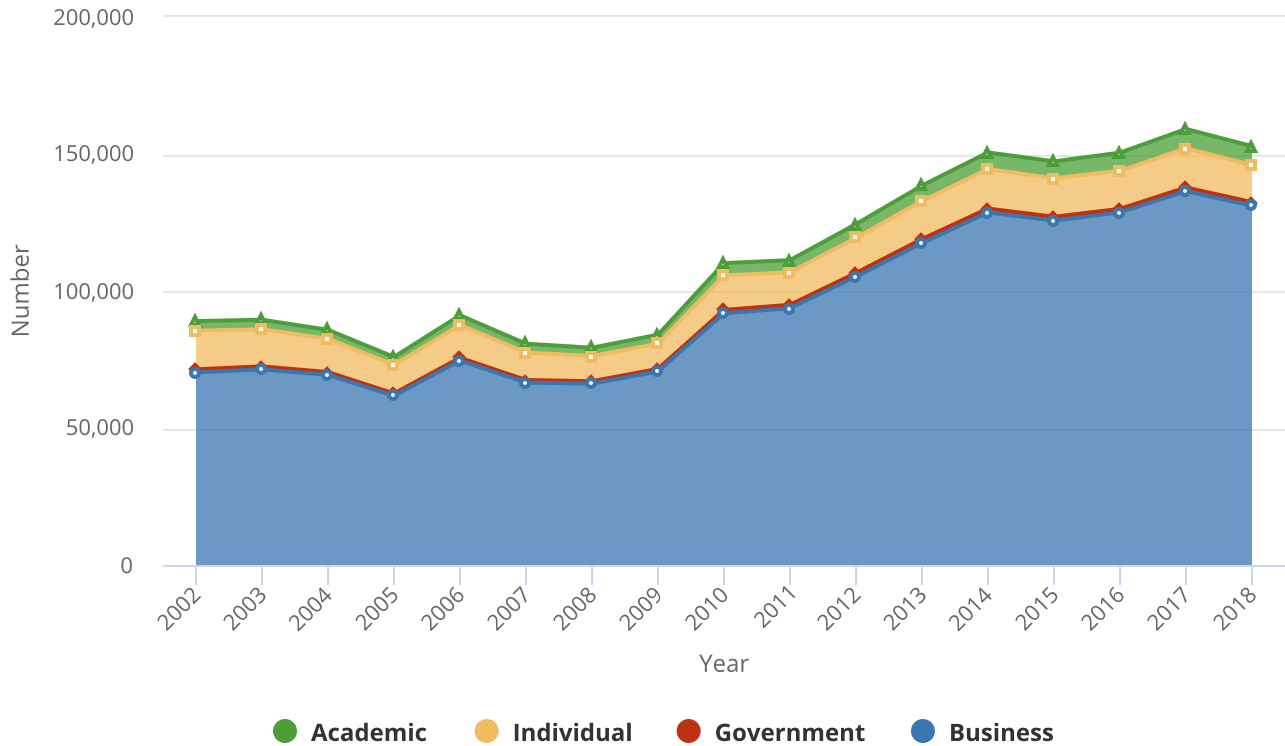


FIGURE 8-1

USPTO patents granted to U.S. owners: 2002–18



USPTO = U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Note(s)

Patents are allocated according to patent ownership information. Patents are credited on a fractional-count basis (i.e., for patents with collaborating institutions, each institution receives fractional credit on the basis of the proportion of inventors from participating institutions).

Source(s)

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