Global Innovation Index 2024



Kunming, China

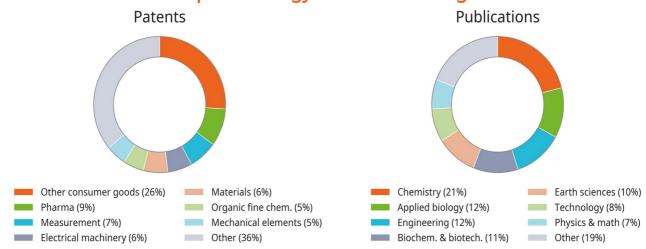
Kunming is the twenty-fifth-ranked cluster, out of 26 Chinese clusters, that falls within the top 100 S&T clusters in 2024. It filed 110 PCT applications and published 5,909 scientific articles, both per 1 million inhabitants over the last five years, making it the:

98th largest science and technology cluster in 2024

88th S&T cluster by intensity (relative to population density) in 2024

Top PCT applicants				Top publishing organizations			
		Patents	Share			Articles	Share
1	CHINA TOBACCO	120	31%	1	KUNMING UNIV. OF SCIENCE AND TECH.	5,959	29%
2	LUO, CAN	40	10%	2	YUNNAN UNIVERSITY	3,265	16%
3	KUNMING UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY	25	6%	3	KUNMING MEDICAL UNIVERSITY	2,034	10%

Top technology fields in Kunming



11% of Kunming's PCT patent applications are filed in collaboration with other inventors, with Shanghai–Suzhou, Chengdu and Zhengzhou emerging as the top collaborative locations.

59% of Kunming's scientific articles are published in collaboration with other organizations, with the top three collaborating locations being Beijing, Shenzhen-Hong Kong-Guangzhou and Shanghai-Suzhou.