

# Review of: "An Analysis of the Russian Patent Situation in the Context of the Ukrainian Situation"

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The paper deals with the change of the Russian patent landscape due to the implications of the Ukrainian situation and subsequent global economic sanctions. The description is very interesting and shows in a realistic way in particular the substantial decrease of foreign patents. It would be useful to see whether there is any impact on the domestic patents.

The suggestion to see the present situation as experiment how an economy works without patents is stimulating. However, the consequences should not only be discussed in terms of prices for pharmaceuticals, but as to the impact on innovation in all technological fields.