

Turning LexisNexis PatentSight+ Metrics into Business Insights

This document complements the LexisNexis® PatentSight+™ knowledge base article [“Turning PatentSight+ metrics into business insights”](#) by providing two practical resources for everyday use.

It includes a quick-reference table for understanding what key LexisNexis PatentSight+ metrics reveal about an organization's innovation assets and why they may matter from a business perspective. It also provides a business-friendly glossary of metrics for use in presentations, reports, and stakeholder communication.

Together, these resources are designed to help you clearly translate patent analytics into actionable business insight and communicate them with confidence.

PatentSight+ metrics mapped to business meaning and use

Use the table below as a quick reference when translating PatentSight+ metrics into business terms.

Patent Metric	What it tells you	Why it matters
Portfolio Size	How many inventions an organization protects	Indicates innovation scale, technology focus, and commitment to a market or technology area
Patent Asset Index (PAI)	The overall strength and value of a patent portfolio	Identifies where innovation creates the greatest competitive advantage and strategic value
Competitive Impact	How important and well-protected an invention is	Highlights inventions with the greatest strategic, licensing, and competitive potential
Technology Relevance	How strongly future innovations build on the technology	Reveals technologies that influence future market and technology development
Market Coverage	How broadly inventions are protected across global markets	Indicates commercial reach, market access, and monetization potential
Legal Status	Whether patent rights are active and enforceable	Determines the strength of current protection and potential legal risk
Remaining Lifetime	How long patent protection remains in force	Defines the remaining window for commercialization, licensing, and value creation
Co-ownership	Whether patent rights are solely owned or shared with others	Signals potential constraints on decision-making, licensing, and enforcement

PatentSight+ metrics glossary (business-friendly definitions)

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