



## TOP 200 CORPORATIONS RECEIVING U.S. PATENTS IN 1994

Rank	Company	No.	Rank	Company	No.
1.	IBM Corp.	1298	51.	Merck & Co., Inc.	163
2.	Canon K.K.	1096	52.	Halliburton Co.	162
3.	Hitachi, Ltd.	976	53.	Nippondenso Co., Ltd.	161
4.	Mitsubishi Denki K.K.	972	54.	University of California	161
5.	General Electric Co.	970	55.	Minolta Camera Co., Ltd.	160
6.	Toshiba Corp.	968	56.	Fuji Xerox Co., Ltd.	159
7.	NEC Corp.	897	57.	Shin Etsu Chemical Co., Ltd.	159
8.	Eastman Kodak Co.	888	58.	Rohm Co., Ltd.	158
9.	Motorola, Inc.	837	59.	Brother Kogyo K.K.	155
10.	Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd.	771	60.	Rockwell International Corp.	150
11.	Sony Corp.	656	61.	National Semiconductor Corp.	149
12.	Xerox Corp.	611	62.	Phillips Petroleum Co.	149
13.	AT&T Corp.	595	63.	American Cyanamid Co.	148
14.	Fujitsu, Ltd.	592	64.	Eaton Corp.	148
15.	Fuji Photo Film Co., Ltd.	545	65.	Seiko Epson Corp.	148
16.	Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing Co.	519	66.	Abbott Laboratories	144
17.	E.I. Du Pont de Nemours & Co.	486	67.	Gold Star Co., Ltd.	144
18.	Texas Instruments, Inc.	479	68.	Henkel Corp.	140
19.	Sharp K.K.	454	69.	Nissan Motor Co., Ltd.	139
20.	Hewlett-Packard Co.	428	70.	Mazda Motor Corp.	133
21.	Hughes Aircraft Co.	411	71.	Toyota Jidosha K.K.	132
22.	Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.	410	72.	Dow Corning Corp.	131
23.	U.S. Philips Corp.	396	73.	Rohm & Haas Co.	129
24.	Siemens A.G.	376	74.	Imperial Chemical Industries, P.L.C.	128
25.	Bayer A.G.	342	75.	Exxon Research & Engineering Co.	127
26.	Hoechst A.G.	335	76.	Air Products & Chemicals, Inc.	124
27.	General Motors Corp.	331	77.	Sanyo Electric Co., Ltd.	123
28.	Ford Motor Co.	320	78.	Industrial Technology Research Institute	119
29.	BASF A.G.	318	79.	Yazaki Corp.	119
30.	Robert Bosch GmbH	316	80.	Mitsui Toatsu Chemicals, Inc.	118
31.	Ricoh Co., Ltd.	304	81.	W.R. Grace & Co.	116
32.	Ciba-Geigy Corp.	299	82.	United States Surgical Corp.	115
33.	Mobil Oil Corp.	286	83.	Exxon Chemicals Patents, Inc.	113
34.	AlliedSignal, Inc.	270	84.	Nikon Corp.	113
35.	Digital Equipment Corp.	269	85.	Yamaha Corp.	113
36.	Dow Chemical Co.	267	86.	Medtronic, Inc.	111
37.	Westinghouse Electric Corp.	248	87.	Caterpillar, Inc.	107
38.	Suntomo Electric Industries, Ltd.	233	88.	Micron Technology, Inc.	105
39.	Konica Corp.	228	89.	Coming, Inc.	104
40.	Olympus Optical Co., Ltd.	228	90.	TRW, Inc.	104
41.	Shell Oil Co.	226	91.	Murata Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	103
42.	Honda Motor Co., Ltd.	223	92.	UDF	103
43.	Pemco & Gamble Co.	205	93.	Chrysler Motors Corp.	103
44.	Asahi Kogyo Kogyo K.K.	204	94.	OKI Electric Industry Co., Ltd.	101
45.	Intel Corp.	203	95.	Bristol-Myers Squibb Co.	100
46.	United Technologies Corp.	203	96.	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	99
47.	Waltaker Corp.	193	97.	SGS-Thomson Microelectronics, Inc.	99
48.	Pioneer Electric Corp.	173	98.	University of Texas	97
49.	Honeywell, Inc.	167	99.	Mercedes-Benz A.G.	95
50.	Suntomo Chemical Co., Ltd.	164	100.	Alcatel N.V.	93

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Rank	Company	No.	Rank	Company	No.
101.	Bridgestone Corp.	93	151.	Adamo Richfield Co.	68
102.	Hoechst Celanese Corp.	93	152.	Takeda Chemical Industries, Ltd.	68
103.	MITA Industrial Co., Ltd.	93	153.	Victor Co. of Japan, Ltd.	68
104.	NCR Corp.	90	154.	Agfa-Gevaert N.V.	67
105.	Hoffmann-La Roche, Inc.	89	155.	Compaq Computer Corp.	67
106.	Institut Français du Pétrole	89	156.	Eibicon, Inc.	66
107.	VLSI Technology, Inc.	89	157.	Harris Corp.	66
108.	Amsco Corp.	87	158.	Moore Business Forms, Inc.	66
109.	Fanuc, Ltd.	87	159.	Schlumberger Technology Corp.	66
110.	Texaco, Inc.	87	160.	Société Nationale Industrielle Aérospatiale	66
111.	Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.	86	161.	Telefonaktiebolaget L.M. Ericsson	66
112.	Miles, Inc.	86	162.	Kimberly-Clark Corp.	65
113.	Molex, Inc.	85	163.	Allergan, Inc.	64
114.	Qlx Elevator Co.	85	164.	Chevron Research & Technology Co.	64
115.	Northern Telecom, Ltd.	84	165.	Eastman Chemical Co.	64
116.	Thomson-CSF	84	166.	Heidelberger Druckmaschinen A.G.	64
117.	Kawasaki Steel Corp.	83	167.	Yoshida Kogyo K.K.	64
118.	Baker Hughes, Inc.	82	168.	BASF Corp.	63
119.	Becton, Dickinson & Co.	82	169.	Sumitomo Wiring Systems, Ltd.	63
120.	Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.	82	170.	Thomson Consumer Electronics, Inc.	63
121.	Piney-Bowes, Inc.	82	171.	Commissariat à l'Énergie Atomique	62
122.	Mitsubishi Kasei Corp.	81	172.	Degussa A.G.	62
123.	Boeing Co.	80	173.	Stanford University	62
124.	Unisys Corp.	80	174.	Sumitomo Rubber Industries, Ltd.	62
125.	ITT Corp.	79	175.	TDK Corp.	62
126.	Nippon Steel Corp.	79	176.	Furukawa Electric Co., Ltd.	61
127.	Wamer-Lambert Co.	79	177.	Liton Systems, Inc.	61
128.	KAO Corp.	78	178.	Boehringer Mannheim GmbH	60
129.	Eli Lilly & Co.	77	179.	Mannesmann A.G.	60
130.	Fuji Electric Co., Ltd.	77	180.	PPG Industries, Inc.	60
131.	Monsanto Co.	76	181.	Union Carbide Chem. & Plastics Tech. Corp.	60
132.	Pfizer, Inc.	76	182.	Combustion Engineering, Inc.	59
133.	Baxter International, Inc.	75	183.	Dana Corp.	59
134.	Mitsui Petrochemical Industries, Ltd.	75	184.	Gold Star Electron Co., Ltd.	59
135.	Fakata Corp.	75	185.	Merck Patent GmbH	59
136.	Micron Semiconductor, Inc.	74	186.	Rhone-Poulenc Chimie de Base	59
137.	Olin Corp.	74	187.	G. D. Searle & Co.	58
138.	NGK Insulators, Ltd.	73	188.	Lever Brothers Co.	58
139.	Tokyo Electron, Ltd.	72	189.	Aluminum Co. of America	57
140.	Aisin Seiki K.K.	71	190.	Carrier Corp.	57
141.	FMC Corp.	71	191.	Deere & Co.	57
142.	Komatsu Seisakusho K.K.	71	192.	Nippon Paint Co., Ltd.	57
143.	Naleco Chemical Co.	71	193.	Saushin Kogyo K.K.	57
144.	Shimano, Inc.	71	194.	Semiconductor Energy Laboratory Co., Ltd.	57
145.	L'Oréal S.A.	70	195.	Sundstrand Corp.	57
146.	Sterling Winthrop, Inc.	70	196.	Alfred Teves GmbH	56
147.	Bell Communications Research, Inc.	69	197.	Applied Materials, Inc.	56
148.	Casio Computer Co., Ltd.	69	198.	Kobe Steel, Ltd.	56
149.	Mitsubishi Jukogyo K.K.	69	199.	Apple Computer, Inc.	55
150.	Sun Microsystems, Inc.	69	200.	Marin Marietta Energy Systems, Inc.	55
			201.	North American Philips Corp.	55

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