



Using Legal Analytics® for Early Case Assessment

Quickly getting a handle on issues that may result in litigation is critical to your company. As soon as a new matter emerges, you need to determine potential strategies, assess the risks, costs, time to resolution, and anticipated outcomes.

With Lex Machina, you can quickly uncover strategic insights on how to approach a case, learn more about the players, or how to defend against legal action. Our unique Quick Tools, allow you to analyze new matters quickly and easily, with our *Early Case Assessor*.

Early Case Assessment

Lex Machina's *Early Case Assessor* enables you to quickly assess the threat posed by a new case. Simply enter the name of the plaintiff and their law firm and immediately get an overview of their litigation history. Did they recently file claims against other parties? Where do they typically file suit? How much experience does the law firm have and what kind of clients do they typically represent?

Early Case Assessor
Showing assessment of Brandywine Communications Technologies, LLC as a plaintiff and Owens Tarabichi as counsel and patents 5206854, 5251328, 5444704, and 4 more in Patent cases [Change](#)

Plaintiff Brandywine Communications Technologies, LLC

Plaintiff Totals	Reached Claim Construction Hearing	2
Total Patent Cases Involved	Reached Trial	0
136	Damages Involved	\$0 in 0 cases
Patent Cases As a Plaintiff	Remedies (e.g. Injunctions) Involved	0 cases
131		

Most recently filed Patent cases (10 cases)

Title #	Civil Action #	Venue #	Filed #	Last Docket #	Terminated #
Brandywine Communications Technologies LLC v. Toshiba Corporation et al	8:13-cv-01245	C.D.Cal.	2013-08-15	2014-03-21	2014-03-21
Brandywine Communications Technologies LLC v. Aastra USA Inc.	1:13-cv-01193	D.Del.	2013-07-08	2014-01-08	2014-01-08

Plaintiff's Law Firm Owens Tarabichi

This section provides an overview of the plaintiff's law firm. This can help you assess the experience of the law firm in a plaintiff role. Use Lex Machina's *Case List Analyzer* to view more analytics about this law firm's cases.

Plaintiff's Law Firm Totals	Reached Claim Construction Hearing	2
Total Patent Cases Filed	Reached Trial	1
32	Damages Involved	\$89,841 in 1 cases
Patent Cases Representing a Plaintiff	Remedies (e.g. Injunctions) Involved	0 cases
23		

Potential Resources

These two tables show the law firms and attorneys who have the most frequent litigation experience opposing your plaintiff. You may wish to contact them to learn about their experiences dealing with the plaintiff.

Opposing Law Firms Five law firms most commonly opposed to your plaintiff		Opposing Attorneys Five attorneys most commonly opposed to your plaintiff	
Law Firm #	# of Cases #	Attorney #	# of Cases #
Carlton Fields Jordan Burt	13	Daniel Curtis Johnson	13
Winston & Strawn	12	Andrew Ryan Sommer	10
Duane Morris	7	Charles Bennett Molster III	10

Size Up Opposing Parties & Counsel

Need to understand the litigation behavior of the entity that just sued, including the strategies their counsel employed? Use Lex Machina's party analytics to quickly uncover crucial insights about your opponent, and their experience before specific judges and courts, the timing from filing to key events in cases involving them, and damages awarded in previous cases.

Target Corporation
View Party Group | Edit Party Group | Save Party Group | Load Party Group
District Court Cases PTAB Trials Delaware Court of Chancery Cases

Showing 1,072 Lex Machina cases with Target Corporation as a party; filed between 2000-01-01 and 2018-04-11 .

Cases by Type

Case Types	Cases
Product Liability	162
Employment	303
Trademark	133
Copyright	140
Patent	321
Antitrust	15
Bankruptcy	3
Securities	4
Commercial	61

Case Status

Case Status	Cases
Open	73
Terminated	999

Party Roles

Party Roles	Cases
Plaintiff	31
Defendant	962
Third Party	76
Appellant (Bankruptcy)	1
Appellee (Bankruptcy)	2

Courts

Courts	Cases	Percentage
C.D.Cal.	224	21%
E.D.Tex.	106	10%
D.Minn.	58	5%
S.D.N.Y.	56	5%
N.D.Ill.	51	5%
Other Courts	577	54%

District Judges

District Judges	Cases	Percentage
James Rodney Gilstrap	45	4%
Robert G. Klausner	31	3%
Leonard E. Davis	19	2%

See the case resolutions and findings for cases they have been involved in. You can determine whether your opponent prevailed at summary judgment or with a likely settlement because of plaintiff voluntary dismissal. You can also view the motions filed by your opposing counsel to see if they were granted or denied.

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Summary Timing Law Firms Case Resolutions Damages Findings

Employment Findings by Judgment Event

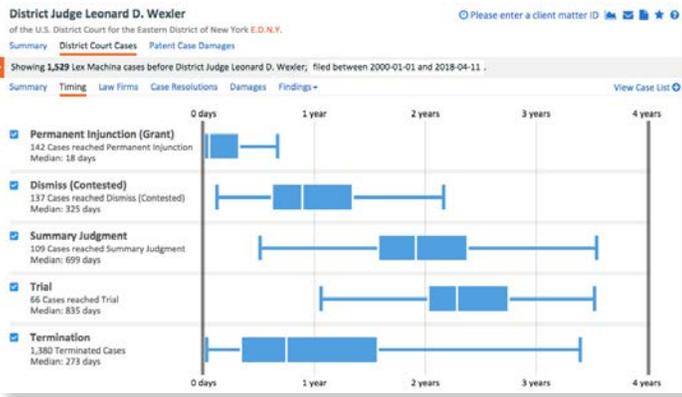
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	Default Judgment	Consent Judgment	Summary Judgment	Judgment as a Matter of Law	Trial	Summary Judgment	Judgment as a Matter of Law	Trial	Summary Judgment	Judgment as a Matter of Law	Trial	
Title VII Discrimination: Race / Color	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
No Title VII Discrimination: Race / Color	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	
Title VII Discrimination: Religion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
No Title VII Discrimination: Religion	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
Title VII Discrimination: National Origin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
No Title VII Discrimination: National Origin	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
Title VII Discrimination: Sex / Gender	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
No Title VII Discrimination: Sex / Gender	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
ADEA Discrimination: Age	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
No ADEA Discrimination: Age	0	0	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	

“Case List Analyzer allows me to quickly compare judges, law firms, parties and patents, using the criteria I care about.”

– Ruckus Wireless

Anticipate Litigation Speed

As you assess a new matter, you can use *Legal Analytics* to set, and justify realistic litigation budgets by viewing time to termination and time to trial in specific courts and comparing them to other jurisdictions. Timing analytics give you the ability to determine how long it may take to litigate your case.



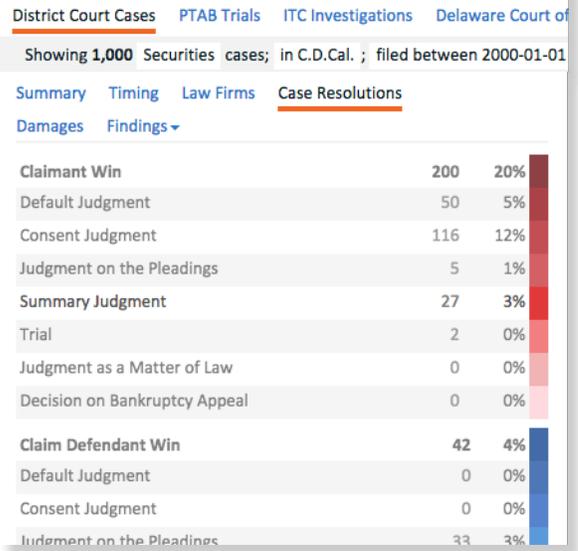
Select Outside Counsel

Legal Analytics can help you identify potential law firms based on the criteria of your choice, including types of cases, subject matter expertise, experience with specific courts and judges, and more. See how many open cases firms or individual attorneys have.



You can quickly and effectively analyze client list, caseload, and litigation performance of any law firm or lawyer. Uncover insights such as their track record for the number of days it took from filing to trial, termination, or claim construction hearing; the motions filed in similar cases and whether they were granted or denied.

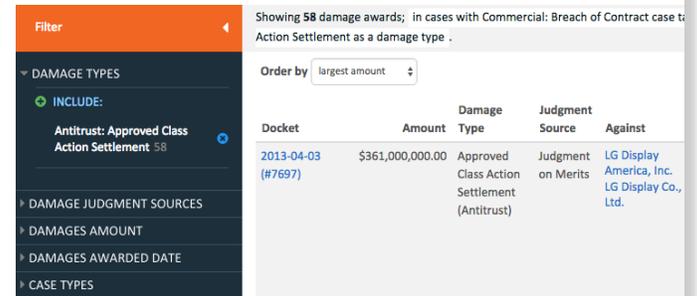
Cases



Understand Your Exposure

Use our *Damages Explorer* to summarize information about damages awards in cases involving your opponent, or similar to yours. View a breakdown of damages type, such as reasonable royalties, or lost profits. You can determine how much is at stake. What are the potential risks? How likely are attorneys' fees? These strategic insights help you understand potential exposure and inform the approach you want to take.

Damage Awards



Stay On Top

Lex Machina provides you with personalized email alerts to help you keep up. Get notified about events that happen in your case, and when your opponent makes a move. Track case activity by court, judge, party, or more, in emails delivered daily, weekly, or monthly.