Valuing Patents with Regression Analysis for Technology Transfer processes – The case of advanced materials for circular economy



Idea: Technology evaluation has great potential for having large effects on society and for economic growth. Technological innovation occurs frequently, and predicting where it will happen is difficult because an economic system can adapt to changing technology. The dynamic properties of technology transfer processes can (partly) be captured through patent data. Based on a systematic literature review this thesis is going to answer how patent data can be used for regression analysis to evaluate the underlying technology transfer processes. The focus is here on the special case of advanced materials for circular economy.

Study design:

Systematic Literature Review with publication data

Relevant Literature:

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