

Orbis - Intellectual Property Module

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Patents Connected with Ownership

SIEMENS Siemens AG
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This company is the Global Ultimate Owner of the corporate group

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Name	Country or region	Patents (live)	Ownership		Level of own.	Info	
			Direct %	Total %		Source	Date
Global Ultimate Owner							
SIEMENS AG	DE	191,159					
Ultimately owned subsidiaries							
▼ BUILDING ROBOTICS INC	US	120	100.00	100.00	1	RM	09/2020
This company has some subsidiaries but none of them are ultimately owned by SIEMENS AG (DE).							
▼ KYROS C AG	DE	113	100.00	100.00	1	RM	09/2020
▼ ENLIGHTED INC	US	111	>50.00	n.a.	2	CU	12/2021
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▼ SIEMENS BETEILIGUNGEN INLAND GMBH	DE	80	100.00	100.00	1	VC	12/2021
▼ KACO NEW ENERGY GMBH	DE	67	100.00	100.00	2	VC	12/2021
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▼ REMECH SYSTEMTECHNIK GMBH	DE	5	100.00	100.00	2	VC	12/2021
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▼ SIEMENS LOGISTICS GMBH	DE	8	100.00	100.00	2	VC	12/2021
└ SIEMENS LOGISTICS AG	CH	1	100.00	100.00	3	OF	11/2021
▼ SIEMENS ENERGY AG	DE	22,875	12.02	n.a.	2	VC	12/2021
▼ CHEMTECH SERVICOS DE ENGENHARIA E SOFTWARE LTDA	BR	1	100.00	100.00	3	RM	09/2020
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▼ SIEMENS ENERGY LTD	IL	12	100.00	100.00	3	RM	09/2020

Siemens AG **directly and indirectly own 191,159 live patents.**

The image shows Siemens AG's corporate structure expanded to **10 levels of ownership**, detailing ultimately owned subsidiaries ($\geq 50.1\%$ ownership), the location of the subsidiaries, and how many live patents each subsidiary owns.

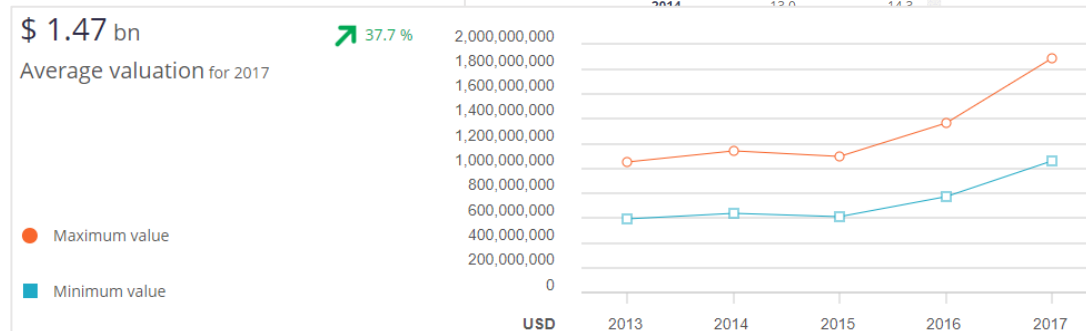
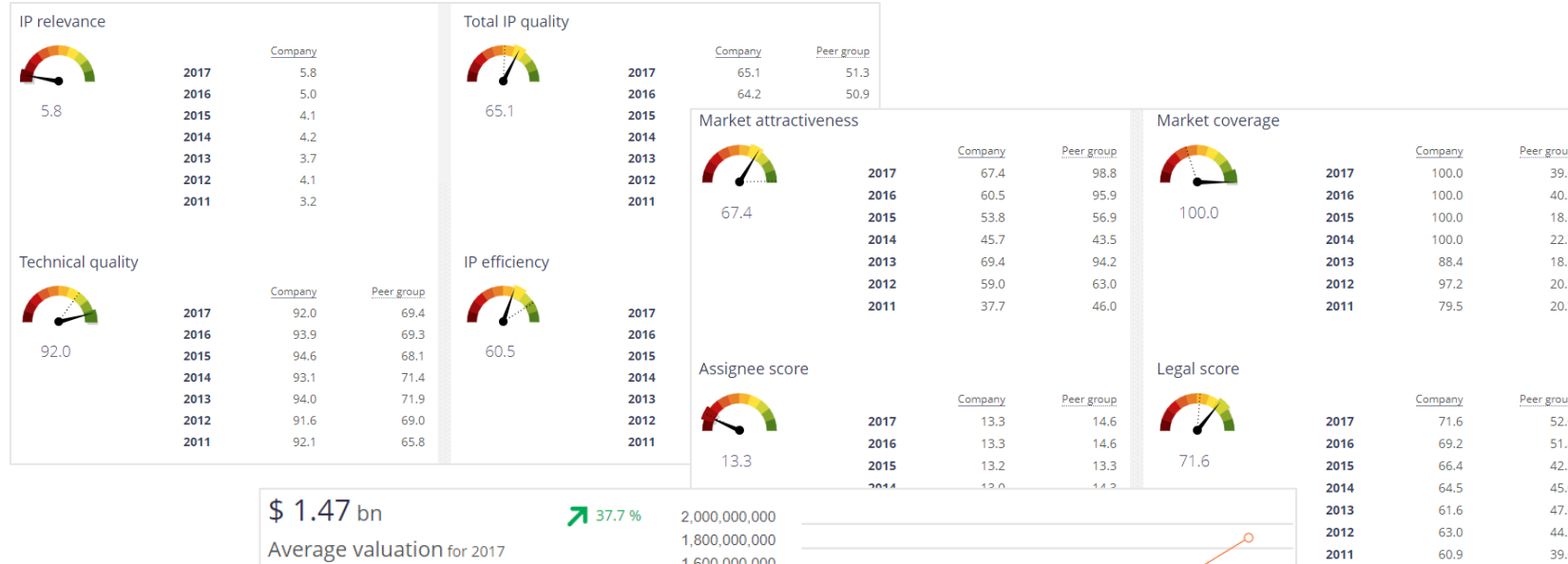
There are **1,980 entities** in Siemens AG's corporate structure across **104 jurisdictions.**

There are **271 subsidiaries** in Siemens AG's corporate structure who are patent owners across **39 jurisdictions.**

(This screen shot was captured in February 2022).

Innovation Strength Indicators

Using a complex data mining and indicator-based valuation methodology, our partner company **IPBI** measures the intellectual property (IP) value qualitatively and quantitatively (monetarily), focusing on patents and utility models.

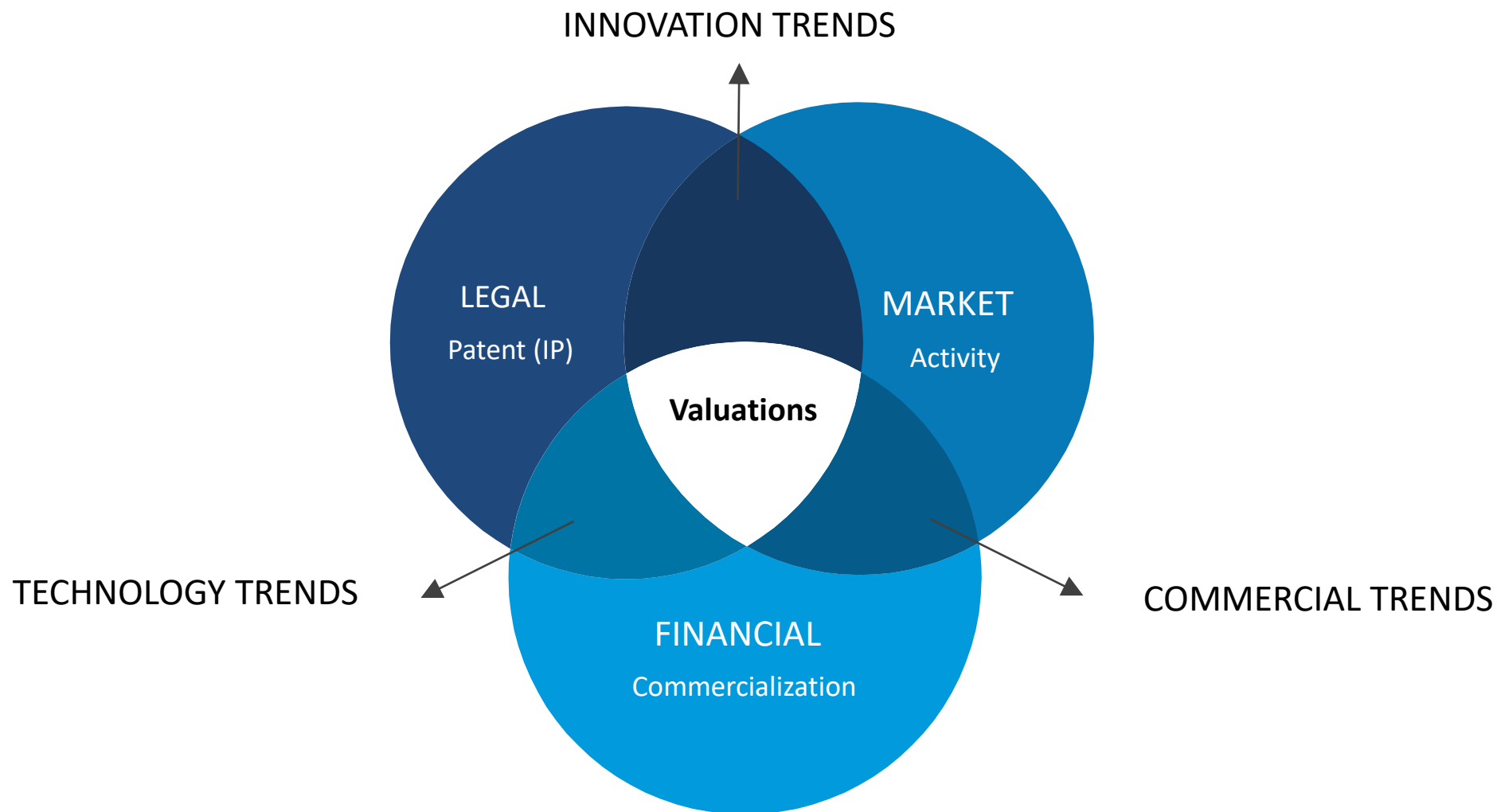


How are the scores calculated?

The methodology uses 25 indicators (such as forward and backward citations, family sizes, covered countries, patent age and legal status, etc.), which are referred to a database of patents traded in the past.

- **Community application:** takes the amount of fees that are to pay. Secondly it documents how many different applications and forms an invention may have. The claims are essential for the legal coverage of a patent. Even more important than the total amount of claims are the independent claims. They directly document the coverage and potential blocking effect of a patent. Often patents with different independent claims like i.e. combined procedural and product patents are split into several patents (divisional patents).
- **R&D strength of the invention:** This indicator measures the heterogeneity but it is a general indicator using a third different algorithm. It is to find out how different address classes mentioned. The three IPC indicators taking different depth general industry independency, a technology independent application independency.
- **R&D amount:** account and to see if a trend is sustainable. The high amount of R&D indicates that a technology is highly innovative.
- **Technological activity:** measure the heterogeneity but it is a general indicator using a third different algorithm. It is to find out how different address classes mentioned. The three IPC indicators taking different depth general industry independency, a technology independent application independency.
- **Sustainability of technology:** trend compares different typical global economic trends to see if a trend is sustainable. The high amount of R&D indicates that a technology is highly innovative.
- **Total amount of exploitation:** measure the heterogeneity but it is a general indicator using a third different algorithm. It is to find out how different address classes mentioned. The three IPC indicators taking different depth general industry independency, a technology independent application independency.
- **Evidence of use:** an important indicator to be detected. The more difficult it is to prove. For process patents this is to prove.
- **Relevance for other technologies:** indicator is how many other patents, taking the patent age into account (done by foreign assignee technology/application/formulation coverage of a patent, the more relevant it is to refer to the patent in order to document its general relevance).
- **Interfering with other technologies:** that there may be licensing: This certain degree of general relevance.
- **Validity level:** shows how far from the state of the art is the patent. It is far from the state of the art.
- **Patent maturity:** this indicator takes the remaining time for exploiting the given patent into account. A young application may have a maximum remaining term of utilisation but it may be not granted in that form (see state of the art). The value maximum according to this starts after opposition phase and decreases afterwards. Within the final half a year before a patent ceases, it is practically not tradeable anymore according to the remaining term of utilisation, the value decreases drastically in its final stage of lifetime.
- **Claim width and coverage:** The amount of claims is a cost issue in terms of fees that are to pay. Secondly it documents how many different applications and forms an invention may have. The claims are essential for the legal coverage of a patent. Even more important than the total amount of claims are the independent claims. They directly document the coverage and potential blocking effect of a patent. Often patents with different independent claims like i.e. combined procedural and product patents are split into several patents (divisional patents).
- **Validity in certain countries:** For i.e. European countries only it counts the amount and economies of the currently covered contracting states, where the patent fees are maintained. For single countries the economical size of the country the patent is filed in is taken into account. Whenever a patent protection is not kept it indicates that a technology has lost importance in a certain market. So either the market shrinks or the general relevance of a technology decreases. Both has a negative impact on a patent value.
- **Intended worldwide protection:** If the family contains a PCT filing it documents that a worldwide protection is planned and the market for the invention is global.
- **Procedural State:** There are in general 3 different stages of a patent in terms of its procedural status, all patents are going through: Application, Grant or Expired Patent. Expired patents (by age, by non-payment of fees, rejection or other legal issues) have no value and so there is no value.
- **Total size of activity:** total activity per time period that were made within a technology/industry.
- **Family size:** a family in relation to the same invention. This finally means, how many economies are covered by protection. For the indicator not only the amount of family patents but also the size of the covered economies are taken into account.
- **Transferability to different industries:** Is a patent a basic invention or a more or less proprietary solution for one sector? This can be found out by the amount of different IPC sectors mentioned within the patent, this indicates i.e. the usability of the invention can be applied to, i.e. in consumer electronics or in handling machines.

What data/ indicators are used?



Market Attractiveness

Shows from an IP point of view how many competitors are active with innovations made in the technical fields of the company.

The indicator provides insight on what technologies are attractive in the market based on the recent trends relating to:

- Acquisitions
- Litigations
- Licensing and Royalty Rates



*Calculated on a scale of 0 (worst value) to 100 (best value). These scales are always branch-specific.

Market Coverage

Shows the size of the market covered by the IP, and in how many countries the IP guarantees protection.

The derived indicator here focuses on the technologies and the markets that are essentially important to be covered for the given technology through:

- Global trends on the revenue for the technology
- Enforceability of the technology in the given jurisdiction



Technical Quality

Shows the degree of innovation that can be derived from a company's IP.

The given score provides a cumulative measure the technological quality covered through the portfolio of patents and some indicators such as:

- Citations
- Claims – Independent claims and word count
- Family members



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Assignee Score

Takes into account the company's R&D behaviour that results in IP.

In the case of assignee score, we consider the entities re-inventiveness behaviour to ring fence the technology so that the competitors do not penetrate into their market. Of many key indicators, some of the indicators used are:

- Self citations
- Continuation Applications



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Legal Score

Shows the legal strength of IP in terms of its degree of protection.

Any given entities, legal/ attorneys responsiveness is checked through the legal scores. We use the following indicators among many for the calculation of such scores:

- Time taken for office action responses
- Number of rejections
- Claim Scope changes



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IP Efficiency

Shows the distribution of values across the IP portfolio. (are there only a few good patents determining the value, or are most patents of high value?)

IP efficiency of a company indicates the adaptivity of a new technology that is identified in the market. The score measures early innovativeness in such new technology areas through inventions within the technological life cycle.



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IP Quality

Assumes that the key figures Market attractiveness, Market coverage, Technical quality, Assignee score and Legal score are combined into one figure.

This score is nothing but the aggregation of various scores to provide a overall quality of the IP within the given entity's portfolio.



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IP Relevance

Shows how relevant are the patents and utility models for this company. (the higher the relevance, the more important is the patent quality)

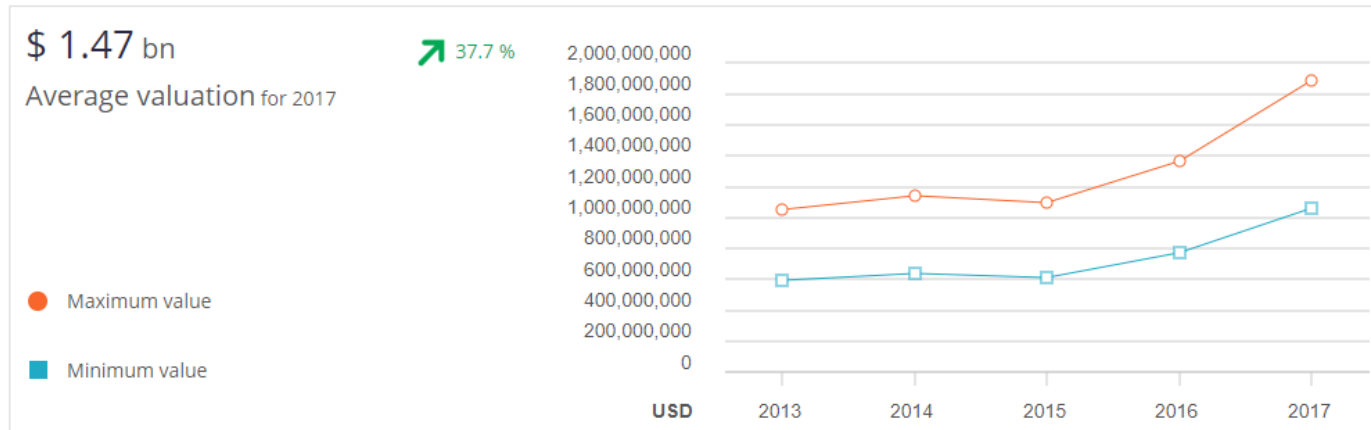
The essential usage of the indicator here is to identify the entities that are running with the IP as backbone, whose relevance scores will be high due to their impact on the financials of the entity.

It shows the ratio of patent value per total assets of the last available year.



Patent Value Trends

Shows the trend of the IP portfolio's value compared to its past value.



The Value Trend indicator make take any of these values:

Value	Definition
↘	The value of the IP portfolio has decreased by more than 5% compared to the year before. Note that on a consolidated level, the IP portfolio value may also vary strongly due to divestments.
=	The value of the IP portfolio has remained constant (within +/- 5%) compared to the year before.
↗	The value of the IP portfolio has increased by more than 5% compared to the year before. Note that on a consolidated level, the IP portfolio value may also vary strongly due to M&A activities.

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