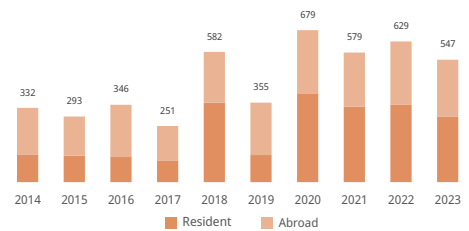


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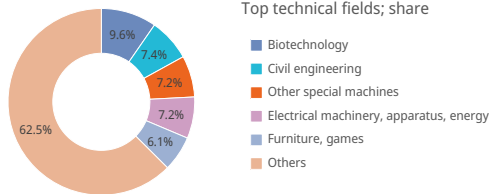
## Statistics for applicants residing in this country

Patent applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	547	↓13%	55 <sup>th</sup>
Resident applications	292	↓15.9%	
Abroad applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	255	↓9.6%	44 <sup>th</sup>
<a href="#">Regional rank</a> and share	Europe – 25 <sup>th</sup> 0.1%		
	Southern Europe – 5 <sup>th</sup> 1.4%		
Resident applications per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>	138		22 <sup>nd</sup>
Resident applications per 100 billion USD GDP; <a href="#">global rank</a>	286		23 <sup>rd</sup>
Utility model applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	14	↑7.7%	70 <sup>th</sup>
PCT international applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	95	↓18.1%	45 <sup>th</sup>
PCT applications per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>	44.8		24 <sup>th</sup>
PCT publications relating to renewable energy (2021-2023)			
Share of university applications (2021-2023)	11%		
Share of women inventors (2021-2023)	22%		
PCT national phase entries; <a href="#">global rank</a>	198	↓3.9%	44 <sup>th</sup>
Share of abroad applications using the PCT System	53.3%		
PCT top applicants (2021-2023)			
	Krka, D.D., Novo Mesto		26
	University of Ljubljana		23
	Bia Separations D.O.O.		17
	Gorenje, D. O. O		13
	Pek Automotive D.o.o		10

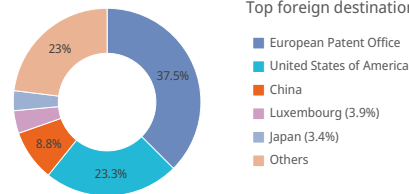
Patent applications



Top technical fields; share



Top foreign destinations; share



## Statistics for the IP office

Total applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	157	↓36.2%	88 <sup>th</sup>
Resident; share	139	↓37.9%	88.5%
Non-resident; share	18	↓18.2%	11.5%
Patent Grants	135	↓30.8%	
Patents in force; <a href="#">global rank</a>	18,183		46 <sup>th</sup>
National IP office - applications per examiner		39.3	
National IP office - grant delay in months		5.0	
Filings via regional office - resident	European Patent Office		153
Filings via regional office - non-resident	European Patent Office		199,276

## Country of origin of non-resident applications; share

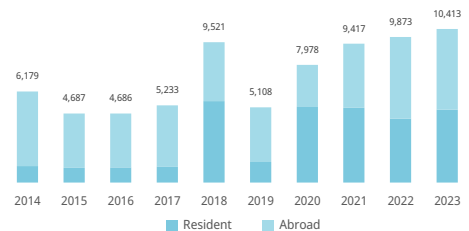
United States of America	48,163	24.2%
Germany	24,985	12.5%
Japan	21,525	10.8%
China	20,762	10.4%
Republic of Korea	12,582	6.3%

## Trademark

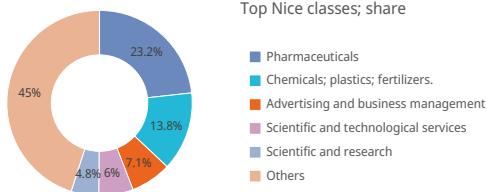
## Statistics for applicants residing in this country [1]

Trademark filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	10,413	↑5.5%	65 <sup>th</sup>
Resident filings	4,932	↑13.8%	
Abroad filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	5,481	↓1.1%	42 <sup>nd</sup>
<a href="#">Regional rank</a> and share	Europe – 26 <sup>th</sup> 0.4%		
	Southern Europe – 5 <sup>th</sup> 2.5%		
Resident filings per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>	2,325		22 <sup>nd</sup>
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; <a href="#">global rank</a>	4,834		42 <sup>nd</sup>
Madrid international applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	209	↓6.7%	38 <sup>th</sup>
Madrid applications per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>	98.5		5 <sup>th</sup>
Abroad filings via the Madrid System	5,258	↑1.6%	31 <sup>st</sup>
Share of abroad filings using the Madrid System	93.8%		
Madrid top applicants (2021-2023)			
	Krka, Tovarna Zdravil, D.D., Novo Mesto		120
	Atlantic Droga Kolinska D.O.O.		39
	Albaugh Tovarna Kemskih Izdelkov D.O.O.		38
	Medis Intago, investiranje In Gospodarjenje, D.O.O.		27
	Poslovni Sistem Mercator, D.D.		25

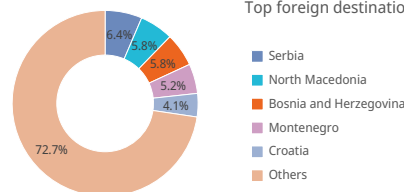
Trademark class count in applications



Top Nice classes; share



Top foreign destinations; share



## Statistics for the IP office [1]

Total filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	5,461	↓1.6%	102 <sup>nd</sup>
Resident; share	3,277	↑21.6%	60%
Non-resident; share	2,184	↓23.5%	40%
Number of Classes Specified in Trademark Registrations	4,806	↓21.3%	
Trademarks in force; <a href="#">global rank</a>	24,644		98 <sup>th</sup>
National IP office - applications per examiner		546.1	
National IP office - registration delay in days		201.0	
Filings via regional office - resident	European Union Intellectual Property Office		1,655
Filings via regional office - non-resident	European Union Intellectual Property Office		435,065

## Country of origin of non-resident filings; share

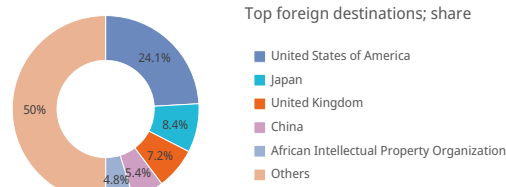
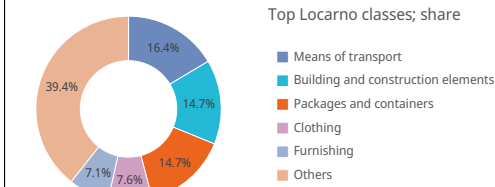
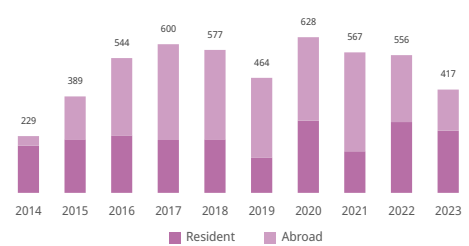
Germany	72,357	16.5%
Italy	36,618	8.4%
China	35,224	8.1%
United States of America	34,501	7.9%
France	27,394	6.3%

## Industrial design

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

Designs in applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	417	↓25%	60 <sup>th</sup>
Resident filings	251	↓12.2%	
Abroad filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	166	↓38.5%	44 <sup>th</sup>
<a href="#">Regional rank</a> and share	Europe – 28 <sup>th</sup> 0.1%		
	Southern Europe – 6 <sup>th</sup> 0.5%		
Resident filings per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>	118		24 <sup>th</sup>
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; <a href="#">global rank</a>	246		35 <sup>th</sup>
Hague international filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	34	↓44.3%	33 <sup>rd</sup>
Abroad filings via the Hague System	135	↓31.1%	35 <sup>th</sup>
Share of abroad filings using the Hague System	66.9%		
Hague top applicants (2021-2023)			
	Igor Akrapovic		32
	Steklarna Hrastnik D.O.O.		5
	Deltahub D.O.O.		3
	Karbonin D.O.O.		3
	Akrapovi Igor		2

Design count in applications



### Statistics for the IP office [2]

Total filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	317	↓15%	74 <sup>th</sup>
Resident; share	48	↑128.6%	15.1%
Non-resident; share	269	↓23.6%	84.9%
Number of Designs in Industrial Design Registrations	309	↓6.6%	
Industrial designs in force; <a href="#">global rank</a>	425		78 <sup>th</sup>
National IP office - applications per examiner	31.7		
National IP office - registration delay in days	101.0		
Filings via regional office - resident	European Union Intellectual Property Office		203
Filings via regional office - non-resident	European Union Intellectual Property Office		116,681

#### Country of origin of non-resident filings; share

China	26,999	23.1%
Germany	16,017	13.7%
Italy	14,069	12%
United States of America	11,857	10.1%
France	6,129	5.2%

## Geographical indications

### Geographical Indications in force by product category

Agricultural products and foodstuffs	2,047	38.1%
Wines and spirits	3,329	61.9%

### Geographical Indications in force by legal means

Agreements	1,888	35.1%
Regional system	3,487	64.9%
Lisbon system	1	0%

## Plant variety

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

Resident	4
Abroad	0
Regional	Community Plant Variety Office 3

### Plant variety in force

National	8
Community Plant Variety Office	30,927

### 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: 4/2025