



This document provides defence prime contractors with a summary of Maxwell & Higgs' Australian Industry Capability (AIC) credentials for inclusion in tender submissions. All information herein is accurate as of April 2026 and available for audit upon request.

## AIC Summary

Item	Detail
Legal Entity	Maxwell & Higgs Pty Ltd
ABN	Available on request
Ownership	100% Australian-owned, no foreign parent entity
Facility Location	6/94-102 Keys Road, Moorabbin VIC 3189, Australia
Manufacturing Location	Moorabbin, Victoria, Australia
Design Location	Moorabbin, Victoria, Australia
Assembly Location	Moorabbin, Victoria, Australia
Testing Location	Moorabbin, Victoria (in-house) + accredited third-party labs
Workforce	100% Australian-based employees
Supply Chain	Australian-sourced materials where available
DISP Status	Pathway initiated
QMS	ISO 9001-aligned

## What This Means for Primes

- 1. Direct AIC Credit** — Every dollar spent with Maxwell & Higgs counts directly toward your Australian Industry Capability obligations. No offsets, no foreign leakage.
- 2. Sovereign IP** — All intellectual property developed during engagement remains under Australian ownership and jurisdiction. No foreign parent approval required.
- 3. Supply Chain Simplification** — Single-source capability (design, fabrication, assembly, test) eliminates multi-vendor coordination and reduces supply chain risk.
- 4. Audit-Ready Documentation** — Pre-packaged AIC data sheets, PPAP documentation (Levels 1-5), and compliance records ready for your bid team on request.
- 5. Responsive & Local** — Same-state, same-timezone responsiveness. Facility tours available on 48 hours' notice. Pilot projects delivered in 4-6 weeks.

## Capabilities Available as AIC Content

- Ruggedised protection systems (stone chip, corrosion, UV, vibration)
- Metal fabrication (CNC machining, laser cutting, MIG/TIG welding)
- Thermoplastic engineering (injection moulding, extrusion, thermoforming)
- CAD/FEA engineering (SolidWorks, AutoCAD, Finite Element Analysis)
- Testing & validation (ASTM D3170, ASTM B117, ASTM G154, ISO 16750-3)
- Multi-material assembly with full traceability

## Programmes We Can Support

- **LAND 400 Phase 3** — Vehicle protection and mechanical components
- **LAND 8710** — Logistics vehicle outfitting and protection
- **SEA 1180** — Marine-grade protection and mechanical outfitting
- **AIR 555 / AIR 7003** — Ground support equipment
- **JP 9102** — Deployable infrastructure components
- **Any programme** — requiring sovereign Australian manufacturing content

### Commitment Statement

Maxwell & Higgs Pty Ltd commits to maintaining 100% Australian ownership, Australian-based manufacturing, and full transparency in our AIC reporting. We welcome facility audits, capability assessments, and pilot project discussions at any time.

## Contact for AIC Enquiries

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