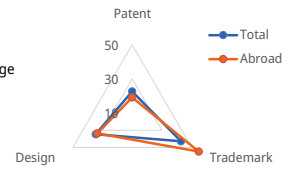




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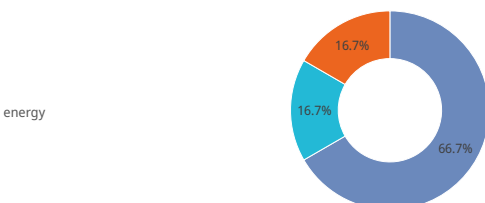
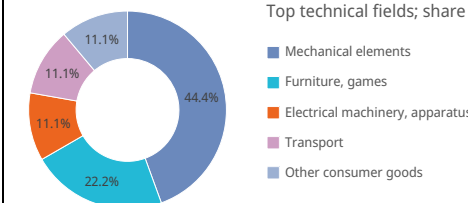
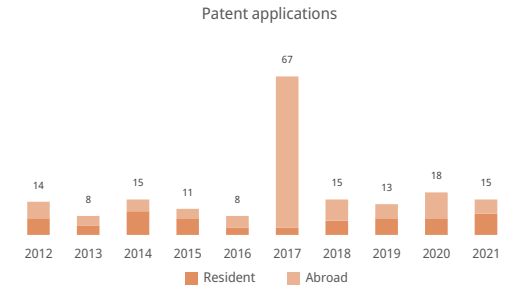
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**Patent**

**Patent applications filed by applicants residing in this country**

Patent applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	15 (-16.7%)	132
Resident applications	9	
Abroad applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	6 (-45.5%)	136
Regional average; <a href="#">regional rank</a> and share	351 (Latin America and the Caribbean)	20 (0.1%)
	279 (Central America)	5 (0.7%)
Resident applications per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>	0.5	97
Resident applications per 100 billion USD GDP; <a href="#">global rank</a>	5.9	103
Utility model applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	3 (-75.0%)	91
PCT international applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	2 (0.0%)	105
PCT applications per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>	0.1	90
PCT publications relating to renewable energy (2019-2021)		
Share of university applications (2019-2021)		
Share of women inventors (2019-2021)		
PCT national phase entries; <a href="#">global rank</a>	1 (-66.7%)	127
Share of abroad applications using the PCT System	16.7%	
PCT top applicants (2019-2021)	Titon Corp., S.A.	1



**National Intellectual Property Office - Patent statistics**

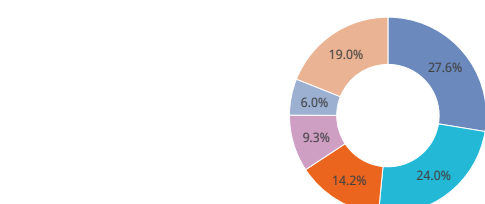
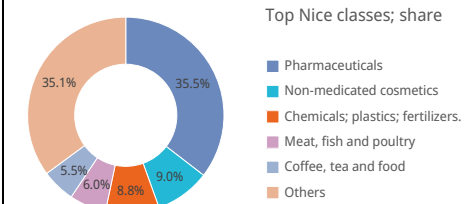
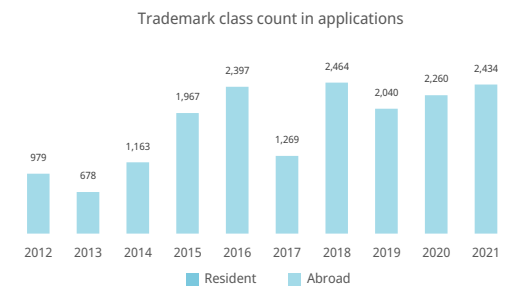
Total applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	258 (+21.7%)	72
Resident; share	9	3.5%
Non-resident; share	249	96.5%
Patent Grants	38 (-5.0%)	
Patents in force; <a href="#">global rank</a>	854	80
National IP office - applications per examiner	64.5	
National IP office - grant delay in months	48.0	

Country of origin of non-resident applications; share		
United States of America	116	46.6%
Switzerland	21	8.4%
Germany	14	5.6%
Belgium	10	4.0%
France	9	3.6%

**Trademark**

**Trademark class count in applications filed by applicants residing in this country**

Trademark filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	2,434 (+7.7%)	113
Resident filings	0	
Abroad filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	2,434 (+7.7%)	89
Regional average; <a href="#">regional rank</a> and share	22,949 (Latin America and the Caribbean)	18 (0.3%)
	25,072 (Central America)	6 (1.2%)
Resident filings per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>		
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; <a href="#">global rank</a>		
Madrid international applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>		
Madrid applications per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>		
Abroad filings via the Madrid System		
Share of abroad filings using the Madrid System		
Madrid top applicants (2019-2021)		



**National Intellectual Property Office - Trademark statistics**

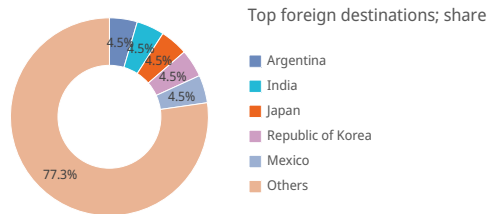
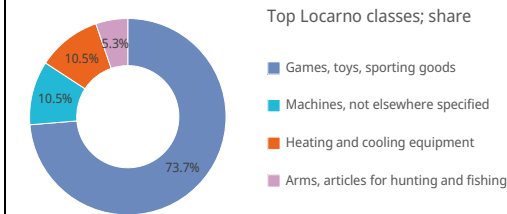
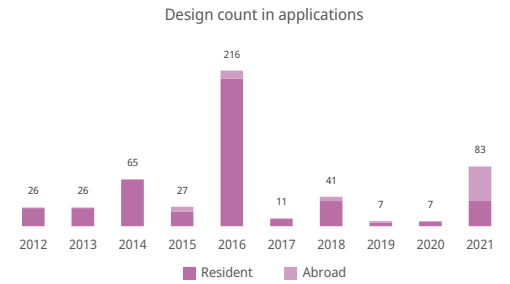
Total filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	13,650 (+31.1%)	66
Resident; share		
Non-resident; share		
Number of Classes Specified in Trademark Registrations	9,331 (+53.0%)	
Trademarks in force; <a href="#">global rank</a>		
National IP office - applications per examiner		
National IP office - registration delay in days		

Country of origin of non-resident filings; share		

## Industrial design

### Industrial design count in applications filed by applicants residing in this country

Designs in applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	83 (+1085.7%)	99
Resident filings	35	
Abroad filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	48 (+4700.0%)	91
Regional average; <a href="#">regional rank</a> and share	383 (Latin America and the Caribbean)	11 (0.6%)
	266 (Central America)	3 (3.9%)
Resident filings per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>	2.0	91
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; <a href="#">global rank</a>	23	96
Hague international filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>		
Abroad filings via the Hague System		
Share of abroad filings using the Hague System		
Hague top applicants (2019-2021)		



### National Intellectual Property Office - Design statistics

Total filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	92 (-32.8%)	91
Resident; share	35	38.0%
Non-resident; share	57	62.0%
Number of Designs in Industrial Design Registrations	34 (-63.4%)	
Industrial designs in force; <a href="#">global rank</a>	302	80
National IP office - applications per examiner	92.0	
National IP office - registration delay in days	1,100.0	

Country of origin of non-resident filings; share

Country	Count	Share
Japan	9	15.8%
Italy	8	14.0%
Colombia	8	14.0%
United Kingdom	7	12.3%
Mexico	6	10.5%

## Geographical indications

### Geographical indications in force by product category

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### Geographical indications in force by legal means

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## Plant variety

### Plant variety applications filed by applicants residing in this country

Resident	
Abroad	
Regional	

### Plant variety in force

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### 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) Shares of the top foreign destinations are based on absolute count of applications, that is, one application filed at a regional office is counted as one application only.
- (7) One application filed at the Eurasian Patent Organization, the African Intellectual Property Organization, the Benelux Office for Intellectual Property, the European Union Intellectual Property Office or the Patent Office of the Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf is multiplied by the corresponding number of member states. One application filed at the European Patent Office or the African Regional Intellectual Property Organization is counted as one application abroad if the applicant does not reside in a respective member state, or as one resident application and one application abroad if the applicant resides in a respective member state.
- (8) Percentage with a plus or minus symbol indicates the percentage change from the previous year.
- (9) Both national and regional data are used to establish the list of countries relating to non-resident filings.

Source: WIPO statistics database; last updated: 3/2023