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PATENT SERVICES*

	Official Fee (Yen)	Attorney Fee (Yen)
Filing Application		
Basic fee for Filing a Patent Application	14,000	160,000
Each extra claim		8,000
Preparing Abstract		4,000
Preparing Documents (per page)		5,000
Drawing (per drawing)		5,000
Foreign Language File Application	22,000	120,000
PCT-Japan National Phase Application	14,000	120,000
Japanese Translation from English (per 100 words)		3,000
Claiming Convention Priority		13,000
 Examination		
Filing Request for Substantive Examination	118,000	160,000
Each extra claim	4,000	
- where the search report has been established by a designated searching organization	94,000	12,000
Additional fee per claim exceeding two claims	3,200	
- where the international search report has been established by the JPO (under the PCT)	71,000	12,000
Additional fee per claim exceeding two claims	2,400	
- where the international search report has been established by an International Searching Authority other than the JPO (under the PCT)	106,000	12,000
Reporting an Office Action		13,000
Requesting each month extension	2,300	10,000
Preparing and Filing a Response to Office Action**		120,000
Conducting Personal Interview with Patent Examiner		50,000 - 100,000
 Opposition and Appeal		
Preparing and Filing an Opposition	16,500	200,000
Each extra claim	2,400	
Preparing and Filing an Appeal to the Appeal Board	49,500	200,000
Additional fee per claim exceeding two claims	5,500	
Preparing and Filing an Appeal to the IP High Board against a Decision of the Appeal Board**	30,000	300,000

* Additional services are billed at hourly rates of about 25,000-30,000 yen/hour.

** In the event that we may exceed this cost estimate, we will contact you in advance for your organization.

Forwarding Payment of Issuance Fee

Notification and payment of 1 st , 2 nd & 3 rd Maintenance Fees	2,100 per yr	25,000
Each extra claim	200 per yr	

Annuities

Notification and payment of 4 th , 5 th & 6 th Maintenance Fees	6,400 per yr	25,000
Each extra claim	500 per yr	
Notification and payment of 7 th , 8 th & 9 th Maintenance Fees	19,300 per yr	25,000
Each extra claim	1,500 per yr	
Notification and payment of 10 th to 20 th Maintenance Fees	55,400 per yr	25,000
Each extra claim	4,300 per yr	

UTILITY MODEL REGISTRATION SERVICES*

	Official Fee (Yen)	Attorney Fee (Yen)
Filing Application		
Basic fee for Filing Utility Model Application	14,000	150,000
Each extra claim		7,000
Preparing Abstract		4,000
Preparing Documents (per page)		5,000
Drawing (per drawing)		5,000
Foreign Language File Application	14,000	120,000
PCT-Japan National Phase Application	14,000	120,000
Japanese Translation from English (per 100 words)		3,000
Claiming Convention Priority		13,000
Payment of 1 st , 2 nd & 3 rd Maintenance Fees	2,300 per yr	No charge
Each extra claim	200 per yr	

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Basic requirements and formality

Reporting an Office Action		10,000
Preparing and Filing a Response to Office Action**		70,000

Utility Model Technical Opinion

Filing a petition requesting Utility Model Technical Opinion	42,000	1,300
Each extra claim	1,000	
Reporting Utility Model Technical Opinion		60,000

Annuities

Notification and payment of 4 th , 5 th & 6 th Maintenance Fees	6,100 per yr	25,000
Each extra claim	300 per yr	
Notification and payment of 7 th , 8 th , 9 th & 10 th Maintenance Fees	18,100 per yr	25,000
Each extra claim	900 per yr	

DESIGN SERVICES*

	Official Fee (Yen)	Attorney Fee (Yen)
Filing Application		
Basic fee for Filing Design Application	16,000	100,000
Drawing (per drawing)		6,000
Claiming Convention Priority		13,000
Examination		
Reporting an Office Action		13,000
Docketing and reporting each month extension	2,300	10,000
Preparing and Filing a response to Office Action**		1000,000
Appeal		
Preparing and Filing an Appeal to the Appeal Board	55,000	200,000
Preparing and Filing an Appeal to the IP High Board**	30,000	300,000

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Forwarding Payment of Issuance Fee		
Notification and payment of 1 st , 2 nd & 3 rd Maintenance Fees	8,500 per yr	25,000

Annuities

Notification and payment of 4 th - 20 th Maintenance Fees	16,900 per yr	25,000
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TRADE MARK SERVICES*

	Official Fee (Yen)	Attorney Fee (Yen)
Filing Application		
Preparing and Filing an Application for Trade Mark Registration in one class	12,000	50,000
Each extra class	8,600	10,000
Claiming Convention Priority		13,000
Examination		
Reporting an Office Action		No charge
Preparing and Filing a Response to Office Action**		
- Preparing and filing Amendment		10,000
- Preparing and filing Argument		30,000
Appeal		
Preparing and Filing an Appeal to the Appeal Board	55,000	200,000
Each extra class	40,000	
Preparing and Filing an Appeal to the IP High Board against a Decision of the Appeal Board**	30,000	300,000
Forwarding Payment of Issuance Fee		
Notification and payment of Registration Fee for 10 years	28,200	20,000
Each extra class	28,200	

* Additional services are billed at hourly rates of about 25,000-30,000 yen/hour.

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Renewal

Filing an Application for Renewal in one class	38,800	25,000
Each extra class	38,800	

Opposition and Cancellation

Preparing and Filing an Opposition	55,000	100,000
Each extra class	40,000	10,000
Response to Opposition or Cancellation Action		100,000
Each extra class		10,000
Reporting, with comments, a decision of the Appeal Board		10,000

Search

Conducting and Reporting an Ordinary Search in one class (7 working days)		50,000
Each extra class		20,000
Conducting and Reporting an Urgent Search in one class		75,000
Each extra class		30,000
Conducting an Unofficial Preliminary Search***		No charge

*** The search will be conducted using a Japan Platform for Patent Information (J-PlatPat) service on the website, a free service provided by the National Center for Industrial Property Information and Training (INPIT). This data base does not contain trademarks which were rejected by the Examiner and finally not recorded in the Registry, but it has been proved useful through our long-term practice.