

ADVANCED MANUFACTURING GROWTH CENTRE

WIND ENERGY MANUFACTURING
CO-INVESTMENT PROGRAM

ELIGIBILITY AND MERIT CRITERIA



Department of
**Jobs, Tourism, Science
and Innovation**



Applicants must meet the Eligibility Criteria before being able to progress to the full application form

Wind Energy Manufacturing Co-Investment Fund

Complete Eligibility Checker form at www.amgc.org.au/wind-energy-program/

Full funding application will open if Eligibility Criteria is met

A Market Entry Stream

B Market Growth Stream

AMGC will work with Applicants to refine or notify the Applicant if unlikely to proceed further

AMGC will make a funding recommendation to the Review Committee

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AMGC and successful Applicants enter Project Agreement and make public announcement*

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Applications will be assessed against the Merit Criteria before being advised of the outcome

* Announcements may be made by the WA Government and AMGC following a project agreement being entered.

ELIGIBILITY CHECKER

| PROJECT'S ALIGNMENT WITH FUND OBJECTIVES AND WESTERN AUSTRALIA PRIORITIES | Response |
|---|-----------------|
| Will this project enhance the capacity and/or capability of your company to enter or grow its participation in the wind energy supply chain? | Yes/No |
| Are there aspects of the wind turbine manufacturing and servicing supply chains your project focuses on? | Yes/No |
| Does your strategic plan or business plan demonstrate your intentions to seek engagement with the wind energy supply chain e.g., identified strategy, business and financial modelling, market research, risk assessment? | Yes/No |
| Can you describe anticipated increases in jobs, apprenticeships or upskilling of existing roles that will result from your project? | Yes/No |
| In addition to the wind turbine manufacturing and servicing supply chains, will this project enable your business to diversify its products, services, markets or customers? | Yes/No |
| Will this project change your current manufacturing processes, licensing, accreditations and/or plant & equipment requirements? | Yes/No |
| DEMONSTRATED ABILITY TO SUCCESSFULLY IMPLEMENT PROPOSED PROJECT | Response |
| Can you describe the history of the Lead Applicant, demonstrating a track record in managing similar projects with the required skills and describe contributions to the project? | Yes/No |
| Can you detail the financial viability of the Lead Applicant, including details of access to capital to fund the project? | Yes/No |
| Can you describe your continuing IP strategy going forward for products developed during this project or the protection of your customers' IP? | Yes/No |
| Are you able to complete a Budget Table and Project Milestones including names of suppliers and detailed activities? | Yes/No |
| Can you provide details of Project Collaborators and their roles in the project? You must collaborate with at least one industry partner. | Yes/No |
| Applicants must answer 'Yes' to all questions to pass the Eligibility Check phase | |

ii MERIT CRITERIA FOR FORMAL EVALUATION

| PROJECT'S ALIGNMENT WITH FUND OBJECTIVES AND WESTERN AUSTRALIA PRIORITIES | Weighting |
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| How will this project enhance the capacity and/or capability of your company to enter or grow its participation in the wind energy supply chain? | 20 points |
| Which aspects of the wind energy supply chain will your project focus on? | 5 points |
| Which parts of your strategic plan or business plan demonstrate your intentions to seek engagement with the wind energy supply chain e.g., identified strategy, business and financial modelling, market research, risk assessment? | 15 points |
| Describe anticipated increases in jobs, apprenticeships or upskilling of existing roles that will result from your project. | 5 points |
| In addition to the wind sector, how will this project enable your business to diversify its products, services, markets or customers? | 5 points |
| How will this project change how you manufacture? | 10 points |
| DEMONSTRATED ABILITY TO SUCCESSFULLY IMPLEMENT PROPOSED PROJECT | Weighting |
| Describe the history of the Lead Applicant, demonstrating a track record in managing similar projects with the required skills and describe contributions to the project. | 10 points |
| Detail the financial viability of the Lead Applicant, including details of access to capital to fund the project. | 5 points |
| Describe your continuing IP strategy going forward for products developed during this project or the protection of your customers' IP. | 5 points |
| Complete the Budget Table and Project Milestones including names of suppliers and detailed activities. | 10 points |
| Provide details of Project Collaborators and their roles in the project – you must collaborate with at least one industry partner. | 5 points |
| In addition to your own matched financial contribution to the project, are there additional external funds or in-kind support that you can leverage as part of your project? | 5 points |
| Maximum number of points available (minimum of 50 points required to pass Merit Criteria) | 100 points |

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