## **ICLG Patent Fee Schedule**

US Utility Patent	Our Fee	USPTO Fees (small entity*) & Vendor Fees	Total
Initial Filing of Nonprovisional Application			
Filing US National Stage Application (PCT) or Nonprovisional application already drafted by outside agent/counsel Initial Filing Service includes: Priority Claim & Priority Documents Formal documents (if signed by initial filing) Non-substantive formality review Assignment (if signed by initial filing)	\$590	USPTO: \$830	\$1,420
<b>Drafting</b> nonprovisional application (rates vary by level of complexity)	starts at \$7,500	USPTO & Drawings: \$1,100+	starts at <b>\$8,600</b>
Drafting continuation application	starts at \$2,500	USPTO: \$830+	\$3,330+
Office Action Responses			
<u>Drafting</u> Office Action responses (rates vary by level of complexity)	starts at \$950		
Conducting examiner interviews (phone/video)	starts at \$600		
Filing OA response drafted by outside counsel (formality review only)	starts at \$500		
Ongoing Patent Prosecution			
Forwarding Office Action without review	Free		
Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)	\$200		
Filing Patent Assignment after initial filing; late filing of documents or fees	\$150		
Preliminary Amendment, PPH	starts at \$250		
Examiner-initiated interview	starts at \$350		
Paying issue fee, sending Patent Certificate, and docketing maintenance (renewal) deadlines	\$560		
Ongoing prosecution	Flat rates		
Patent Maintenance/Renewal			
Paying 1 <sup>st</sup> maintenance fee (3 ½ years)	\$400	USPTO: \$1,000	\$1,400
Paying 2 <sup>nd</sup> maintenance fee (7 ½ years)	\$400	USPTO: \$1,880	\$2,280
Paying 3 <sup>rd</sup> maintenance fee (11 ½ years)	\$400	USPTO: \$3,850	\$4,250

<sup>\*</sup>Small Entity status generally refers to individual applicants, companies with less than 500 employees, and universities or other institutions of higher education. USPTO fees for large entities are double.

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Design Patent	Our Fee	Small Entity Total (including Our Fee)
Initial Filing & Grant of Patent		
Filing a design patent application with formal patent drawings	\$750	Our fee: \$750 Illustrator fee: ~\$340 <u>USPTO fee: \$510</u> <b>Total ~\$1,600</b>
Filing a design patent application with formal patent drawings provided by client	\$750	Our fee: \$750 <u>USPTO fee: \$510</u> <b>Total \$1,260</b>
Ongoing Patent Prosecution (see above Utility Patent rates for Office Action Responses and Ongoing Patent Prosecution)		
Paying issue fee and sending original Patent Certificate	\$500	Our fee: \$500 <u>USPTO fee: \$370</u> \$870 + disbursements
Total costs from start to finish assuming no Office Actions	\$1,250 to \$1,750	Total ~\$2,200 to ~\$3,000

PCT Patent Application Filed in US Receiving Office	Our Fee	Small Entity Total (including Our Fee)
PCT Initial Filing		
Filing PCT Includes <i>Initial Filing Service</i> (see above) plus:  Tracking National Stage Deadline  Obtaining estimates for national stage filings in desired countries	\$1,250	Our fee: \$1,250 <u>USPTO fee: ~\$2,450</u> ***Total starting at \$3,700

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<sup>\*\*\*</sup>First 30 pages of the international application included. Supplemental USPTO fee for each additional page over 30 @ \$16/page