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ANNUAL TECHNICAL REPORT
ON INFORMATION ACTIVITIES
IN THE FIELD OF TRADEMARKS
IN 2024

1. GENERAL OVERVIEW OF RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN TRADEMARK INFORMATION ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT BY THE OFFICE

Outline of main policies and plans aimed at development of trademark information activities and expected time frames for their realization

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New projects launched or resumed this year in the context of the policies and plans mentioned above, short description: aims, partners, tasks

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- Main areas of trademark information activities and related information and communication technology (ICT) practices which were in the focus of attention last year

The main types of trademark information activities include support of examination of trademark applications, in particular, forming of search databases for internal use at the Office, performance of searches, publication of information on trademark applications, information on the issuance of certificates of Ukraine for trademarks in the Official Electronic Bulletin "Industrial Property", as well as the creation of interactive databases and information and reference systems for providing information services to a wide range of users via the Internet.

Examination of applications for trademarks has full functionality of the text processing and prosecution of trademark applications at all stages, from application filing to completing the examination and maintenance of the State Register of Certificates of Ukraine for Trademarks.

An automated worksite of the Editorial Department was used to form the information arrays which are included to the publications in the Official Electronic Bulletin "Industrial Property".

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The following resources were introduced for information support of the trademark applications examination procedure:

- the International Classification of Goods and Services for the Purposes of the Registration of Marks, Twelfth Edition, version 2024 (NCL (12-2024)) translated into Ukrainian;
- the International Classification of the Figurative Elements of Marks, Ninth Edition (VCL (9)) translated into Ukrainian.

NCL: <https://nice.nipo.gov.ua/?version=122023>

VCL: <https://base.nipo.gov.ua/vienna/>

- **Statistics: changes in terms of application filings and registrations with respect to previous year; trends or areas experiencing rapid changes**

Applications filed:

in 2023 – 25,232, in 2024 – 23,817, decreased by 5.6 % as compared to the previous year.

In 2024, a total of 21,571 trademark applications were received under the national procedure through the electronic filing system for industrial property rights (90.6 % of the total number of trademark applications filed under the national procedure), decreased by 3.0 %, as compared to 2023 (22,238 applications).

In 2024, as compared to the previous year, the following areas experienced rapid changes: «Transportation and logistics» (+ 10.4%), «Pharmaceuticals, health, cosmetics» (+ 9.4%), «Leisure, education, training» (+ 7.2%).

Registered Certificates:

in 2023 – 14,530, in 2024 – 14,743, increased by 1.5 % %, as compared to the previous year.

Geographical indications:

Applications filed

in 2023 – 0, in 2024 – 1.

Registered geographical indications

in 2023 – 4, in 2024 – 5.

In 2024, 5 geographical indications were registered: KHERSONSKY KAVUN, ZAKARPATTIA MED and ZAKARPATTIA VYNO, and FRUMUSHIKA BARANYNA and DOLYNA FRUMUSHIKA.

STATISTICS: <https://nipo.gov.ua/statystyka-zvity/>

- **Other matters and useful links (URLs): annual report of the Office, news page, statistics, etc.**

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NEWS: <https://nipo.gov.ua/blog/>

2. SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES RELATED TO TRADEMARK INFORMATION CARRIED OUT BY THE OFFICE

- **Information and support provided by the Office to applicants regarding filing on paper and/or e-filing (instructions, seminars, etc.) - URLs**

Information for users on various procedures and sources of information on trademarks, in particular, information on the legislation in the sphere of trademarks, Office's services and activities related to the information on trademarks, statistical information, etc. are published on the website of the Office.

The applicants may file the applications for trademarks on paper as well as

electronically.

Electronic filing of applications is performed through the Electronic Applications Filing System (EAFS-1). The applicant's personal account was implemented in the system providing access to all documents generated in the process of interaction between the Office and applicants during prosecution of trademark applications.

Electronic applications filing and electronic exchange between the Office and applicants may also be carried out by means of the Electronic Interaction System (EIS).

Clarifications regarding the work with systems, rules of drafting an application, user manuals and regulatory documents are available on the Office website.

WEBSITE OF THE OFFICE: <https://nipo.gov.ua/>

ELECTRONIC INTERACTION SYSTEM: <https://sev.nipo.gov.ua/>

EXAMPLES OF FILLING OUT APPLICATIONS: <https://nipo.gov.ua/formy-zaiavok-opv/>

- Availability of the application dossier in electronic form

All application materials for trademarks (both primary and secondary), irrespective of the way they are filed to the Office (through the electronic filing system, on paper carriers, by email, fax or other telecommunication networks), are uploaded and stored in the electronic document archive automatically or after being scanned. In order to use the application materials in the course of prosecution of applications, the technological automated systems have been integrated with the electronic archive of documents.

Classification and reclassification activities; classification systems used, e.g., International Classification of Goods and Services for the Purposes of the Registration of Marks (Nice Classification), International Classification of the Figurative Elements of Marks (Vienna Classification), other classifications

In the course of applications examination, the compilation of the declared goods and services with the relevant classes of the Nice Classification is carried out.

As of January 1, 2024, the 12th edition of the International Classification of Goods and Services for the Purposes of the Registration of Marks (NCL (12-2024)) translated into Ukrainian was implemented.

The IRS «International Classification of Goods and Services for the Purposes of the Registration of Marks (Nice Classification)» has implemented the option of accessing the full range of materials of the NCL data in Ukrainian translation for versions from NCL (10-2014) to NCL (12-2022). Additionally, the Previous Versions option has been implemented for data that existed over the period of validity of relevant versions/editions of the Nice Classification. Thus, the access to the IRSs that were created for the NCL (9), the NCL (9) (second, amended, edition), the NCL (10) and the NCL (10-2013) is provided. The NCL (7) and the NCL (8), which were published only in hard copy, are available as PDF files.

The International Classification of the Figurative Elements of Marks (Vienna Classification) IRS for VCL (9) was used for drafting and prosecution of applications. The above-mentioned IRS also provides an option to access the full set of VCL in Ukrainian translation. The materials are available in the form as they existed over the period of validity of relevant versions/editions of the VCL, including VCL (8), VCL (7) and VCL (6) of the classification.

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VCL: <https://base.nipo.gov.ua/vienna/>

- Use of electronic classification systems and pre-defined terms of the classification applied

In 2024, the following electronic classification systems were used:

- the NCL (12-2024) and the VCL (9) translated into Ukrainian – for trademark applications examination;
- the IRS «International Classification of Goods and Services for the Purposes of the Registration of Marks (Nice Classification)» for the NCL (12-2024) and the IRS «International Classification of the Figurative Elements of Marks» (Vienna Classification) for the VCL (9) – by a wide range of users, primarily applicants (available for free on the website of the Office).

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- **Matters concerning processing of different types of non-traditional marks (e.g., three-dimensional, motion, hologram, color mark, etc.)**

The comprehensive automated record keeping system for applications for designations and industrial designs (CARKS ADID) provides for processing of applications for colour, sound, three-dimensional and motion marks.

3. SOURCES OF TRADEMARK INFORMATION PROVIDED BY THE OFFICE

- **Main types of publications in the field of trademark information, outline of the content and medium (on paper, on CDs, online - URLs)**

The information of the Office about trademarks was provided through electronic publications of the Office, free information and search internet resources of the Office - electronic databases (DB), information and reference systems (IRS) and the Special Information System (SIS):

- the Official Electronic Bulletin “Industrial Property”

BULLETIN: <https://nipo.gov.ua/biuleten-promyslova-vlasnist/>

- SIS provides access via the Internet to information on any industrial/intellectual property right (hereinafter referred to as IPR/IP) in the mode as close to real-time as possible. The search engine of the system with its universal search interface, provides open and authorized access to any document of the electronic dossier. Two search engines are implemented in the SIS - simple and advanced. The advanced search has additional search tools, which can be used to limit the search by type of IPR and legal status. Depending on the IPR type and legal status, any search parameter can be selected.

SIS: <https://sis.nipo.gov.ua/en/search/simple/>

- IRS "International Classification of Goods and Services for the Purposes of the Registration of Marks (Nice Classification)" – through this link the current and all previous expired versions of the Nice Classification translated into Ukrainian are available for informational purposes;

NCL: <https://nice.nipo.gov.ua/>

- IRS "International Classification of the Figurative Elements of Marks (Vienna Classification)" – through this link the current and all previous expired versions of the Vienna Classification translated into Ukrainian are available for informational purposes.

VCL: <https://base.nipo.gov.ua/vienna/>

- **Official Gazettes: main types of announcements, frequency of publication, medium (on paper, on CDs, online - URL), etc.**

Information on trademarks was published in Volume 2 of the Official Electronic

Bulletin "Industrial Property" in the following sections: "Official Information", "Information on Trademark Applications", "Information on the Issue of Certificates of Ukraine for Trademarks", "Information on Marks Registered under the Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks and/or the Protocol to the Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks, granted protection in Ukraine" "Information on Trademarks Registered under the Protocol to the Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks, with territorial extension to Ukraine" and "Information on Marks Registered under the Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks, granted protection in Ukraine", "Information on Well-Known Trademarks in Ukraine" and in Notices section.

In 2024, 52 issues of the Official Electronic Bulletin "Industrial Property" were published.

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SIS contains information on trademark applications, information on trademarks registered in compliance with the Protocol Relating to the Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks, with territorial extension to Ukraine, information on the issuance of Ukrainian trademark certificates, information on well-known trademarks in Ukraine. Furthermore, as an additional operational component, information on the legal status of certificates is provided.

SIS: <https://sis.nipo.gov.ua/en/search/simple/>

- Information products (coverage, medium, etc.) available to examiners, including external documentation and databases

The composition of the information base for the examination of trademark applications (search fund) is approved by the respective order of the Office and, in particular, includes:

- International Classification of Goods and Services for the Purposes of the Registration of Marks (Nice Classification). The current version of the current edition (<https://nice.nipo.gov.ua/>);
- International Classification of the Figurative Elements of Marks (Vienna Classification) (<https://base.nipo.gov.ua/vienna/>);
- Law of Ukraine "On the Customs Tariff of Ukraine", dated October 19, 2022 № 2697-IX (Ukrainian Classification of Goods for Foreign Economic Activity (UCGFEA));
- Classification of foreign economic services (KZEP), approved by Order of the State Statistics Service of Ukraine dated February 27, 2013 No. 69 (with amendments);
- Classification of Scientific and Technical Activities DK 015-97 approved by Order of Derzhstandard of Ukraine dated 30, 1997 No. 822
- State Classifier of Products and Services DK 016:2010, approved by Order of Derzhspozhivstandard of Ukraine dated October 11, 2010 No. 457 (with amendments);
- National Classifier of Ukraine DK 009:2010 "Classification of Economic Activities", adopted by Order of Derzhspozhivstandard of Ukraine dated October 11, 2010 No. 457 (with amendments);
- International Standard ISO 3166-1: <https://www.iso.org/obp/ui/#search/code/>;
- WIPO ST.3: www.wipo.int/standards/en/pdf/03-03-01.pdf;
- Article 6 ter Express DB: <https://6ter.wipo.int/struct-search>;
- MedNet INN Services DB: <https://extranet.who.int/soinn/>;

- Lists of International Non-Proprietary Names of Pharmaceutical Substances (INN), proposed and recommended by the World Health Organization:
<https://www.who.int/teams/health-product-and-policy-standards/inn/inn-lists>;
- Instructions of the World Health Organization on the use of bases (stems) in the selection of international non-proprietary names of pharmaceutical substances (INN):
(<https://www.who.int/publications/m/item/who-emp-rht-tsn-2018-1>;
- <https://www.who.int/publications/m/item/inn-stem-book-addendum-202310-2018>);
- Legislation of Ukraine DB: <http://zakon3.rada.gov.ua/laws>;
- Madrid Monitor (WIPO DB of international trademarks registrations carried out through the Madrid System): <http://www.wipo.int/madrid/monitor/en/index.jsp>.
- WIPO online tool Madrid Goods and Services Manager:
<https://webaccess.wipo.int/mgs/?lang=uk>;
- State Register of Plant Varieties Suitable for Distribution in Ukraine:
<https://minagro.gov.ua/file-storage/reystyr-sortiv-roslyn>;
- State Register of Plant Varieties:
 - <https://minagro.gov.ua/file-storage/reystyr-zayavok-na-sorti-roslyn>;
- Register of applications for plant varieties (<https://minagro.gov.ua/file-storage/reystyr-zayavok-na-sorti-roslyn>).
- Sort IRS: <http://sort.sops.gov.ua/index.php/sort>;
- Register of Varieties IRS: <http://service.ukragroexpert.com.ua/>;
- PLUTO Plant Variety Database UPOV: <https://www.upov.int/pluto/en/>;
- Information about Well-Known Marks in Ukraine DB:
<https://base.uipv.org/searchbulletin/search.php?dbname=certwkm>;
- Domain Search DB: <https://www.hostmaster.ua/?domadv>;
- Well-Known Trademarks in Ukraine, which have been refused recognition (<https://nipo.gov.ua/rishennia-apeliatsiinoi-palaty-dv-tm/>);
- Unified State Register of Legal Entities, Individual Entrepreneurs and Public Organizations: <https://usr.minjust.gov.ua/content/free-search>;
- Decrees of the President of Ukraine on the implementation of decisions of the National Security and Defense Council of Ukraine regarding the application and introduction of changes to personal special economic and other restrictive measures (sanctions) (<https://www.rnbo.gov.ua/ua/Ukazy/>);
- State Sanctions Register: (<https://drs.nsd.gov.ua/>).
- State Register of Trademark Certificates of Ukraine;
- State Register of Industrial Designs of Ukraine;
- State Register of Geographical Indications of Ukraine;
- State Register of Certificates of Registration of Copyright in a Work;
- State Register of Contracts Relating to the Author's Right in a Work;
- WIPO Global Brand Database (<http://www.wipo.int/branddb/en/>).
- WIPO Global Design Database: (<https://www3.wipo.int/designdb/en>).
- EU Geographical Indications Register: (<https://ec.europa.eu/info/food-farming->

fisheries/food-safety-and-quality/certification/quality-labels/geographical-indications-register/).

- EU Register of Traditional Specialities Guaranteed (TSGs): (<https://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/eambrosia/geographical-indications-register/tsg>).
- Register of Traditional Terms for Wine Protected Across the EU: (<https://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/eambrosia/geographical-indications-register/tdt>).
- TMview DB of EUIPO: (<https://www.tmdn.org/tmview/#/tmview>).
- DesignView DB of EUIPO: (<https://www.tmdn.org/tmdsview-web/#/dsview>).
- GIview DB of EUIPO: (<https://www.tmdn.org/giview/>).
- Comprehensive automated system of record keeping for applications for designations and industrial designs submitted under the procedure of national registration in accordance with the national legislation of Ukraine and/or in accordance with international treaties under the procedure of international registration (10.10.23.1);
- Trademarks Automated System (TMAS);
- SIS of the Office: (<https://sis.nipo.gov.ua/uk/search/simple/>).
- Examination Reference and Information Collection of the Office.
- Encyclopedias, reference books, dictionaries.
- **Information products (coverage, medium, etc.) and services available to external users; conditions of access (e.g., free of charge, subscription, etc.)**

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- **Legal status information (kind of information, coverage, medium, etc.)**

Information concerning the legal status of the registered certificates of Ukraine for trademarks to the extent prescribed by the applicable law of Ukraine was published in the Notices section of the Official Electronic Bulletin «Industrial Property»:

BULLETIN: <https://nipo.gov.ua/biuleten-promyslova-vlasnist/>

SIS: <https://sis.nipo.gov.ua/en/search/simple/>

4. ICT SUPPORT TO SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES RELATED TO TRADEMARK INFORMATION CARRIED OUT BY THE OFFICE

- **Specific software tools supporting business procedures within the Office: general description, characteristics, advantages, possible improvements**

To process applications for trademark rights registration, the Comprehensive Automated Record Keeping System for Applications for Designations and Industrial Designs (hereinafter referred to as the CARKS ADID) is used.

- **Hardware used to supporting business processes of the Office**

The server part is based on x86 platform servers manufactured by Hewlett-Packard Enterprise (HPE) (HPE Synergy 480 Gen10, DL380Gen10, DL380Gen8).

Information storage models are:

- HPE (3Par StoreServ 8400, 3Par StoreServ 7200, MSA2050, MSA2040).

The Storage Area Network (SAN) is based on HPE SN3000B and Dell Connectrix DS-6620B 24P/48P switches.

The general network infrastructure is based on:

–a two-device Fortinet FG-600F cluster containing VPN and Firewall modules for Internet connectivity, which provides access control to Internet sites and protects the Department's IT infrastructure from complex threats and malicious attacks (botnets, targeted attacks, APT and zero-day attacks);

- FortiMail-VM virtual appliance for protecting email servers;
- an internal router (built on a Unix server) to support the local computer network of the Office.

The local computer network includes a set of HPE Aruba 8320, HPE Aruba 2930M, HPE Aruba 2540-48, HP 2530-48, HP 2510-48, Fortinet FortiSwitch-448E switches and is divided into fifty virtual networks (Vlan).

The server infrastructure is fully virtualised. The physical servers run Microsoft Hyper-V Server 2019 and VMware ESXi, which allow to create and operate the productive virtual servers. The virtualization servers are grouped into Hyper-V clusters, which allow for high availability of productive servers running Microsoft Windows Server 2019, Microsoft Windows Server 2016, Microsoft Windows Server 2012R2, Microsoft Windows Server 2012, Microsoft Windows Server 2008R2 and CentOS 7.

The database management systems used are MS SQL Server 2017, MS SQL Server 2016, MS SQL Server 2014, MS SQL 2008R2, MS SQL 2005, PostgreSQL, MySQL.

The Active Directory (AD) domain structure is designed to allow the centralized management of all information resources, including users', computers, files, peripherals, access to services, network resources, websites, databases, etc.

Several domain controllers are used to organize the fault tolerance of the domain structure.

The WSUS server provides updates to the operating systems of servers and client computers.

The ESET Antivirus Server provides centralized management of all anti-virus programs on users' computers, updates antivirus databases, and generates reports on database updates and existing threats.

Data is backed up using Veeam's Veeam Backup & Replication software product, which provides continuous data protection for reliable recovery of Windows and servers. There is a disaster recovery plan for all servers and services.

Other Microsoft System Center 2019 products are also used, namely: Virtual Machine Manager (SCVMM) for virtualization management, System Center Configuration Manager (SCCM) 2012R2 for operating system installation and software configuration.

The measures taken to develop the IT infrastructure in the current period were aimed at building the fail-safe core of the computer network, increasing its bandwidth, security and manageability, replacing outdated hardware components of the infrastructure, consolidating and virtualizing servers. Virtualization servers are clustered to ensure high availability of all systems.

In total, the corporate network consists of 676 personal computers, 24 physical and 122 virtual servers, 6 data storages and various switching equipment.

For the information systems users the Internet connection is provided to search and browse information.

- **Internal databases: coverage, updates, interlinks with external sources**

In the course of examination of trademark applications materials, data from the following sources (internal and external) are used:

- International Classification of Goods and Services for the Purposes of the Registration of Marks (Nice Classification). The current version of the current edition (<https://nice.nipo.gov.ua/>);
- International Classification of the Figurative Elements of Marks (Vienna Classification) (<https://base.nipo.gov.ua/vienna/>);
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- National Classifier of Ukraine DK 009:2010 "Classification of Economic Activities", adopted by Order of Derzhspozhivstandard of Ukraine dated October 11, 2010 No. 457 (with amendments);
- International Standard ISO 3166-1: <https://www.iso.org/obp/ui/#search/code/>;
- WIPO ST.3: www.wipo.int/standards/en/pdf/03-03-01.pdf;
- Article 6 ter Express DB: <https://6ter.wipo.int/struct-search>;
- MedNet INN Services DB: <https://extranet.who.int/soinn/>;
- Lists of International Non-Proprietary Names of Pharmaceutical Substances (INN), proposed and recommended by the World Health Organization:
<https://www.who.int/teams/health-product-and-policy-standards/inn/inn-lists>;
- Instructions of the World Health Organization on the use of bases (stems) in the selection of international non-proprietary names of pharmaceutical substances (INN):
(<https://www.who.int/publications/m/item/who-emp-rht-tsn-2018-1>);
<https://www.who.int/publications/m/item/inn-stem-book-addendum-202310-2018>);
- Legislation of Ukraine DB: <http://zakon3.rada.gov.ua/laws>;
- Madrid Monitor (WIPO DB of international trademarks registrations carried out through the Madrid System): <http://www.wipo.int/madrid/monitor/en/index.jsp>.
- WIPO online tool Madrid Goods and Services Manager:
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- Register of applications for plant varieties (<https://minagro.gov.ua/file-storage/reyestr-zayavok-na-sorti-roslin>).
- Sort IRS: <http://sort.sops.gov.ua/index.php/sort>;
- Register of Varieties IRS: <http://service.ukragroexpert.com.ua/>;

- PLUTO Plant Variety Database UPOV: <https://www.upov.int/pluto/en/>;
- Information about Well-Known Marks in Ukraine DB:
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- EU Geographical Indications Register: (<https://ec.europa.eu/info/food-farming-fisheries/food-safety-and-quality/certification/quality-labels/geographical-indications-register/>).
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- Register of Traditional Terms for Wine Protected Across the EU: (<https://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/eambrosia/geographical-indications-register/tdt>).
- TMview DB of EUIPO: (<https://www.tmdn.org/tmview/#/tmview>).
- DesignView DB of EUIPO: (<https://www.tmdn.org/tmdsview-web/#/dsview>).
- GView DB of EUIPO: (<https://www.tmdn.org/giview/>).
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- Trademarks Automated System (TMAS);
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- Examination Reference and Information Collection of the Office.
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Internal electronic resources are updated in the course of applications prosecution and maintenance of therelevant state registers.

- Establishment and maintenance of electronic search file: file building, updating, storage, documents from other Offices included in the search file

The electronic search collection is located on the internal information resource called the Search Portal. The data at the Portal are updated regularly as patent documentation of foreign patent offices is received on optical carriers or uploaded from corresponding FTP-servers.

CARKS ADID is used for examination of applications for registration and maintenance of the State Register of Ukraine for Trademarks.

CARKS ADID includes a database (DB), which stores data on cases concerning the examination of trademark application materials and cases related to the state registration of trademarks. The DB also contains reference books and metadata of cases and documents. The documents themselves are stored in a special file repository, and the DB contains references to the location of the document.

According to the regulations, CARKS ADID interacts with the WIPO International Bureau to receive a notification of a new application for international registration with extension to the territory of Ukraine, which contains bibliographic data, a trademark image and a number of input documents. After the applications are distributed to examiners, they are processed. Based on the conclusions of the examination, a decision is made regarding the granting or refusal of legal protection on the territory of Ukraine, etc.

- Administrative management electronic systems (register, legal status, statistics, and administrative support)

Information concerning the legal status of registered trademark certificates of Ukraine to the extent provided for by the relevant Law of Ukraine was published in the «Notices» section of the Official Electronic Bulletin «Industrial Property». The information in this section is presented in PDF format in the form of a periodical.

However, such information is available in the SIS. The SIS provides a «Search by Notices» mode, which allows users to find information on IPR for which notifications of a given type have been published in the Official Electronic Bulletin «Industrial Property» within a specified period of time.

The Indicators AS (hereinafter referred to as "Indicators") is characterized by the ability of generating multiple reports with the implementation of the mechanism for calculating indicators for objects having multiple details for all industrial property objects. The "Indicators" AS is built on a modular basis and provides automation of data loading, preparation of data sets, and generation of statistical reports.

The website of the Office provides free access to information on trademarks published in monthly reports, Annual Reports, Annual Technical Reports of the Trademark Information Activities of the Office, quarterly issues of the online publication "Intellectual Property in Figures" (statistical information) and information dashboard on the main performance indicators of the Office.

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WEBSITE OF THE OFFICE: <https://nipo.gov.ua/>

INFORMATION DASHBOARD:

https://nipo.gov.ua/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/IP_ofis_dashboard_2024-web.pdf

5. PROMOTION ACTIVITIES AIMED TO SUPPORT USERS IN ACCESS AND EFFICIENT USE OF TRADEMARK INFORMATION

- Office's library (if deals with trademark information): equipment, collection management, network of libraries in the country, cooperation with foreign libraries

In modern conditions the needs of the Ukrainian public in the information required for study and analysis in the course of creation, legal protection and use of IPRs are met in the remote access mode.

To ensure access of general public to documentation and literature in the process of creation, legal protection and use of industrial property rights, in 2024, the databases were updated on a quarterly basis: The List of IPR databases of foreign patent offices, to which free access is provided on the Internet, which provides links to the databases of 54 patent offices of countries of the world and 4 international and regional intellectual property organizations; the List of scientific and technical databases and reference resources, to which free access is provided on the Internet; the List of publicly available information resources of patent documentation, as well as addresses of foreign patent offices' websites, posted on the web resources of UANIPIO.

- Publications related to different business procedures and patent information sources available to users, for example, books, brochures, Internet publications, etc.

The website of the Office provides free access to information on trademarks published in the Annual Reports, Annual Technical Reports of the Office on patent information activities, which the Office prepares for WIPO, and quarterly booklets «Intellectual Property in Figures» (statistical information) and information dashboard on the main performance indicators of the Office.

BOOKLET:

<https://nipo.gov.ua/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/IP-in-Figures-2024-ua-web.pdf>

INFORMATION DASHBOARD:

https://nipo.gov.ua/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/IP_ofis_dashboard_2024-web.pdf

- Office's initiatives on providing foreign patent information in the local language(s) (e.g., machine translation tools, translation of abstracts)

In order to provide information support to the development and functioning of the Office, in particular, to improve the Ukrainian patent and terminology base, standardization and unification of terminology in the intellectual property sphere, the Office carries out translation of the WIPO Standards into Ukrainian, primarily those that have more practical value and relate to various IPR, and ensures their timely updating.

Thus, during the reporting period, texts of 9 unofficial translations into Ukrainian of WIPO standards, which are freely available on the UANIPIO website, were updated (revised, translated into Ukrainian) and amended accordingly.

WIPO STANDARDS TRANSLATION WITH NO OFFICIAL STATUS:

<https://nipo.gov.ua/neofitsijni-pereklady-standartiv-wipo/>

Cooperation with universities, technology and innovation support centers, etc.

The Technology and Innovation Support Centre (TISC) is an international project to support inventions, innovations and start-up projects launched by WIPO, implemented in Ukraine by the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine and the Office.

Regional TISCs are established through the signing of a Memorandum of Cooperation and an Agreement on the establishment and further functioning of the TISCs.

In the period from January 1, 2024 to December 31, 2024, as part of its educational activities on intellectual property rights and innovation activities, the TISC Head Office at

UANIPIO organized, conducted or participated as speakers in 86 events with an average number of participants at each event of 45-60 persons, in particular, thematic workshops, seminars, trainings, conferences, festivals, startup competitions, including:

- National IP&Innovations Hub Day within IP WEEK 2024;
- All-Ukrainian Festival of Innovations;
- workshop "The Role of IP in the IT Industry";
- IP LET FORUM 2024: National Forum on Intellectual Property and Innovation;
- Collaborate to innovate: dialogue between science and business, etc.

Educational activities implemented by the TISC UKRNOVI Head Office in cooperation with external partners:

- the InnoTech social project - a project of an innovative platform for modern Ukrainian inventions aimed at popularizing scientific achievements;
- educational cycle of monthly online webinars Talking about my idea (12 webinars in total);
- the training course "TISC.Services: Procedure and Mechanisms for Providing Services in the Field of Intellectual Property and Innovation", which took place from October 3 to December 26, 2024;
- the 5 workshop series Intellectual Exploration: Conquering Intellectual Property –at the "Dnipro University of Technology";
- webinars series "Intellectual Property as a Catalyst for the Development of the Innovation Environment" included 4 online training sessions and were held in cooperation with Department “IP Academy”, covered more than 200 participants);
- the round table "Practice of Implementation of Intellectual Property Policy", organized jointly with the Department “Intellectual Property Academy”, was held in the format of an online event for more than 50 representatives of higher education and research institutions.

The second season of the acceleration program Lab2Market UA 2.0 was held as part of the annual All-Ukrainian Entrepreneurship Program Lab2Market UA. According to the results, 17 knowledge-intensive startup projects were selected, including 11 reaching the final and building their own business plans.

In the first half of 2024, a training program on entrepreneurship and intellectual property "Lab2Market Veterano" was held in Dnipro, where 8 finalist projects were selected.

Within the framework of the educational activities of UANIPIO in Ukraine, the National IP&Innovations Hub organized and conducted 92 educational events in 2024 (thematic workshops, trainings, business forums, innovation festivals, startup competitions, ideathons, hackathons), including

- webinar "Legal Protection and Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights" with the National University of Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic;
- webinar "Intellectual Property: from theoretical basis to practical cases";
- workshop "Q&A: WIPO databases and digital tools for the analysis of intellectual property rights" within the framework of the project "Database Power-up: Workshops to support TISC network members in the use of WIPO databases";
- a project from the YEP startup accelerator on the topic: "Current state and prospects of reforming the IP sphere" IP policy in universities";
- webinar "International patenting at different stages of innovation readiness".

A number of activities were carried out to develop information materials and references in the field of intellectual property and related areas.

Within the framework of providing patent information products to help inventors and innovators, the following were created and published:

- "IP&I Guide"
- a series of information guides "Startup Beginner's Guide" (19 information references),
- 3 patent information products (information references, guides, analytical materials, etc.) (22 information references).

Relevant methodological recommendations were developed to implement the policy on intellectual property in higher education and research institutions.

With an aim to increase the use of patent and non-patent literature in academic and research institutions, information materials were created (4 information references on ASPI, ARDI, Espacenet, WIPO PATENTSCOPE) and a presentation for the representatives of the TISC network.

Within the framework of the relevant survey, the National IP&Innovations Hub developed an analytical report on the current state of innovation capacity of domestic business entities, state-owned and municipal enterprises.

To provide information support to scientists and entrepreneurs, the National IP&Innovations Hub has prepared an interactive dashboard for analyzing technologies registered in the State Register of Technologies and their components created or purchased with budgetary funds or created or purchased by state-owned enterprises according to various criteria.

In line with the National Strategy of Intellectual Property Development, the National IP&Innovations Hub developed an information and analytical reference on the survey on problems in the field of intellectual property, innovation and technology transfer.

On the basis of the National IP&Innovations Hub, interactive dashboards on IP and innovation development in Ukraine were elaborated. The infrastructure of Ukraine's innovation ecosystem in the regional context includes industrial parks, science parks, technology parks, innovation clusters, technology and innovation support centers

In the field of intellectual property and related areas the following consultations and information were provided:

- 20 consultations on registration of IPRs abroad and patent market research,
- 68 consultations to startup projects under the Lab2Market 2.0 program;
- 7,802 telephone consultations
- 636 face-to-face consultations as part of information and advisory support on intellectual property rights protection.

Within the framework of the SME Funds 2024 project, as part of the methodology for registering a profile and working with an applicant to create a profile and request 4 reimbursements, specialists provided 112 consultations and processed 38 requests for registration of an applicant's profile.

In 2024, the TISC UANIPIO Head Office provided 36 consultations on the development of innovation activities, creation of innovative projects, commercialization of intellectual property rights, and technology transfer.

As of the end of 2024, 46 Technology and Innovation Support Centers (TISCs) operate in Ukraine together with the TISC Headquarters of the Ukrainian National Research and Development Agency, 17 of which were established in 2024 in 8 regions and Kyiv.

18 specialists of UANIPIO were involved in the implementation of the abovementioned

projects.

TISC: <https://nipo.gov.ua/tisc-page/>

- Education and training: training courses, e-learning modules (URLs), seminars, exhibitions, etc.

Detailed information on the activities of the Office in 2024 is published on the website of the Office, in particular, in the quarterly issues of the booklet «Intellectual Property in Figures», Annual Report of the Office in 2024, as well as in the information dashboard on the main performance indicators of the Office

In 2024, the following events were organized by the UANIPIO Department "Academy of Intellectual Property":

- a training course "Protection of Intellectual Property Rights in the Defense Industry" for specialists of defense industry enterprises. Within the framework of the training course, a number of sessions were devoted, in particular, to the topics "Legal Protection of Trademarks in Ukraine" and "International Registration of Trademarks under the Madrid System". During the course, the participants had an opportunity to learn about the features and types of trademarks, the conditions for granting legal protection, legislation in the field of trademark protection, requirements for filing trademark applications, and the peculiarities of international trademark registration under the Madrid system.

- a training course for representatives of the Bureau of Economic Security of Ukraine "Topical Issues of Legal Protection and Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights and Ensuring Economic Security of the State" was organized jointly with the Intellectual Property Infringement Monitoring Center. Within the framework of the training course, a number of sessions were devoted, in particular, to the following topics: "General characteristics of legal protection of trademarks in Ukraine. Use of national and international databases and registers to find information about the trademark owner", "Civil law aspects of intellectual property rights protection", "Criminal law aspects of intellectual property rights protection". During the course, the participants had an opportunity to get acquainted with the basic concepts and characteristics of trademarks, national and international legal framework, international databases and registers administered by the IB WIPO to search for information about the owner of an international trademark registration, peculiarities of determining damages as a result of infringement of intellectual property rights to a trademark in criminal and civil law aspects.

- a training course for masters of folk arts and crafts within the framework of the project "The Role of Intellectual Property in Preserving the Nation's Code" was organized with the support of the Academy of the World Intellectual Property Organization. As part of the training course, one session was devoted to the topic "Trademarks and Geographical Indications: International and National Experience". During the course, the participants had an opportunity to familiarize themselves with the concept and types of trademarks, conditions for granting legal protection, and legislation in the field of trademark protection.

Specialists of the Office completed WIPO Academy Distance Learning courses on the following topics:

- DL-101 General Course on Intellectual Property;
- DL-302 Trademarks, Industrial Designs and Geographical Indications;

In 2024, the specialists of the Office participated in specialized and educational events in the field of intellectual property, organized by both the Office and other international organizations, including WIPO, EPO, EUIPO, namely:

WIPO Madrid System Webinars:

- Webinar “Introducing a New WIPO eMadrid Experience – Improved Access to the Madrid System's Online Services”, February 07, 2024;
- Webinar “The Madrid System for Newcomers – A Beginner's Guide to WIPO's International Trademark System”, March 20, 2024;
- Webinar “Searching for Trademarks: Make the Most of WIPO's Global Brand Database”, April 17, 2024;
- Webinar “Prepare Your International Trademark Application – An Overview of the Resources under eMadrid”, May 08, 2024;
- Webinar “Understanding the Classification of Goods and Services”, May 29, 2024;
- Webinar “How to File an International Trademark Application”, June 12, 2024;
- Webinar “Protecting Trademarks Internationally with WIPO's Madrid System – A Guide for SMEs”, September 11, 2024;
- Webinar “Make the Most of Madrid System Online Services”, October 30, 2024;
- Webinar “Record a Change in Ownership of an International Trademark Registration”, November 27, 2024 ;
- Webinar “Everything you Wanted to Know about the Madrid System”, December 11, 2024.

6. INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ACTIVITIES IN THE FIELD OF TRADEMARK INFORMATION

International exchange of trademark information in machine-readable form (e.g., official gazettes)

The international exchange of patent documentation is carried out by the Office, which was recognized in 2003 as the Centre for International Exchange of Publications in accordance with the Convention on the International Exchange of Publications adopted on December 3, 1958 by the UN General Conference on Education, Science and Culture.

In 2024, in the framework of international exchange, the Office continued the transition to free international exchange of patent documentation on intangible media, namely by providing access via the Internet thereto and spreading data exchange, mainly through the office's FTP servers.

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- Participation in international or regional events and projects related to trademark information

In 2024, the Office continued international cooperation in the field of intellectual property with WIPO, the EPO and intellectual property offices of other countries.

Representatives of the Office participated in the work of WIPO Task Forces (including online), preparation of relevant proposals and information on Ukraine (if necessary) at sessions and meetings of WIPO Committees and Working Groups (online), in particular, in the work of the Task Forces (TF) of the Committee on WIPO Standards (CWS) on the development of new WIPO Standards, their updates, as well as other CWS projects:

- WIPO Standing Committee on the Law of Trademarks, Industrial Designs and Geographical Indications, 47th session, March 19 to 21, 2024;
- WIPO Committee of Experts of the Nice Union, 34th session, April 22 to 26, 2024;
- WIPO Committee on Development and Intellectual Property, 32th session, April 29 to May 3, 2024;
- WIPO Program and Budget Committee, 37th session, June 10 to 14, 2024;
- Assemblies of the Member States of WIPO (65th Series), July 9 to 17, 2024;

- WIPO Committee on WIPO Standards (CWS), 12th session, September 16 to 20, 2024;
- WIPO Working Group on the Legal Development of the Madrid System for the International Registration of Marks, 22th session, October 07 to 11, 2024;
- WIPO Intergovernmental Committee on Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore, 48th session, November 29, 2024;
- WIPO Intergovernmental Committee on Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore, 49th session, December 2 to 6, 2024;
- WIPO Committee on Development and Intellectual Property, 33th session, December 9 to 13, 2024;
- Visit to EUIPO on the occasion of the launch of the EU4IP project; March 25 to 26, 2024;
- 22th EUIPO Liaison Meeting on Cooperation, April 15 to 17, 2024;
- 5th EUIPO Case Law Conference on Intellectual Property, April 29 to 30, 2024;
- 9th EUIPO meeting of the Anti-Scam Network, May 16, 2024;
- 32th EUIPO Liaison Meeting on Trade Marks, October 14 to 16, 2024;
- Working visit to the European Union Intellectual Property Office for experience exchange in the field of legal protection of intellectual property, November 05 to 07, 2024;
- Symposium of the Committee on Intellectual Property Protection, November 07, 2024;
- Meeting of the Council for Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights, April 25 to 26 and November 06 to 07, 2024;
- EIT-EUIPO-EPO training IP for SMEs, July 3 to 4, 2024;
- WIPO's "Hands-on IP Finance: Securing Loans with Your IP Assets", December 10, 2024;
- Workshop on Combatting Piracy and Counterfeiting, April 16 to 18, 2024;
- 8th Meeting of the Subcommittee on Geographical Indications between Ukraine and the EU December 09, 2024;
- Bilateral meeting between Ukraine and the European Commission on Negotiation

Chapter 7: Intellectual Property Rights, December 10 to 11, 2024.

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7. Activities relating to the implementation of WIPO Standards concerning trademarks information

At present, the following WIPO Standards related to trademarks have been implemented at UANIPIO:

<u>ST.3</u>	Two-letter codes for the representation of states, other entities and organizations
<u>ST.60</u>	Bibliographic data relating to marks
<u>ST.63</u>	Content and layout of trademark gazettes
<u>ST.66</u>	Processing of trademark information using XML
<u>ST.67</u>	Electronic management of the figurative elements of trademarks