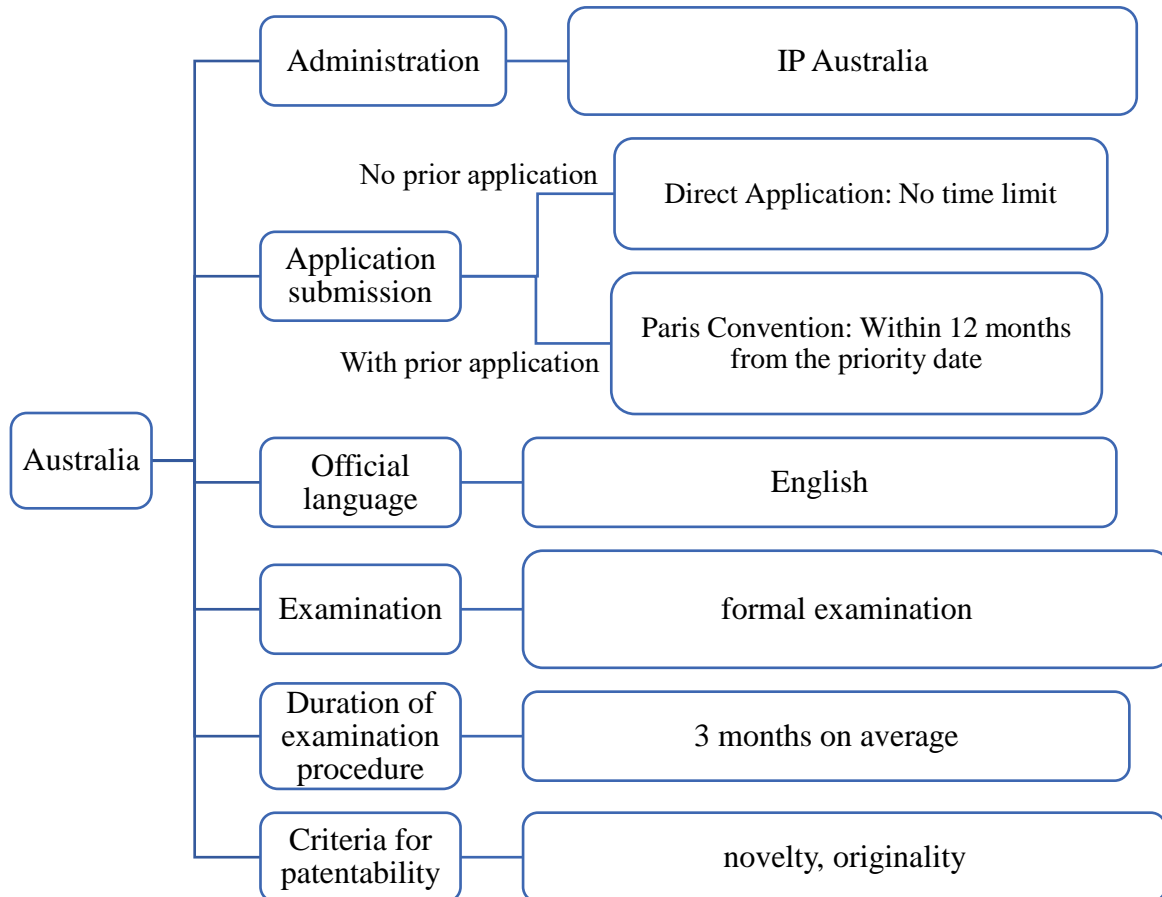


## Guidance on Design Application in Australia

### I. Overview



### II. Application Documents Requested

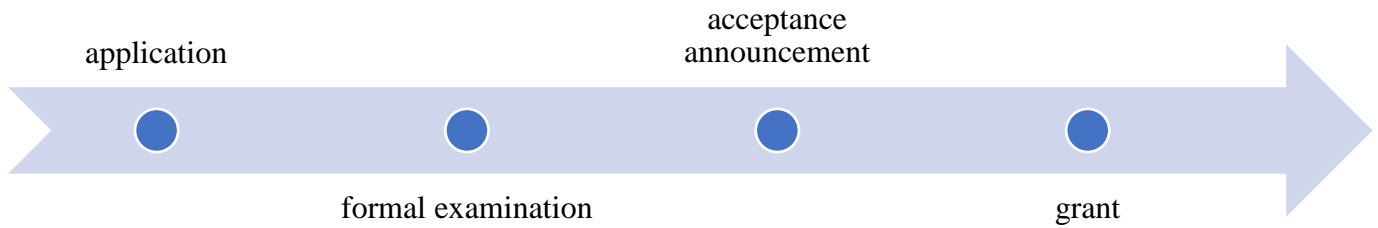
#### Document set on application

- Ownership and contact details (including postal address)
- At least one representation of your design (e.g. a photo or line drawing of your design)
- Product name

**A copy of the Priority Document, as well as its English translation** (is only required on request by the examiner or a third party)



### III. Application Process



### IV. Validity Term

- An Australian industrial design registration is valid for 10 years from its filing date.
- Renewal fees are due every five years from the filing date.

### V. Note

- A design application in Australia undergoes only formal examination. Substantive examination is an optional process that may be requested at any time after registration. After the design successfully undergoes the examination, it can be certified, which means you are obtaining exclusive rights over it.

