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# INTEGRATED SOUTHEAST ASIA INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY SERVICES



# ABOUT US

PINTAS was founded in 1998 based on the principle of serving clients in Southeast Asia's high-growth technology markets through streamlined and cost-effective professional services for protection of intellectual assets. More than ten years later, we have become one of the most active patent-drafting teams in the South-East Asia region. At present, we too provide our clients in the United States, China, Japan and Europe with the same efficient, affordable and reliable IP services.

PINTAS is a multidisciplinary Intellectual Property (IP) boutique firm based in Singapore, Malaysia, Brunei, with representative offices based in Philippines, Thailand, Indonesia, Vietnam, Myanmar, Cambodia and Laos.

The key to our success is twofold. First we provide highly responsive professional IP services at an affordable price. Second, we handle intricacies and complexities of our clients' IP issues, allowing them to focus on the growth and profitability of their business.



## ACHIEVEMENTS & AWARDS

- IAM Patent 1000 - the World's Leading Patent Professionals (2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 & 2018)
- Managing Intellectual Property IP STARS 2019- Patent Prosecution Ranking For Malaysia
- We have filed more than 30,000 intellectual property ( trademarks, patents, industrial designs) applications in Southeast Asia countries.
- We have assisted in the development of more than 1000 patent specifications across a multitude of technology sectors and intellectual intensive industries.

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# THE SCOPE OF IP PROTECTION SERVICES

PROTECT IT OR LOSE IT



## COPYRIGHT

Protects original expression of ideas reduced to material forms.

### Duration

Usually 50 years after the death of the authors

### Types

- Literary works
- Artistic works
- Musical works

### Scope of Services

- Copyright legal protection services
- Copyright infringement and invalidity analysis
- Advice on Copyright transfer and licensing
- Enforcement of copyrights

# THE SCOPE OF IP PROTECTION SERVICES

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## PATENT

Protects inventions, i.e. products or processes that offer technical solutions to a problem.

### Duration

20 years from filing date of patent

### Types

- Article of manufacture
- Process
- Machine
- Composition of matter

### Scope of Services

- Patent drafting in various technological fields
- Patent filing and registration services
- Patent infringement and invalidity analysis
- Patent search and clearance services
- Advice on technology transfer and licensing
- Enforcement for Patent rights

## SOUTHEAST ASIA COPYRIGHT TABLE

AS AT MAY 2023

Country	Copyright Recordation System	Berne Convention	WIPO Copyright Treaty	Trade Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS)
Singapore	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Malaysia	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Indonesia	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Philippines	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Thailand	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Brunei	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vietnam	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Cambodia	No	No	No	Yes
Laos	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Myanmar	No	No	No	Yes

## SOUTHEAST ASIA PATENT TABLE

AS AT MAY 2023

Country	PCT Member State	Petty Patent or Utility Innovation System / Protection Duration (Year)	Substantive Examination Deadline For Paris Conventional Application (Month)	Examination Deadline For PCT National Entry Application (Month)	Pre Grant Opposition	Time Frame For Registration (Year)
Singapore	Yes	No	36 from Priority (Local Examination)	36 from Priority (Prescribed Offices Exam Reports)	No	5
Malaysia	Yes	Yes / 10	18 from Priority	48 from Priority	No	5
Indonesia	Yes	Yes / 10	30 from Priority	30 from Priority	Yes. During Publication	4
Philippines	Yes	Yes / 7	6 from Publication	6 from Publication	No	5
Thailand	Yes	Yes / 10	60 from Publication	60 from Publication	Yes. 90 days from Publication	6
Brunei	Yes	No	21 from Priority (Local Examination )	42 from Priority (Prescribed Offices Exam Reports)	No	5
Vietnam	Yes	Yes / 10	42 from Priority	42 from Priority	Yes. 9 months from Publication	5
Cambodia	Yes	Yes / 7	Rely on Foreign Exam Report	Rely on Foreign Exam Report	No	5
Laos	Yes	Yes / 10	32 from Priority	32 from Priority	No	4
Myanmar	No Patent Registration System in Myanmar. A patent owner can register a declaration of ownership of patent with the Office of the Registration of Deeds under the Registration Act 1908 and publish a cautionary notice based on such registration in local newspaper.					

# THE SCOPE OF IP PROTECTION SERVICES

PROTECT IT OR LOSE IT



## TM TRADEMARK

Protects distinctive logo which identifies certain goods or services.

**Duration**  
10 years from filing date of trademark

**Types**

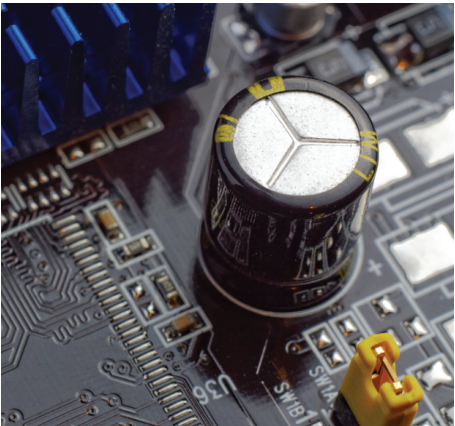
- Product Mark
- Service Mark

**Scope of Services**

- Trademark filing and registration services
- Trademark infringement and invalidity analysis
- Trademark search and clearance services
- Advice on Trademark transfer and licensing
- Enforcement of Trademark rights

# THE SCOPE OF IP PROTECTION SERVICES

PROTECT IT OR LOSE IT



## ID INDUSTRIAL DESIGN

Protects ornamental or aesthetical aspect of industrial products.

**Duration**  
Initial 5 years and can be renewed, in most cases for 25 years

**Types**

- 3-dimensional features, eg: shape or surface
- 2-dimensional features, eg: patterns or lines

**Scope of Services**

- Industrial Design filing and registration services
- Industrial Design infringement and invalidity analysis
- Industrial Design search and clearance services
- Advice on Industrial Design transfer and licensing
- Enforcement of Industrial Design rights

## SOUTHEAST ASIATRADEMARKTABLE

AS AT MAY 2023

Country	First to Use vs First to File	Members of Madrid Protocol	Validity / Renewal (Year)	Nice Classification	Period of Examination (Month)	Multiple Class Application	Time Frame for Registration (Month)
Singapore	First to File	Yes	10 / 10	11 <sup>th</sup> Edition	2-3	Yes	9
Malaysia	First to Use	Yes	10 / 10	11 <sup>th</sup> Edition	6-8	No	12-18
Indonesia	First to File	Yes	10 / 10	11 <sup>th</sup> Edition	9	Yes	18-24
Philippines	First to File	Yes	10 / 10	11 <sup>th</sup> Edition	6	Yes	12-24
Thailand	First to File	Yes	10 / 10	11 <sup>th</sup> Edition	9	Yes	12-18
Brunei	First to Use	Yes	10 / 10	11 <sup>th</sup> Edition	9-12	Yes	12-15
Vietnam	First to File	Yes	10 / 10	11 <sup>th</sup> Edition	9	Yes	12-15
Cambodia	First to File	Yes	10 / 10	11 <sup>th</sup> Edition	6	Yes	18
Laos	First to File	Yes	10 / 10	11 <sup>th</sup> Edition	6	Yes	12-15
Myanmar	First to File	No	10 / 10	11 <sup>th</sup> Edition	No Examination	Yes	12-18

No Trademark Registration System in Myanmar. A trademark owner can register a declaration of ownership of trademark with the Office of the Registration of Deeds under the Registration Act 1908 and publish a cautionary notice based on such registration in local newspapers.

## SOUTHEAST ASIA INDUSTRIAL DESIGN TABLE

AS AT MAY 2023

Country	Members of Hague Agreement	Validity / Renewal (Year)	Protection of Part Design by Dash Lines	Shading in Design	Multiple Design Application	Time Frame for Registration (Month)
Singapore	Yes	15 / 5	Yes	Yes	No	6
Malaysia	No	25 / 5	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Indonesia	Yes	10	Yes	No	Yes	24
Philippines	No	15 / 5	Yes	Yes	Yes	12
Thailand	No	10	No	No	No	24-36
Brunei	Yes	15 / 5	Yes	Yes	Yes	12
Vietnam	No	15 / 5	No	No	No	18
Cambodia	No	15 / 5	No	Yes	Yes	12-18
Laos	No	15 / 5	No	Yes	No	12