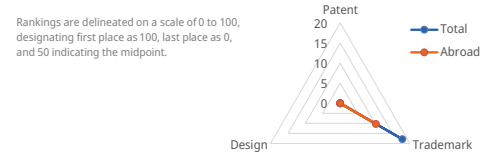




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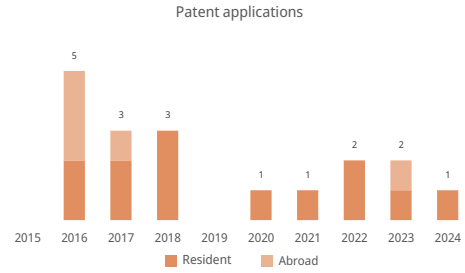
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Patent

Statistics for applicants residing in this country

Patent applications; global rank	1	↓50%	165 th
Resident applications	1	→0%	
Abroad applications; global rank	0	↓100%	164 th
Regional rank and share	Africa – 39 th		0%
	West Africa – 13 th		0.6%
Resident applications per million inhabitants; global rank			
Resident applications per 100 billion USD GDP; global rank			
Utility model applications; global rank			
PCT international applications; global rank			
PCT applications per million inhabitants; global rank			
PCT publications relating to renewable energy (2022-2024)			
Share of university applications (2022-2024)			
Share of women inventors (2022-2024)			
PCT national phase entries; global rank			
Share of abroad applications using the PCT System			
PCT top applicants (2022-2024)			



Top technical fields; share

Top foreign destinations; share

Statistics for the IP office

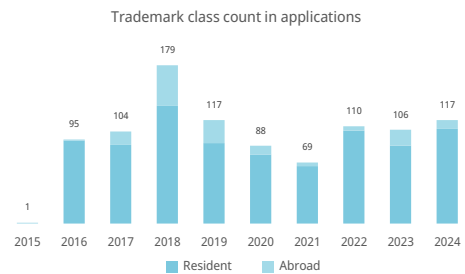
Total applications; global rank	2	↓50%	133 rd
Resident; share	1	→0%	50%
Non-resident; share	1	↓66.7%	50%
Patent Grants			
Patents in force; global rank			
National IP office - applications per examiner	2.0		
National IP office - grant delay in months			
Filings via regional office - resident	African Regional Intellectual Property Organization		0
Filings via regional office - non-resident	African Regional Intellectual Property Organization		775

Country	Count	Share
United States of America	258	33.3%
United Kingdom	52	6.7%
South Africa	41	5.3%
India	39	5%
Finland	37	4.8%

Trademark

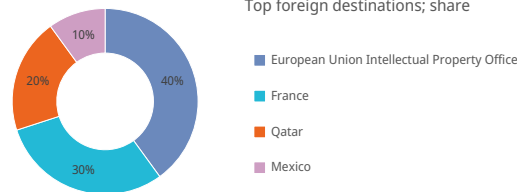
Statistics for applicants residing in this country [1]

Trademark filings; global rank	117	↑10.4%	162 nd
Resident filings	107	↑21.6%	
Abroad filings; global rank	10	↓44.4%	176 th
Regional rank and share	Africa – 35 th		0.1%
	West Africa – 14 th		2%
Resident filings per million inhabitants; global rank			
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; global rank			
Madrid international applications; global rank			
Madrid applications per million inhabitants; global rank			
Abroad filings via the Madrid System			
Share of abroad filings using the Madrid System			
Madrid top applicants (2022-2024)	Little Africa Maio, Sociedade Unipessoal, LDA		1



Top Nice classes; share

Top foreign destinations; share



Statistics for the IP office [1]

Total filings; global rank	1,366	↓5.2%	130 th
Resident; share	107	↑21.6%	7.8%
Non-resident; share	1,259	↓6.9%	92.2%
Number of Classes Specified in Trademark Registrations	1,517	↓2.8%	
Trademarks in force; global rank	3,372		109 th
National IP office - applications per examiner	341.5		
National IP office - registration delay in days			
Filings via regional office - resident	African Regional Intellectual Property Organization		0
Filings via regional office - non-resident	African Regional Intellectual Property Organization		1,311

Country	Count	Share
Zimbabwe	363	14.9%
China	358	14.7%
United States of America	185	7.6%
South Africa	183	7.5%
Germany	160	6.6%

Industrial design

Statistics for applicants residing in this country [2]

Designs in applications: global rank * Resident filings * Abroad filings: global rank 0 141 st Regional rank and share Resident filings per million inhabitants: global rank Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP: global rank Hague international filings: global rank Abroad filings via the Hague System Share of abroad filings using the Hague System Hague top applicants (2022-2024)	<p>Design count in applications *</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Year</th> <th>Resident</th> <th>Abroad</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>2015</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>2016</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>2017</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>2018</td><td>31</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>2019</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>2020</td><td>4</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>2021</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>2022</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>2023</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>2024</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr> </tbody> </table>	Year	Resident	Abroad	2015	0	0	2016	0	0	2017	0	0	2018	31	0	2019	0	0	2020	4	0	2021	0	0	2022	0	0	2023	0	0	2024	0	0
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Geographical indications

Geographical Indications in force by product category	Geographical Indications in force by legal means
Wines and spirits 2 100%	Sui generis 2 100%

Plant variety

Plant variety applications filed by applicants residing in this country	Plant variety in force
Resident	National
Abroad	
Regional	

Note

- (1) For trademarks, filings refer to the number of classes specified in applications.
- (2) For industrial designs, filings refer to number of designs contained in applications.
- (3) Statistics are produced regardless of whether the home office of the applicants supplied statistics or not. An asterisk symbol indicates that the home IP office did not supply statistics.
- (4) Statistics relating to "technical fields" are extracted from the Patstat database and are based on the publication date.
- (5) The indicator "resident applications per million population" is available for countries with a population greater than one million. The "indicator per GDP" is available for countries whose total GDP exceeds 10 billion US Dollar.
- (6) Percentage with a plus or minus symbol indicates the percentage change from the previous year.
- (7) Both national and regional data are used to establish the list of countries relating to non-resident filings.

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