



## **UPL wins prestigious recognition for Best Patent and Trademark Portfolio at CII Industrial IP Awards 2024**

*Received Best Patent Portfolio for the 6<sup>th</sup> consecutive year and Best Trademark Portfolio for 4<sup>th</sup> time*

**India, 18 December 2024:** UPL, a global leader in sustainable agriculture products and solutions, has been honoured with the **Best Patent and Trademark Portfolio Award** in the Large - Life Sciences, including Pharma and Agriculture Sciences category, at the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) Industrial IP Awards 2024 ceremony. The company has received the Best Patent Portfolio award for the 6<sup>th</sup> consecutive year and the Best Trademark Portfolio award for the 4<sup>th</sup> time, underscoring its unwavering commitment to innovation and excellence in intellectual property (IP) management.

**Accepting the award at the ceremony, Dr. Vishal Sodha, UPL's Global IP Head, said,** *"At UPL, we are an IP-driven organization, and we will continue to fuel farmer-centric sustainable innovations. This prestigious recognition will further inspire us for creating and protecting innovations that sustainably address farmer's pain points and fulfil the needs of communities, and consumers. We have a [large patent and trademark portfolio which has been recognized by CII](#); it proves to be a testament that UPL is creating and protecting strong brands across the globe."*

UPL currently holds over 2,500 granted patents and about 4,300 pending applications, showcasing its robust IP portfolio. UPL's trademark portfolio has over 17,000 registered trademarks and about 13,000 pending applications across the globe. With its robust patent and trademark portfolio, UPL reinforces its role as an industry leader in leveraging technology and innovation to solve critical agricultural challenges.

The CII Industrial IP Awards celebrate enterprises that have embraced IP generation, protection, and commercialization to boost both their own businesses and economic growth. This award from CII recognises UPL's innovative farming solutions that meet farmers' needs and advance the transition to more sustainable food systems.

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### **About UPL**

UPL Ltd. (NSE: UPL & BSE: 512070, LSE: UPLL) is a global provider of sustainable agriculture products and solutions with annual revenue exceeding \$5 Billion. We are a purpose-led company. Through OpenAg®, UPL is focused on accelerating progress for the food system. We are building a network that is reimagining sustainability, redefining the way an entire industry thinks and works – open to fresh ideas, innovation, and new answers as we strive towards our mission to make every single food product more sustainable. As one of the largest agriculture solutions companies worldwide, our robust portfolio consists of biological and traditional crop protection solutions with over 14,000 registrations. We are present in more than 130 countries and represented by more than 12,000 colleagues globally. For more information about our integrated portfolio of solutions across the food value chain, including seeds, post-harvest, and physical and digital services, please visit [upl-ltd.com](https://upl-ltd.com) and follow us on [LinkedIn](#), [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#).

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