

ELECTRONIC REPRESENTATIONS OF DESIGNS

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1. Country Code page

1. Please enter the two-letter country code corresponding to your Office or Organization.

MD

2. Questions page

2. Figures on type of filing and representation

	2015	2016	2017	Total
Paper filing	94	46	41	181
Electronic filing	258	243	184	685

3. Figures on type of representation:

	2015	2016	2017	Total
2D views	2172	1066	1040	4278
3D models				
Video				
Specimen				
Hologram				

4. 2D image representations and limitations

	Acceptable?	Minimum size (width x height in pixel)	Maximum size (width x height in pixel)	Indicate any other limitations or requirements
JPEG	Yes			
TIFF	Yes			
PNG	Yes			
GIF	Yes			
PDF				
SVG				
Other (specify)				

5. 3D model representation and limitations

	Acceptable?	Indicate any limitations or requirements
3D PDF		
3DS		
DWG		
DWF		
IGES		
STL		
X3D		
OBJ		
Other(specify)		

6. Video representation and limitations

	Acceptable?	Indicate any limitations or requirements
MP4		
Other(specify)		

7. File limitations

Accept images in color
 Accept images in grayscale
 Accept images in black/white
 Accept photographic images

8. Paper format

Minimum image size (specify width x height in cm): 3 cm * 3 cm
 Maximum image size (specify width x height in cm): 16 cm * 16 cm
 Allow more than one view on each page.
 Minimum paper size (specify width x height in cm): A4 (21 cm * 29,7 cm)
 Maximum paper size (specify width x height in cm): A4 (21 cm * 29,7 cm)
 URL for requirement details: Regulation on the procedure of filing, examination and registration of industrial designs, (approved by the Government Decision of the Republic of Moldova No.1496 of December 29, 2008), Reg. 16 a)
<http://lex.justice.md/index.php?action=view&view=doc&lang=1&id=330336>

9. Capture of representation in paper and/or specimen

No view image capture from specimen
 The output image is black/white unless color is necessary.
 The output file format (e.g., JPEG, TIFF) is:: JPEG, TIFF
 The output image has the same legal authenticity as the original paper/specimen.
 How many years is the original paper/specimen kept for an authentic record?: Permanently

10. Capture 2D views from 3D-model or video

11. Capture of hologram

Summary of the requirements and process for capture: Holograms can be protected as a succession of 2D images

12. Image transformation

No transformations (defective images are rejected)

White-space trimming (please specify the conditions): To save space, the white field, which is not part of the object and is used only as a font, is excluded from saving to Data Base

Scaling and resizing (please specify the conditions): The images submitted electronically are resized to the dimensions indicated by the applicant

File format conversions: The images electronically received are saved in TIFF and JPEG formats

13. Does your Office/Organization have the same requirement for design representations from applicants and non-applicants?

No, there are no specific requirements for non-applicants

14. Publication type

On-line publication for web browser access

Paper publication

15. 2D and 3D representation and limitations

Only publish 2D view images

2D Design representations are published in multiple formats (e.g., PDF and JPEG) (specify): In Data Base – JPEG

<http://www.db.agepi.md/DMI/Details?id=f+2018+0010>, The decisions, certificates of registration that contains images – PDF

<http://www.db.agepi.md/DMI/Details?id=f+2018+0010>, The Official Bulletin of Intellectual Property (BOPI) PDF

http://agepi.gov.md/sites/default/files/bopi/BOPI_03_2018.pdf#page=149

The published design representations are exactly the same as what have been filed by the applicant.

The published design representations may differ from what have has been filed by the applicant in file format (e.g., from JPEG to PDF).

The published design representations may differ from what have been filed by the applicant in image size by pixels.

Publish 2D image in JPEG

Publish 2D image in PDF

Publish black/white images unless color is necessary

16. Please tick or specify the ways by which your Office/Organization displays design representations for examination or administration purposes.

Electronic display

Paper printing

17. Please tick or specify the requirements by which your Office/Organization displays the design representations electronically.

2D design representations are converted into a single raster format (e.g., JPEG) for displaying (specify): JPEG

The displayed design representations are exactly the same as what have been filed by the applicant.

The displayed design representations may differ from what have been filed by the applicant in file format (e.g., from JPEG to PNG).

The displayed design representations may differ from what have been filed by the applicant in image size by pixels.

Display black/white images unless color is necessary.

18. Does your Office/Organization have the same requirement for displaying the images in the publication and in the document evidencing the recording of the design rights?

Yes

19. Please tick or specify the ways by which your Office/Organization searches the design representations.

Metadata search

20. Please tick or specify the metadata used in your Office/Organization's image search system.

List of metadata used: According to the LOCARNO classification

URL for more information on your image search system: www.db.agepi.md/DMI/, <http://db.agepi.md/Ghiduri/ghid-DMI2014.pdf>

21. What types of views does your Office allow as part of a design application submission?

Aspect views

Views magnifying part of the design

Alternate positions

Exploded views

Fully assembled view

Partial views

Sequence of snapshots

Combination of several means of visual representations

Comments: Combination of several means of visual representations is accepted if it does not change the global impression of the design.

22. What types of visual disclaimers does your Office allow as part of a design application submission?

Broken lines

Comments:

23. Does your Office provide a special provision for representing a part of a product?

No special provision applies

Comments:

24. Does your Office require an exemplary image to be selected?

No

Comments:

25. What is the minimum number of views your Office requires in a design application?

No equires

26. What is the maximum number of views your Office allows in a design application?

No requires

27. Does your office have any legislative requirements that prevents you from allowing any of the above types of representations in Part 7?

Yes

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