342			
FRANCE	96 11800		96	11800			
UNITED KINGDOM	41352/70		70	41352			
UNITED KINGDOM	8015674		80	15674			
GEORGIA	000288			000288			
GEORGIA	000185			000185			
GREECE	44114			44114			-1984
GREECE	960100177	01	96	00177			
GREECE	960200188	02	96	00188			

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CROATIA	P 930084	A	93	0084	A*	*The letter A stands for indication of the application.	
CROATIA	P 20000084	A	2000	0084	A*	*The letter A stands for indication of the application.	
HUNGARY	OE 107			107	OE*	*First letter and first following vowel of the applicant's name	
HUNGARY	39 55/81		81	39 55			1980-1992
HUNGARY	P 9300684	P	93	00684			
HUNGARY	U 9300266	U	93	00266			
INDONESIA	P00200300001	P	2003	00001	00*	*Code of the branch office	
INDONESIA	S00200300001	S	2003	00001	00*	*Code of the branch office	
INDONESIA	W00200300001	W	2003	00001	00*	*Code of the branch office	
IRELAND	1152/69		69	1152			-1991
IRELAND	920002		92	0002			1992-1999
IRELAND	S922656	S	92	2656			1992-1999
IRELAND	2000/0123		2000	0123			
IRELAND	S2001/0311	S	2001	0311			
INDIA	643/58		58	643			
ISRAEL	53125			53125			
ITALY	19001 A/73	A	73	19001			
ITALY	20401 B/73	B	73	20401			
ITALY	MI91A000231	A	91	000231	MI*	*Two-letter code of the Provincial Office (e.g., MI stands for Milan)	
ITALY	MI94U000225	U	94	000225	MI*		
JAPAN	特願昭46-69807	特願	昭46	69807			-1989
JAPAN	特願平3-180893	特願	平3	180893			1989-1999
JAPAN	実願平5-55143	実願	平5	55143			1989-1999
JAPAN	特願2000-312828 (P2000-312828)	特願(P)	2000	312828			2000-
JAPAN	実願2001-8488 (U2001-8488)	実願(U)	2001	8488			2000-
KENYA	KE/P/92/00065	P	92	00065	KE*	*Country code	
KENYA	KE/UM/93/00001	UM	93	00001	KE*	*Country code	
KYRGYZSTAN	950012.1	1	95	0012			-1999
KYRGYZSTAN	950009.2	2	95	0009			-1999
KYRGYZSTAN	20030016.1	1	2003	0016			2000-
KYRGYZSTAN	20030003.2	2	2003	0003			2000-
DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA	03-1234		03	1234			-2003
DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA	1-04-012345	1	04	012345			2004-
DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA	2-04-012345	2	04	012345			2004-
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	특허95-012345 (특1995-012345)	특허	95	012345			-1998
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	특허95-701234 (특1995-701234)	특허	95	01234	7*	*The numeral 7 following the dash indicates a PCT application.	-1998
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	실용95-012345 (실1995-012345)	실용	95	012345			-1998
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	실용95-701234 (실1995-701234)	실용	95	01234	7*	*The numeral 7 following the dash indicates a PCT application.	-1998
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	10-2002-0123456	10	2002	0123456			1999-
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	10-2002-7012345	10	2002	012345	7*	*The numeral 7 following the dash indicates a PCT application.	1999-
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	20-2002-0123456	20	2002	0123456			1999-
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	20-2002-7012345	20	2002	012345	7*	*The numeral 7 following the dash indicates a PCT application.	1999-

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KAZAKHSTAN	951117.1	1	95	1117			
KAZAKHSTAN	95025.2	2	95	025			
KAZAKHSTAN	2002/016.2	2	2002	016			
LESOTHO	LS/P/03/00001	P	03	00001	LS*	*Country code	
LESOTHO	LS/UM/02/00001	UM	02	00001	LS*	*Country code	
LITHUANIA	IP 2029	IP		2029			1992-1995
LITHUANIA	RP 346	RP		346			1992-1995
LITHUANIA	95-014		95	014			1995-1999
LITHUANIA	2000 061		2000	061			2000-
LUXEMBOURG	60093						
MONACO	PV 908	PV		908			
REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA	94-0287		94	0278			-1999
REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA	187					Utility model application	-1999
REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA	a 2001 0147	a	2001	0147			2000-
REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA	u 20010058	u	2001	0058			2000-
MADAGASCAR	94001		94	001			1994-1999
MADAGASCAR	2000/001		2000	001			2000-
THE FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA	П 104/93	П	93	104			
MONGOLIA	955			955			
MALTA	1901			1901			
MEXICO	GT/a/2003/000001	a	2003	000001	GT*	*Regional Office	
MEXICO	GT/u/2003/123456	u	2003	123456	GT*	*Regional Office	
NETHERLANDS	7015038		70	15038			
NETHERLANDS	1000123			1000123		Continuous series beginning with 1000001	
NORWAY	1748/70		70	1748			
NORWAY	740001		74	0001			1974-
NEW ZEALAND	201732			201732			
OAPI	52118			52118		Number assigned to the application filed according to direct filing procedure.	
OAPI	051/SN			051	SN*	Number assigned to the application filed according to indirect filing procedure. *The two last letters denote the ST.3 code of the country of origin.	
PHILIPPINES	40155			40155			-1998
PHILIPPINES	UM-672	UM		672			-1998
PHILIPPINES	D-632 or D-00632	D		632 or 00632			-1998
PHILIPPINES	1-1998-00001	1*	1998	00001		*1: Patent (invention)	1998-
PHILIPPINES	1-1999-500001	1*	1998	00001	5**	*1: Patent (invention) **PCT	1998-
PHILIPPINES	2-1998-00001	2*	1998	00001		*2: Utility model	1998-
PHILIPPINES	2-1999-500001	2*	1998	00001	5**	*2: Utility model **PCT	1998-
PHILIPPINES	3-1998-00001	3*	1998	00001		*3: Industrial design	1998-
PAKISTAN	10131/65		65	10131			
POLAND	P 214461	P		214461			
POLAND	W 36746	W		36746			
PORTUGAL	52555			52555			
PORTUGAL	5607			5607			
ROMANIA	145006			145006			-1992
ROMANIA	92-0884		92	0884			1992-

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		Type	Year	Serial Number	Others		
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	92005240		92	005240			1992-1995
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	95103445	1*	95	03445		*The third digit indicates the type of industrial property right: 1-4 = invention and utility model.	1995-1999
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	2001111546	1*	2001	11546		*The fifth digit indicates the type of industrial property right: 1-4 = invention and utility model.	2000-
SWEDEN	16414/70		70	16414			-1972
SWEDEN	7300001-0		73	00001	0*	*The digit after the dash is used for computer control.	1973-
SLOVENIA	9300393	0*	93	0393		*The third digit indicates the type of industrial property right and place of filing: 0-4 = patents and short-term patents.	
SLOVENIA	200100001	0*	2001	0001		The fifth digit indicates the type of industrial property right and place of filing: 0-4 = patents and short-term patents, 5-6 = industrial designs, 7-8 = trademarks.	
SLOVAKIA	PV 1234-95	PV	95	1234			-1999
SLOVAKIA	PV 1234-2000	PV	2000	1234			2000/1/1-2001/11/10
SLOVAKIA	PP 1234-2003	PP	2003	1234			2001/11/11-
SLOVAKIA	PÚV 123-95	PÚV	95	123			-1999
SLOVAKIA	PÚV 123-2000	PÚV	2000	123			2000-
SOVIET UNION (former)	1397205/30-15			1397205	30-15*	*The numbers following the slash denote the examination division and a processing number.	-1992
TAJKISTAN	96000375		96	000375			1993-
TAJKISTAN	9600001		96	00001			1993-
TURKMENISTAN	956			956			-1996
TURKMENISTAN	07/100895N	1*	07	00895	N**	*The numeral after the slash denotes the type of industrial property right (1 = patent for invention). **The letter N is used to denote applications filed by non-residents.	1997-
TURKEY	a 97/00012	a	97	00012			-1997
TURKEY	u 97/00013	u	97	00013			-1997
TURKEY	a 2003/00012	a	2003	00012			1998-
TURKEY	u 2003/00013	u	2003	00013			1998-
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	42			42			-1904
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	164 of 1971		1971	164			-1995
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	960010		96	0010			1996-
UKRAINE	94051272		94	1272	05*	*Month	1992-1999
UKRAINE	2000020923		2000	0923	02*	*Month	2000-
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	09/123,456			123,456	09*	*Series Code	
UZBEKISTAN	IHAP9200019.1	IHAP*	92	00019	1**	*The first two letters indicate the type of industrial property right followed by two letters denoting the type of protection document	
UZBEKISTAN	IHDP9200014.1	IHDP*	92	00014	1**	(IH = patent for invention, FM = utility model, AP = patent, DP = preliminary patent, GU = utility model certificate).	
UZBEKISTAN	FMGU9500009.1	FNGU	95	00009	1**	**The digit after the full stop indicates the examination division.	
VENEZUELA	12122-68		68	12122			

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WIPO	PCT/DE79/00016		79	00016	PCT/DE*	*Indication of PCT international application and country code.	-2003/12/31
WIPO	PCT/IB94/00041		94	00041	PCT/IB*	*Indication of PCT international application and International Bureau as a receiving office.	-2003/12/31
WIPO	PCT/CA2004/123456		2004	123456	PCT/CA*	*Indication of PCT international application and country code.	2004-
SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO	P1135/66	P	66	1135			
SOUTH AFRICA	70/4865		70	4865			
ZAMBIA	142/70		70	142			
ZIMBABWE	10/84		84	10			

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