

Table 1-1 Patent Statistics

	Application	Patent Granted	Rejection	Invalidation	Pre-grant Publication
2020	72,238	58,719	12,352	467	46,834
2021	72,613	59,476	11,629	438	47,951
2022	72,059	58,014	10,686	431	49,559
2023	72,607	59,699	10,844	360	50,024
2024	72,742	61,974	10,600	393	50,413
Q1, 2024	16,815	14,257	2,579	86	12,583
Q2, 2024	17,683	14,972	2,675	86	13,185
Q3, 2024	18,267	15,889	2,840	131	12,100
Q4, 2024	19,977	16,856	2,506	90	12,545
Q1-Q3, 2024	52,765	45,118	8,094	303	37,868
Q1, 2025	17,063	15,018	2,631	91	12,891
Q2, 2025	17,349	15,721	2,632	90	12,210
Q3, 2025	17,991	15,536	2,767	88	12,370
Q4, 2025	...	...	...	...	...
Q1-Q3, 2025	52,403	46,275	8,030	269	37,471
Q3, 2025 compared to Q3, 2024(%)	-2	-2	-3	-33	2
Q1-Q3, 2025 compared to Q1-Q3, 2024(%)	-1	3	-1	-11	-1

Table 1-2 The Number of Patent Applications-Residents and Non-Residents

	Total			Invention			Utility Model			Design		
	Total	Residents	Non-Residents	Subtotal	Residents	Non-Residents	Subtotal	Residents	Non-Residents	Subtotal	Residents	Non-Residents
2020	72,238	39,404	32,834	46,664	19,012	27,652	17,555	16,445	1,110	8,019	3,947	4,072
2021	72,613	37,624	34,989	49,116	19,547	29,569	15,796	14,543	1,253	7,701	3,534	4,167
2022	72,059	36,480	35,579	50,242	19,400	30,842	14,662	13,669	993	7,155	3,411	3,744
2023	72,607	36,380	36,227	50,854	19,634	31,220	14,466	13,309	1,157	7,287	3,437	3,850
2024	72,742	36,265	36,477	50,823	19,586	31,237	14,559	13,341	1,218	7,360	3,338	4,022
Q1, 2024	16,815	8,159	8,656	11,989	4,483	7,506	3,226	2,921	305	1,600	755	845
Q2, 2024	17,683	9,017	8,666	11,988	4,701	7,287	3,766	3,461	305	1,929	855	1,074
Q3, 2024	18,267	9,016	9,251	12,739	4,856	7,883	3,679	3,370	309	1,849	790	1,059
Q4, 2024	19,977	10,073	9,904	14,107	5,546	8,561	3,888	3,589	299	1,982	938	1,044
Q1-Q3, 2024	52,765	26,192	26,573	36,716	14,040	22,676	10,671	9,752	919	5,378	2,400	2,978
Q1, 2025	17,063	7,957	9,106	12,202	4,355	7,847	3,232	2,920	312	1,629	682	947
Q2, 2025	17,349	8,984	8,365	12,073	4,914	7,159	3,609	3,276	333	1,667	794	873
Q3, 2025	17,991	8,911	9,080	12,695	4,776	7,919	3,608	3,280	328	1,688	855	833
Q4, 2025	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Q1-Q3, 2025	52,403	25,852	26,551	36,970	14,045	22,925	10,449	9,476	973	4,984	2,331	2,653
Q3, 2025 compared to Q3, 2024(%)	-2	-1	-2	-0.3	-2	0.5	-2	-3	6	-9	8	-21
Q1-Q3, 2025 compared to Q1-Q3, 2024(%)	-1	-1	-0.1	1	0.04	1	-2	-3	6	-7	-3	-11

Table 1-3 Patents Granted to Residents and Non-Residents

	Total			Invention			Utility Model			Design		
	Total	Residents	Non-Residents	Subtotal	Residents	Non-Residents	Subtotal	Residents	Non-Residents	Subtotal	Residents	Non-Residents
2020	58,719	33,682	25,037	33,811	13,986	19,825	17,489	16,345	1,144	7,419	3,351	4,068
2021	59,476	33,261	26,215	36,576	15,395	21,181	15,742	14,555	1,187	7,158	3,311	3,847
2022	58,014	31,918	26,096	37,175	15,893	21,282	14,212	13,110	1,102	6,627	2,915	3,712
2023	59,699	32,810	26,889	39,254	16,553	22,701	14,035	13,109	926	6,410	3,148	3,262
2024	61,974	33,090	28,884	40,516	16,485	24,031	15,037	13,711	1,326	6,421	2,894	3,527
Q1, 2024	14,257	7,480	6,777	9,544	3,731	5,813	3,432	3,133	299	1,281	616	665
Q2, 2024	14,972	8,258	6,714	9,588	4,015	5,573	3,979	3,618	361	1,405	625	780
Q3, 2024	15,889	8,381	7,508	10,275	4,163	6,112	3,744	3,371	373	1,870	847	1,023
Q4, 2024	16,856	8,971	7,885	11,109	4,576	6,533	3,882	3,589	293	1,865	806	1,059
Q1-Q3, 2024	45,118	24,119	20,999	29,407	11,909	17,498	11,155	10,122	1,033	4,556	2,088	2,468
Q1, 2025	15,018	7,803	7,215	10,152	4,007	6,145	3,365	3,106	259	1,501	690	811
Q2, 2025	15,721	8,388	7,333	10,135	4,213	5,922	3,701	3,345	356	1,885	830	1,055
Q3, 2025	15,536	8,114	7,422	10,705	4,513	6,192	3,230	2,939	291	1,601	662	939
Q4, 2025	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Q1-Q3, 2025	46,275	24,305	21,970	30,992	12,733	18,259	10,296	9,390	906	4,987	2,182	2,805
Q3, 2025 compared to Q3, 2024(%)	-2	-3	-1	4	8	1	-14	-13	-22	-14	-22	-8
Q1-Q3, 2025 compared to Q1- Q3, 2024(%)	3	1	5	5	7	4	-8	-7	-12	9	5	14

Table 1-4 Patent Statistics-Invalidation

	Total	Sustained				Partial Sustained			Denied			
		Subtotal	Invention	Utility Model	Design	Subtotal	Invention	Utility Model	Subtotal	Invention	Utility Model	Design
2020	400	204	43	132	29	70	16	54	126	37	68	21
2021	399	202	68	113	21	70	24	46	127	45	60	22
2022	433	168	45	99	24	47	18	29	218	99	85	34
2023	403	137	41	87	9	57	21	36	209	102	100	7
2024	376	148	48	86	14	44	12	32	184	88	88	8
Q1, 2024	87	33	10	21	2	14	4	10	40	20	20	-
Q2, 2024	93	33	14	15	4	7	3	4	53	25	24	4
Q3, 2024	102	42	14	23	5	13	3	10	47	18	26	3
Q4, 2024	94	40	10	27	3	10	2	8	44	25	18	1
Q1-Q3, 2024	282	108	38	59	11	34	10	24	140	63	70	7
Q1, 2025	96	31	10	21	-	20	6	14	45	19	26	-
Q2, 2025	105	45	14	31	-	20	9	11	40	23	16	1
Q3, 2025	108	43	13	28	2	18	6	12	47	22	19	6
Q4, 2025	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Q1-Q3, 2025	309	119	37	80	2	58	21	37	132	64	61	7
Q3, 2025 compared to Q3, 2024(%)	6	2	-7	22	-60	38	100	20	-	22	-27	100
Q1-Q3, 2025 compared to Q1-Q3, 2024(%)	10	10	-3	36	-82	71	110	54	-6	2	-13	-

Table1-5 Patent Administrative Remedies -Filed and Reversed

	Total		Appeals		Administrative Suits	
	Filed	TIPO Decisions Reversed	Filed	TIPO Decisions Reversed	Filed	TIPO Decisions Reversed
2020	268	26	201	5	67	21
2021	308	16	238	6	70	10
2022	281	17	198	5	83	12
2023	290	17	216	3	74	14
2024	275	20	207	6	68	14
Q1, 2024	65	4	46	1	19	3
Q2, 2024	62	2	47	-	15	2
Q3, 2024	64	7	47	2	17	5
Q4, 2024	84	7	67	3	17	4
Q1-Q3, 2024	191	13	140	3	51	10
Q1, 2025	43	7	32	3	11	4
Q2, 2025	73	1	47	1	26	-
Q3, 2025	63	5	50	2	13	3
Q4, 2025	...	...	...	...	...	...
Q1-Q3, 2025	179	13	129	6	50	7
Q3, 2025 compared to Q3, 2024(%)	-2	-29	6	-	-24	-40
Q1-Q3, 2025 compared to Q1-Q3, 2024(%)	-6	-	-8	100	-2	-30

Table 1-6 Invention Patent Applications by Country of Origin (Foreign)

Rank	Country of Origin	Q3			Q1-Q3		
		2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)	2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)
1	Japan	3,150	3,058	3	9,290	9,112	2
2	United States of America	1,825	1,724	6	5,166	4,969	4
3	Mainland China	952	898	6	2,475	2,463	0.5
4	Republic of Korea	826	872	-5	2,422	2,264	7
5	Germany	219	252	-13	757	732	3
6	Switzerland	171	193	-11	446	524	-15
7	Netherlands	132	190	-31	394	479	-18
8	Singapore	102	105	-3	354	332	7
9	France	69	75	-8	202	211	-4
10	United Kingdom	67	93	-28	243	360	-33

Table 1-7 Residents Invention Patent Applications

Rank	Applicant	Q3			Q1-Q3		
		2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)	2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)
1	TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING COMPANY LTD.	283	331	-15	1,150	1,052	9
2	AU OPTRONICS CORPORATION	91	99	-8	258	297	-13
3	NANYA TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION	87	88	-1	256	345	-26
4	INVENTEC CORPORATION	82	94	-13	201	249	-19
5	DELTA ELECTRONICS, INC.	78	81	-4	235	177	33
6	HON HAI PRECISION INDUSTRY CO., LTD.	76	76	-	246	150	64
7	MEDIATEK INC.	70	66	6	182	184	-1
8	REALTEK SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION	69	73	-5	217	206	5
9	UNITED MICROELECTRONICS CORP.	52	75	-31	131	169	-22
10	INNOLUX CORPORATION	44	84	-48	193	248	-22

Table 1-8 Non-Residents Invention Patent Applications

Rank	Applicant	Nationality	Q3			Q1-Q3		
			2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)	2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)
1	APPLIED MATERIALS, INC.	US	302	254	19	807	712	13
2	TOKYO ELECTRON LIMITED	JP	217	175	24	601	468	28
3	SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.	KR	197	222	-11	573	664	-14
4	QUALCOMM INCORPORATED	US	155	202	-23	431	563	-23
5	COUPANG CORP.	KR	152	175	-13	576	458	26
6	KIOXIA CORPORATION	JP	130	83	57	366	178	106
7	SHIN-ETSU CHEMICAL CO., LTD.	JP	106	56	89	258	196	32
8	NITTO DENKO CORPORATION	JP	91	101	-10	315	327	-4
9	FUJIFILM CORPORATION	JP	88	91	-3	227	206	10
10	RESONAC CORPORATION	JP	64	71	-10	145	172	-16

Table 2 IC Layout - Filed and Certificates Issued

	Filed	Certificates Issued
2020	75	101
2021	69	51
2022	86	112
2023	68	68
2024	92	93
Q1, 2024	49	42
Q2, 2024	22	22
Q3, 2024	13	12
Q4, 2024	8	17
Q1-Q3, 2024	84	76
Q1, 2025	7	7
Q2, 2025	3	3
Q3, 2025	5	5
Q4, 2025	...	...
Q1-Q3, 2025	15	15
Q3, 2025 compared to Q3, 2024(%)	-62	-58
Q1-Q3, 2025 compared to Q1-Q3, 2024(%)	-82	-80

Table 3-1 Trademark Statistics

	Application	Application (no. of classes)	Registration	Registration (no. of classes)	Rejection	Opposition	Invalidation	Revocation	Renewal	License	Assignment
2020	94,089	119,660	78,849	100,444	9,013	784	162	832	48,129	782	9,885
2021	95,917	123,217	81,460	102,439	8,482	696	152	731	55,045	581	10,946
2022	94,778	122,320	79,400	102,170	7,769	633	141	779	53,843	693	10,366
2023	91,535	114,680	75,493	96,425	7,037	540	155	638	57,859	457	9,714
2024	90,341	112,534	78,436	97,746	8,146	685	139	712	56,596	824	9,783
Q1, 2024	21,751	26,928	18,173	23,063	1,998	178	37	157	15,687	252	2,545
Q2, 2024	23,885	29,387	19,929	24,926	2,037	136	36	174	15,240	180	2,478
Q3, 2024	23,304	29,258	19,575	24,263	1,978	165	34	196	13,061	220	2,156
Q4, 2024	21,401	26,961	20,759	25,494	2,133	206	32	185	12,608	172	2,604
Q1-Q3, 2024	68,940	85,573	57,677	72,252	6,013	479	107	527	43,988	652	7,179
Q1, 2025	21,099	27,445	18,858	23,608	2,135	143	35	166	15,589	97	3,189
Q2, 2025	24,525	31,230	19,545	24,618	2,014	158	35	149	14,620	119	2,568
Q3, 2025	27,038	34,043	20,303	25,270	2,165	155	46	199	13,139	152	2,377
Q4, 2025	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Q1-Q3, 2025	72,662	92,718	58,706	73,496	6,314	456	116	514	43,348	368	8,134
Q3, 2025 compared to Q3, 2024(%)	16	16	4	4	9	-6	35	2	1	-31	10
Q1-Q3, 2025 compared to Q1- Q3, 2024(%)	5	8	2	2	5	-5	8	-2	-1	-44	13

Note : Multi-class applications became possible from 28 November 2003.

Table 3-2 Trademark Application & Registration - Residents and Non-Residents

	Applications			Registrations		
	Total	Residents	Non-residents	Total	Residents	Non-residents
2020	94,089	72,170	21,919	78,849	56,736	22,113
2021	95,917	73,374	22,543	81,460	62,071	19,389
2022	94,778	74,326	20,452	79,400	60,312	19,088
2023	91,535	71,960	19,575	75,493	58,746	16,747
2024	90,341	69,386	20,955	78,436	60,399	18,037
Q1, 2024	21,751	16,926	4,825	18,173	14,199	3,974
Q2, 2024	23,885	18,324	5,561	19,929	15,477	4,452
Q3, 2024	23,304	17,962	5,342	19,575	14,814	4,761
Q4, 2024	21,401	16,174	5,227	20,759	15,909	4,850
Q1-Q3, 2024	68,940	53,212	15,728	57,677	44,490	13,187
Q1, 2025	21,099	16,188	4,911	18,858	14,068	4,790
Q2, 2025	24,525	19,090	5,435	19,545	14,700	4,845
Q3, 2025	27,038	21,305	5,733	20,303	15,297	5,006
Q4, 2025	...	...	...	...	...	...
Q1-Q3, 2025	72,662	56,583	16,079	58,706	44,065	14,641
Q3, 2025 compared to Q3, 2024(%)	16	19	7	4	3	5
Q1-Q3, 2025 compared to Q1-Q3, 2024(%)	5	6	2	2	-1	11

Table 3-3 Trademark Opposition & Invalidation

	Opposition			Invalidation		
	Total	Sustained	Denied	Total	Sustained	Denied
2020	418	307	111	107	68	39
2021	415	261	154	101	61	40
2022	479	284	195	107	66	41
2023	464	294	170	88	56	32
2024	464	313	151	112	76	36
Q1, 2024	122	76	46	33	19	14
Q2, 2024	120	75	45	27	19	8
Q3, 2024	120	84	36	29	21	8
Q4, 2024	102	78	24	23	17	6
Q1-Q3, 2024	362	235	127	89	59	30
Q1, 2025	114	79	35	18	11	7
Q2, 2025	111	75	36	25	20	5
Q3, 2025	77	58	19	24	15	9
Q4, 2025	...	...	...	...	...	...
Q1-Q3, 2025	302	212	90	67	46	21
Q3, 2025 compared to Q3, 2024(%)	-36	-31	-47	-17	-29	13
Q1-Q3, 2025 compared to Q1-Q3, 2024(%)	-17	-10	-29	-25	-22	-30

Note: The figures are based on number of cases being disposed. This table only presents the sustained and denied cases, ignoring rejection, revocation and other types of rejection.

Table 3-4 Trademark Administrative Remedies- Filed and Reversed

	Total		Administrative Appeal		Proceedings	
	Filed	TIPO Decisions Reversed	Filed	TIPO Decisions Reversed	Filed	TIPO Decisions Reversed
2020	646	40	535	21	111	19
2021	578	19	477	10	101	9
2022	477	30	393	13	84	17
2023	369	33	300	17	69	16
2024	406	21	338	10	68	11
Q1, 2024	96	6	79	2	17	4
Q2, 2024	103	6	80	3	23	3
Q3, 2024	94	4	78	4	16	-
Q4, 2024	113	5	101	1	12	4
Q1-Q3, 2024	293	16	237	9	56	7
Q1, 2025	91	5	79	1	12	4
Q2, 2025	87	6	71	3	16	3
Q3, 2025	99	2	83	2	16	-
Q4, 2025	...	...	...	...	...	...
Q1-Q3, 2025	277	13	233	6	44	7
Q3, 2025 compared to Q3, 2024(%)	5	-50	6	-50	-	--
Q1-Q3, 2025 compared to Q1-Q3, 2024(%)	-5	-19	-2	-33	-21	-

Note:

1. Since 2005, the statistics of "Administrative Appeal" are based on figures published by the Petitions and Appeals Committee, MOEA.
2. Since July 1, 2008, the statistics of "Administrative Proceedings" are based on figures provided by the Intellectual Property Court. "TIPO Decisions Reversed" include the suits that "plaintiff won" and "partly won and partly lost". The MOEA decisions of administrative appeal being reversed are also included.

Table 3-5 Trademark Applications by Country of Origin

Rank	Country of Origin	Q3			Q1-Q3		
		2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)	2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)
1	Mainland China	1,687	1,472	15	4,404	4,261	3
2	Japan	872	837	4	2,484	2,478	0.2
3	United States of America	774	693	12	2,263	2,093	8
4	Republic of Korea	606	540	12	1,757	1,427	23
5	Hong Kong	245	317	-23	744	960	-23
6	Singapore	206	237	-13	592	632	-6
7	Germany	155	174	-11	471	472	-0.2
8	France	112	134	-16	384	394	-3
8	United Kingdom	112	131	-15	369	386	-4
10	Switzerland	109	99	10	316	350	-10