Case load of the Court during 2023

Since the start of operations 1 June 2023, the Court of First Instance has received a total number of 160 cases of which 67 infringement actions and 24 revocation actions.

Of the 67 infringement actions, 23 have been filed in Munich local division, 11 each in Düsseldorf and Mannheim, 7 in Paris local division, 4 in the Nordic Baltic regional division, 3 each in Hamburg, Milan and the Hague and 1 each in Brussels and Helsinki.

Paris central division has received 21 revocation actions, while Munich central division has received 4.

A further detailed breakdown of the caseload is shown in the table below.

	Infringement	Revocatio n	Counterclai m for revocation	Appl for provisional measures	Appl for preservin g evidence	Appl for Order for inspectio n	Dama ges	Declara tion of non- infringe ment
Paris CD		20						1
Paris LD	7		11		1			
Munich CD		4						
Munich LD	23		24	7				
Düsseldorf	11		4	3				
Mannheim	11							
Hamburg	3		3	1			1*	
Nordic B	4		4					
Milan	3		1		3	1		
The Hague	3		1					
Brussels	1				1			
Helsinki	1			1				
Copenhagen								
Lisbon								
Ljubljana								
Vienna				1				
Total	67	24	48	13	5	1	1	1

^{*)} Filed on paper, not in the CMS

48 counterclaims for revocations 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 needs to file an individual claim for revocation. The 48 counterclaims for revocation come from 18 individual infringement actions.



In addition, the Court of First Instance has received applications for provisional measures, preserving evidence and orders for inspection.

The Court of Appeal has started to receive and deal with procedural appeals and appeals concerning provisional measures. In particular, the Court of Appeal has received 1 appeal under RoP220.1 and 14 appeals under RoP220.2.

It can be noted that German is still the predominating language of proceedings (49 percent) with an increasing use of English now at 40 percent of language of total proceedings.

