



**LegalMetric District Report
Delaware District Court
in Patent Cases**

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Overview

This report covers the patent cases of the active judges in the Delaware District Court as of April 2022 (the date of the most recent LegalMetric docket download for this court). Cases of inactive judges are not included.

The number of cases, judgments, contested judgments, and trials for this court are shown below.

	Number
Total Cases	4286
Open Cases	892
Closed Cases	3395
Judgments	337
Contested Judgmnts	157
Trials	54
Bench	28
Jury	26

The overall win rate, contested win rate, and trial win rate for the patentee are shown to the right and the corresponding times to termination are shown below. Contested win rates do not include consent and default judgments.

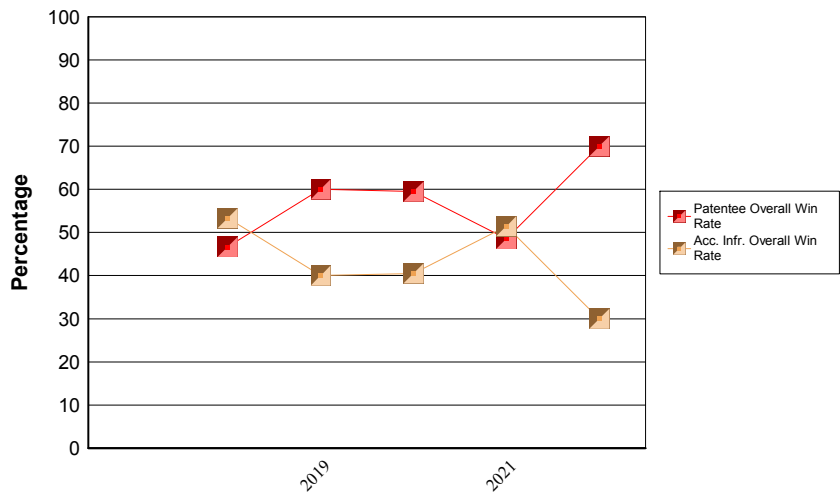
	Months
All Cases	11.6
Judgments	25.1
Contested	31.5
Trial	37.9
Bench	32.8
Jury	43.4

Color Scheme: Red in the tables indicates a win rate more than 10% more favorable to the ACCUSED INFRINGER, or a pendency time at least 6 months SLOWER than the national average. Yellow indicates a win rate from 0% to 10% more favorable to the ACCUSED INFRINGER, or a pendency time from 0 to 6 months SLOWER than the national average. Bright (lime) green indicates a win rate from 0% to 10% more favorable to the PATENTEE, or a pendency time from 0 to 6 months FASTER than the national average. And dark green indicates a win rate more than 10% more favorable to the PATENTEE than the national average, or a pendency time over 6 months FASTER than the national average.

The average and median award amounts for this district are:

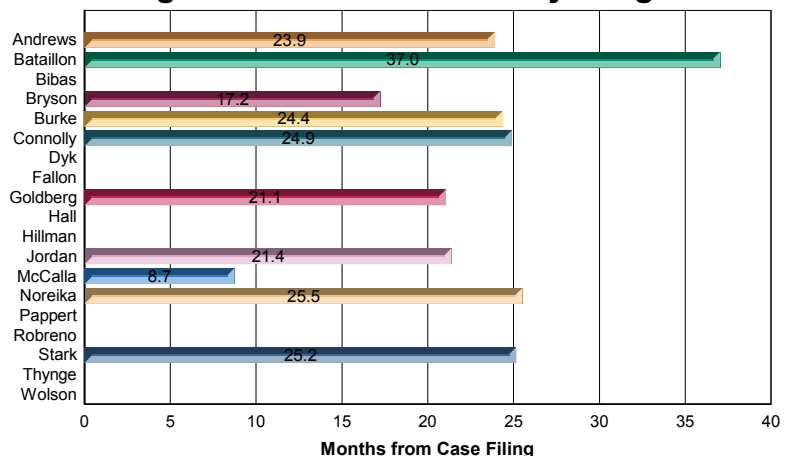
Average: \$33,656,131
Median: \$9,143,352

Patentee and Accused Infringer Overall Win Rate by Year



	Pat. Win Rate		Accused Win Rate
Overall	55.8	Overall	44.2
Contested	23.6	Contested	76.4
Trial	63.0	Trial	37.0
Bench	57.1	Bench	42.9
Jury	69.2	Jury	30.8

Average Time to Termination by Judgment



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Appeals:

	Number of Appeals	Complete Affirmance Rate
Total	154	67.1