

**Table 32**

**APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS FILED IN INDIA FROM 1980-81 TO 2010-11  
BY FOREIGN COUNTRIES**

Sl. No.	Country	Number of applications filed										
		1980-81	1985-86	1990-91	1995-96	2000-01	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
1.	U.S.A.	570	968	1130	2239	2271	8048	8389	10653	10978	9154	10405
2.	Germany*	274	277	294	676	829	1736	2329	2908	3323	3111	3653
3.	U.K.	210	278	230	405	359	796	933	1091	1178	972	965
4.	France	133	188	150	242	309	1022	1226	1522	1671	1394	1609
5.	Japan	96	140	134	431	787	1555	1887	2453	2962	3040	4117
6.	Switzerland	90	116	141	206	338	927	1330	1647	1685	1579	1651
7.	Italy	77	62	50	112	86	377	576	686	656	560	608
8.	Russia**	57	68	53	3	23	34	45	37	63	45	55
9.	Netherlands	50	56	66	157	202	837	1108	1332	1544	1316	1336
10.	Others	219	374	336	959	1120	4652	5803	6849	6591	6072	6689
<b>Total</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>1776</b>	<b>2527</b>	<b>2584</b>	<b>5430</b>	<b>6324</b>	<b>19984</b>	<b>23626</b>	<b>29178</b>	<b>30651</b>	<b>27243</b>	<b>31088</b>

Source : Annual Reports of the Controller General of Patents, Designs and Trade Marks.

Note : 1. \* Data prior to the year 1993-94 refers to FRG.

2. \*\* Data prior to the year 1994-95 refers to USSR.

3. # Includes Ordinary, Convention & National Phase Applications under PCT.