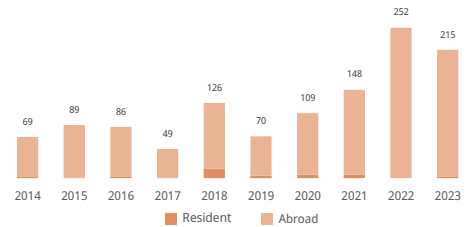


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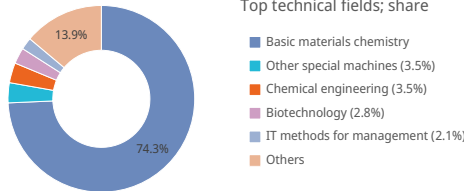
Statistics for applicants residing in this country

Patent applications; global rank	215	↓14.7%	78 th
Resident applications	3		
Abroad applications; global rank	212	↓15.9%	54 th
Regional rank and share	Africa - 6 th 5%		
	East Africa - 2 nd 27.6%		
Resident applications per million inhabitants; global rank	2.4		87 th
Resident applications per 100 billion USD GDP; global rank	8.9		105 th
Utility model applications; global rank			
PCT international applications; global rank	38	↑81%	57 th
PCT applications per million inhabitants; global rank	30.1		26 th
PCT publications relating to renewable energy (2021-2023)	2		7.1%
Share of university applications (2021-2023)			
Share of women inventors (2021-2023)	21.7%		
PCT national phase entries; global rank	156	↓11.9%	47 th
Share of abroad applications using the PCT System	73.6%		
PCT top applicants (2021-2023)			
	Upl Mauritius Limited	14	
	Baba Golinath Foundation	3	
	Entersekt International Limited	2	
	Vortex Industrial Solutions Ltd	2	
	Jua Group Ltd	1	

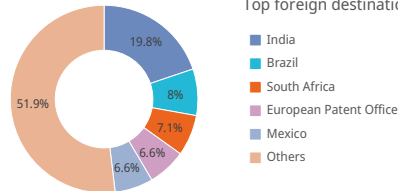
Patent applications



Top technical fields; share



Top foreign destinations; share



Statistics for the IP office

Total applications; global rank	17	↑112.5%	120 th
Resident; share	3		17.6%
Non-resident; share	14	↑75%	82.4%
Patent Grants	4	↑300%	
Patents in force; global rank			
National IP office - applications per examiner			
National IP office - grant delay in months			

Country of origin of non-resident applications; share

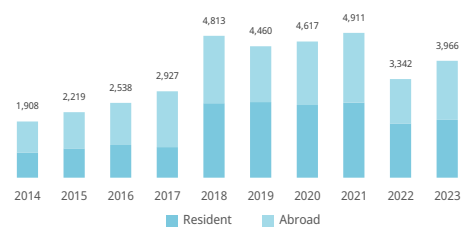
United States of America	7	50%
India	3	21.4%
China	1	7.1%
China, Hong Kong SAR	1	7.1%
Italy	1	7.1%

Trademark

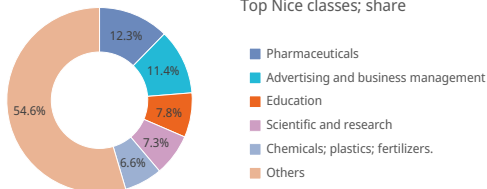
Statistics for applicants residing in this country [1]

Trademark filings; global rank	3,966	↑18.7%	91 st
Resident filings	1,959	↑6.6%	
Abroad filings; global rank	2,007	↑33.4%	62 nd
Regional rank and share	Africa - 7 th 2.7%		
	East Africa - 2 nd 21.2%		
Resident filings per million inhabitants; global rank	1,554		38 th
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; global rank	5,843		28 th
Madrid international applications; global rank	8	↑60%	75 th
Madrid applications per million inhabitants; global rank	6.3		48 th
Abroad filings via the Madrid System	139	↑101.4%	76 th
Share of abroad filings using the Madrid System	6.9%		
Madrid top applicants (2021-2023)			
	Promasidor IP Holdings Limited	3	
	Africa Chemist and Beauty Care Inc.	2	
	Paisley Brands Limited	2	
	Aztec Finance Corporation Limited	1	
	Monsieur Guillaume Bornot	1	

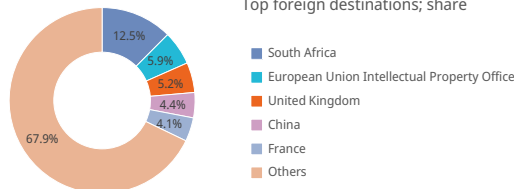
Trademark class count in applications



Top Nice classes; share



Top foreign destinations; share



Statistics for the IP office [1]

Total filings; global rank	4,784	↑5%	106 th
Resident; share	1,959	↑6.6%	40.9%
Non-resident; share	2,825	↑3.9%	59.1%
Number of Classes Specified in Trademark Registrations	4,679	↓8.4%	
Trademarks in force; global rank			
National IP office - applications per examiner			
National IP office - registration delay in days			

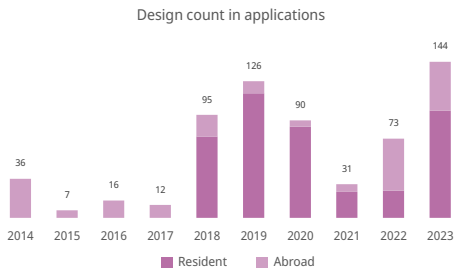
Country of origin of non-resident filings; share

United States of America	494	17.5%
China	358	12.7%
France	303	10.7%
India	291	10.3%
Germany	221	7.8%

Industrial design

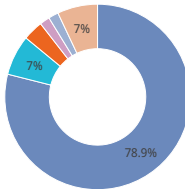
Statistics for applicants residing in this country [2]			
Designs in applications; global rank	144	↑97.3%	79 th
Resident filings	99	↑296%	
Abroad filings; global rank	45	↓6.3%	68 th
Regional rank and share	Africa – 9 th		1.9%
	East Africa – 4 th		17.8%
Resident filings per million inhabitants; global rank	78.5		37 th
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; global rank	295		31 st
Hague international filings; global rank			
Abroad filings via the Hague System			
Share of abroad filings using the Hague System			
Hague top applicants (2021-2023)			

Design count in applications



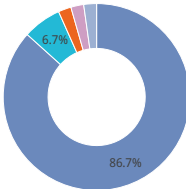
Year	Resident	Abroad
2014	36	0
2015	7	0
2016	16	0
2017	12	0
2018	95	0
2019	126	0
2020	90	0
2021	31	0
2022	73	0
2023	144	0

Top Locarno classes; share



Class	Share
Packages and containers	78.9%
Graphic symbols and logos	7%
Recording and communication equipment	3.5%
Foodstuffs	1.8%
Tools and hardware	1.8%
Others	7%

Top foreign destinations; share



Destination	Share
Madagascar	86.7%
India	6.7%
European Union Intellectual Property Office	2.2%
France	2.2%
United Kingdom	2.2%

Statistics for the IP office [2]																			
Total filings; global rank	162	↑500%	96 th	<div>Country of origin of non-resident filings; share</div> <table><tr><td>Switzerland</td><td>26</td><td>41.3%</td></tr><tr><td>United Kingdom</td><td>8</td><td>12.7%</td></tr><tr><td>France</td><td>7</td><td>11.1%</td></tr><tr><td>Canada</td><td>4</td><td>6.3%</td></tr><tr><td>Israel</td><td>3</td><td>4.8%</td></tr></table>	Switzerland	26	41.3%	United Kingdom	8	12.7%	France	7	11.1%	Canada	4	6.3%	Israel	3	4.8%
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Resident; share	99	↑296%	61.1%																
Non-resident; share	63	↑3050%	38.9%																
Number of Designs in Industrial Design Registrations	152	↑1069.2%																	
Industrial designs in force; global rank	141		87 th																
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		
Wines and spirits	1	100%	Sui generis	1	100%

Plant variety

Plant variety applications filed by applicants residing in this country			Plant variety in force	
Resident		0	National	
Abroad		5		
Regional	Community Plant Variety Office	1		

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) 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.