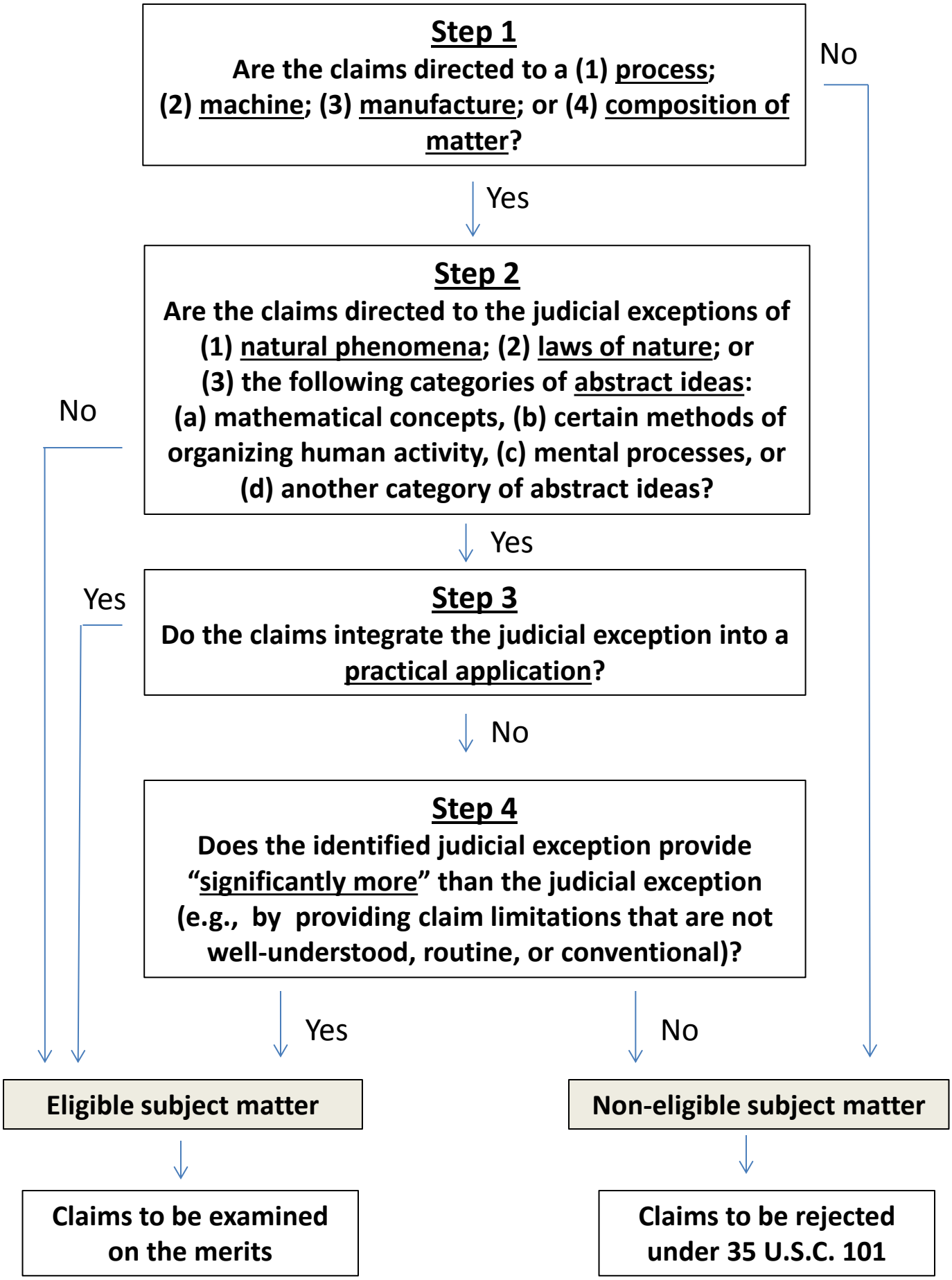
Step 1
Are the claims directed to a (1) process; (2) machine; (3) manufacture; or (4) composition of matter?
No
Yes
Step 2
Are the claims directed to the judicial exceptions of (1) natural phenomena; (2) laws of nature; or (3) the following categories of abstract ideas: (a) mathematical concepts, (b) certain methods of organizing human activity, (c) mental processes, or (d) another category of abstract ideas?
No
Yes
Step 3
Do the claims integrate the judicial exception into a practical application?
Yes
No
Step 4
Does the identified judicial exception provide "significantly more" than the judicial exception (e.g., by providing claim limitations that are not well-understood, routine, or conventional)?
Yes
No
Eligible subject matter
Non-eligible subject matter
Claims to be examined on the merits
Claims to be rejected under 35 U.S.C. 101