

# Case load of the Court since start of operation in June 2023 update end September 2024

#### I. Court of First Instance

Since the Court's start of operations on 1 June 2023, the Court of First Instance has received a **total number of 503 cases.** 

- a. Infringement actions and counterclaims
- 192 infringement actions are filed as follows:
  - o 70 infringement actions have been filed in Munich local division, 42 in Düsseldorf, 25 in Mannheim, 14 in Hamburg and 11 in Paris local division. The Hague has received 10 infringement actions, Milan local division: 7, the Nordic Baltic regional division: 6. Brussels has received 2 infringement actions, whereas Helsinki, Copenhagen, Vienna and Paris central division have received 1 infringement action each.
- 212 counterclaims for revocation have been filed with the Court's local and regional divisions.
   This figure however gives an inflated impression unless it is noted that that each defendant in an infringement case needed, up to a few months ago, to file an individual claim for revocation. The 204 counterclaims for revocation come from 103 individual infringement actions (see graph below).

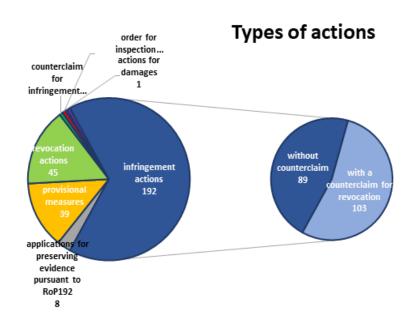
#### b. Provisional measures

The Court of First Instance has received **49 applications** for provisional measures, preserving evidence and orders for inspection.

#### c. Revocation actions

There is a total of **45 stand-alone revocation** actions filed to date with the Court. Paris central division has received **37 revocation** actions, **5 revocation** actions have been filed with Munich central division and **3** with Milan central division.





A further **detailed breakdown of the total caseload** of the Court of First Instance is shown in the table below.

	Infringement	Counterclaim for revocation	Revocation	Counterclaim for infringement	Appl for provisional measures	Appl. for preserving evidence	Appl. for Order for inspection	Request for damages	Declaration of non-infringement
Paris CD	1	4	37	2					1
Paris LD	11	17				1			
Munich CD		1	5						
Munich LD	70	94			16	1			1
Milan CD	1		3		1				
Milan LD	7	2			1	3	1		
Düsseldorf	42	27			9		1		
Mannheim	25	36			1				
Hamburg	14	15			5			1*	
Nordic-Baltic RD	6	12				1			
The Hague	10	4			3				
Brussels	2					1			
Helsinki	1								
Copenhagen	1				1	1			
Lisbon					1				
Ljubljana									
Vienna	1				1			_	
Total	192	212	45	2	39	8	2	1	2

\*) Filed on paper, not in the CMS



## **Court of Appeal**

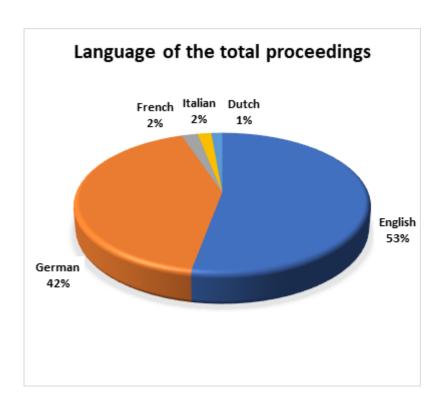
To date, the Court of Appeal has received **14 appeals under RoP220.1** (*litera* a or b); **28 appeals under RoP220.1** *litera* c and **54 appeals under RoP220.2**.

The Court of Appeal has also received **10 requests** for discretionary review, **9 applications** for suspensive effect and **24 applications** for an order for expedition of an appeal.

One application for rehearing under RoP245 has also been filed.

## II. Language of proceedings (CFI only - all proceeding types)

It can be noted that **English** becomes the predominant language of proceedings with **53 percent**. As to **German**, it currently makes up **42 percent** of language of proceedings at the CFI. A further breakdown of language of proceedings can be seen below:





# III. IPC classes of the patents in suit (for CFI only)

