



## Stuttgart, Germany

Stuttgart is the fourth-ranked cluster, out of 7 German clusters, that falls within the top 100 innovation clusters in 2025. It filed **2,855 PCT applications**, published **4,438 scientific articles** and had **43 venture capital deals**, all per 1 million inhabitants over the latest five years, making it the:

**54<sup>th</sup>** largest innovation cluster in 2025

**43<sup>rd</sup>** innovation cluster by intensity (relative to population density) in 2025

### Top PCT applicants

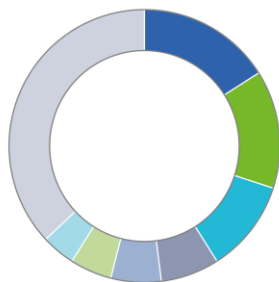
		Patents	Share
1	ROBERT BOSCH	3,720	40%
2	MERCEDES-BENZ GROUP AG	506	6%
3	DAIMLER	309	3%

### Top publishing organizations

		Articles	Share
1	UNIVERSITY OF STUTTGART	3,332	23%
2	EBERHARD KARLS UNIVERSITY OF TUBINGEN	3,284	23%
3	EBERHARD KARLS UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL	2,069	15%

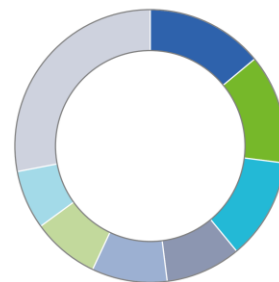
### Top technology fields in Stuttgart

Patents



Electrical machinery (16%)	Machine tools (6%)
Transport (14%)	Mechanical elements (5%)
Measurement (11%)	Engines (4%)
Computer tech. (7%)	Other (37%)

Publications



Chemistry (14%)	Clinical medicine (9%)
Engineering (13%)	Applied biology (8%)
Technology (12%)	Earth sciences (7%)
Physics & math (9%)	Other (28%)

**20%** of Stuttgart's PCT patent applications are filed in collaboration with other inventors, with **Karlsruhe, Munich** and **Heidelberg-Mannheim** emerging as the top collaborative locations.

**70%** of Stuttgart's scientific articles are published in collaboration with other organizations, with the top three collaborating locations being **Cologne, Munich** and **Berlin**.