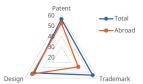


Sri Lanka

Rankings are delineated on a scale of 0 to 100, designating first place as 100, last place as 0, and 50 indicating the midpoint.



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Statistics for applicants residing in	this country													
Patent applications; global rank		260	↓ 21%	75 th	•									-
Resident applications		171	↓ 35.7%		Patent applications									
Abroad applications; global rank		89	↑41.3%	80 th	80 th									
Regional rank and share			Asia – 23 rd	0%	445						412	412		
		South Centra		0.4%						382	412	412		
Resident applications per million inhab	-		7.7	70 th				316	331				329	
Resident applications per 100 billion U			63.2	71 st			265							260
Utility model applications; global rank		1	→0%	109 th										
PCT international applications; global		20	↓ 48.7%	68 th										
PCT applications per million inhabitan	-		0.9	74 th										
PCT publications relating to renewable			2	2.8%		17								
Share of university applications (2020-			19.7%											
Share of women inventors (2020-2022			26.2%		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
PCT national phase entries; global ran	69	↑ 130%	65 th				F	Resident	The second	Abroad				
Share of abroad applications using the	PCT System		68.5%											
PCT top applicants (2020-2022)														
		Mas Innovation (priva		20										
			oducts PLC	5										
		Silueta (priva		4										
		University	-	3										
		Elsteel (private) Ltd	2										
	Top technical fields; share				Тор	foreig	n desti	inatior	ns; shar	re				
24.4%	Other consumer goods				UI	nited Sta	tes of Aı	merica						
33.3%	Textile and paper machines	33.7	7%		Eu	ıropean	Patent C	Office						
	Medical technology		7	38.2%	Si	ngapore								
	Electrical machinery, apparatus, energy				■ Re	public o	f Korea							
16.7%	Engines, pumps, turbines (3.8%)				_ Ja									
7.7%	Others	4.	5%		■ Ot									
14.196	_ Others		7.9%	9%										
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Statistics for the IP office						
Total applications; global rank	431	↓ 20%	68 th	Country of origin of non-resident applications; share		
Resident; share	171	↓ 35.7%	39.7%	United States of America	110	42.3%
Non-resident; share	260	↓ 4.8%	60.3%	India	34	13.1%
Patent Grants	186	↓ 4.1%		Germany	18	6.9%
Patents in force; global rank	982		83 rd	Russian Federation	15	5.8%
National IP office - applications per examiner		39.2		United Kingdom	12	4.6%
National IP office - grant delay in months		51.4				

Trademark														
Statistics for applicants residing	in this country [1]													
Trademark filings; global rank		6,980	↓ 9.6%	89 th										
Resident filings		6,245	↓ 1.2%				Tra	domark	class c	ount in	annlic	ations		
Abroad filings; global rank		735	↓ 47.6%	119 th			III	9,351	Class C		Гарріїс	ations		
Regional rank and share			Asia – 28 th	0.1%				9,351		9,161				
		South Centi		0.7%	6,899		7,440				7,992		7,725	6.980
Resident filings per million inhabitar	nts; global rank		282	84 th	6,899									0,500
Resident filings per 100 billion USD	-		2,308	82 nd										
Madrid international applications; gl														
Madrid applications per million inha														
Abroad filings via the Madrid Syster						1,888			1,507			1,667		
Share of abroad filings using the M	adrid System													
Madrid top applicants (2020-2022)				_	2042	2044	2045	2046	2047	2040	2040	2020	2024	2025
		Perera and Sons Bak		3	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
		Stassen Expo	rts (pvt) Lta.	1				R	tesident	1	Abroad			
	Top Nice classes; share				Тор	foreigi	n desti	nation	ıs; shar	e				
	■ Coffee, tea and food		11.1	1%	■ IIn	ited Stati	tes of An	merica						
15.8%				9.1%	OII	iiteu Stai		ilerica						
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Statistics for the IP office [1]						
Total filings; global rank	9,465	↓ 4.8%	84 th	Country of origin of non-resident filings; share		
Resident; share	6,245	↓ 1.2%	66%	United States of America	755	24%
Non-resident; share	3,220	↓ 11.2%	34%	China	349	11.1%
Number of Classes Specified in Trademark Registrations	3,640	↓ 33.3%		India	259	8.2%
Trademarks in force; global rank	59,293		72 nd	United Kingdom	199	6.3%
National IP office - applications per examiner		525.8		Germany	189	6%
National IP office - registration delay in days		270.0				

Industrial design														
Statistics for applicants residing i	n this country [2]													
Designs in applications; global rank Resident filings		361 132	↑59% ↑17.9%	80 th				Docia	n count	tin ann	lication			
Abroad filings; global rank		229	↑99.1%	70 th				Desig	II Couri	т пт арр	illation	.5		
Regional rank and share			Asia – 22 nd	0%							606			
		South Cent	ral Asia – 5 th	1.1%					485	487				
Resident filings per million inhabitar	its; global rank		6.0	78 th			405		403	407		459		
Resident filings per 100 billion USD			48.8	79 th				309						361
Hague international filings; global ra					295			505					227	
Abroad filings via the Hague System													227	
Share of abroad filings using the Ha	gue System					92								
Hague top applicants (2020-2022)														
					2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
					2013	2017	2013					2020	2021	2022
									Resident		Abroad			
	Top Locarno classes; share				Тор	foreig	n dest	ination	ıs; shar	re				
13.2%	Equipment for producing electricity				Fra	ance								
15.8%					Sir	ngapore	(1.5%)							
	■ Textile piecegoods				■ Ba	nglades	h (1%)							
71.1%					Eu	ropean l	Union Ir	ntellectua	al Proper	ty Office	(0.5%)			
71.170	Unknown				■ Ur	nited Sta	tes of Ar	merica (0).5%)					

Statistics for the IP office [2]						
Total filings; global rank	159	14.4%	91 st	Country of origin of non-resident filings; share		
Resident; share	132	↑17.9%	83%	India	14	51.9%
Non-resident; share	27	→0%	17%	Switzerland	2	7.4%
Number of Designs in Industrial Design Registrations	96	↓ 1%		China	2	7.4%
Industrial designs in force; global rank	1,292		62 nd	United Kingdom	2	7.4%
National IP office - applications per examiner		79.5		Republic of Korea	2	7.4%
National IP office - registration delay in days		60.0				

Geographical indications

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Geographical indications in force by product category	Geographical indications in force by lega	l means	
	Trademarks	8	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 polulation 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 filed at 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: 12/2023