

Table 1-1 Patent Statistics

	Application	Patent Granted	Rejection	Invalidation	Pre-grant Publication
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
2025	71,965	62,361	10,616	344	49,597
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-Q4, 2024	72,742	61,974	10,600	393	50,413
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	19,562	16,086	2,586	75	12,126
Q1-Q4, 2025	71,965	62,361	10,616	344	49,597
Q4, 2025 compared to Q4, 2024(%)	-2	-5	3	-17	-3
Q1-Q4, 2025 compared to Q1-Q4, 2024(%)	-1	1	0.2	-12	-2

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
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
2025	71,965	35,277	36,688	51,230	19,511	31,719	14,000	12,574	1,426	6,735	3,192	3,543
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-Q4, 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, 2025	17,063	7,961	9,102	12,202	4,357	7,845	3,232	2,922	310	1,629	682	947
Q2, 2025	17,349	8,986	8,363	12,073	4,915	7,158	3,609	3,278	331	1,667	793	874
Q3, 2025	17,991	8,912	9,079	12,695	4,776	7,919	3,608	3,281	327	1,688	855	833
Q4, 2025	19,562	9,418	10,144	14,260	5,463	8,797	3,551	3,093	458	1,751	862	889
Q1-Q4, 2025	71,965	35,277	36,688	51,230	19,511	31,719	14,000	12,574	1,426	6,735	3,192	3,543
Q4, 2025 compared to Q4, 2024(%)	-2	-7	2	1	-1	3	-9	-14	53	-12	-8	-15
Q1-Q4, 2025 compared to Q1-Q4, 2024(%)	-1	-3	1	1	-0.4	2	-4	-6	17	-8	-4	-12

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
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
2025	62,361	32,565	29,796	42,037	17,180	24,857	13,727	12,504	1,223	6,597	2,881	3,716
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-Q4, 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, 2025	15,018	7,802	7,216	10,152	4,007	6,145	3,365	3,105	260	1,501	690	811
Q2, 2025	15,721	8,387	7,334	10,135	4,211	5,924	3,701	3,346	355	1,885	830	1,055
Q3, 2025	15,536	8,114	7,422	10,705	4,514	6,191	3,230	2,938	292	1,601	662	939
Q4, 2025	16,086	8,262	7,824	11,045	4,448	6,597	3,431	3,115	316	1,610	699	911
Q1-Q4, 2025	62,361	32,565	29,796	42,037	17,180	24,857	13,727	12,504	1,223	6,597	2,881	3,716
Q4, 2025 compared to Q4, 2024(%)	-5	-8	-1	-1	-3	1	-12	-13	8	-14	-13	-14
Q1-Q4, 2025 compared to Q1- Q4, 2024(%)	1	-2	3	4	4	3	-9	-9	-8	3	-0.4	5

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
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
2025	376	147	41	102	4	68	24	44	161	80	73	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-Q4, 2024	376	148	48	86	14	44	12	32	184	88	88	8
Q1, 2025	95	31	10	21	-	20	6	14	44	19	25	-
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	68	28	4	22	2	10	3	7	30	16	13	1
Q1-Q4, 2025	376	147	41	102	4	68	24	44	161	80	73	8
Q4, 2025 compared to Q4, 2024(%)	-28	-30	-60	-19	-33	-	50	-13	-32	-36	-28	-
Q1-Q4, 2025 compared to Q1-Q4, 2024(%)	-	-1	-15	19	-71	55	100	38	-13	-9	-17	-

Table1-5 Patent Administrative Remedies -Filed and Reversed

	Total		Appeals		Administrative Suits	
	Filed	TIPO Decisions Reversed	Filed	TIPO Decisions Reversed	Filed	TIPO Decisions Reversed
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
2025	231	23	166	9	65	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-Q4, 2024	275	20	207	6	68	14
Q1, 2025	43	7	32	3	11	4
Q2, 2025	73	2	47	1	26	1
Q3, 2025	63	5	50	2	13	3
Q4, 2025	52	9	37	3	15	6
Q1-Q4, 2025	231	23	166	9	65	14
Q4, 2025 compared to Q4, 2024(%)	-38	29	-45	-	-12	50
Q1-Q4, 2025 compared to Q1-Q4, 2024(%)	-16	15	-20	50	-4	-

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

Rank	Country of Origin	Q4			Q1-Q4		
		2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)	2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)
1	Japan	3,234	3,194	1	12,524	12,307	2
2	United States of America	1,769	1,837	-4	6,954	6,817	2
3	Mainland China	1,215	1,009	20	3,703	3,472	7
4	Republic of Korea	937	1,100	-15	3,346	3,365	-1
5	Germany	294	303	-3	1,051	1,035	2
6	Switzerland	186	151	23	635	675	-6
7	Netherlands	181	209	-13	577	688	-16
8	Singapore	125	124	1	479	461	4
9	France	107	114	-6	309	326	-5
9	United Kingdom	107	92	16	348	454	-23
9	Australia	107	18	494	148	47	215

Table 1-7 Residents Invention Patent Applications

Rank	Applicant	Q4			Q1-Q4		
		2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)	2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)
1	TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING COMPANY LTD.	335	360	-7	1,485	1,412	5
2	INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH INSTITUTE	217	243	-11	328	356	-8
3	AU OPTRONICS CORPORATION	139	128	9	397	425	-7
4	INVENTEC CORPORATION	115	72	60	316	321	-2
5	HON HAI PRECISION INDUSTRY CO., LTD.	94	109	-14	340	259	31
6	MEDIATEK INC.	87	55	58	269	239	13
7	METAL INDUSTRIES RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT CENTRE	86	86	-	102	93	10
8	NANYA TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION	72	121	-40	328	466	-30
9	CHUNGHWA TELECOM CO., LTD.	69	63	10	151	159	-5
10	REALTEK SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION	69	103	-33	286	309	-7

Table 1-8 Non-Residents Invention Patent Applications

Rank	Applicant	Nationality	Q4			Q1-Q4		
			2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)	2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)
1	APPLIED MATERIALS, INC.	US	280	238	18	1,088	950	15
2	TOKYO ELECTRON LIMITED	JP	172	192	-10	773	661	17
3	SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.	KR	168	230	-27	741	894	-17
4	QUALCOMM INCORPORATED	US	139	97	43	570	660	-14
5	RESONAC CORPORATION	JP	125	79	58	270	251	8
6	SHIN-ETSU CHEMICAL CO., LTD.	JP	101	83	22	359	279	29
7	COUPANG CORP.	KR	99	240	-59	675	698	-3
8	NITTO DENKO CORPORATION	JP	91	90	1	406	417	-3
9	SK HYNIX INC.	KR	90	33	173	153	96	59
10	KIOXIA CORPORATION	JP	88	43	105	454	221	105

Table 2 IC Layout - Filed and Certificates Issued

	Filed	Certificates Issued
2021	69	51
2022	86	112
2023	68	68
2024	92	93
2025	28	26
Q1, 2024	49	42
Q2, 2024	22	22
Q3, 2024	13	12
Q4, 2024	8	17
Q1-Q4, 2024	92	93
Q1, 2025	7	7
Q2, 2025	3	3
Q3, 2025	5	5
Q4, 2025	13	11
Q1-Q4, 2025	28	26
Q4, 2025 compared to Q4, 2024(%)	63	-35
Q1-Q4, 2025 compared to Q1-Q4, 2024(%)	-70	-72

Table 3-1 Trademark Statistics

	Application	Application (no. of classes)	Registration	Registration (no. of classes)	Rejection	Opposition	Invalidation	Revocation	Renewal	License	Assignment
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
2025	97,411	124,242	78,102	98,175	8,532	610	141	683	56,006	437	10,728
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-Q4, 2024	90,341	112,534	78,436	97,746	8,146	685	139	712	56,596	824	9,783
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	24,749	31,524	19,396	24,679	2,218	154	25	169	12,658	69	2,594
Q1-Q4, 2025	97,411	124,242	78,102	98,175	8,532	610	141	683	56,006	437	10,728
Q4, 2025 compared to Q4, 2024(%)	16	17	-7	-3	4	-25	-22	-9	0.4	-60	-0.4
Q1-Q4, 2025 compared to Q1- Q4, 2024(%)	8	10	-0.4	0.4	5	-11	1	-4	-1	-47	10

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
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
2025	97,411	75,573	21,838	78,102	58,779	19,323
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-Q4, 2024	90,341	69,386	20,955	78,436	60,399	18,037
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	24,749	18,990	5,759	19,396	14,714	4,682
Q1-Q4, 2025	97,411	75,573	21,838	78,102	58,779	19,323
Q4, 2025 compared to Q4, 2024(%)	16	17	10	-7	-8	-3
Q1-Q4, 2025 compared to Q1-Q4, 2024(%)	8	9	4	-0.4	-3	7

Table 3-3 Trademark Opposition & Invalidation

	Opposition			Invalidation		
	Total	Sustained	Denied	Total	Sustained	Denied
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
2025	433	302	131	92	62	30
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-Q4, 2024	464	313	151	112	76	36
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	131	90	41	25	16	9
Q1-Q4, 2025	433	302	131	92	62	30
Q4, 2025 compared to Q4, 2024(%)	28	15	71	9	-6	50
Q1-Q4, 2025 compared to Q1-Q4, 2024(%)	-7	-4	-13	-18	-18	-17

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
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
2025	362	16	308	8	54	8
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-Q4, 2024	406	21	338	10	68	11
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	85	3	75	2	10	1
Q1-Q4, 2025	362	16	308	8	54	8
Q4, 2025 compared to Q4, 2024(%)	-25	-40	-26	100	-17	-75
Q1-Q4, 2025 compared to Q1-Q4, 2024(%)	-11	-24	-9	-20	-21	-27

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	Q4			Q1-Q4		
		2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)	2025	2024	2025 compared to 2024(%)
1	Mainland China	1,398	1,363	3	5,802	5,624	3
2	Japan	951	919	3	3,435	3,397	1
3	United States of America	751	729	3	3,014	2,822	7
4	Republic of Korea	637	492	29	2,394	1,919	25
5	Singapore	333	178	87	925	810	14
6	Hong Kong	326	267	22	1,070	1,227	-13
7	Germany	167	155	8	638	627	2
8	Switzerland	155	106	46	471	456	3
8	France	146	150	-3	530	544	-3
10	United Kingdom	116	152	-24	485	538	-10