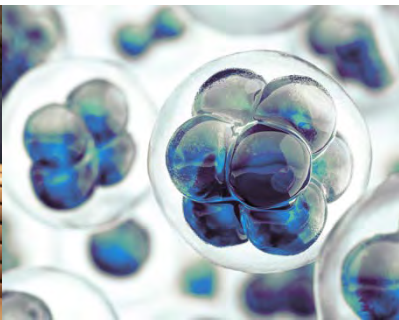


# International Symposium on Patent Examination Practises on AI-related Inventions

Examination Practises of Patent Eligibility at the EPO



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# Examination of AI-related inventions at EPO

## Exclusion

- Computational models and algorithms in AI are *per se* of abstract nature
- Excluded when claimed *as such*
- Solution: technical means
- Claim forms for computer-implemented inventions (CII) in GL F-IV, 3.9

## Novelty and inventive step

- **All features contributing to the technical character taken into account for assessment of inventive step (T 641/00; GL G-VII, 5.4)**

## Patentability of AI

## ***“Trained Model for Analyzing Reputations of Accommodations”***

- A “trained model” is of abstract nature
- How does it causes the computer to carry out calculations?
- Is it necessary to convert the model into a computer program in order to cause the computer to perform said calculation?
- Identification of a technical feature?



**Thank you for your attention!**

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