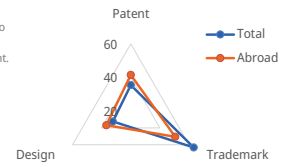




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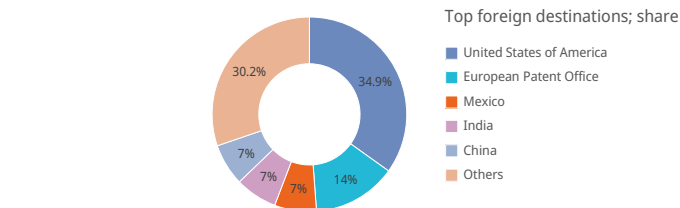
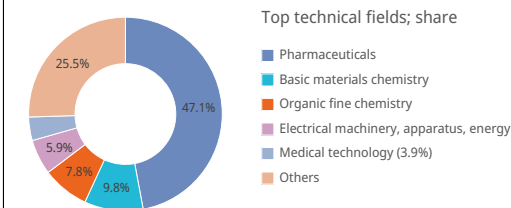
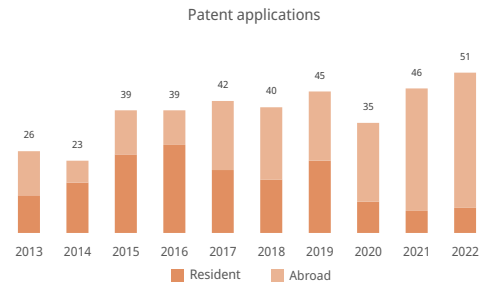
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## Patent

### Statistics for applicants residing in this country

Patent applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	51	↑10.9%	109 <sup>th</sup>
Resident applications	8	↑14.3%	
Abroad applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	43	↑10.3%	98 <sup>th</sup>
<a href="#">Regional rank</a> and share	Latin America and the Caribbean - 13 <sup>th</sup>		0.4%
	Caribbean - 4 <sup>th</sup>		3.9%
Resident applications per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>	0.7		99 <sup>th</sup>
Resident applications per 100 billion USD GDP; <a href="#">global rank</a>	3.7		119 <sup>th</sup>
Utility model applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	11	↑57.1%	74 <sup>th</sup>
PCT international applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	6	↑500%	84 <sup>th</sup>
PCT applications per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>	0.5		83 <sup>rd</sup>
PCT publications relating to renewable energy (2020-2022)			
Share of university applications (2020-2022)		5.6%	
Share of women inventors (2020-2022)		26.9%	
PCT national phase entries; <a href="#">global rank</a>	33	↑13.8%	75 <sup>th</sup>
Share of abroad applications using the PCT System		72.1%	
PCT top applicants (2020-2022)			
	Instituto Tecnologico de Santo Domingo		2
	Aybar Ecotechnologies Corp.		1
	Universidad Autonoma de Santo Domingo (uasd)		1
	Algeanova		1



### Statistics for the IP office

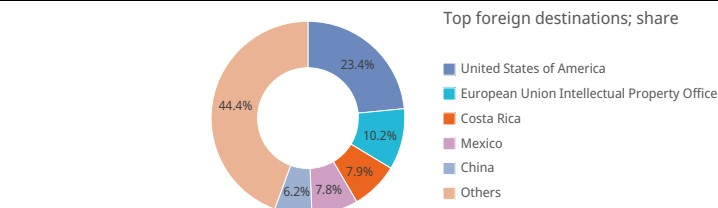
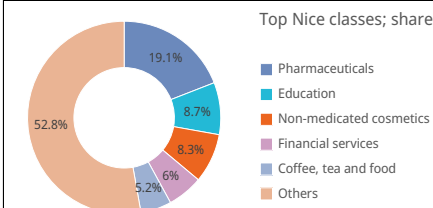
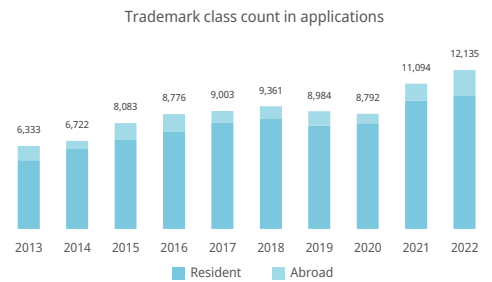
Total applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	241	↑6.2%	77 <sup>th</sup>
Resident; share	8	↑14.3%	3.3%
Non-resident; share	233	↑5.9%	96.7%
Patent Grants	184	↓18.9%	
Patents in force; <a href="#">global rank</a>	1,067		81 <sup>st</sup>
National IP office - applications per examiner			
National IP office - grant delay in months			

United States of America	114	49.4%
Germany	27	11.7%
Switzerland	17	7.4%
United Kingdom	12	5.2%
Spain	11	4.8%

## Trademark

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

Trademark filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	12,135	↑9.4%	72 <sup>nd</sup>
Resident filings	10,202	↑4%	
Abroad filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	1,933	↑50.1%	96 <sup>th</sup>
<a href="#">Regional rank</a> and share	Latin America and the Caribbean - 9 <sup>th</sup>		1.4%
	Caribbean - 1 <sup>st</sup>		36.3%
Resident filings per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>	909		52 <sup>nd</sup>
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; <a href="#">global rank</a>	4,698		50 <sup>th</sup>
Madrid international applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>			
Madrid applications per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>			
Abroad filings via the Madrid System			
Share of abroad filings using the Madrid System			
Madrid top applicants (2020-2022)			
	Claudia Rainville		2
	Brugal & Co., S.A.		1
	Noosa Investments SRL		1
	Velas Hispaniola, S.A.		1



### Statistics for the IP office [1]

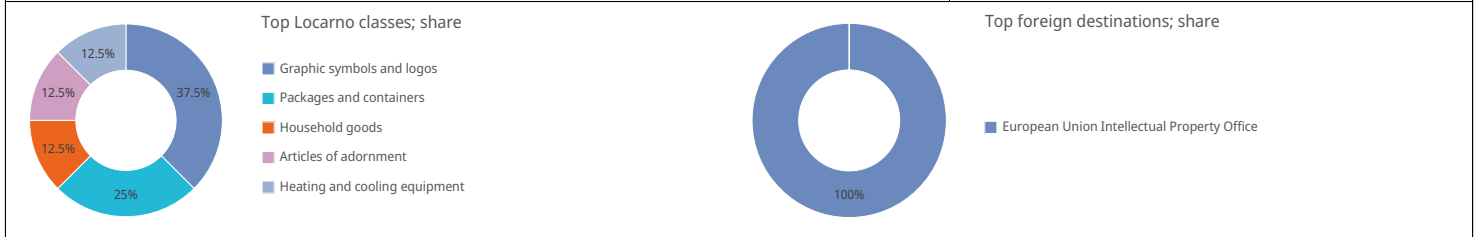
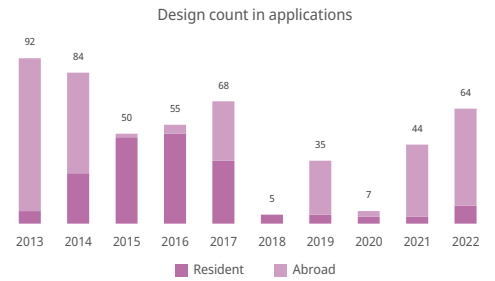
Total filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	16,677	↑5.7%	53 <sup>rd</sup>
Resident; share	10,202	↑4%	61.2%
Non-resident; share	6,475	↑8.5%	38.8%
Number of Classes Specified in Trademark Registrations	14,212	↑3.4%	
Trademarks in force; <a href="#">global rank</a>	138,925		45 <sup>th</sup>
National IP office - applications per examiner			
National IP office - registration delay in days			

United States of America	1,939	30.8%
Spain	482	7.7%
Mexico	345	5.5%
China	318	5.1%
Switzerland	291	4.6%

## Industrial design

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

Designs in applications; <a href="#">global rank</a>	64	↑45.5%	108 <sup>th</sup>
Resident filings	10	↑150%	
Abroad filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	54	↑35%	91 <sup>st</sup>
<a href="#">Regional rank</a> and share	Latin America and the Caribbean – 12 <sup>th</sup>		0.4%
	Caribbean – 4 <sup>th</sup>		2.5%
Resident filings per million inhabitants; <a href="#">global rank</a>	0.9		107 <sup>th</sup>
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; <a href="#">global rank</a>	4.6		115 <sup>th</sup>
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 (2020-2022)			



### Statistics for the IP office [2]

Total filings; <a href="#">global rank</a>	26	↑23.8%	116 <sup>th</sup>	Country of origin of non-resident filings; share
Resident; share	10	↑150%	38.5%	
Non-resident; share	16	↓5.9%	61.5%	
Number of Designs in Industrial Design Registrations	22	↓4.3%		
Industrial designs in force; <a href="#">global rank</a>	142		93 <sup>rd</sup>	
National IP office - applications per examiner				
National IP office - registration delay in days				

Colombia	4	26.7%
United States of America	3	20%
India	2	13.3%
Belgium	1	6.7%
Germany	1	6.7%

## Geographical indications

Geographical indications in force by product category			Geographical indications in force by legal means		
Agricultural products and foodstuffs	319	32.6%	Agreements	14	1.4%
Handicrafts	49	5%	Trademarks	10	1%
Wines and spirits	568	58.1%	Lisbon system	954	97.5%
Others	42	4.3%			

## Plant variety

Plant variety applications filed by applicants residing in this country		Plant variety in force	
Resident	3	National	35
Abroad	0		

### 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.

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