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Top 20 Patent Issuers

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Legal Advantage on a quarterly basis conducts a research survey to find the top 20 companies and law firms' who were granted patents.

Company	Number of Patents Issued	Law Firm	Number of Patents Issued
IBM	1,955	Oblon, Spivak, McClelland, Maier & Neustadt, P.C.	1,022
Samsung Electronics	1,294	Sughrue Mion, PLLC	701
Microsoft	668	Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP	631
Sony	539	Oloff & Berridge, PLC	616
Toshiba	489	Harness, Dickey & Pierce, P.L.C.	493
Hitachi	476	Fish & Richardson P.C.	404
Panasonic	462	McDermott Will & Emery LLP	392
LG	425	Foley & Lardner LLP	372
Canon	404	Blakely, Sokoloff, Taylor & Zafman LLP	368
Fujitsu	383	Cantor Colburn LLP	357
Intel Corporation	369	Banner & Witcoff, Ltd.	329
Siemens	342	Townsend and Townsend and Crew LLP	321
HP	322	Fitzpatrick, Cella, Harper & Scinto	296
Seiko Epson Corporation	299	Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione	289
GE	274	Staas & Halsey LLP	287
Nokia	259	Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney PC	268
Ricoh	257	Wenderoth, Lind & Ponack, L.L.P.	249
Micron Technology	248	Kenyon & Kenyon LLP	241
Honda Motor	232	Crowell & Moring LLP	225
Cisco	225	Westerman, Hattori, Daniels & Adrian, LLP.	202

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