



Intellectual property statistical country profile 2024

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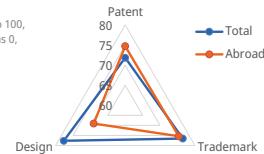
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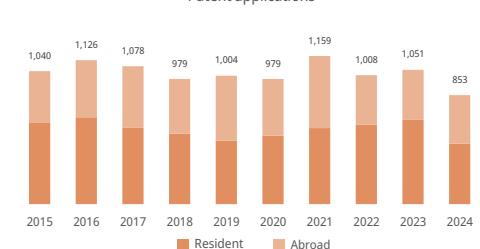
Statistics for applicants residing in this country

Patent applications; global rank	853	↓18.8%	50 th
Resident applications	473	↓28.2%	85.6%
Abroad applications; global rank	380	↓3.1%	42 nd
Regional rank and share			
Europe - 23 rd	0.2%		
Southern Europe - 4 th	2.2%		
Resident applications per million inhabitants; global rank	45.5	38 th	
Resident applications per 100 billion USD GDP; global rank	121	46 th	
Utility model applications; global rank	20	↓9.1%	69 th
PCT international applications; global rank	100	↓11.5%	45 th
PCT publications relating to renewable energy (2022-2024)	9.6	36 th	
Share of university applications (2022-2024)	12	4.1%	
Share of women inventors (2022-2024)	7.8%		
PCT national phase entries; global rank	244	↑0.4%	43 rd
Share of abroad applications using the PCT System	51.8%		
PCT top applicants (2022-2024)			
Bic Violex Single Member S.A.	42		
Pharmathen S.A.	8		
Think Silicon Research and Technology Single Member S.A.	7		
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki - E.I.K.E.	5		
National and Kapodestrian University of Athens	5		

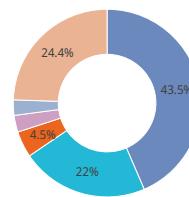
Rankings are delineated on a scale of 0 to 100, designating first place as 100, last place as 0, and 50 indicating the midpoint.



Patent applications



Top technical fields; share



Top foreign destinations; share



Statistics for the IP office

Total applications; global rank	926	↓14.1%	54 th
Resident; share	366	↓26.7%	39.5%
Non-resident; share	560	↓3.3%	60.5%
Patent Grants			
Patents in force; global rank	241	↑4.8%	
National IP office - applications per examiner	27,510		37 th
National IP office - grant delay in months			
Filings via regional office - resident	European Patent Office	107	
Filings via regional office - non-resident	European Patent Office	199,295	

Country of origin of non-resident applications; share



Trademark

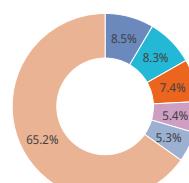
Statistics for applicants residing in this country [1]

Trademark filings; global rank	24,217	47 th
Resident filings	19,872	↑399.3%
Abroad filings; global rank	4,345	↑53.5%
Regional rank and share		
Europe - 18 th	0.8%	
Southern Europe - 4 th	5.5%	
Resident filings per million inhabitants; global rank	1,913	34 th
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; global rank	5,067	43 rd
Madrid international applications; global rank	127	↓7.3%
Madrid applications per million inhabitants; global rank	12.2	43 rd
Abroad filings via the Madrid System	3,176	↑58.9%
Share of abroad filings using the Madrid System	69.6%	
Madrid top applicants (2022-2024)		
National Bank of Greece S.A.	16	
Druckfarben Ellas . .	10	
Metlen Energy & Metals A.e.	8	
Touristikes Epiceiriseis Messinias A.e. Me D.t. Ternes A.e.	7	
A. & C. Infantis S.A.	5	

Trademark class count in applications



Top Nice classes; share



Top foreign destinations; share



Statistics for the IP office [1]

Total filings; global rank	17,938	49 th
Resident; share	15,357	85.6%
Non-resident; share	2,581	14.4%
Number of Classes Specified in Trademark Registrations		
Trademarks in force; global rank	18,040	
National IP office - applications per examiner		
National IP office - registration delay in days		
Filings via regional office - resident	European Union Intellectual Property Office	4,515
Filings via regional office - non-resident	European Union Intellectual Property Office	440,399

Country of origin of non-resident filings; share

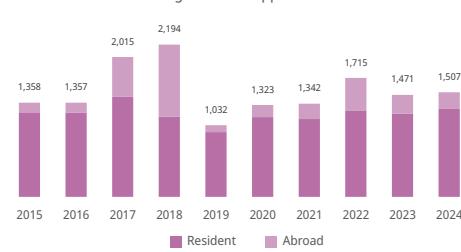


Industrial design

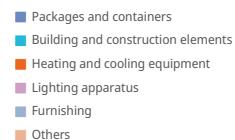
Statistics for applicants residing in this country [2]

Designs in applications; global rank	1,507	↑2.4%	37 th
Resident filings	1,268	↑5.5%	
Abroad filings; global rank	239	↓11.2%	44 th
Regional rank and share			
Europe - 19 th	0.5%		
Southern Europe - 3 rd	1.7%		
Resident filings per million inhabitants; global rank	122		23 rd
Resident filings per 100 billion USD GDP; global rank	323		25 th
Hague international filings; global rank	144	↓43.1%	22 nd
Abroad filings via the Hague System	350	↓21.3%	32 nd
Share of abroad filings using the Hague System			92.9%
Hague top applicants (2022-2024)			
I. Paleohorinos Fotistika A.b.e.e.	12		
Relkon Hellas S.A.	6		
Arion Spyridis	5		
Nikolaos Ouraillidis	2		
Sergey Andreev	2		

Design count in applications



Top Locarno classes; share



Top foreign destinations; share



Statistics for the IP office [2]

Total filings; global rank	1,175	↑13.6%	40 th
Resident; share	924	↑13.9%	78.6%
Non-resident; share	251	↑12.6%	21.4%
Number of Designs in Industrial Design Registrations	574	↓48.2%	
Industrial designs in force; global rank	1,095		67 th
National IP office - applications per examiner			
National IP office - registration delay in days			
Filings via regional office - resident	European Union Intellectual Property Office	344	
Filings via regional office - non-resident	European Union Intellectual Property Office	123,399	

Geographical indications

Geographical indications in force by product category

Agricultural products and foodstuffs	2,089	38.1%
Wines and spirits	3,394	61.9%
Regional		

Geographical indications in force by legal means

Agreements	1,908	34.8%
Sui generis	16	0.3%
Regional system	3,539	64.5%
Other national legal means	16	0.3%
Lisbon system	4	0.1%

Plant variety

Plant variety applications filed by applicants residing in this country

Resident	3	National	0
Abroad	0	Community Plant Variety Office	31,317
Regional	3		

Plant variety in force

Community Plant Variety Office	31,317
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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.

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