

1 **Rule 707. Machine-Generated Evidence.**

2 **(a) Definitions. As used in this rule:**

3 **(1) “Machine-generated evidence” means information or material produced by a**  
4 **machine-based system that autonomously processes data to generate an inference,**  
5 **prediction, classification, or conclusion.**

6 **(2) “Simple scientific instrument” means a device that directly measures and reports**  
7 **information or material without generating an inference, prediction, classification, or**  
8 **conclusion.**

9 **(b) Admissibility.**

10 **(1) When machine-generated evidence is offered without an expert witness and**  
11 **provides an inference, prediction, classification, or conclusion that would be subject**  
12 **to Rule 702(b) if testified to by an expert, the court may admit the evidence only if the**  
13 **machine-generated evidence:**

14 **(A) will help the trier of fact to understand the evidence or to determine a fact in**  
15 **issue;**

16 **(B) is based on sufficient facts or data;**

17 **(C) is the product of reliable principles and methods; and**

18 **(D) reflects a reliable application of the principles and methods to the facts of the**  
19 **case.**

20 **(2) This rule does not apply to the output of a simple scientific instrument.**

21 **(3) This rule applies when machine-generated evidence is:**

22 **(A) entered directly; or**

23 **(B) accompanied by lay testimony.**

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