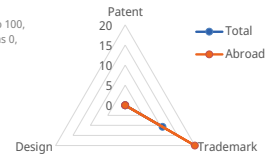




# Maldives

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

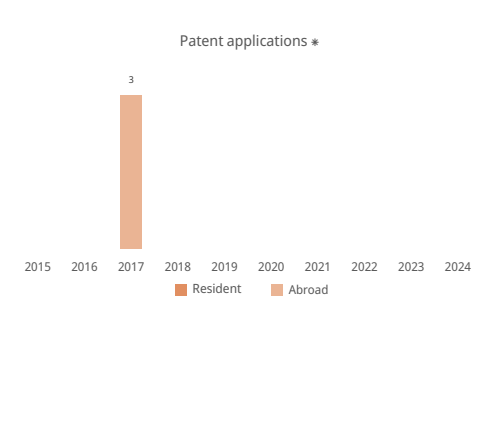


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## Patent

### Statistics for applicants residing in this country

|  |   |                   |
|--|---|-------------------|
| Patent applications; <a href="#">global rank *</a>                         |   |                   |
| Resident applications *  |   |                   |
| Abroad applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>                           | 0 | 164 <sup>th</sup> |
| <a href="#">Regional rank</a> and share                                    |   |                   |
| Resident applications per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a> |   |                   |
| Resident applications per 100 billion USD GDP; <a href="#">global rank</a> |   |                   |
| Utility model applications; global rank                                    |   |                   |
| PCT international applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>                |   |                   |
| 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)   |   |                   |



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|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Top technical fields; share | Top foreign destinations; share |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|

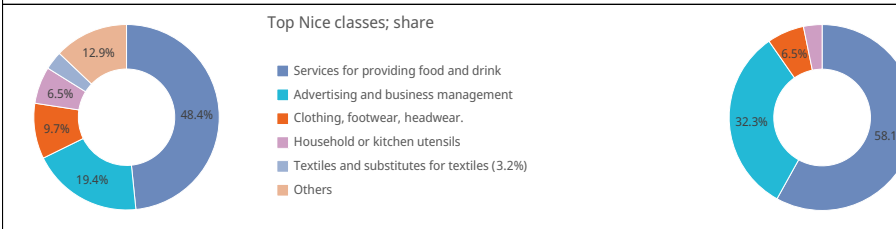
### Statistics for the IP office

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Total applications; <a href="#">global rank *</a> | Country of origin of non-resident applications; share |
| Resident; share                                   |   |
| Non-resident; share                               |   |
| Patent Grants                                     |   |
| Patents in force; global rank                     |   |
| National IP office - applications per examiner    |   |
| National IP office - grant delay in months        |   |

## Trademark

### Statistics for applicants residing in this country [1]

|   |    |                                       |                   |
|---|----|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Trademark filings; <a href="#">global rank *</a>                      | 31 | ↓52.3%                                | 176 <sup>th</sup> |
| Resident filings *  |    |                                       |                   |
| Abroad filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>                           | 31 | ↓52.3%                                | 157 <sup>th</sup> |
| <a href="#">Regional rank</a> and share                               |    |                                       |                   |
|   |    | Asia - 48 <sup>th</sup>               | 0%                |
|   |    | South Central Asia - 14 <sup>th</sup> | 0%                |
| 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; global rank              |    |                                       |                   |
| Abroad filings via the Madrid System                                  |    |                                       |                   |
| Share of abroad filings using the Madrid System                       |    |                                       |                   |
| Madrid top applicants (2022-2024)                                     |    |                                       |                   |



### Statistics for the IP office [1]

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Total filings; <a href="#">global rank *</a>           | Country of origin of non-resident filings; share |
| Resident; share  |  |
| Non-resident; share                                    |  |
| Number of Classes Specified in Trademark Registrations |  |
| Trademarks in force; global rank                       |  |
| National IP office - applications per examiner         |  |
| National IP office - registration delay in days        |  |

## Industrial design

### Statistics for applicants residing in this country [2]

|   |   |                                       |                   |                                       |
|---|---|---------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Designs in applications; <a href="#">global rank *</a>                | 1 | →0%                                   | 157 <sup>th</sup> | <p>Design count in applications *</p> |
| Resident filings *  |   |                                       |                   |                                       |
| Abroad filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>                           | 1 | →0%                                   | 126 <sup>th</sup> |                                       |
| <a href="#">Regional rank</a> and share                               |   | Asia – 45 <sup>th</sup>               | 0%                |                                       |
|   |   | South Central Asia – 12 <sup>th</sup> | 0%                |                                       |
| Resident filings per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a> |   |                                       |                   |                                       |
| Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; <a href="#">global rank</a> |   |                                       |                   |                                       |
| 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 (2022-2024)                                      |   |                                       |                   |                                       |

### Statistics for the IP office [2]

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Total filings; <a href="#">global rank *</a>             | Country of origin of non-resident filings; share |
| Resident; share  |  |
| Non-resident; share                                      |  |
| Number of Designs in Industrial Design Registrations     |  |
| Industrial designs in force; <a href="#">global rank</a> |  |
| National IP office - applications per examiner           |  |
| National IP office - registration delay in days          |  |

## Geographical indications

| Geographical indications in force by product category | Geographical indications in force by legal means |
|---|--|
|   |  |

## 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.

Source: WIPO statistics database; last updated: 2/2026