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Trustworthy use of Al

AI in digital-ready policy design and legal drafting

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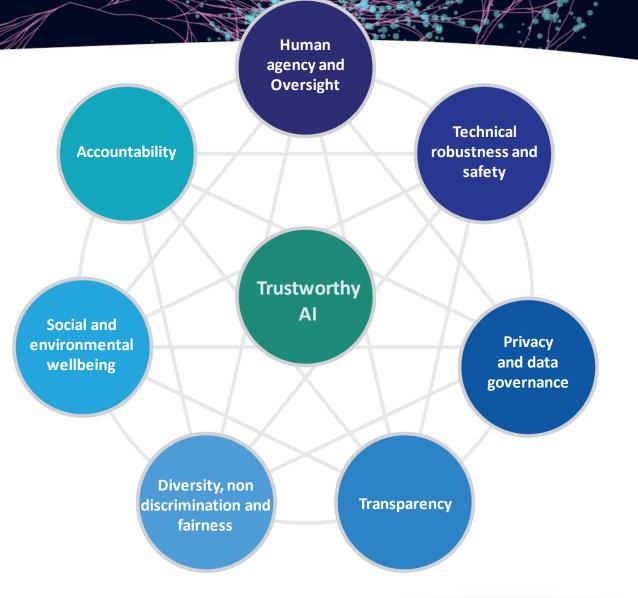
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Trustworthy Al

Algorithmic systems made in Europe are <u>trustworthy</u> and require a <u>horizontal</u> and <u>coordinated</u> approach to ensure coherence, anticipate needs and maximize impact.



The JRC, with a dedicated portfolio, can contribute with the <u>scientific/technical know-how</u> which is essential to EU AI policies.





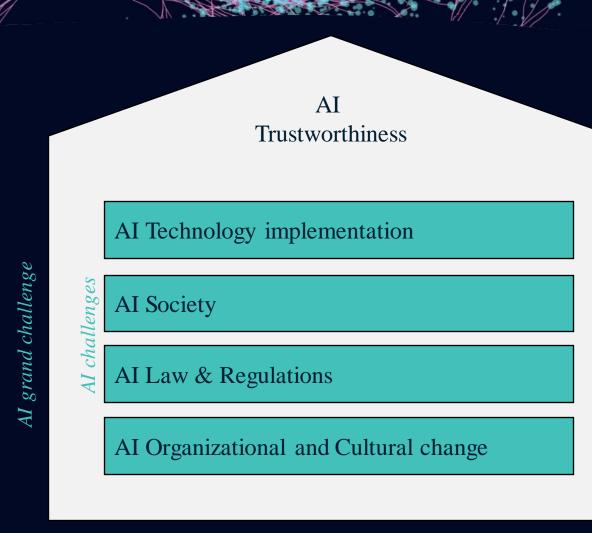


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Need of trustworthy Al in the public sector

- Risks should be <u>systematically</u> <u>assessed</u> with a structured and well-defined procedure, avoiding any form of discriminatory and unfair use of the AI system
- Proper mitigation measures should be <u>identified</u> for ensuring a humancentric use of AI
- This needs to become a **routine** for public organisations.



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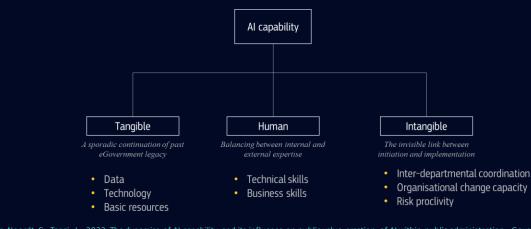


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Technology is only half of the story

- Public administrations should be aware that the technical effort for coding an AI system is only a small portion of the effort needed for the implementation thereof
- Introducing an AI solution requires a general awareness of AI but also new task allocation and, when needed, <u>new roles and positions</u> within the organisation

Al as an organizational agent



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So what...



How risky is the use of AI in your case?

If the overall risk is not unacceptable, how do you mitigate potential issues? Who owns and controls the Al system you are using?

How do you ensure transparency and accountability when using AI (e.g. while drafting legal texts)?





Thank you!

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