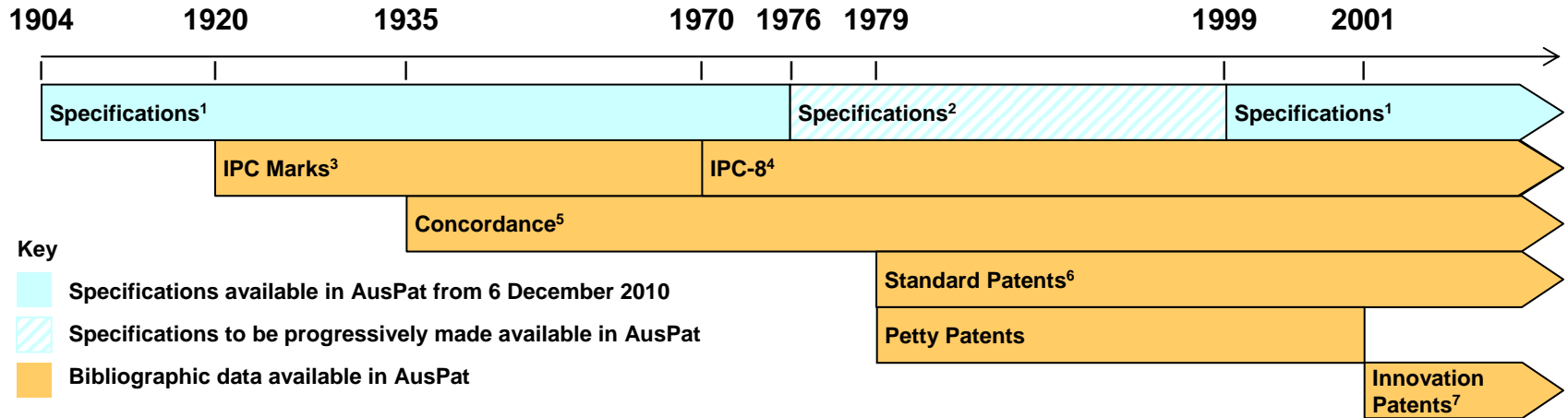


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Notes

- Specifications that can be searched and viewed with AusPat from 8 November 2010.
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 - Specifications with document kinds AU-B and AU-C from 1984 will have bookmarked components available for searching, as well as some AU-A documents from 1990 to 1997.
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- IPC version 8 has been applied to applications filed from 1970.
- Application Number to Serial Number Concordance data. From serial number 100001 (25558/35) to present.
- Standard patent applications filed from 1979.
 - PCT applications filed after 1 January 2004 are only available once they have entered the National Phase.
 - PCT applications filed before 1 January 2004 available if Australia was a designated country.
 - No data for some early applications that lapsed/were withdrawn before OPI.
 - There is some data coverage pre-1979.
- Innovation patent applications filed from 24 May 2001.