





Interregional Seminar on the International Trademark Registration



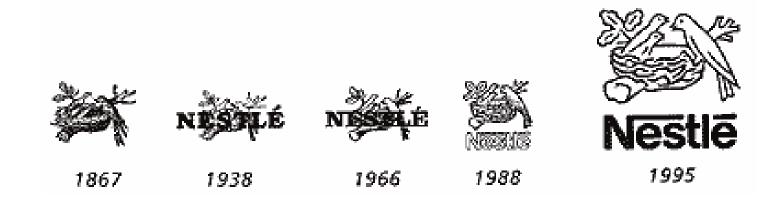
The Madrid System

Puebla, Mexico March 23-24, 2015 Jean-Pierre Maeder Special Delegate IP Advocacy Nestlé

A strong brand identity known worldwide

The nest device was registered in Switzerland in May 1890 under No. 14 and was amongst the first trademarks registered in the country.





Changes in the NESTLE Bird's nest logo over the years



Nestlé: a brand driven company with unmatched product and brand portfolio



- 10'000 different products
- Over 1 billion products sold every day
- A product for every moment of every day, from morning to night and from birth to old age
- 160'000 trademark and design protections worldwide



































NESPRESSO.

31 USD Billionaire Brands





















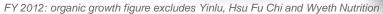






Beneful







NESCAFÉ Then: An Innovative Product – Instant Coffee



Introduced to the Philippines
During World War 2



NESCAFÉ Supermarket Display – 1960s





NESCAFÉ Print Ad Manila Times September 23, 1949



NESCAFÉ Today NESCAFÉ CLASSIC is No.1 in the mainstream pure soluble coffee category



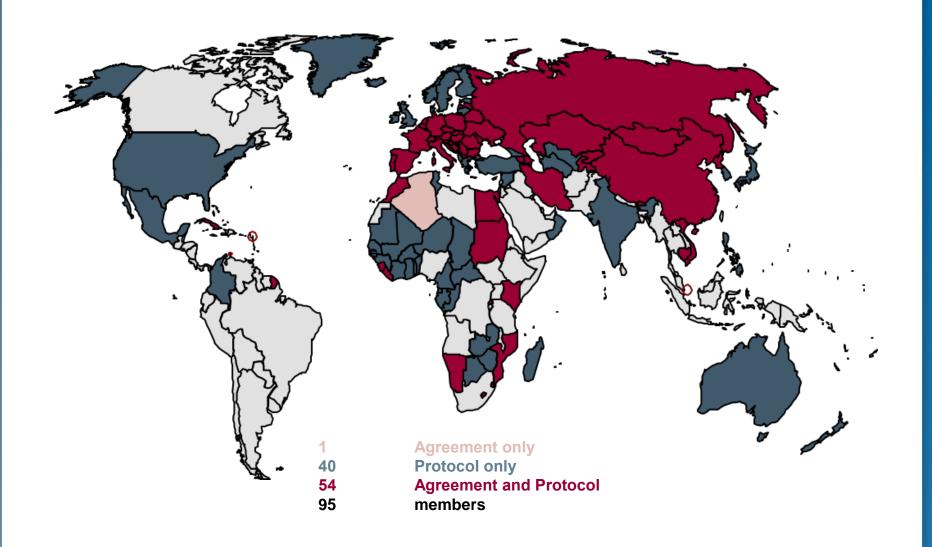








Globalization of Trade boosts Madrid System





ASEAN Member Countries





ASEAN: Number of National Protections end 2014

	Country	National Protections	Through IR
Philippines	A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A	646	57
Vietnam	*	128	398
Lao		155	
Cambodia		172	
Malaysia		1470	
Thailand		1179	
Indonesia		1237	

LATAM: Number of National Protections end 2014

Country		National Protections	Through IR
Argentina	•	1289	
Bolivia		702	
Chile	*	1163	
Colombia		1184	57
Costa Rica		717	
Cuba	*	233	158
Ecuador	S	1089	
El Salvador	•	721	
Guatemala	()	1023	



LATAM: Number of National Protections end 2014

Country		National Protections	Through IR
Honduras	* * * * * *	722	
Mexico		2320 54	
Nicaragua		567	
Panama	* *	806	
Paraguay	©	741	
Peru		1168	
Uruguay	*	511	
Venezuela	******	1370	

Evolution of IR filings 2000-2014



Total IR portfolio: 1840



Top Madrid Applicants

Table A

2013 Rank	Applicant's name	Origin	Madrid international applications		
			2011	2012	2013
1	NOVARTIS AG	Switzerland	125	176	228
2	ZENTIVA GROUP, A.S.	Czech Republic	29	65	114
3	EGIS GYÓGYSZERGYÁR	Hungary	57	73	111
4	L'OREAL	France	67	138	109
5	BOEHRINGER INGELHEIM PHARMA GMBH & CO.	Germany	98	160	107
6	BOQUOI HANDELS OHG	Germany		440	98
7	SOCIÉTÉ DES PRODUITS NESTLÉ SA	Switzerland	80	105	91
8	ACTAVIS GROUP PTC EHF	Iceland	13	16	90
9	KONINKLIJKE PHILIPS ELECTRONICS N.V.	Netherlands	92	83	86
10	HENKEL AG & CO. KGAA	Germany	46	42	79



Why using the Madrid System?

95 countries Easy administration WIPC 1 renewal 1 application 1registration number 1 clear unitary fee language structure



The Benefits

Subsequent designation of countries







Simplicity:

Easy to record changes after registration

Designation:

Possibility to record these changes only in some specific countries

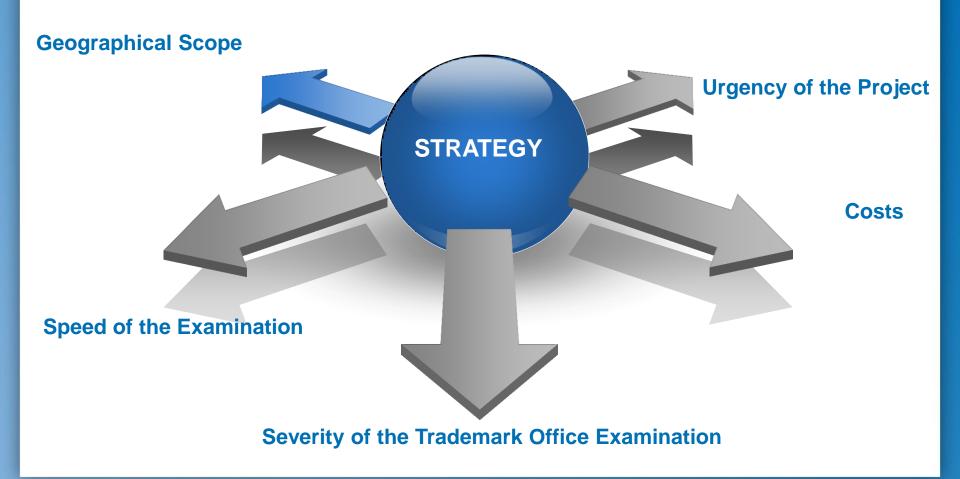
Costs:

(100 CHF per designated country unless individual fee)

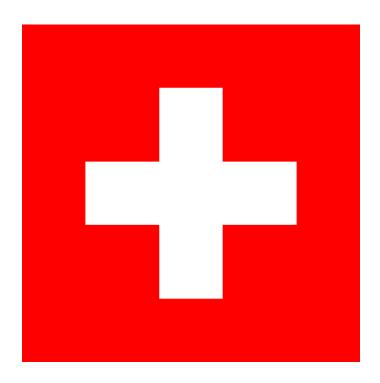


Nestlé's filing strategy

We usually favour the International route but our strategy depends on several factors



Practice in the Home Country



The practice in the home country may also influence the strategy

- The Swiss TM Office is very strict in assessing the distinctive character of trademarks and sometimes refuses marks that are accepted in other countries.
- In that case, we cannot obtain the necessary basic registration and are thus prevented from using the Madrid System.

Questions?

