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Guidelines for the use of generative AI in the preparation of scientific student work (particularly computer exercises, seminar papers, bachelor theses and master theses)

The guidelines of the KIT Faculty of Business Administration and Economics apply, which can be viewed at https://www.wiwi.kit.edu/serviceDownloads.php#Handreichungen.

In addition, the following guidelines apply:

1. the use of generative artificial intelligence (AI) is expressly permitted; in fact, we support its use. In particular, generative AI can support, for example, the creation of figures and tables, the generation of program code or formatting.

2. all scientific student work should contain a section at the end (before the references, if any) stating whether generative AI has been used or not. If generative AI has been used, the following information should be given in tabular form: Name of the generative AI, version number, description of what the generative AI has been used for and whether any changes (if any) have been made to the output of the generative AI.

3. it is important that one's own contribution is clearly recognizable in the scientific work. This applies in particular to content generated by generative AI.

4. the use of grammar programs or translation tools does not fall under generative AI (in the sense of the guidelines) and does not have to be identified separately. Their use is also expressly permitted.