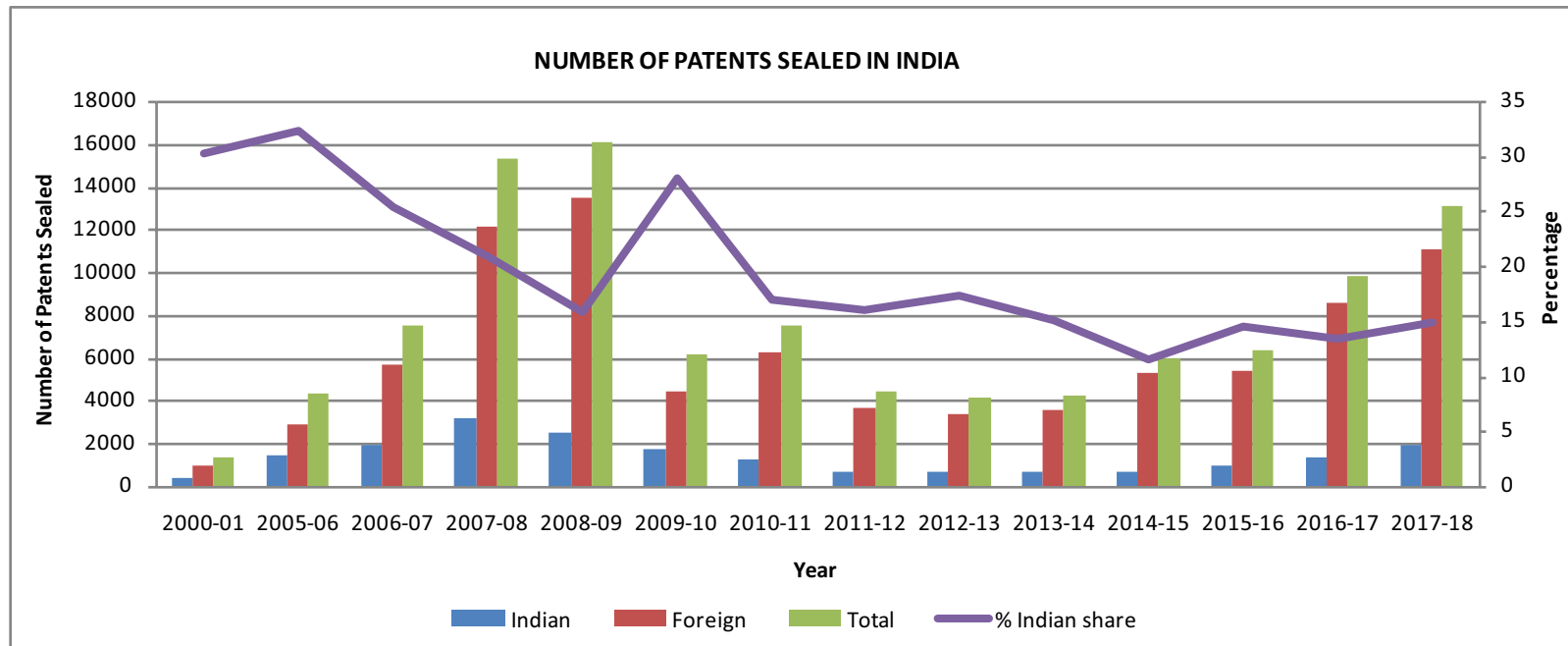


- ❖ During 2017-18 a total of 47,854 patents were filed in India. Out of which 15,550 (32%) patents were filed by Indian residents.
- ❖ As per WIPO report 2019, India is ranked at 9<sup>th</sup> position in terms of Resident Patent Filing activity in the world.



Source: Controller General of Patents, Design and Trade Marks-Annual reports

- ❖ Patent applications filed in India are dominated by disciplines like Mechanical, Chemical, Computer/Electronics and Communication.
- ❖ Nearly 62% of the foreign patents filed in India during 2017-18 were from four countries viz USA (31.5%), Japan (13.9%), Germany (8.6%) and China (8.0%).