

**FOI Release**  
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**Title:** Number of Chinese subjects applying for British trade marks

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As above.

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We publish application and registration figures for trade marks in our annual Facts & Figures available online at <https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/facts-and-figures-patent-trade-mark-design-and-hearing-data-2017> . The figures for numbers of applications and for total classes applied for are listed by country of residence in Section 1 of the statistics for trade marks. We do not collect separate figures for corporate applicants and those made by individual subjects. I assume you are interested in the numbers of applications from the People's Republic of China, but we also publish figures of applications from Taiwan.

The latest published data is for 2017 and we hope to publish the 2018 figures around the end of June.

You'll find links to previous years on the same web page.