

The Global Innovation Index (GII), organised by the World Intellectual Property Organization, is an annual ranking of more than 130 world economies according to their innovation capabilities.

# **Most Innovative Country In The World**

in Asia

**SINGAPORE'S INNOVATION ACTIVITIES** 



#### **Innovation Input**

Indicates the elements of the national economy that enable innovative activities



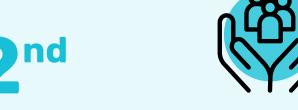
#### **Innovation Output**

Represents the results of innovative actitivies within the economy (up from 11th in 2024)



## **Institutions**

Refers to the institutional framework of a country that attracts business and fosters growth by providing good governance, protection, incentives, and the rule of law.





#### **Human Capital and Research**

Refers to the human capital of a country

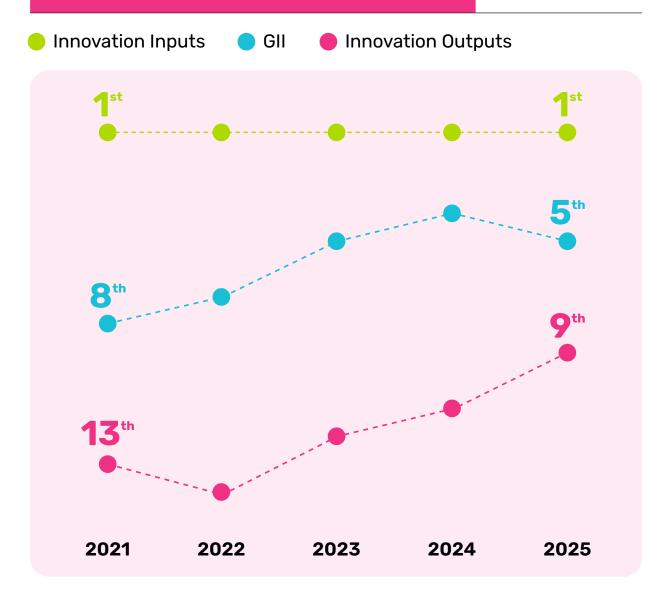
#### **Business Sophistication**

Identifies the level of business sophistication to assess how conducive firms are to innovation activity

#### **GLOBAL OVERVIEW**

| Top 10       | Ranked Economie   | es in 2025 | From <b>2024</b> |
|--------------|-------------------|------------|------------------|
| •            | Switzerland       | 1          | -                |
| +            | Sweden            | 2          | _                |
|              | United States     | 3          | -                |
| # <b>•</b> # | Republic of Korea | 4          | <b>1</b> 2       |
| <b>C</b> :   | Singapore         | 5          | <b>①</b> 1       |
|              | United Kingdom    | 6          | <b>①</b> 1       |
| +            | Finland           | 7          | -                |
|              | Netherlands       | 8          | -                |
|              | Denmark           | 9          | 1                |
| *}           | China             | 10         | <b>1</b>         |
|              |                   |            |                  |

## **SINGAPORE'S RANKING SINCE 2021**



## SINGAPORE'S TOP RESEARCH, INNOVATION & ENTERPRISE (RIE) INDICATOR RANKINGS



**R&D** expenditure, % GDP

Total value of R&D expenditure in Singapore



## Researchers

Total number of full-time equivalent researchers in Singapore, per million people



**Unicorn valuations, % GDP** 

Combined valuations of Singapore unicorns



**Venture capital deals received, % GDP** VC deals received by firms headquartered in Singapore



Venture capital deals completed, % GDP VC deals completed by investors headquartered in Singapore

#### TRENDS IN SINGAPORE'S IP-RELATED INDICATORS

#### **INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY TRADE FLOWS**

Intellectual property payments,

% total trade Payments made to other countries for the use

of their intellectual property

Intellectual property receipts,

% total trade Payments received from other countries for

the use of our intellectual property

#### **PATENTS**

#### Patent families/bn PPP\$ GDP

Number of patent families filed by Singapore residents in at least two offices

#### Patents by origin/bn PPP\$ GDP Number of patents filed in

Singapore by Singapore residents

#### **TRADE MARKS**

Trade marks by origin/bn PPP\$ GDP Number of trade marks filed in Singapore by Singapore residents

#### **INDUSTRIAL DESIGNS**

Industrial designs by origin/bn PPP\$ GDP Number of industrial designs filed in Singapore by Singapore residents