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5.2: International IP Rights: Tips and tricks for international trade mark applications

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As the world economy becomes ever more interconnected, trade mark owners need to protect their intellectual property on a global scale.

Practitioners therefore need to be aware of issues involved in protecting their clients' IP on an international scale.

IP rights traditionally have been bound by national borders, but international treaties such as the Madrid Protocol have made protecting IP rights in multiple jurisdictions much easier



This session will examine the tools available to practitioners for protecting their clients' IP globally and will offer some practical tips and tricks for navigating the international trade mark application landscape.



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 - Mark:



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"Tips and tricks" International Trademark Applications

FICPI, Venice, October 2017

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Support for applicants

The Madrid System website and customized E-services are available to help you:





Search



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Global Brand Database

Perform a trademark search by text or image in brand data from multiple national and international sources, including trademarks, appellations of origin and official emblems. V: 2016-10-12 12:50

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Member Profiles Database

- Classification Guidelines
- Madrid Goods & Services
 Manager



Fee Calculator



Member Profiles Database

Compare trademark rules & examination procedures in the IP Offices of Madrid System members

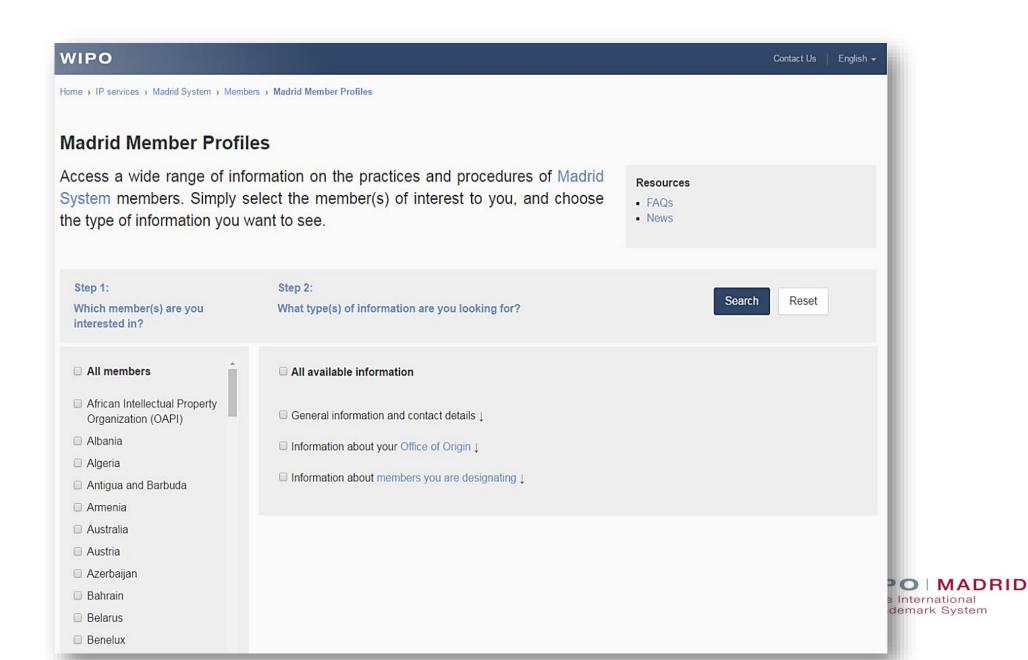
General information

Filing rules and procedures

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Information Is Key

- Users benefit from access to comprehensive information on how the Madrid System is implemented in Member states
 - Does the Office accept application fees on behalf of WIPO?
 - Special requirements, i.e. declaration of intention to use the mark in that Member state, Seniority claim or Second part fees? (MM18, MM17)
 - What is the provisional refusal period for a given Member state?



Step 1:

Which member(s) are you interested in?

Republic of Korea	~	All available information					
🔲 Denmark							
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Madrid Member Profiles

Results

New search Edit search Summary Finland General information and contact details Information about your Office of Origin Information about members you are designating When Designating force

Save as PDF Finland Last update on : May 18, 2017 General information and contact details Contact information Name of Office: Finnish Patent and Registration Office Address: P.O. Box 1140, FI-00101 Helsinki, Finland Phone number: +358 29 509 5000 email: registry@prh.fi Fax: +358 29 509 5328 Website: www.prh.fi Opening hours: Monday - Friday, 9.00 am. to 4:15 pm. Contact for questions related to international registrations: Patricia Nyberg Email: tml.intreg@prh.fi Phone number: +358 9 6939 5257 Membership in Madrid Treaty: Madrid Agreement Union, date of entry into Entry into force: 1 April 1996 Declarations and Declarations and notifications: notifications made by Contracting Party . Extension of refusal period to 18 months (Article 5(2)(b) of the Protocol) **1ADRID** · Possible notification of refusal based on opposition, after system 18-month time limit (Article 5(2)(c) of the Protocol)

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Classification Guidelines

- Purpose to decrease the number of irregular international applications
- Describes the classification practices in the International Bureau
- Practical information on the acceptable format to list indications of goods and services

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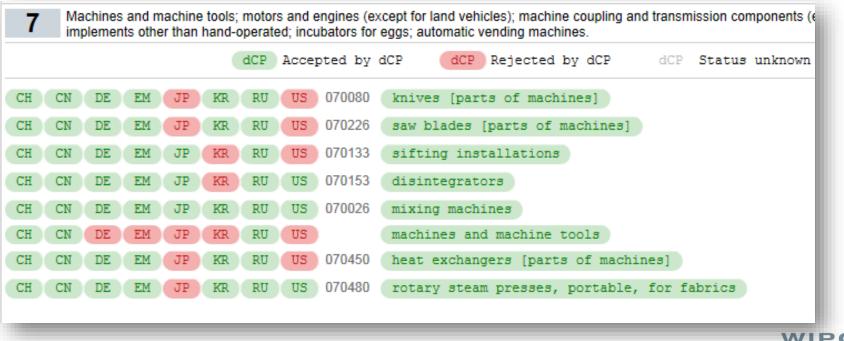
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- Database with a collection of acceptable terms for goods and services
- Over 93,500 acceptable terms in English
- French, Spanish and 15 additional languages
- Fully aligned with the Nice 11th edition
- "Check acceptance features" for 28 Member states and Canada
- Coding system to facilitate searches "similar groups codes" for Japan and Republic of Korea

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Functions

BROWSE per class to select goods and services from a "pick-list" of terms pre-accepted by WIPO

SEARCH acceptable terms using keywords

CHECK ACCEPTANCE of terms: by WIPO (free-text)

by a designated Contracting Party/Member state





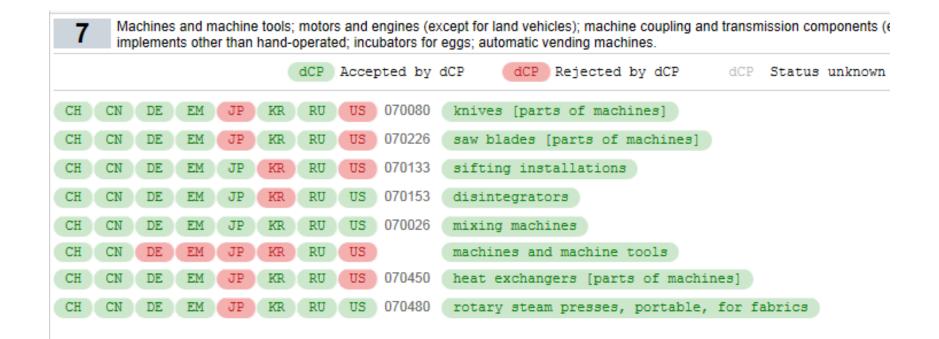


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Display of Acceptance / Rejection

Specificity of terms



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You may limit the list of G&S in respect of one or more Member states

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GOODS AND SERVICES

You can find indications that are pre-accepted by the International Bureau in the Madrid Goods & Services Manager (MGS) at <u>www.wipo.int/mgs/</u>. By using these indications you can avoid possible irregularities concerning the classification of goods and services and a delay in the recording of the international registration.

Please make consistent use of a semicolon (;) to clearly specify the goods and services indications in your list, e.g.: 09 Scientific, optical and electronic apparatus and instruments; screens for photoengraving; computers. 35 Advertising; compilation of statistics; commercial information agencies.

Please use font "Courier New" or "Times New Roman", size 12 pt, or above.

(a) Indicate below the goods and services for which the international registration is sought:

Class		Goods and services
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(b) 🔀 The applicar	nt wishes to limit t he list of go	oods and services in respect of one or more designated Contracting Parties, as follows:
Contracting	Party	Class(es) or list of goods and services for which protection is sought in this Contracting Party
Unites States	ofAmerica	Class 7: Disintegrators; mixing machines; rotary steam presses, portable, for fabrics.
Republic of K	orea	Class 7: Knives [parts of machines]; saw blades [parts of machines]; sifting installations; mixing machines; heat exchangers [parts of machines]; rotary steam presses, portable, for fabrics.

Fee Calculation

- Structure of fee (Swiss francs):
 - Basic fee of 653 Swiss francs or 903 Swiss francs (reproduction of the mark in color)
 - Supplementary fee for classes beyond 3 = 100 Swiss francs per class
 - Complementary fee for each designated states
 - Standard 100 Swiss francs
 - Individual fees
 <u>http://www.wipo.int/madrid/en/madridgazette/remarks/ind_taxes.</u>
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Madrid Fee Calculator

Before filing an application, the <u>Fee Calculator</u> should be used to obtain an estimate of the amount of fees payable

Users should be reminded of the disclaimer

Disclaimer: Fee Calculator results are based on information you have provided and the Schedule of Fees in effect at the time the estimate is generated. The estimate is provided for information purposes only. For the most accurate estimate, consult the Fee Calculator immediately before you submit a request or your payment order.

Example

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Learn more about fees in the Madrid System

Estimate your fees: Fee Calculator

(http://www.wipo.int/madrid/en/fees/calculator.jsp)

Payment methods, where to submit fees and payment follow-up (<u>http://www.wipo.int/about-</u>

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Applications and other forms submitted through National Offices

MM2 "Application for international registration" and ;

MM17 "Claim of Seniority (European Union)"

MM18 "Declaration of intention to use the mark (United States of America)"

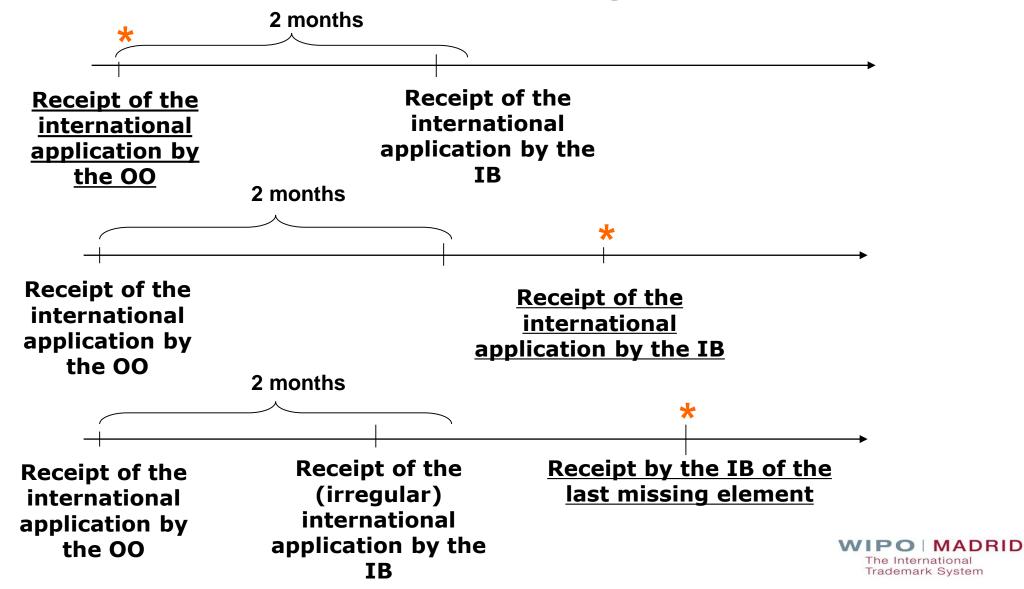
MM16: "Subsequent Designation resulting from Conversion"

through the EUIPO

Certification by the Office of Origin

ERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE OF THE INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION BY THE OFFICE OF ORIGIN
) Certification
The Office of origin certifies
(i) that the request to present this application was received on (dd/mm/yyyy).
 (ii) that the applicant named in item 2 is the same as the applicant named in the basic application or the holder named in the basic registration mentioned in item 5, as the case may be, that any indication given in item 7(d), 9(d) or 9(e) appears also in the basic application or the basic registration, as the case may be, that the mark in item 7(a) is the same as in the basic application or the basic registration, as the case may be, that, if color is claimed as a distinctive feature of the mark in the basic application or the basic registration, the same claim is include in item 8 or that, if color is claimed in item 8 without having being claimed in the basic application or basic registration, the mark in the basic application or basic registration, the mark in the basic application of colors claimed, and that the goods and services listed in item 10 are covered by the list of goods and services appearing in the basic application or basic registration or basic registration or basic application or basic applicat
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