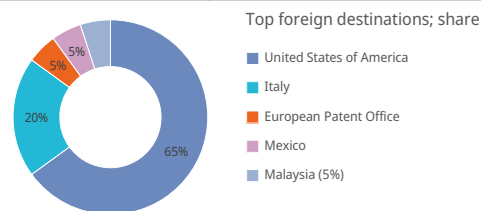
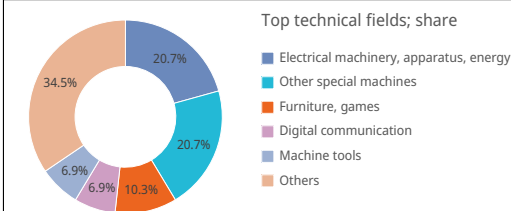
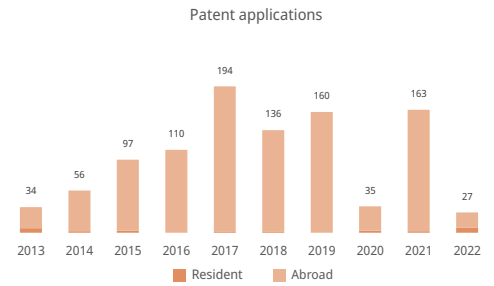


Patent

Statistics for applicants residing in this country

Patent applications; global rank	27	↓83.4%	126 th
Resident applications	7	↑250%	
Abroad applications; global rank	20	↓87.6%	116 th
Regional rank and share	Asia - 38 th 0%		
	East Asia - 7 th 0%		
Resident applications per million inhabitants; global rank			
Resident applications per 100 billion USD GDP; global rank	21.5		94 th
Utility model applications; global rank	10	↓88.2%	76 th
PCT international applications; global rank			
PCT applications per million inhabitants; global rank			
PCT publications relating to renewable energy (2020-2022)			
Share of university applications (2020-2022)			
Share of women inventors (2020-2022)			
PCT national phase entries; global rank	3	↑200%	111 th
Share of abroad applications using the PCT System	15%		
PCT top applicants (2020-2022)			



Statistics for the IP office

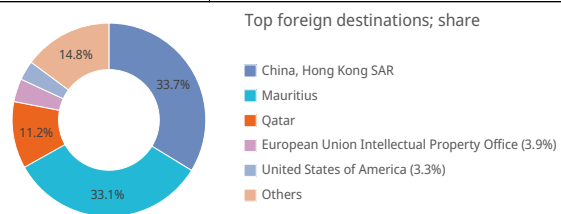
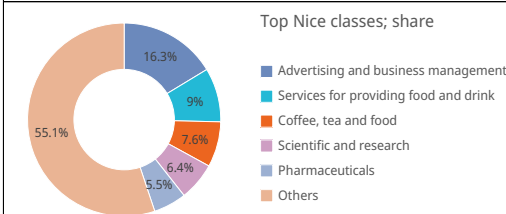
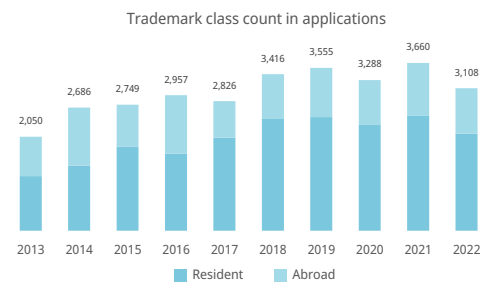
Total applications; global rank	31	↓16.2%	114 th
Resident; share	7	↑250%	22.6%
Non-resident; share	24	↓31.4%	77.4%
Patent Grants	2	↓86.7%	
Patents in force; global rank	335		96 th
National IP office - applications per examiner			
National IP office - grant delay in months	12.3		

Country	Count	Share
United States of America	14	58.3%
Belgium	3	12.5%
Australia	2	8.3%
Japan	2	8.3%
Argentina	1	4.2%

Trademark

Statistics for applicants residing in this country [1]

Trademark filings; global rank	3,108	↓15.1%	112 th
Resident filings	2,122	↓15.3%	
Abroad filings; global rank	986	↓14.7%	112 th
Regional rank and share	Asia - 33 rd 0%		
	East Asia - 7 th 0%		
Resident filings per million inhabitants; global rank			
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; global rank	6,512		26 th
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 (2020-2022)			



Statistics for the IP office [1]

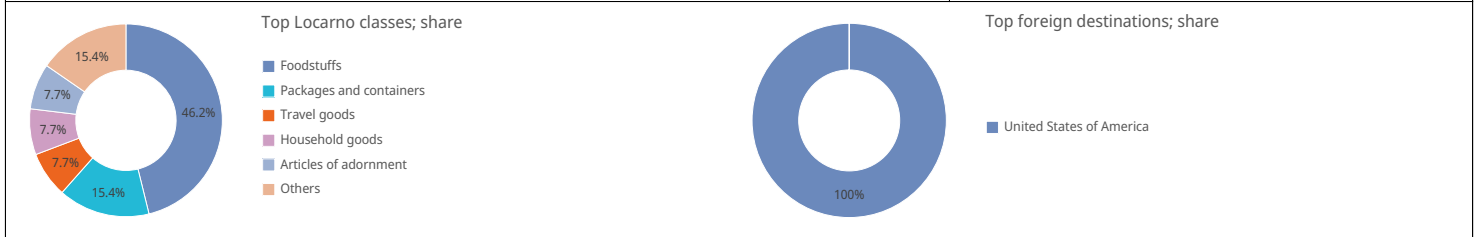
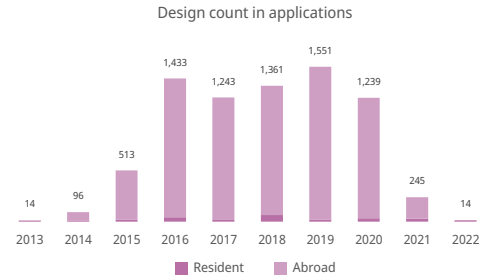
Total filings; global rank	12,432	↓15.7%	68 th
Resident; share	2,122	↓15.3%	17.1%
Non-resident; share	10,310	↓15.8%	82.9%
Number of Classes Specified in Trademark Registrations	13,558	↑3.2%	
Trademarks in force; global rank	151,232		43 rd
National IP office - applications per examiner	1,776.0		
National IP office - registration delay in days	179.0		

Country	Count	Share
China	3,065	31.7%
China, Hong Kong SAR	1,448	15%
United States of America	1,445	14.9%
Japan	952	9.8%
United Kingdom	444	4.6%

Industrial design

Statistics for applicants residing in this country [2]

Designs in applications; global rank	14	↓94.3%	133 rd
Resident filings	13	↓55.2%	
Abroad filings; global rank	1	↓99.5%	132 nd
Regional rank and share	Asia – 37 th		0%
	East Asia – 7 th		0%
Resident filings per million inhabitants; global rank			
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; global rank	39.9		86 th
Hague international filings; global rank			
Abroad filings via the Hague System			
Share of abroad filings using the Hague System			
Hague top applicants (2020-2022)			



Statistics for the IP office [2]

Total filings; global rank	268	↑1.5%	78 th	Country of origin of non-resident filings; share
Resident; share	13	↓55.2%	4.9%	
Non-resident; share	255	↑8.5%	95.1%	
Number of Designs in Industrial Design Registrations	262	↑48%		
Industrial designs in force; global rank	1,585		57 th	
National IP office - applications per examiner	268.0			
National IP office - registration delay in days	22.8			

Country	Count	Share
Switzerland	64	25.2%
France	60	23.6%
United States of America	30	11.8%
Italy	28	11%
China	21	8.3%

Geographical indications

Geographical indications in force by product category			Geographical indications in force by legal means		
Agricultural products and foodstuffs	19	82.6%	Sui generis	3	13%
Services	1	4.3%	Trademarks	20	87%
Wines and spirits	3	13%			

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) 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: 12/2023