



## IP Statistics



### Jan.-May 2024: Invention Patent Grants Increased by 36.26% While Utility Model Decreased by 15.18%

Recently, China National Intellectual Property Administration (CNIPA) published the main statistical data of intellectual property for the period of January to May 2024. As compared to the same period of 2023, the invention sector saw a year-on-year increase of 36.26% in patent grants, while the utility model sector saw a year-on-year decrease of 15.18% and the design sector 11.15%.

The Number of Patent Grants	Invention Patent	Utility Model Patent	Design Patent	Total
Jan.-May 2023	339,048	924,275	296,013	1,559,336
Jan.-May 2024	462,000	784,000	263,000	1,509,000
Increase/Decrease in Amount	122,952	-14,0275	-33,013	-50,336
Rate of Increase/Decrease	36.26%	-15.18%	-11.15%	-3.2%



## Main IP Statistical Data for Jan.-May 2024

### Patent

During the period of January to May 2024, CNIPA granted 462,000 invention patents, 784,000 utility model patents and 263,000 design patents.

By the end of May 2024, Chinese valid invention patents accumulated to 5,326,000. Among these domestic invention patents (excluding those filed in Hong Kong, Macau and Taiwan) account for 4,336,000, and valid utility model patents accumulated to 3,204,000.

In January - May, the CNIPA received 26,900 PCT applications, among which 24,600 were filed by domestic applicants.

In January -April, Chinese applicants filed 676 international design patent applications. In January - May, a total of 960 published international design patent applications have designated China.

### Trademark

In January - May, 2,877,000 trademark applications were received and 2,128,000 trademarks were registered. By May 2024, valid trademark registrations accumulated to 47,805,000.

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