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Remark :

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Type	Kind Code	Total
Short-term Patent Application	U1	5
Short-term Patent Application	U2	74
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Short-term Patent Issued	Z5	4
Short-term Patent Issued	Z8	21
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