# **TECH SCAN** Electric Vehicles





In recent years, the Indian government has shown a strong commitment to promoting the adoption and development of electric vehicles (EVs) as part of its efforts to reduce air pollution and combat climate change. As a result, there has been a significant increase in the filing of patents related to EV technology in India.

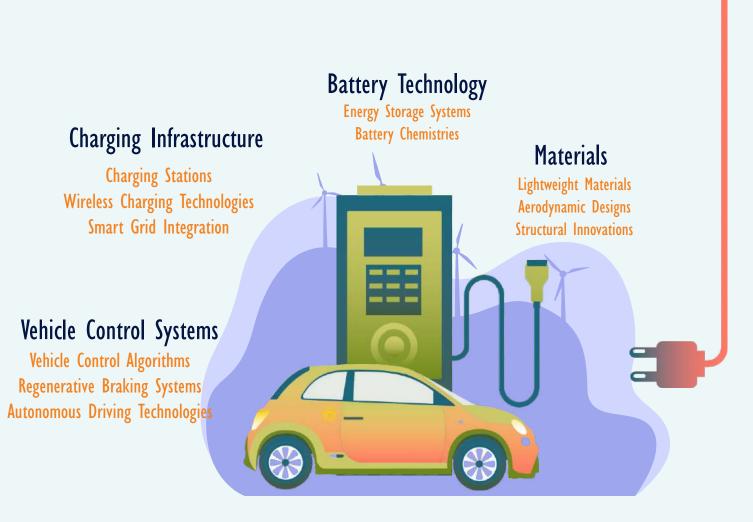
Indian companies, research institutions, and individuals have recognized the importance of protecting their intellectual property rights in this rapidly evolving field. Patents are being filed to secure innovations and advancements in various aspects of electric vehicles, including battery technology, charging infrastructure, motor design, power electronics, and overall vehicle systems.

These patents serve multiple purposes. Firstly, they provide legal protection for the inventors and innovators, ensuring that their ideas and technologies cannot be used or replicated without permission. Second, this protection encourages continued research and development in the field of EVs, as it offers a potential return on investment for companies and individuals.



# Patentable Components In Electric Vehicle

In the field of EVs, several aspects may be eligible for patent protection. The following areas are often considered for patentability:



#### **Electric Motors and Drivetrain**

Electric Motor Designs Drivetrain Configurations Power Distribution Systems

### User Interface and Connectivity

User-friendly Interfaces Mobile Applications Connectivity Solutions

#### **Energy Management and Efficiency**

Energy management systems Optimization algorithms Energy-efficient components

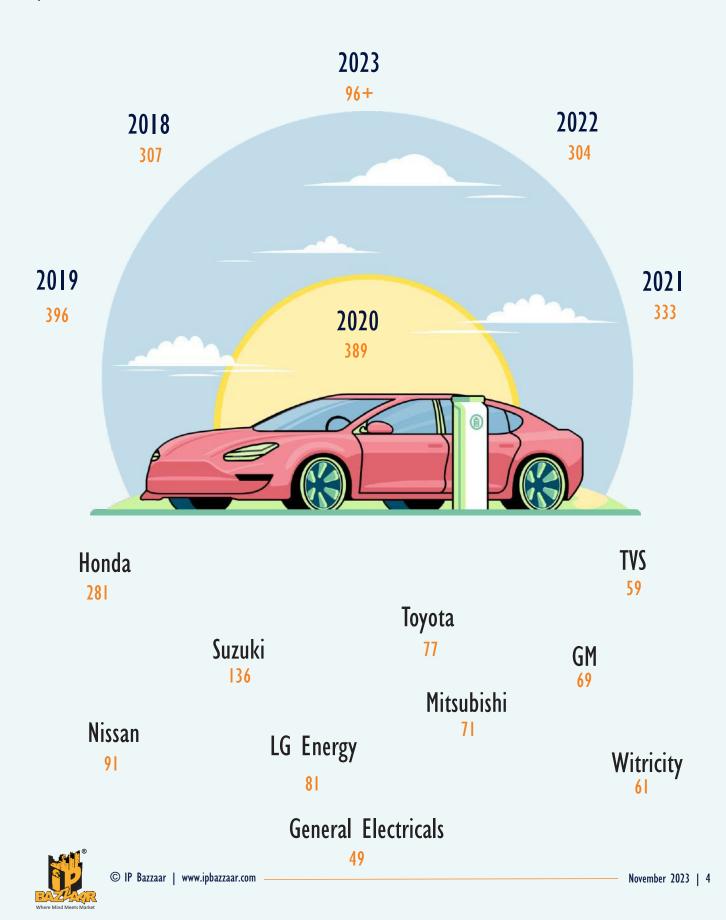
### **Thermal Management**

Thermal management Systems, Advanced cooling or heating Technologies



## **Patent Statistics**

The number of patent filings related to electric vehicles in India has shown a steady increase over the years.



# White Space to Innovate

In the rapidly evolving field of EVs, there are several whitespace areas where innovation and development opportunities exist. These include:

- Down frame design
- Vehicle width optimization
- Straddle electric vehicle
- Head pipe innovations
- Power storage solutions
- Casing design
- Electrical compressor
- Rotor improvements
- Contactor developments
- Stator innovations

 V2G (Vehicle-to-Grid) integration and smart grid solutions
Thermal management systems for improved efficiency and range
Noise reduction and improved acoustics in electric vehicles
High-speed charging Infrastructure

- Battery management systems
- Charging infrastructure and technology
- Regenerative braking systems
- Energy harvesting technologies
- Integrated sensor systems for autonomous driving

Wireless charging Infrastructure
Range-extending technologies
Second-life battery applications
Recycling solutions.



# Noticeable Innovations

Patent Application	Priority Date	Title	Assignee
WO2019/159475	2018-11-22	Control device, control method,	Honda Motor
		and program	
IN201914005739	2018-03-23	Integrated illumination control	Suzuki Motor
		system for electric vehicles	
WO2020/208655	2019-04-11	Charging of electric vehicles using	Panasonic
		renewable energy	
IN201741044053	2017-12-07	Engine cranking with multiple	Mahindra & Mahindra
		prime mover sources	
		simultaneously in hybrid electric	
		vehicles	
WO2022/190059	2021-03-11	Predictive energy management	Indian Institute Of
		and drive advisory system	Technology
		for parallel hybrid electric	Kharagpur
		vehicles	
WO2022/168114	2021-02-05	Range determination of electric	TVS Motor
		vehicles	
IN202341006643	2023-02-01	Efficiency of a charger and wall-	OLA Electric Mobility
		to-wheel efficiency of an	Private
		electric vehicle	
IN202111039533	2021-09-01	Mounting device for vertical	Mercedes Benz Group
		mounting of onboard charger in	
WO2021/188438	2021-03-15	electric vehicles High power shielded busbar for	Tesla
VVO2021/100 <del>1</del> 36	2021-03-13	electric vehicle charging and	I Esia
		power distribution	
IN202111038302	2021-08-24	A system and a method to	Maruti Suzuki India
		prevent severe hazards due to	
		battery system failure	
WO2022/264156	2021-06-14	A battery charging system for a	TVS Motor
		vehicle and a method thereof	
IN202111058772	2021-12-16	Cooling system for a charging	Mercedes Benz Group
WO2022/075823	2021-10-08	connector Separator for secondary battery	LG Energy Solution
VVO2022/073823	2021-10-06	comprising adhesive layer,	LG Energy Solution
		and method for manufacturing	
		separator	
IN202221065366	2022-11-15	Method and system for facilitating	TATA Motors
		communication between	
		an external charger unit and an	
		electric vehicle	
IN202241019773	2022-03-31	Sulphide rich composite and a	Nissan Motor Renault
		cathode for solid state battery	

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If you would like to learn more about any of these areas or have specific questions, we're here to provide further information and insights. Our team is dedicated to driving progress and staying at the forefront of electric vehicle technology.

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