

Review of: "Foundations of Science in Invasive Technologies"

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The measure proposed in the article—analyzing patent growth rates and comparing them with other technologies—is a reasonable and appropriate approach to cataloging a technology as disruptive, given the empirical evidence and theoretical arguments provided. However, it could be strengthened by incorporating additional metrics and contextual factors to fully capture the complexity and multi-dimensional nature of technological disruption. The disruptive potential of a technology may vary across different industries and applications, as the extent and speed of adoption of the technology or the impact of regulatory changes or challenges on the adoption and diffusion of the technology vary. Thus, a broader set of measures, including market and user adoption metrics, cultural or behavioral changes driven by the adoption of the new technology, could provide a more comprehensive assessment.

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