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HISTORY OF STATISTICAL OBSERVATIONS OF INVENTIVE ACTIVITY IN ACADEMIC ORGANISATION AND UKRAINIAN UNIVERSITIES

Summary

The article is devoted to the analysis of scientific and practical activity, namely statistical observation of inventive activity of scientific institutions and higher education establishments. The methodological basis of the study was general scientific, interdisciplinary and historical research methods. Analysis of historiographical documents and sources revealed that they did not sufficiently reflect the development of statistical observations of specifically inventive activity in Ukraine. V.L. Bogdanov, Yu.M. Kapitsa, V.P. Soloviov, B.A. Malitsky, G.O. Androschuk, M.I. Shinkarenko researched the issues of inventive activity.

The development of international and national statistics in the field of invention activity was significantly influenced by the activities of the European Union (EU) countries, the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) and the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD). A historical analysis of the implementation of statistical observations of inventive activity before 1991 is made. They contained data on a set of indicators that prevailed during that period of time and social order. The experience of statistical observations of inventive activity in Ukraine and newly independent states, which were formed after the collapse of

the USSR, is analyzed. Since the 1990s, reporting under the 4-ST for industrial property activities has been maintained, with the introduction of changes to the transition to a patent form of protection. Information on patenting was provided in annual reports and publications of authorized bodies in the field of intellectual property. The history of statistical observations of inventive activity is an important source of information about scientific, technical, innovative and economic development of the country.

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