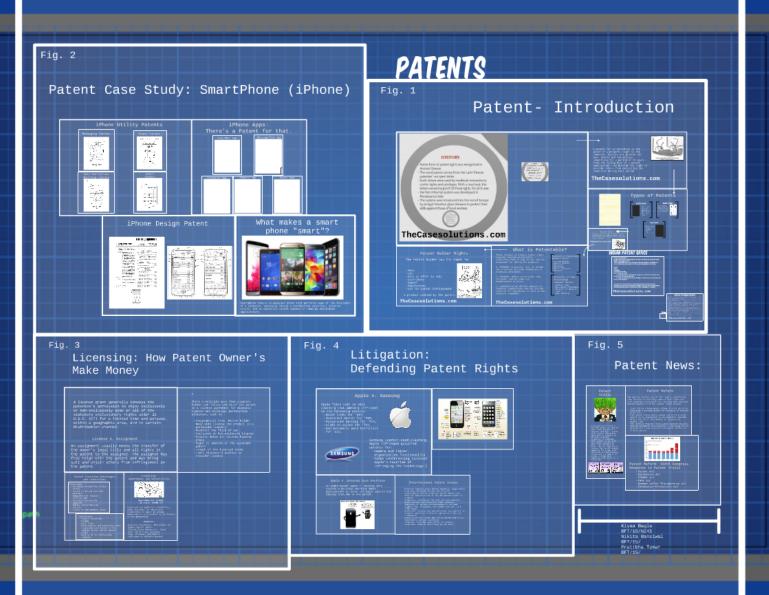
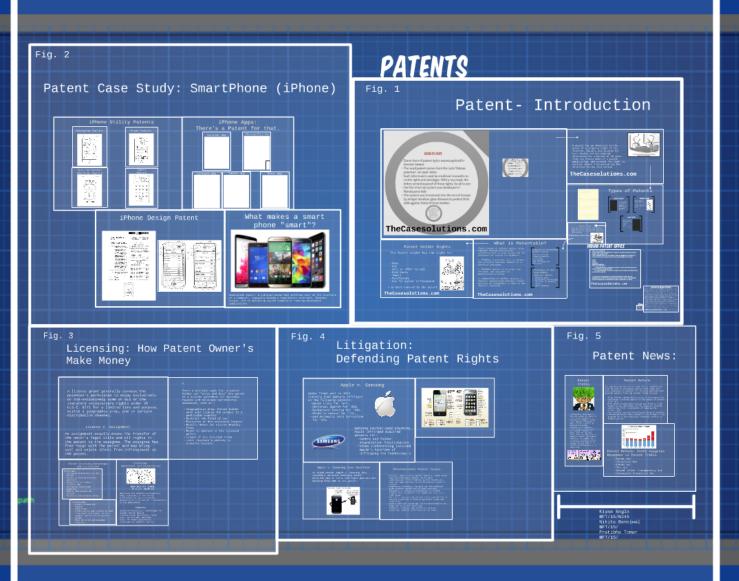
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HISTORY

- Some form of patent rights was recognized in Ancient Greece
- The word patent comes from the Latin 'litterae patentes' -an open letter.
- Such letters were used by medieval monarchs to confer rights and privileges. With a royal seal, the letters served as proof of those rights, for all to see
- the first informal system was developed in Renaissance Italy
- The system was introduced into the rest of Europe by émigré Venetian glass-blowers to protect their skills against those of local workers

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HISTORY (II)

The first recorded patent of invention was granted John of Utynam. In 1449, he was awarded a 20-yea monopoly for a glass-making process previously

 In return for his monopoly, John of Utyrum was required to teach his process to native Englishmer
 Modern patent law since 19th century

shift from Crown to bureaucrats
 criticism about the system ".unnec

complicated, technical and obscure."

benefit to public of limited practical value

unjustified inhibitions on the free trade

Impact on UK Patent law, e.g. nature of disclose

Bilateral agreements in the early 19th century

What is Patentable?

These classes of subject matter taken together include practically everything that is made by man and the processes for making the products.

Examples of Patentable Subject Matter •Business Methods

Patent Holder Rights

The Patent Holder has the right to:

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The Patent Holder has the right to:

- Make
- Use
- Sell or Offer to sell
- Distribute
- Import
- Manufacture
- Sue for patent infringement

a product covered by the patent.



"... Of course you don't remember agreeing to see me regarding my time machine. You made the appointment next week."

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- 1. PROCESS: A process, act, or method, and primarily includes industrial or technical processes.
- 2. MACHINE: Refers to articles that are made, and includes all manufactured articles.
- 3. COMPOSITION OF MATTER: Relates to chemical compositions and may include mixtures of ingredients as well as new chemical compounds.

Examples of Patentable Subject Matter

- Business Methods
- · Computer Hardware
- Algorithms
- Smartphones
- Medical Diagnostic Equipment

Examples of Non-Patentable Subject Matter

- · Natural Laws
- Scientific Principles
- Abstract or general ideas
- Math formulas

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The first legislation in India relating to patents was the Act VI of 1856 to encourage inventions of new and useful manufactures. The Act was subsequently repealed by Act IX of 1857 since it had been enacted without the approval of the British Crown .

Fresh legislation for granting 'exclusive privileges' was introduced in 1859 as Act XV of 1859 which also granted exclusive privileges to useful inventions. In 1888, an Act was introduced to consolidate and amend the law of patents as certain modifications in the patent law were made in UK and it was considered that those modifications should also be incorporated in the Indian law. The Indian Patents and Designs Act, 1911, (Act II of 1911) replaced all the previous Acts bringing the patent administration under the management of Controller of Patents for the first time.

After Independence, it was felt that the Indian Patents & Designs Act, 1911 was not fulfilling its objective, In 1952 an amendment was made to provide compulsory licence in relation to patents in respect of food and medicines, insecticide, germicide or fungicide and a process for producing substance or any invention relating to surgical or curative devices.

The Patents Act, 1970 was passed. This Act replaced the 1911 Act so far as the patents law was concerned. However, the 1911 Act continued to be applicable to designs.

Patents (Amendment) Act 2005 (Act 15 Of 2005) on 4 th April, 2005 was brought into force from 1-1-2005.

The last amendments are made effective from 5 th May 2006.

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Patent Term

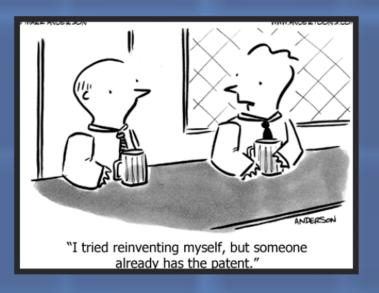
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Types of Patents