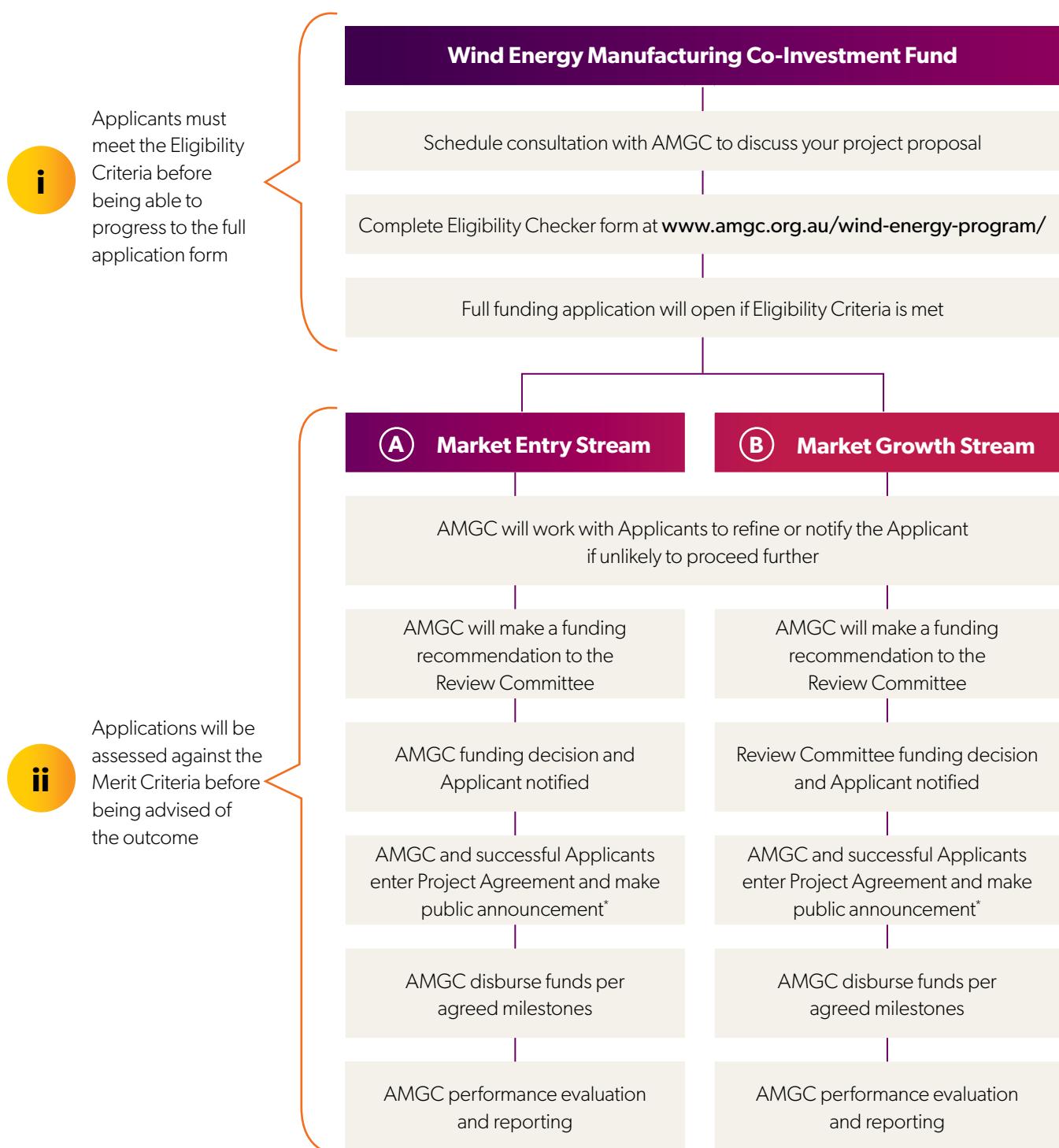


ADVANCED MANUFACTURING GROWTH CENTRE
WIND ENERGY MANUFACTURING
CO-INVESTMENT PROGRAM
ELIGIBILITY AND MERIT CRITERIA



GOVERNMENT OF
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* 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
I understand the program focuses on manufacturing into supply chains for Western Australia wind energy projects to take advantage of WA's vast onshore natural wind resources. Project applications relating to the offshore wind industry will be considered on a case-by-case basis, and I will contact AMGC to discuss my application's eligibility.	Yes/No
I understand that projects focusing on technology, including software, would need to be an integral part of the manufacturing smiley curve, for a manufacturing company based in Western Australia, and stand-alone technology would not fit the purpose of the program.	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

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MERIT CRITERIA FOR FORMAL EVALUATION

PROJECT'S ALIGNMENT WITH FUND OBJECTIVES AND WESTERN AUSTRALIA PRIORITIES	Weighting
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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