

ISO/IEC 27001 & ISO/IEC 42001: The Twin Pillars of AI Governance and Cybersecurity

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Agenda

- Overview of ISO/IEC 27001 vs ISO/IEC 42001
- ISMS vs AIMS
- Key considerations for 42001
- Integration of ISMS & AIMS
- Risk Management and Compliance
- Developing AI SecOps

ISO 27001 vs. ISO 42001

What is the relationship?

ISO/IEC 27001 defines the requirements to create, implement, and maintain an **Information Security Management system (ISMS)**.

ISO/IEC 42001 defines the requirements to design, build, and continually improving an **Artificial Intelligence Management System (AIMS)**.



ISMS vs AIMS

Interrelated Management Systems

Security Control Area	ISMS	AIMS
Risk Management	✓	✓
Transparency & Accountability	✓	✓
Continuous Improvement	✓	✓
Secure Development	✓	✓
Ethical Conduct	✓	✓
Data Governance	✓	✓
Asset Management	✓	✓
Third Party (Supply Chain) Security	✓	✓

Key Similarities

Aspect	ISO/IEC 27001:2022 (ISMS)	ISO/IEC 42001 (AIMS)
Management System Structure	Based on Annex SL (High-Level Structure)	Based on Annex SL (High-Level Structure)
Risk-Based Approach	Core to identifying and treating security risks	Core to identifying and treating AI risks
Asset Focus	Information and IT systems	AI systems, datasets, and models
Stakeholder Consideration	Internal and external parties	Internal and extended external parties
Continuous Improvement	Focus on continual improvement of ISMS	Focus on continual improvement of AIMS

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Key Differences

Aspect	ISO/IEC 27001:2022 (ISMS)	ISO/IEC 42001 (AIMS)
Objective	Protect information confidentiality, integrity, and availability (CIA)	Ensure responsible AI use
Risk-Based Approach	Core to identifying and treating security risks	Core to identifying and treating AI risks
Asset Focus	Information and IT systems	AI systems, datasets, and models
Governance	Information security governance	AI trustworthiness (Security, Safety, Fairness, Transparency and Quality) governance
Controls	Information Security controls.	AI-specific controls covering AI Lifecycle and controls addressing bias, explainability
Impact Assessment Scope	Confidential, Integrity and Availability	Legal Position or Life Opportunities, Physical and Psychological well being, Universal Human Rights, Societies

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Integrating ISMS & AIMS



Integrated Management Systems

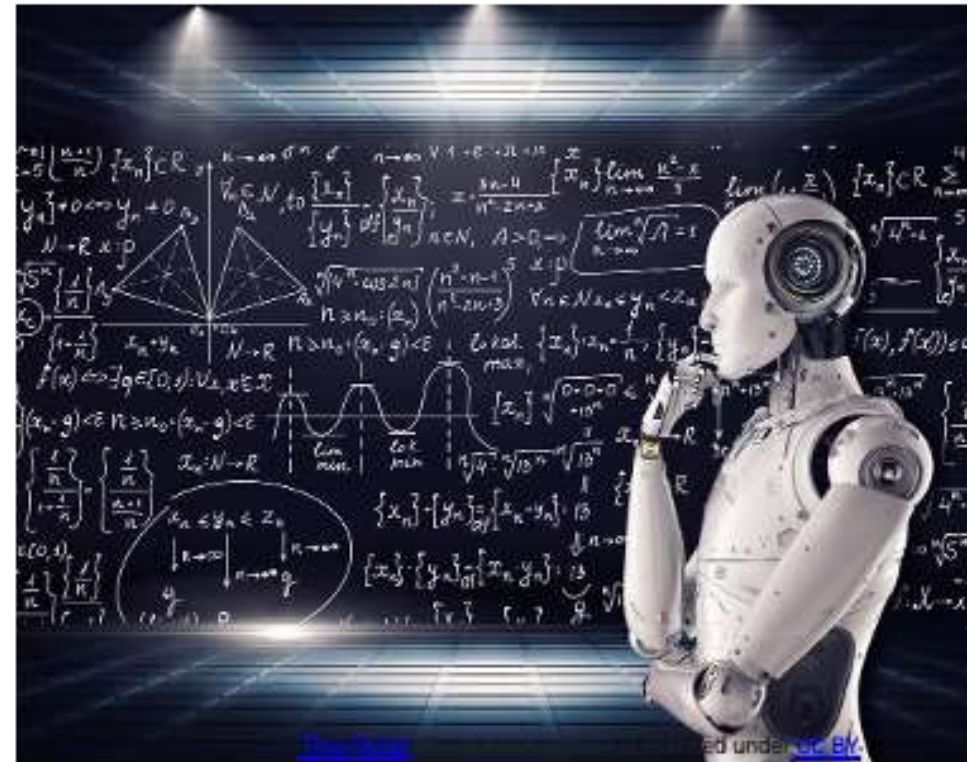
ISO/IEC 27001:2022 (ISMS)	ISO/IEC 42001 (AIMS)
Understanding the Organisation and its Context	
Leadership and Commitment, AI Policy, R&R	
AI Policy, Update to Information Security Policy	
Risk Criteria, Risk Methodology	
AI System Impact Assessment	
Support (Resources, Competencies and Awareness, Taxonomy)	
Operation, Performance Evaluation, Management Review	
Improvement	

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ISO 42001 Key Considerations

AI Considerations

- AI risks
 - Data bias
 - Algorithmic fairness
 - AI security vulnerabilities
- AI controls integration
 - Using AI in development
 - Integrating AI into your solutions
 - Using AI for work tasks
 - Supply chain and AI



Addressing Artificial Intelligence Risks

AI Content in your ISMS

Build an **AI Policy** that includes:

- Safe use of AI technologies (e.g., use only approved and licensed LLM's, do not share confidential data or names in prompts, etc.)
- Uses for AI in your organization (e.g., building marketing content, assisting with coding, etc.)
- AI tools currently approved for use in your organization

Update your **SDLC** (Software/Secure Development Policy):

- Add testing and design tips for bias
- Add testing and design tips for algorithmic fairness
- Add guidance on protecting PII or other sensitive data in your product



Addressing Artificial Intelligence Risks

AI Content in your ISMS

Update your **Supply Chain or Third-Party** Security:

- When risk assessing a new or existing Supplier or third-party partner, ask:
 - Do you have or use AI in the services or product you will be supplying us?
 - If yes, how do you risk assess and secure your use of AI?
 - If yes, does your AI utilize other external AI's?
 - If yes, what happens to prompt data?



Build a dedicated **AI Data Privacy Policy** or Update your existing Privacy Policy:

- Add language that outlines how you handle, store, and process prompt data

Addressing Artificial Intelligence Risks

AI Content in your ISMS

Update your **Risk Management Policy** and Process:

- Your risk assessment process should now include:
 - Assessing AI specific risks for AI tools or service usage
 - The new AI tool or service should be assessed for AI risks
 - Any identified AI risks should be in your risk register

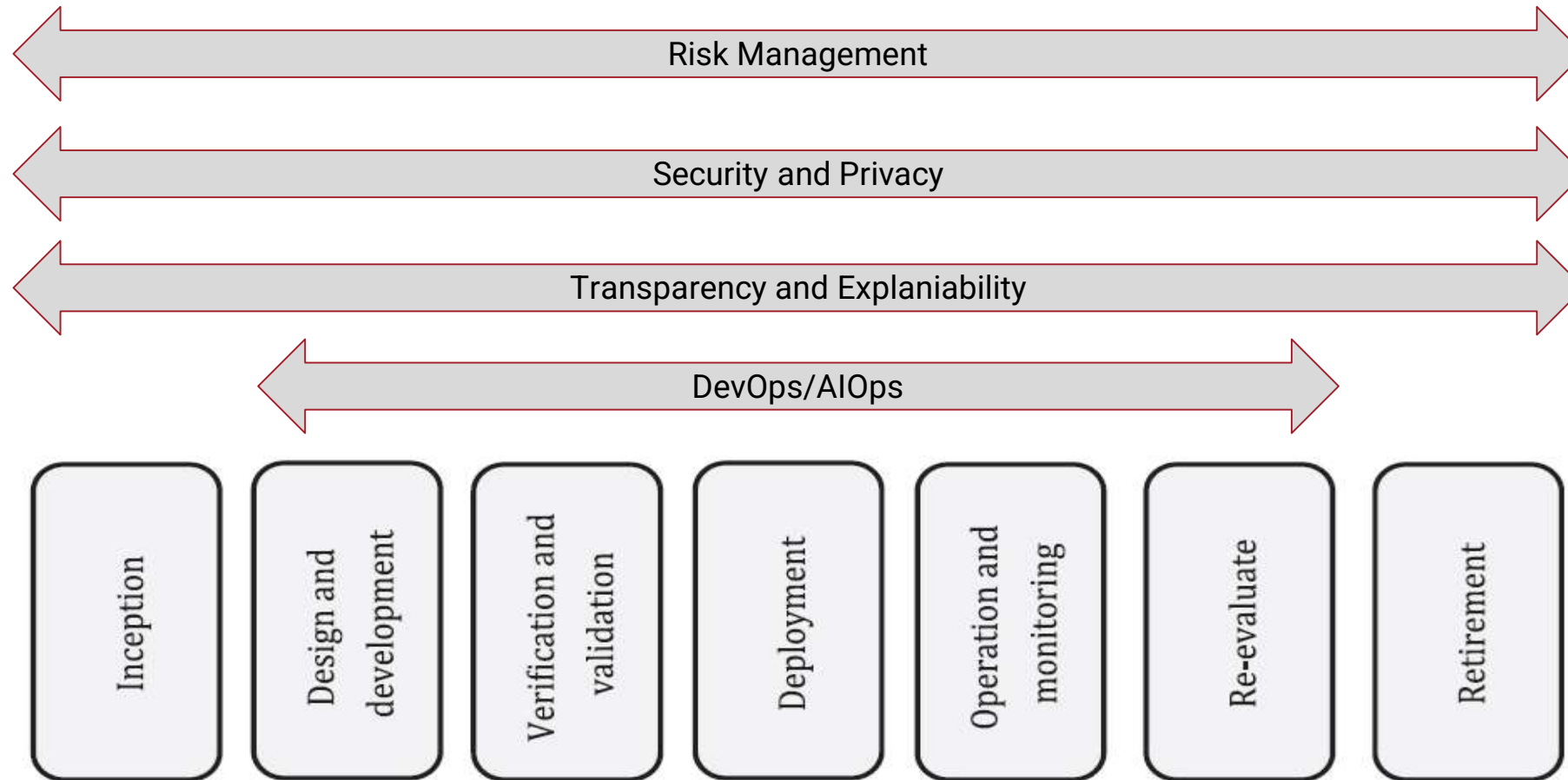
Update your **Asset Inventory** to include AI tools and associated data:

- Prompt data may be retained in a database (e.g., Mongo)
- Prompt data may contain PII or other confidential data



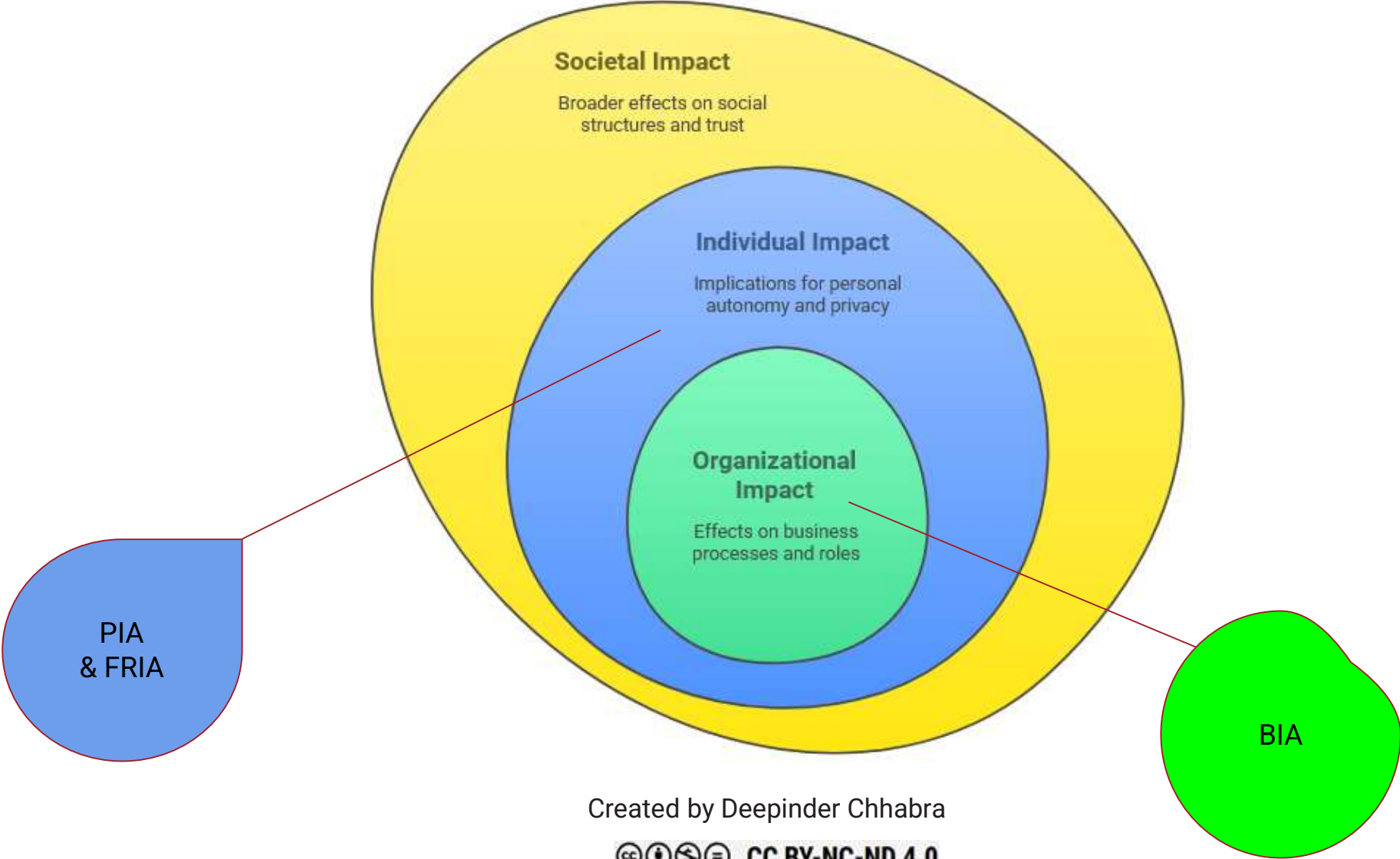
Risk Management & Compliance

Risk Management and AI Lifecycle



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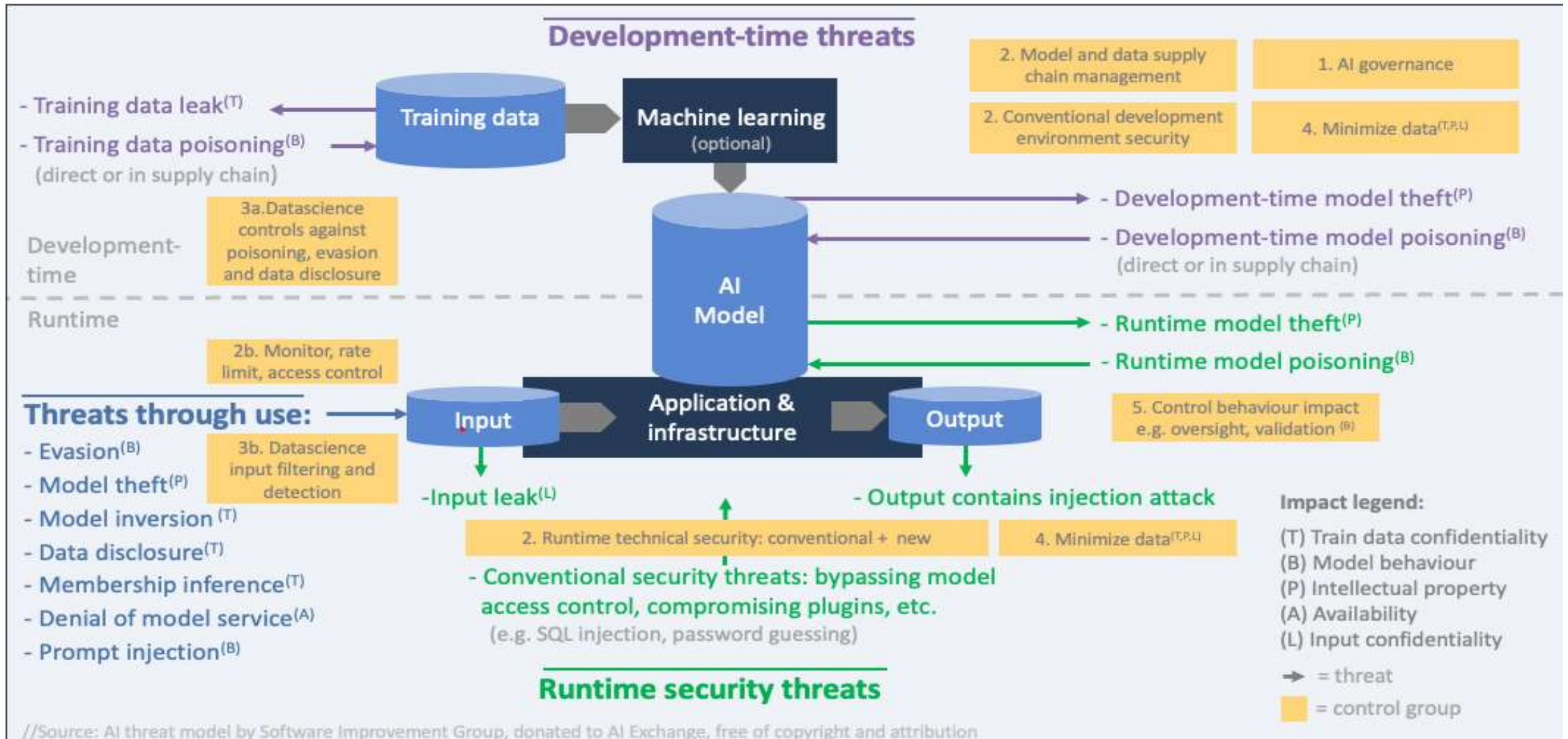
AI Impact Assessment



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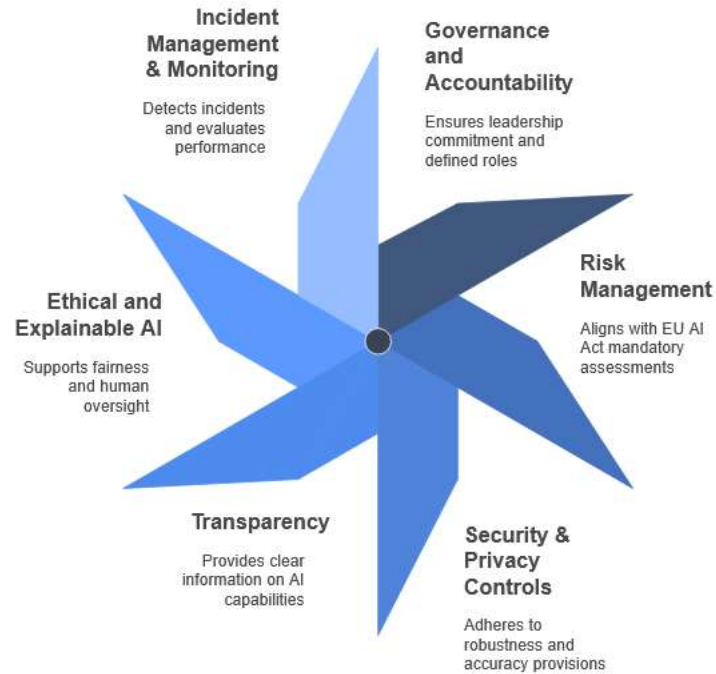
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AI Threats and Controls

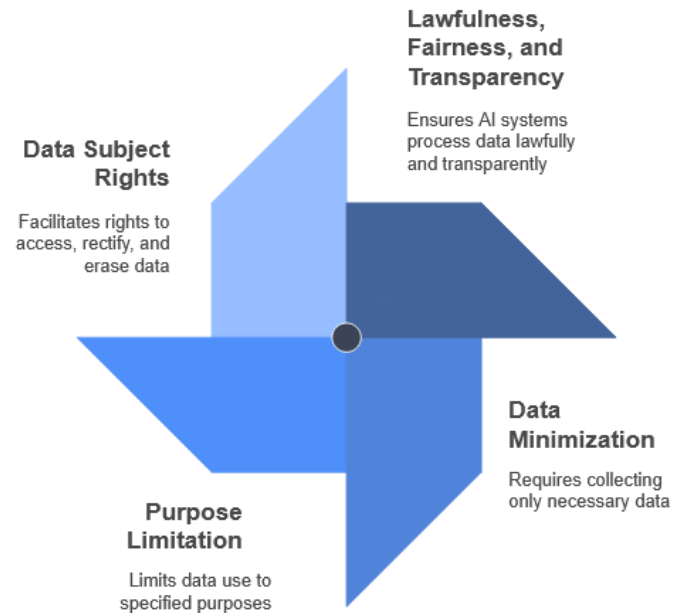


Compliance

EU AI Act/ Local AI Regulations



EU GDPR/ Privacy Laws



Copyright & Trade Secret Protection

Copyright Considerations

Understand the implications of AI-generated content on copyright laws.

Trade Secret Protection

Implement measures to safeguard proprietary algorithms and data.



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Building an AI SecOps

AI Security Operations (SecOps)

Two types

AI in SecOps

The use of AI tools or AI enabled tools to help enhance Security Operations teams through expedited threat analysis, big data (e.g., log files) processing, and AI suggested remediations.

SecOps for AI

The use of security tools to protect AI tools and/or to analyze AI for security weaknesses (e.g., <https://github.com/meta-llama/PurpleLlama>).

AI Security Operations (SecOps)

- SecOps for AI

AI coding assist tools can be helpful, but they can also introduce:

- Inaccurate code
- Insecure code
- Irrelevant code

The SDLC must include checks on AI code assist generated source code.



AI Security Operations (SecOps)

SecOps for AI

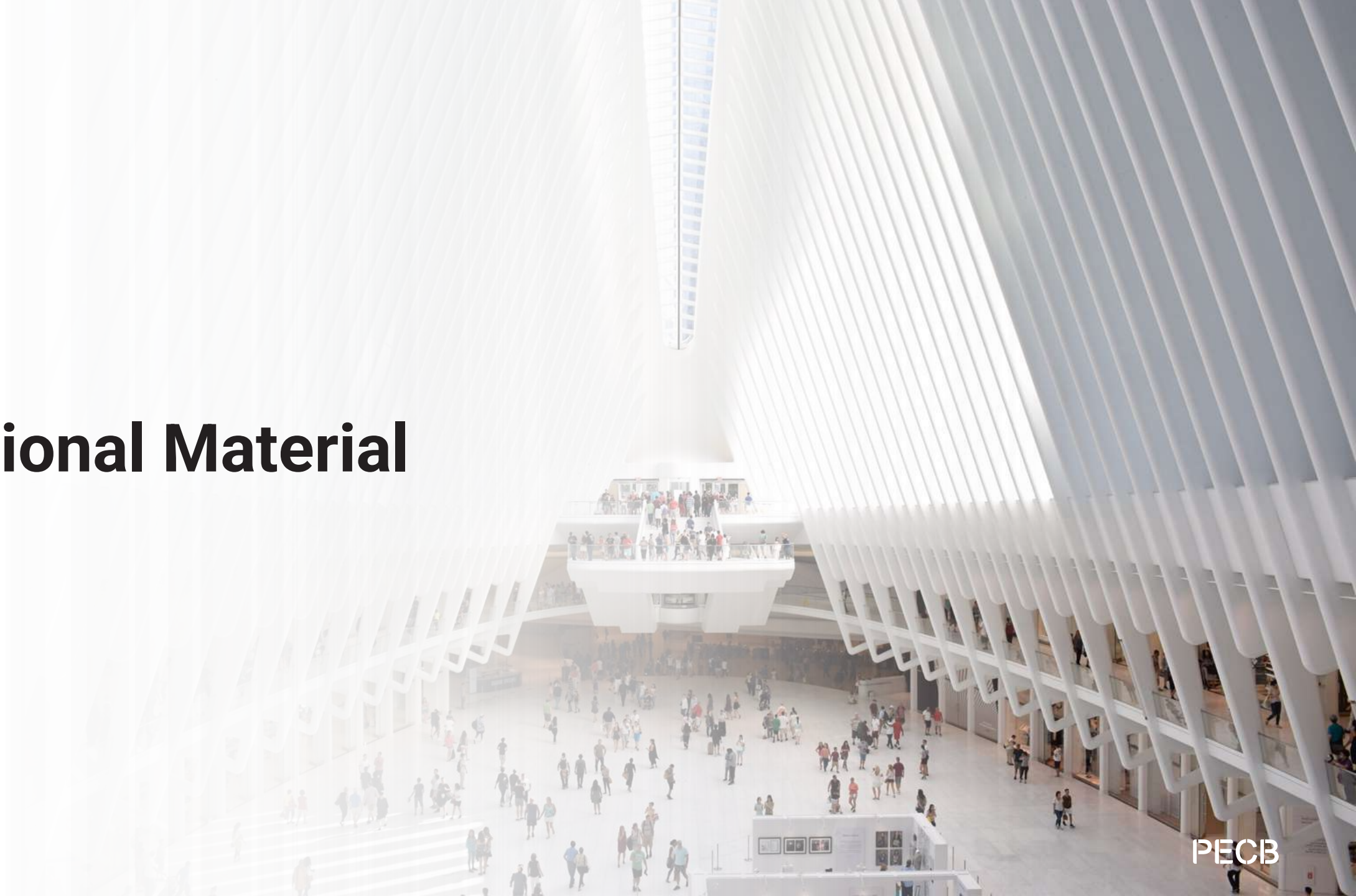
AI tools used in your organization for daily workload can introduce risks such as:

- Confidential or PII data leak
- Multiple AI tools for the same task
- Inaccurate data from AI
- Third Party (Supply Chain) risks

Your organization must vet and manage AI tool usage by all staff.



Additional Material



AI SecOps Tools

AI Protection Tools:

<https://github.com/meta-llama/PurpleLlama>

LLM Firewall, Analysis tool, AI Agent tool:

<https://Arthur.ai>

Zero Trust for AI, LLM runtime security, Automated red teaming:

<https://protectai.com>

Open source LLM vulnerability scanner:

<https://github.com/NVIDIA/garak>

AI Policy

Create an AI Security Policy that includes:

- Use of confidential or PII data in AI tools (prompts, etc.)
- Centralized review and approval of AI tools prior to use
- Treat AI like a third-party supplier entity
- Hosted versus cloud-based AI products – when to use which
- AI tool licensing in your organization
- AI in the software development life cycle
- Understand AI tool Terms and Conditions (EULA)

AI Security and Legal/Privacy Concerns

Security

- Safety vs Security
- Biases/Misinformation
- Data Leaks
- Injections/Breakouts
- Data Storage
- Dependency
- Employee Concerns

Legal / Privacy

- Privacy
 - Training Data
 - Prompt Data
- Due Diligence (copyright/trademark)
- Intellectual Property

AI SecOps Threat Areas



Supply Chain Vulnerability



AI model life cycle



AI Governance



Creating and Using Trusted AI



Machine Learning Attacks (e.g., evasion, poisoning, abuse attacks, privacy attacks)

Some Sources

OWASP

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