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SAMSUNG V APPLE US LITIGATION Impacts in China

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All Quiet on the Eastern Front

• Watch the fires burning across the river

• Before it rains, bind around with silk

• The tree may wish for calm, but the wind will not subside



Impacts on the legislature side

- Amended Patent Examination Guidelines
- Graphical User Interfaces (GUIs)
- Effective on May 1 2014
- Chinese industries welcome this change with huge filing number and great
 enthusiasm, and of course litigations to follow up.

Impacts on IT/ Smart Phone companies in China

Booming of Chinese Smart Phone industries when Samsung v.s. Apple continuing



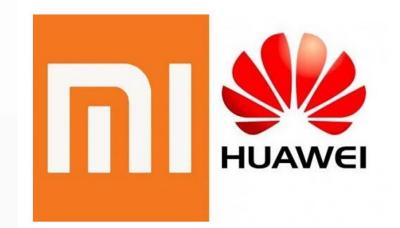
China Smartphone Vendor Shipments and Marketshare in Q1 2016

Brand	Q1'16 shipments (in millions)▼	Y-o-Y change	Q1'16 market share
Apple	11.5	-14.8%	11%
Vivo	12.5	56.2%	11.9%
Xiaomi	12.8	-8.5%	12.2%
OPPO	13.2	67%	12.6%
Huawei	16.6	48.2%	15.8%
Others	38.3	-30.6%	36.5%

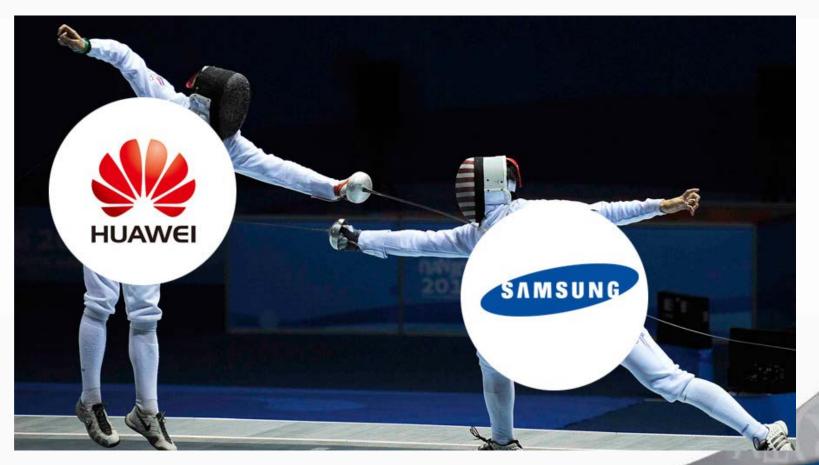
Source: Strategy Analytics

Impacts on IT/ Smart Phone companies in China

- IP litigations between top Chinese IT and Smart Phone companies
- Down of Xiaomi
 Rising of Huawei









Apple's Challenges in China Underlined by Patent Dispute



We start together. We finish together. No one left behind."

> Anonymous 7 Mar 2013 3:40 pm

Thank you !

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