

# IP SNAPSHOT

## JAPAN



### COPYRIGHT

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### SPECIAL 301 DESIGNATION

2017.....No List  
2016.....No List  
2015.....No List  
Prior Years

### IP ATTACHÉ

There is no IP attaché that specifically covers Japan.

### TREATY MEMBERSHIP

Yes	<u><a href="#">TRIPS Agreement</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Paris Convention</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Berne Convention</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Patent Cooperation Treaty</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Madrid Protocol</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Hague Agreement</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Nice Agreement</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Locarno Agreement</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Strasbourg Agreement</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Phonograms Convention</a></u>
No	<u><a href="#">Vienna Convention</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Budapest Treaty</a></u>
No	<u><a href="#">Brussels Convention</a></u>
No	<u><a href="#">Nairobi Treaty</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Trademark Law Treaty</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">WIPO Copyright Treaty</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">WIPO Performance and Phonograms Treaty</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Beijing Treaty on Audiovisual Performances</a></u>
Yes	<u><a href="#">Singapore Treaty</a></u>
No	<u><a href="#">Marrakesh Treaty</a></u>



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