

OVERVIEW OF CHINESE IP LITIGATION

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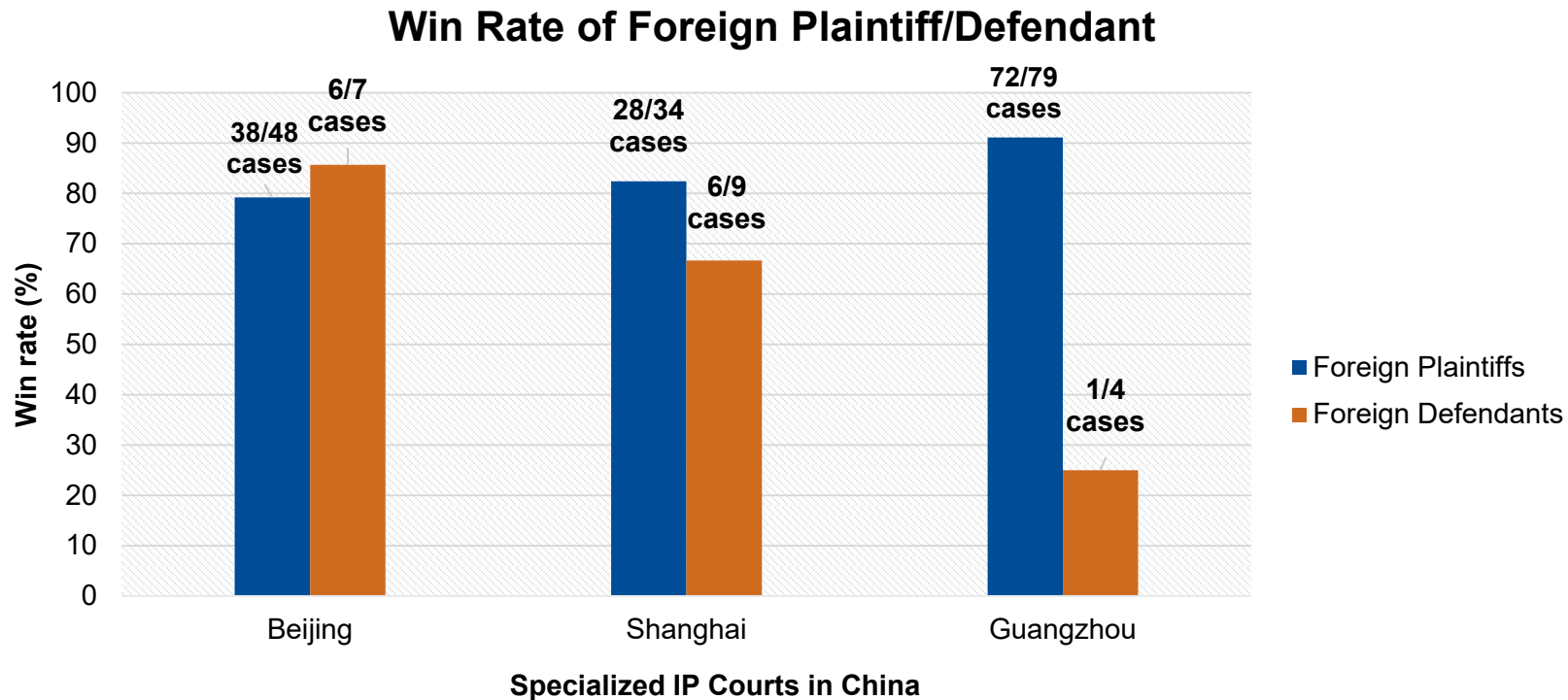


OVERVIEW

- One large and uniform market (manufacturer and consumer).
- Injunction by any given civil court may shut down production/sale in the entire market.
- Civil law system (no US-style discovery, but judicial measures to collect evidence)
- No jury; technical investigators/appraisal institutes on fact-finding in technical cases.
- Improving quality of adjudication
 - 1 IP Appeals Tribunal of the Supreme People's Court (Jan. 1, 2019);
 - 3 Specialized IP Courts in Beijing, Shanghai, Guangzhou (since 2014); and
 - 20 Specialized IP Tribunals in major cities/regions.

LITIGATING IN SPECIALIZED IP COURTS

Observations

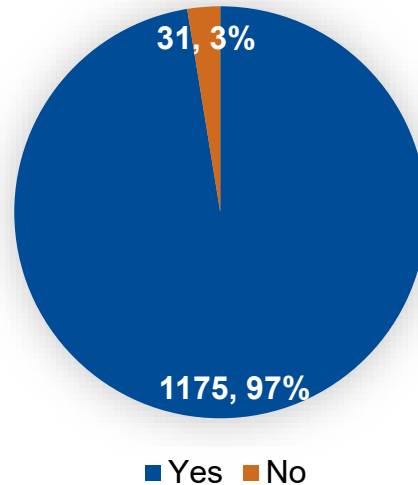


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Grant of Permanent Injunction *Number of cases*

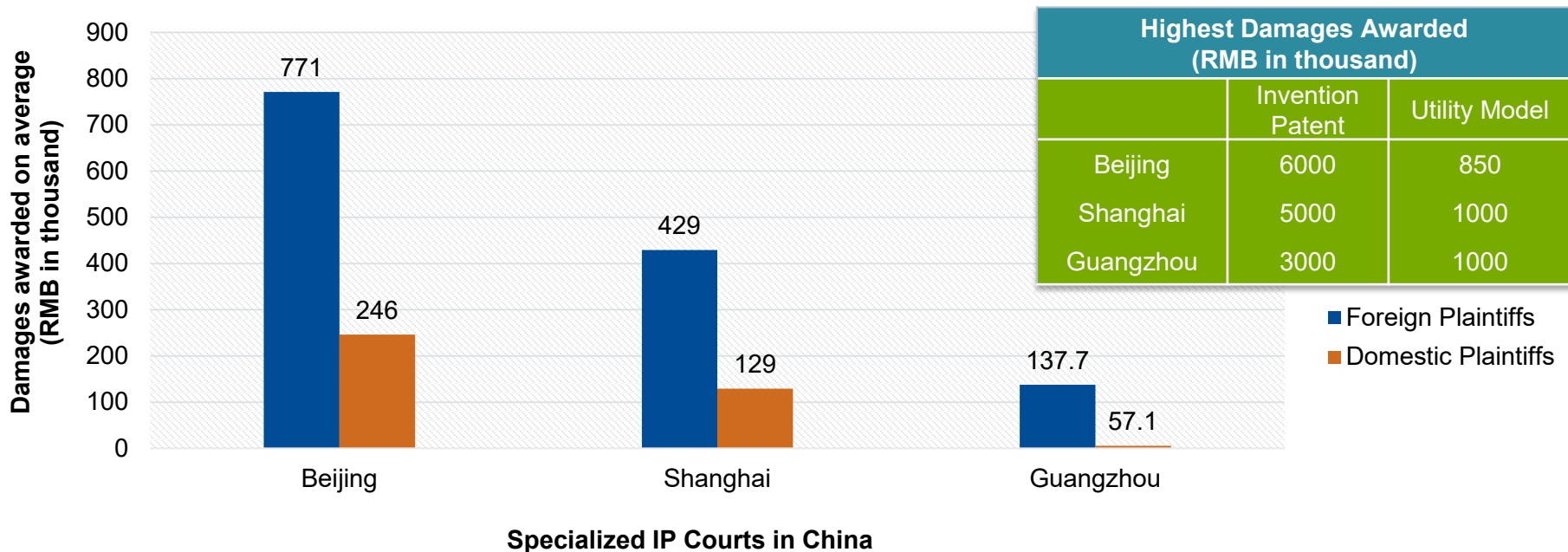


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Average Damages Awarded to Foreign and Domestic Plaintiffs

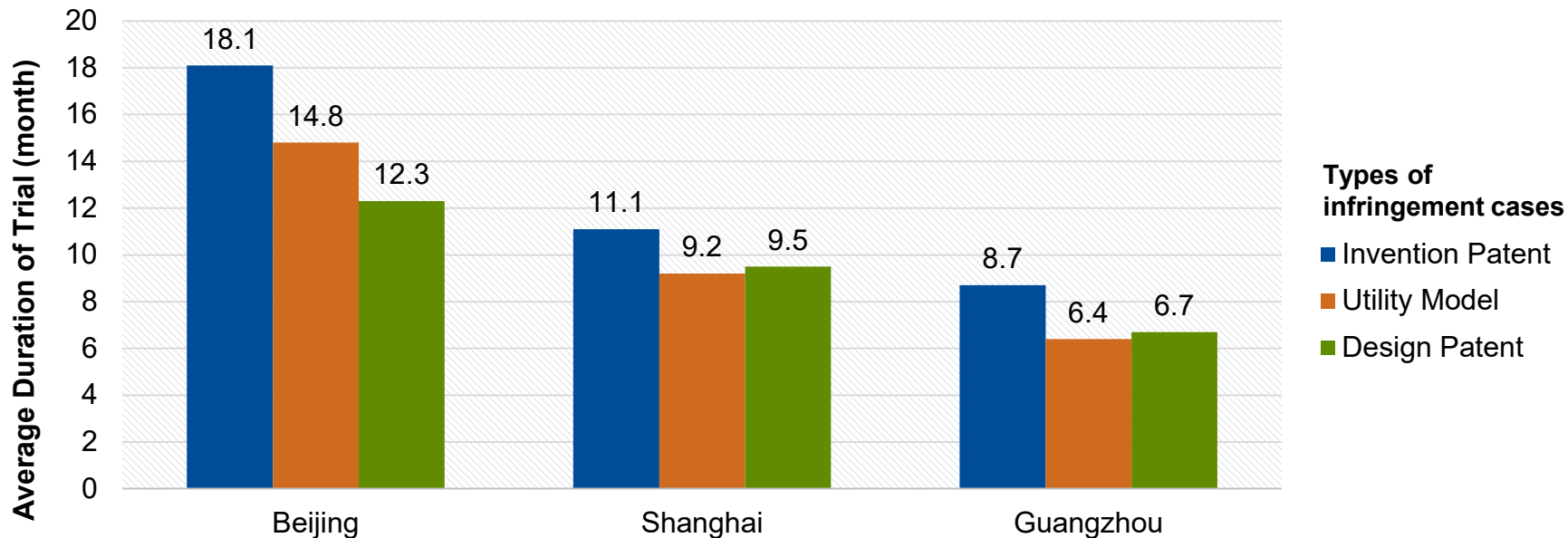


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Observations

Average Duration of Trial



Specialized IP Courts in China

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