

Applications and Registrations

		Арр	lications	Regis	strations
		2016	2017	2016	2017
Trademarks	Total (Class)	41,386	50,035	53,000	37,030
	Local	9,752	10,570	10,432	8,595
	Foreign	31,634	39,465	42,568	28,435
	National	22,909	26,012	28,130	20,895
Appli	cations filed under Madrid Protocol	18,477	24,023	24,870	16,135
Patents	Total (Applications)	10,980	10,930	7,341	6,217
	Local	1,601	1,609	432	414
	Foreign	9,379	9,321	6,909	5,803
	National	3,940	3,667	1,715	1,402
PCT ap	oplications entering National Phase	7,040	7,263	5,626	4,815
Industrial Designs	Total (No. of designs)	4,459	4,740	4,481	4,620
	Local	642	601	684	494
	Foreign	3,817	4,139	3,797	4,126
	National	1,360	1,537	1,399	1,389
	Applications filed under Hague	3,099	3,203	3,082	3,231

Note: Local includes all applications with at least one local applicant.



International applications filed through Singapore

	2016	2017
Trademark international applications filed through Singapore as the office of origin¹	931	1,018
PCT international applications filed through Singapore as the receiving office	649	664
Industrial Design international applications filed through Singapore	0	0

Registrations in force in Singapore

	2016	2017
Trademarks	430,690	440,149
Patents ²	48,603	49,514
Industrial Designs	21,463	24,762

Renewals filed in Singapore

	2016	2017
Trademarks	21,841	28,230
Patents	45,148	47,233
Industrial Designs	1,304	1,297

¹TM IA by class counts.

² Patent registrations in force do not include patents pending restoration. Data for 2017 was extracted in Jan 2018.

Top 10 filers of applications in Singapore in 2017

Trade Marks

	Rank	Overall filers	Number	Local filers	Number
5	1	AMAZON TECHNOLOGIES, INC. US	382	TWG TEA COMPANY PTE. LTD.	87
	2	TARGET BRANDS, INC. US	354	TCL BUSINESS SERVICES PTE. LTD.	76
	3	CHEUNG KONG PROPERTY HOLDINGS LIMITED HK	297	WOH HUP (PRIVATE) LIMITED	70
	4	L'OREAL FR	134	MOBILE HEALTH PTE. LTD.	52
	5	IVOCLAR VIVADENT AG LI ALIBABA GROUP HOLDING LIMITED KY	131	GRABTAXI HOLDINGS PTE. LTD.	51
	6	MERCK KGAA DE	127	SINGAPORE PRESS HOLDINGS LIMITED	49
	7	KONINKLIJKE PHILIPS N.V. NL	125	SATS LTD.	48
	8	APPLE INC. US	124	RAZER (ASIA-PACIFIC) PTE. LTD.	47
	9	KOBAYASHI PHARMACEUTICAL CO., LTD. JP	122	ASIA COATINGS ENTERPRISES PTE. LTD.	46
	10	CP ALL PUBLIC COMPANY LIMITED. TH	120	THE X-COLLECTIVE PTE. LTD. SINGAPORE TECHNOLOGIES TELEMEDIA PTE. LTD.	42

Numbers are in Class Counts

Patents

Rank	Overall filers	Number	Local filers	Number
1	AGENCY FOR SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND RESEARCH SG	353	AGENCY FOR SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND RESEARCH	353
2	NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY SG	178	NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY	178
3	MASTERCARD INTERNATIONAL INCORPORATED US	160	NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE	143
4	NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE SG	143	MASTERCARD ASIA PACIFIC PTE. LTD.	50
5	ALIBABA GROUP HOLDING LIMITED KY	137	SINGAPORE UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY AND DESIGN	34
6	HUAWEI TECHNOLOGIES CO., LTD. CN	72	RAZER (ASIA-PACIFIC) PTE. LTD.	23
7	PHILIP MORRIS PRODUCTS S.A. CH	68	HUAWEI INTERNATIONAL PTE. LTD.	17
8	APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. US	66	SINGAPORE HEALTH SERVICES PTE. LTD.	16
9	EXXONMOBIL RESEARCH AND ENGINEERING COMPANY US	64	ASLAN PHARMACEUTICALS PTE. LTD. HEPTAGON MICRO OPTICS PTE. LTD.	15
10	QUALCOMM INCORPORATED US F. HOFFMANN-LA ROCHE AG CH	57	STATS CHIPPAC PTE. LTD.	10



Top 10 filers of applications in Singapore in 2017 (continued)

Industrial Designs

Rank	Overall filers	Number	Local filers	Number
1	THOMAS SABO GMBH & CO. KG EM	171	SK JEWELLERY PTE. LTD.	63
2	HERMES SELLIER FR	134	WOHA ARCHITECTS PTE. LTD.	56
3	PEUGEOT CITROEN AUTOMOBILES SA FR	116	ASPIAL-LEE HWA JEWELLERY SINGAPORE PTE. LTD.	44
4	SWATCH AG (SWATCH SA) (SWATCH LTD.) CH KONINKLIJKE PHILIPS N.V. EM	100	MASHIZAN PTE. LTD.	31
5	RICHEMONT INTERNATIONAL SA CH	82	TENG HUAT JEWELLERY PTE LTD	27
6	FLOS S.P.A. EM	81	SKJ GROUP PTE. LTD.	23
7	THE GILLETTE COMPANY LLC CH	77	LOVE & CO. PTE. LTD. NATHAN YONG DESIGN PTE. LTD. LIM JEE KENG, JAMES	19
8	SEAT, S.A. ES	75	STAR FURNITURE PTE. LTD.	18
9	AUTOMOBILI LAMBORGHINI S.P.A. IT	65	RAZER (ASIA-PACIFIC) PTE. LTD.	13
10	BIRKENSTOCK SALES GMBH DE	64	KIDS ELEMENT EDUTAINMENT PTE. LTD.	11

		Trade	marks			Pate	ents		Designs			
Country /	Applic	ations	Registr	ations	Applications		Registrat	ions	Applica		Registra	ations
Economy	National	Madrid	National	Madrid	National	PCT	National	PCT	National	Hague	National	Hague
Albania	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Algeria	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Andorra	4	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Angola	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Antarctica	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Antigua and Barbuda	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Argentina	2	0	6	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Armenia	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aruba	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Australia	294	1,380	215	869	32	119	9	79	50	0	58	0
Austria	8	197	6	172	18	41	7	31	0	0	0	0
Azerbaijan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bahamas	26	11	7	4	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Bahrain	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bangladesh	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Barbados	5	0	10	0	8	3	0	8	5	0	3	0
Belarus	0	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belgium	7	89	10	94	16	84	13	41	3	0	3	0
Belize	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Benelux	0	585	0	295	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bermuda	16	0	6	0	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
Bolivia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Botswana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brazil	16	1	19	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
British West Indies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brunei Darussalam	1	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bulgaria	0	35	0	21	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	3
Cambodia	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Canada	183	33	141	24	30	58	12	48	11	0	12	0
Cayman Islands	719	2	436	7	5	150	1	11	1	0	1	0
Chad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Channel Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chile	14	0	4	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
China	2,036	2,042	1,530	1,343	133	375	21	218	61	0	53	0
Colombia	2	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Costa Rica	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Côte D'Ivoire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Croatia	2	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	9



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Country / Economy	Applica	ations	Registr	ations	Applicat	ions	Registra	tions	Applica	tions	Registr	ations
Economy	National	Madrid	National	Madrid	National	PCT	National	PCT	National	Hague	National	Hague
Cuba	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Curacao	10	2	11	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cyprus	2	73	4	38	2	10	3	5	0	0	0	0
Czech Republic	0	62	0	60	0	8	0	1	0	0	0	0
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Democratic Republic of the Congo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denmark	6	327	26	162	6	48	4	33	3	22	2	22
Dominica	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dominican Republic	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dutch Antilies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ecuador	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Egypt	0	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Estonia	0	18	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
Ethiopia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
European Union	0	316	0	160	0	0	0	0	0	871	0	871
Fiji	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finland	6	224	12	172	10	31	14	44	2	4	2	4
France	219	1,826	272	1,395	60	250	32	198	22	508	11	536
Georgia	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Germany	248	2,683	131	1,968	104	379	64	289	17	185	17	185
Ghana	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gibraltar	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greece	4	17	5	18	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guernsey	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	0
Guatemala	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guyana Holy See	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hong Kong SAR	883	19	814	13	17	3	5	4	0 11	0	10	0
Hungary	9	39	2	9	0	5	1	1	0	0	0	0
Iceland	0	12	3	20	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
India	185	143	116	63	27	63	3	32	5	0	5	0
Indonesia	152	0	100	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	0	12	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ireland	24	112	46	99	19	39	15	30	0	0	0	0
Isle of Man	42	1	31	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Israel	16	89	19	59	30	81	22	38	3	0	3	0

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Country / Economy	Applica	ations	Registr	Registrations		tions	Registrations		Applications		Registrations	
Leonomy	National	Madrid	National	Madrid	National	PCT	National	PCT	National	Hague	National	Hague
Italy	27	1,167	20	815	24	71	12	50	74	0	35	0
Jamaica	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Japan	2,034	2,177	1,483	1,584	412	1,277	259	1,026	212	100	214	100
Jersey	2	42	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jordan	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Kazakhstan	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Kenya	0	7	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kyrgyzstan	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kuwait	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lao People's Democratic Republic	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Latvia	0	29	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Lebanon	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liechtenstein	30	168	15	61	0	10	1	3	1	0	1	0
Lithuania	0	19	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Luxembourg	51	126	12	122	3	31	1	20	4	0	4	0
Macau SAR	9	0	11	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Macedonia, the Former Yugoslav Republic of	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Madagascar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malaysia	695	1	837	1	18	26	4	10	13	0	12	0
Maldives	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mali	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malta	7	18	1	27	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall Islands	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mauritius	4	5	19	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mexico	1	33	18	1	0	5	0	1	3	0	3	0
Monaco	1	13	1	10	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mongolia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Montenegro	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Morocco	0	7	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mozambique	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Myanmar	4	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nepal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	72	317	48	270	30	130	15	89	1	0	1	0
Netherlands Antilles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	77	211	38	145	10	41	1	12	0	0	0	0



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Country /	Applica	ations	Registr	ations	Applicat	ions	Registra	tions	Applica		Registr	ations
Economy	National	Madrid	National	Madrid	National		National		National		_	
Nigeria	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Northern Mariana Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Norway	3	166	0	107	7	39	5	24	0	36	0	36
0man	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pakistan	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Panama	3	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Papua New Guinea	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Paraguay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Peru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Philippines	21	41	24	6	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
Poland	4	113	2	72	0	6	0	3	0	10	0	10
Portugal	0	56	4	45	2	4	2	3	0	0	0	0
Puerto Rico	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Qatar	22	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Republic of Korea	696	633	530	399	60	145	42	90	63	11	61	11
Republic of Moldova	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reunion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Romania	6	8	6	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Russian Federation	30	213	4	182	0	10	0	5	0	0	0	0
Saint Kitts and Nevis	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Lucia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Vincent and The Grenadines	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Samoa	15	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
San Marino	0	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sao Tome and Principe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saudi Arabia	18	0	9	0	3	34	1	34	0	0	0	0
Serbia	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Sierra Leone	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Seychelles	15	9	13	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Singapore	10,521	49	8,535	60	1,219	390	171	243	587	24	492	25
Sint Maarten (Dutch Part)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slovakia	0	20	0	14	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Slovenia	0	21	6	10	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	6

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Country / Economy	Applications Re		Registr	Registrations		Applications Registrat		tions	ions Applications		Registrations	
Leonomy	National	Madrid	National	Madrid	National	PCT	National	PCT	National	Hague	National	Hague
South Africa	19	2	32	0	1	3	0	4	1	0	1	0
Spain	17	276	21	212	2	21	5	16	4	129	4	129
Sri Lanka	3	0	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Suriname	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	47	375	28	181	8	72	4	63	7	0	7	0
Switzerland	271	1,832	249	1,068	70	369	49	276	22	1,041	20	1,041
Syrian Arab Republic	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Taiwan	664	0	577	0	58	25	44	6	22	0	22	0
Tanzania, United Republic of	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Thailand	337	0	256	0	3	19	0	4	1	0	2	0
The Former Yugoslav Rep of Macedonia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Timor-Leste	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trinidad and Tobago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tunisia	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Turkey	14	118	10	144	0	3	0	3	0	29	0	29
Turkmenistan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Turks and Caicos Islands	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Uganda	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ukraine	0	10	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	16	0	16
United Arab Emirates	213	3	77	2	1	2	0	10	2	0	2	0
United Kingdom	605	1,779	551	1,171	77	315	45	133	103	0	109	0
United States Minor Outlying Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United States of America	3,839	3,419	3,091	2,190	1,107	2,437	505	1,545	184	171	175	171
Uruguay	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Uzbekistan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Venezuela	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Viet Nam	10	103	13	66	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Virgin Islands, British	405	28	289	14	11	3	5	8	20	0	38	0
Virgin Islands, U.S.	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
West Indies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yemen	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



Trademark applications (by classes) in 2017 according to the Nice Classification

Class	Goods and Services	Number
1	Chemicals used in industry etc	680
2	Paints, varnishes, lacquers etc	254
3	Cleaning preparations, soaps, perfumery, essential oils, cosmetics etc	2,635
4	Industrial oils and greases, lubricants etc	343
5	Pharmaceutical and veterinary preparations etc	2,179
6	Common metals and their alloys etc	534
7	Machines and machine tools etc	1,037
8	Hand tools and implements (hand-operated); cutlery; side arms; razors	282
9	Scientific, nautical, surveying, photographic, cinematographic etc	5,335
10	Surgical, medical, dental and veterinary apparatus and instruments, artificial limbs etc	844
11	Apparatus for lighting, heating, steam generating, cooking, etc	1,070
12	Vehicles; apparatus for locomotion by land, air or water	808
13	Firearms; ammunition and projectiles; explosives; fireworks	29
14	Precious metals and their alloys etc	816
15	Musical instruments	79
16	Paper, cardboard etc	1,409
17	Rubber, gutta-percha, gum, asbestos, mica etc	325
18	Leather and imitations of leather etc	1,031
19	Building materials (non-metallic); non-metallic rigid pipes for building etc	424
20	Furniture, mirrors, picture frames etc	673
21	Household or kitchen utensils and containers etc	741
22	Ropes, string, nets, tents, awnings, tarpaulins, sails etc	89
23	Yarns and threads, for textile use	38
24	Textiles and textile goods, not included in other classes; bed and table covers etc	413
25	Clothing, footwear, headgear	1,927
26	Lace and embroidery, ribbons and braid; buttons, hooks and eyes etc	147
27	Carpets, rugs, mats and matting, linoleum etc	164
28	Games and playthings; gymnastic and sporting articles etc	916
29	Meat, fish, poultry and game; meat extracts etc	1,270
30	Coffee, tea, cocoa, sugar, rice, tapioca, sago, powder; salt etc	1,833
31	Agricultural, horticultural and forestry products and grains for animals; malt etc	482
32	Beers; mineral and aerated waters and other non-alcoholic drinks etc	865
33	Alcoholic beverages (except beers) etc	588
34	Tobacco; smokers' articles; matches	248
35	Advertising; business management; business administration; office functions	4,563
36	Insurance; financial affairs; monetary affairs; real estate affairs	1,830
37	Building construction; repair; installation services	1,006
38	Telecommunications	1,133

Trademark applications (by classes) in 2017 according to the Nice Classification (continued)

Class	Goods and Services	Number
39	Transport; packaging and storage of goods; travel arrangement	865
40	Treatment of materials	441
41	Education; providing of training; entertainment; sporting and cultural activities	3,043
42	Scientific and technological services and research and design relating thereto etc	3,151
43	Services for providing food and drink; temporary accommodation	1,841
44	Medical services; veterinary services; hygienic and beauty care for human beings etc	969
4 5	Legal services; personal and social services rendered by others to meet the needs of individuals etc	685

50,035

Top 10 Trademark classes filed in 2017

	O vera	ll filers	Loca	l filers
Rank	Class	Number	Class	Number
1	9	5,335	35	1,305
2	35	4,563	41	923
3	42	3,151	9	826
4	41	3,043	43	789
5	3	2,635	42	622
6	5	2,179	36	572
7	25	1,927	30	542
8	43	1,841	44	371
9	30	1,833	3	365
10	36	1,830	5	344



Industrial Design applications (by design counts) in 2017 according to the Locarno Classification

Class	Goods	Number
1	Foodstuffs	41
2	Articles of clothing and haberdashery	271
3	Travel goods, cases, parasols and personal belongings, not elsewhere specified	264
4	Brushware	104
5	Textile piecegoods, artificial and natural sheet material	87
6	Furnishing	493
7	Household goods, not elsewhere specified	395
8	Tools and hardware	101
9	Packages and containers for the transport or handling of goods	456
10	Clocks and watches and other measuring instruments, checking and signalling instruments	721
11	Articles of adornment	957
12	Means of transport or hoisting	500
13	Equipment for production, distribution or transformation of electricity	84
14	Recording, communication or information retrieval equipment	585
15	Machines, not elsewhere specified	103
16	Photographic, cinematographic and optical apparatus	54
17	Musical instruments	0
18	Printing and office machinery	22
19	Stationery and office equipment, artists' and teaching materials	192
20	Sales and advertising equipment, signs	52
21	Games, toys, tents and sports goods	284
22	Arms, pyrotechnic articles, articles for hunting, fishing and pest killing	10
23	Fluid distribution equipment, sanitary, heating, ventilation and air-conditioning equipment, solid fuel	279
24	Medical and laboratory equipment	225
25	Building units and construction elements	228
26	Lighting apparatus	269
27	Tobacco and smokers' supplies	27
28	Pharmaceutical and cosmetic products, toilet articles and apparatus	296
29	Devices and equipment against fire hazards, for accident prevention and for rescue	8
30	Articles for the care and handling of animals	0
31	Machines and appliances for preparing food or drink, not elsewhere specified	21
32	Graphic symbols and logos, surface patterns, ornamentation	160
99	Miscellaneous	138

Note: Possible for an Industrial Design application to have more than one class

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Top 10 Industrial Design classes filed in 2017

Overall filers Local filers Rank Class **Number** Class **Number**

Patents granted in 2017 according to the International Patent Classification

Class	Field of invention	Percentage
A	Human Necessities	1,665
В	Performing Operations; Transporting	1,265
С	Chemistry; Metallurgy	2,214
D	Textiles; Paper	37
E	Fixed Constructions	308
F	Mechanical Engineering; Lighting; Heating; Weapons	419
G	Physics	1,359
<u>H</u>	Electricity	1,242

Note: Possible for a patent application to have more than one class.



Intellectual Property Disputes filed with IPOS

	2016	2017	
Trademarks (by class)			
Intended Oppositions	469	362	
Oppositions	337	199	
Percentage of TM oppositions to TM published	0.68%	0.56%	
Invalidations/Revocations/Rectifications	61	77	
Patents			
Revocations	0	3	
Others*	0	0	* 'Others' include cases such as Patent Entitlement or Opposition to Inventorship
Industrial Designs			
Revocations	0	0	

IPOS Hearings in 2017

	Trademarks (by class)	Patents	Industrial Designs
Case Management Conferences	172	6	0
Pre-hearing Reviews	57	0	0
Interlocutory Hearings	5	0	0
Taxation Hearings	13	0	0
Ex Parte Hearings	3	0	0
Inter Partes Hearings			
Oppositions	16	0	-
Invalidations	10	-	-
Revocations	6	0	0
Appeals to the High Court / Court of Appeal	8	0	0

IPOS Hearings Outcome in 2017

	Applio	cation Succes	sful	Application Unsuccessful			
	Trademarks (by class)	Patents	Industrial Designs	Trademarks (by class)	Patents	Industrial Designs	
Ex Parte Hearings	0	0	0	3	0	0	

	Act	ion Successfu	ul	Action Unsuccessful			
	Trademarks Industrial (by class) Patents Designs			Trademarks (by class)	Patents	Industrial Designs	
Inter Partes Hearings							
Oppositions	1	0	_	10	0	-	
Invalidations	1	-	-	7	_	-	
Revocations	4	0	0	1	0	0	

High Court / Court of Appeal Outcome in 2017

	IPOS	Decision Uph	eld	IPOS Decision Overturned			
	Trademarks (by class)	Patents	Industrial Designs	Trademarks (by class)	Patents	Industrial Designs	
Ex Parte Hearings	4	0	0	0	0	0	
Inter Partes Hearings							
Oppositions	2	0	-	0	0	-	
Invalidations	2	-	_	0	_	_	
Revocations	0	0	0	0	0	0	