

Terms	Definition 1	Citation 1 [1]	Definition 2	Citation 2	Definition 3	Citation 3	Definition 4	Citation 4	Definition 5	Citation 5	Related terms and groupings [2]	Legal definition applicable
accountability	1) relates to an allocated responsibility. The responsibility can be based on regulation or agreement or through assignment as part of delegation; 2) for systems, a property that ensures that actions of an entity can be traced uniquely to the entity; 3) in a governance context, the obligation of an individual or organization to account for its activities, deliverables or tasks, and to disclose the results in a transparent manner.	ISO/IEC_TS_5725:2022(en)	'accountable' (adjective vs. noun): answerable for actions, decisions, and performance	ISO/IEC_TS_5725:2022(en)								
accuracy	Closeness of computations or estimates to the exact or true values that the statistics were intended to measure.	OECD	A qualitative assessment of correctness or freedom from error.	FDA_Glossary	The measure of an instrument's capability to approach a true or absolute value. It is a function of precision and bias.	FDA_Glossary	The accuracy of a machine learning system is measured as the percentage of correct predictions or classifications made by the model over a specific data set. It is typically estimated using a test or "hold out" sample, other than the one(s) used to construct the model. Its complement, the error rate, is the proportion of incorrect predictions on the same data.	Raynor	measure of closeness of results of observations, computations, or estimates to the true values or the values accepted as being true	ISO/IEC_TS_5725:2022(en)		
actionable recourse	The ability of a person to change the decision of the model through actionable input variables.	Utsumi_Berk	affected users of the system have the ability to challenge the decision they receive	Vandenberg_Kush	Readily available independent mechanisms by which each individual's complaints and disputes are investigated and expeditiously resolved at no cost to the individual.	Voght_Paul			recourse, counterfactual explanation, appeal and override			
active learning	A proposed method for modifying machine learning algorithms by allowing them to specify test regions to improve their accuracy. At any point, the algorithm can choose a new point x, observe the output and incorporate the new (x, y) pair into its training base. It has been applied to neural networks, prediction functions, and clustering functions.	Raynor	Active learning (also called "query learning," or sometimes "optimal experimental design" in the statistics literature) is a subfield of machine learning and, more generally, artificial intelligence. The key hypothesis is that, if the learning algorithm is allowed to choose the data from which it learns—to be "curious," if you will—it will perform better with less training.	settles_active_2009	the process of learning through activities and/or discussion in class, as opposed to passively listening to an expert. It emphasizes higher-order thinking and often involves group work.	Freeman_et_al_2084						
active learning agent	[A machine learning algorithm that can] decide what actions to take [both regards to its training data, in contrast to a passive learning agent, which is limited to a fixed policy].	Russell_and_Norvig							passive learning agent			
activity	Work that an organization performs using business processes; can be singular or compound.	IEEE_Guide_1_P3	Set of cohesive tasks of a process.	CSRC								
adaptive dynamic programming	An adaptive dynamic programming (for ADP) agent takes advantage of the constraints among the utilities of states by learning the transition model that connects them and solving the corresponding Markov decision process using dynamic programming.	Russell_and_Norvig	A means of learning a model and a reward function from observations that then uses value or policy iteration to obtain the utilities or an optimal policy; makes optimal use of the local constraints on utilities of states imposed through the neighborhood structure of the environment.	Russell_and_Norvig								
adversarial learning	Updating predictive models online during their operation to react to concept drifts	Gama_Josao										
adversarial action	actions characterised by mala fide (malicious) intent and/or bad faith.	FRPAA_Wiki										
adversarial example	Machine learning input sample formed by applying a small but intentionally worst-case perturbation... In a clear example, such that the perturbed input causes a learned model to output an incorrect answer.	NISTIR_8269_Draft	Samples generated from real samples with carefully designed imperceptible perturbations	Zhang_Yueyue					adversarial perturbation			
adversarial machine learning	A practice concerned with the design of ML algorithms that can resist security challenges, the study of the capabilities of attackers, and the understanding of attack consequences.	Bernik_Leon	The field to study vulnerabilities of machine learning approaches in adversarial settings and to develop techniques to make learning robust to adversarial manipulation.	Vorobeychik								
adversary	The agent who conducts or intends to conduct detrimental activities, perhaps by creating an adversarial example.	NISTIR_8269_Draft	Individual, group, organization, or government that conducts or has the intent to conduct detrimental activities.	CSRC								
adverse action notice	A notification of (i) a refusal to grant credit to substantially the amount or on substantially the terms requested in an application unless the creditor makes a counteroffer (to grant credit to a different amount or on other terms) and the applicant uses or expressly accepts the credit offer; (ii) a termination of an account or an unfavorable change in the terms of an account that does not affect all or substantially all of a class of the creditor's accounts; or (iii) a refusal to increase the amount of credit available to an applicant who has made an application for an increase.	ECOA										
adverse impact ratio	A substantially different rate of selection (such as in hiring) which works to the disadvantage of members of a race, sex, or ethnic group.	Calderin_EEOC	privileged and unprivileged groups receiving different outcomes irrespective of the decision maker's intent and irrespective of the decision-making procedure. Quantified as the ratio: disparate impact ratio = $P(Y=1 X=1) / (Z=upper\ 1/P(Y=1)) - [w \cdot (1 - Z=upper) / (1 - w)]$ where $P(Y=1 X=1)$ is the favorable label ($Z=upper$) in the privileged group, and ($Z=upper$) in the unprivileged group.	Vandenberg_Kush	Determining what constitutes disparate impact at a statistical level is also far from straightforward. Historically, statisticians and regulators have used a variety of methods to detect its occurrence under existing legal standards. Statisticians have, for example, used a group fairness metric called the "80 percent rule" (it's also known as the "adverse impact ratio") as one central indicator of disparate impact. Originating in the employment context in the 1970s, the ratio consists of dividing the proportion of the selected group in the disadvantaged class by the proportion of selected members of the advantaged group. A ratio below 80% is generally considered to be evidence of discrimination. Other metrics, such as standardized mean difference or marginal effects analysis, have been used to detect unfair outcomes in AI as well.	HBR_Andrew_Burt_how_to_ensure	disparate impact ratio, relative risk ratio					
agile	a development approach that delivers software in increments by following the principles of the Manifesto for Agile Software Development.	Gartner	A philosophy and methodology used to describe the continuous, iterative process to develop and deliver software and other digital technologies. User requirements and feedback inform incremental development and delivery by developers.	NSCAI								
AI principles	[An overarching concept, value, belief, or norm that guides AI development, testing, and deployment across the AI lifecycle. The OECD identifies five complementary values-based principles for the responsible stewardship of trustworthy AI and calls on AI actors to promote and implement them: inclusive growth, sustainable development and well-being; human-centred values and fairness; transparency and explainability; robustness, security and safety; and accountability.	OECD_CAI_recommendation							Are these definitions of what an AI principle is or a list of definitions?			
algorithm	A set of step-by-step instructions. Computer algorithms can be simple (if it's 3 p.m., send a reminder) or complex (identify pedestrians).	Hinton_Matthew	A set of computational rules to be followed to solve a mathematical problem. More recently, the term has been adopted to refer to a process to be followed, often by a computer.	ComputerOffice	Formulate gives to a computer in order for it to complete a task (i.e. a set of rules for a computer).	Bernik_Leon	precise rules for transforming specified inputs into specified outputs in a finite number of steps	kush_art_2081	algorithm is a set of step-by-step procedures for solving problems. For concreteness, we can think of them simply as being computed programs, written in some precise computer languages	garry_computer_209		
algorithmic aversion	biased assessment of an algorithm which manifests in negative behaviours and attitudes towards the algorithm compared to a human agent.	Ekaterina_et_al_2020										
algorithm-in-the-loop	[A] framework [that] centers human decision making, providing a more precise lens for studying the social impacts of algorithmic decision making and... processes that employ algorithmic aids to enhance human decision making. In contrast to the human-in-the-loop paradigm, which privileges algorithms as the central focus and uses people to improve algorithmic performance, the algorithm-in-the-loop perspective privileges people as the central focus and uses algorithms to improve human decision making... [It] emphasizes developing systems for integration into sociotechnical contexts rather than for isolated decision making. In terms of evaluation, it emphasizes the human's decisions—rather than the algorithm's decisions—as the primary outcome of interest, ensuring that powerful AI is properly aligned with human values... The challenge of alignment has two parts. The first part is technical and focuses on how to formally encode values or principles in artificial agents so that they reliably do what they ought to do... The second part of the value alignment question is normative. It asks what values or principles, if any, we ought to encode in artificial agents.	Ren_Greylin_Ying_Chen										
alignment		Gabriel_2020										
amplification			This criterion, disparity amplification, deals with the disparity in positive classification rates, which is a widely accepted measure of discriminatory effect in both law and computer science. It stipulates that a disparity in the output of the model is justified by a commensurate disparity in the construct, thereby allowing accurate models even when the base rates are different for different protected groups, as equalized odds, predictive parity, and calibration do.	yeom_avoiding_2021	Let $\{construct\ space\} \mathcal{X}$ and $\{prediction\ space\} \mathcal{Y}$ be categorical. Then, a model exhibits disparity amplification if $\Delta \mathcal{X} \cap \mathcal{P} \cap \mathcal{Y} \cap \mathcal{Q} \cap \mathcal{R} \cap \mathcal{S} \cap \mathcal{T} \cap \mathcal{U} \cap \mathcal{V} \cap \mathcal{W} \cap \mathcal{X} \cap \mathcal{Y} \cap \mathcal{Z} \cap \mathcal{A} \cap \mathcal{B} \cap \mathcal{C} \cap \mathcal{D} \cap \mathcal{E} \cap \mathcal{F} \cap \mathcal{G} \cap \mathcal{H} \cap \mathcal{I} \cap \mathcal{J} \cap \mathcal{K} \cap \mathcal{L} \cap \mathcal{M} \cap \mathcal{N} \cap \mathcal{O} \cap \mathcal{P} \cap \mathcal{Q} \cap \mathcal{R} \cap \mathcal{S} \cap \mathcal{T} \cap \mathcal{U} \cap \mathcal{V} \cap \mathcal{W} \cap \mathcal{X} \cap \mathcal{Y} \cap \mathcal{Z} \cap \mathcal{A} \cap \mathcal{B} \cap \mathcal{C} \cap \mathcal{D} \cap \mathcal{E} \cap \mathcal{F} \cap \mathcal{G} \cap \mathcal{H} \cap \mathcal{I} \cap \mathcal{J} \cap \mathcal{K} \cap \mathcal{L} \cap \mathcal{M} \cap \mathcal{N} \cap \mathcal{O} \cap \mathcal{P} \cap 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artificial general intelligence (AGI)	Algorithms that perform a wide variety of tasks and switch simultaneously from one activity to another in the manner that human do.	Brookings_Inst tation	a machine that's as intelligent as a human and equally capable of solving the broad range of problems that require learning and reasoning	Wallace_Brian	Human-like intelligence, which can be applied widely as opposed to narrow AI, which can only be applied to one particular problem or task. Also called 'strong AI' as opposed to 'weak' AI.	AI_Ethics_Mar A_Cockeberg h						
artificial intelligence (AI)	Interdisciplinary field, usually regarded as a branch of computer science, dealing with models and systems for the performance of functions generally associated with human intelligence, such as reasoning and learning.	Reznik_Leon	the field concerned with developing techniques to allow computers to act in a manner that seems like an intelligent organism, such as a human would. The aim vary from the weak end, where a program seems 'a little smarter' than one would expect, to the strong end, where the strength is to develop a fully conscious, intelligent, computer-based entity. The lower end is continually disappearing into the general computing background, as the software and hardware evolves.	Raynor	the study of ideas to bring into being machines that respond to stimulation consistent with traditional responses from humans, given the human capacity for contemplation, judgment and intention. Each such machine should engage in critical appraisal and selection of differing opinions within itself. Produced by human skill and labor, these machines should conduct themselves in agreement with life, spirit and sensibility, though in reality, they are imitations.	Shubendhu_an d_Vipra	a field of study that is adept at applying intelligence to vast amounts of data and deriving meaningful results	Wallace_Brian	The application of computational tools to address tasks traditionally requiring human analysis.	Comptroller_O ffice	machine learning; data science	
artificial intelligence learning	The ingestion of a corpus, application of semantic mapping, and relevant ontology of structured and/or unstructured data that yields inference and correlation leading to the creation of useful conclusive or predictive capabilities in a given knowledge domain. Strong AI learning also includes the capability of creating unique hypotheses, attributing data relevance, processing data relationships, and updating its own lines of inquiry to further the usefulness of its purpose.	IEEE_Guide_1 PA										
artificial narrow intelligence (ANI)	[an AI system that] is designed to accomplish a specific problem-solving or reasoning task.	OECD_Artifici al_Intelligence _in_Society	Artificial Narrow Intelligence, also known as weak or applied intelligence, represents most of the current artificial intelligent systems which usually focus on a specific task. Narrow AIs are mostly much better than humans at the task they were made for: for example, look at face recognition, chess computers, calculus, and translation. The definition of artificial narrow intelligence is in contrast to that of strong AI or artificial general intelligence, which aims at providing a system with consciousness or the ability to solve any problems. Virtual assistants and AlphaGo are examples of artificial narrow intelligence systems.	AI_in_Medical _Imaging_glos sary							weak intelligence; applied intelligence	
artificial neural networks	A computing system, made up of a number of simple, highly interconnected processing elements, which processes information by its dynamic state response to external inputs.	Reznik_Leon	A good definition of ANN, is given by Haykin [1] describing ANN as a massively parallel combination of simple processing unit, which can acquire knowledge from environment through a learning process and store the knowledge in its connections.	gureven_defini tion_2001	Definition 1. A directed graph is called an Artificial Neural Network (ANN) if it has s at least one start node (or Start Element; SE), s at least one end node (or End Element; EE), s at least one Processing Element (PE), s all the nodes used must be Processing Elements (PEs), except start nodes and end nodes, s a state variable is associated with each node i, s a real valued weight w _{ki} associated with each link (ki) from node i to node k, s a real valued bias b _k associated with each node k, s at least two of the multiple PEs connected in parallel, s a learning algorithm that helps to model the desired output for given input, s a flow on each link (kj) from node k to node j, that carries exactly the same flow which equals to it caused by the output of node k, s each start node is connected to at least one end node, and each end node is connected to at least one start node, s no parallel edges (each link (ki) from node i to node j is unique).							
assessment	Action of applying specific documented criteria to a specific software module, package or product for the purpose of determining acceptance or release of the software module, package or product.	IEEE_Soft_Vo cab	the action or an instance of making a judgment about something: the act of assessing something. : APPROXIMATE	Merriam-Webster_uses stment								
asset	Item, thing, or entity that has potential or actual value to an organization, item that has been designed for use in multiple contexts.	IEEE_Soft_Vo cab										
attack	Action targeting a learning system to cause malfunction.	NISTIR_8209 Draft	Any kind of malicious activity that attempts to collect, disrupt, deny, degrade, or destroy information system resources or the information itself.	CSRC								
attribute	Property associated with a set of real or abstract things that is some characteristic of interest.	IEEE_Soft_Vo cab	A quantity describing an instance. An attribute has a domain defined by the attribute type, which denotes the values that can be taken by an attribute.	Kohavi_Ron	property or characteristic of an object that can be distinguished quantitatively or qualitatively by human or automated means	aimc_measure ment_2022 citing ISO/IEC TR 24029-1						
audit	Systematic, independent, documented process for obtaining records, statements of fact, or other relevant information and assessing them objectively, to determine the extent to which specified requirements are fulfilled.	IEEE_Soft_Vo cab	To conduct an independent review and examination of system records and activities in order to test the adequacy and effectiveness of data security and data integrity procedures, to ensure compliance with established policy and operational procedures, and to recommend any necessary changes.	FDA_Glossary	Independent examination of a software product, software process, or set of software processes to assess compliance with specifications, standards, contractual agreements, or other criteria	NASA_Soft_S s_performanc e_2022	Independent review conducted to compare the various aspects of the laboratory's performance with a standard for that performance. Also defined as a systematic, independent and documented process for obtaining audit evidence and evaluating it objectively to determine the extent to which audit criteria are fulfilled.	UNODC_Gloss ary_QA_CEP				
audit log	A chronological record of system activities, including records of system accesses and operations performed in a given period.	SP800-37										
authenticity	Property that an entity is what it claims to be	ISO/IEC_TS 57323(2022)en										
automation	Independent machine-managed chronography of the operation of one or more digital systems.	IEEE_Guide_1 PA	conversion of processes or equipment to automatic operation, or the results of the conversion	IEEE_Soft_Vo cab	The system functions with no/little human operator involvement; however, the system performance is limited to the specific actions it has been designed to do. Typically these are well-defined tasks that have predetermined responses (i.e., simple rule-based responses)	DOD_TIVV						
automation bias	over-relying on the outputs of AI systems	David_Leslie- Morgan_Briggs	It refers to a well-documented human propensity to automatically defer to automated systems, despite warning signals or contradictory information from other sources. In other words, human actors are found to uncritically abdicate their decision making to automation.	aiotc-harhat_hu man_2023								
autonomic	A monitor-analyze-plan-execute (MAPE) computer system capable of sensing environments, interpreting policy, accessing knowledge (data --- information --- knowledge), making decisions, and initiating dynamically assembled routines of choreographed activity to both complete a process and update the set of environmental variables that enables the autonomic system to self-manage its own operation and the processes it oversees. An autonomic system is identified by eight characteristics: a) Known the resources to which it has access, what its capabilities and limitations are, and how and why it is connected to other systems. b) Is able to configure and reconfigure itself depending on the changing computing environment. c) Is able to optimize its performance to ensure the most efficient computing process. d) Is able to work around encountered problems either by repairing itself or routing functions away from the trouble. e) Is able to detect, identify, and protect itself against various types of attacks to maintain overall system security and integrity. f) Is able to adapt to its environment as it changes by interacting with neighboring systems and establishing communication protocols. g) Relies on open standards and requires access to proprietary environments to achieve full performance. h) Is able to anticipate the demand on its resources transparently to users.	IEEE_Guide_1 PA										
autonomous vehicle	[an] automobile, bus, tractor, combine, boat, forklift, etc. . . . capable of sensing its environment and moving safely with little or no human input.	Introduction_t o_Information _Systems										
autonomy	The system has a set of intelligence-based capabilities that allows it to respond to situations that were not pre-programmed or anticipated (i.e., decision-based responses) prior to system deployment. Autonomous systems have a degree of self-government and self-directed behavior (with the human's proxy for decisions).	DOD_TIVV	1. a state of independence and self-determination in an individual, a group, or a society. According to some theories, an inordinate focus on self-determination and achievement represents a risk factor for the development of major depressive disorder. 2. in self-determination theory more specifically, the experience of acting from choice, rather than feeling pressure to do so. This term of autonomy is considered a fundamental psychological need that predicts well-being.	APA_autonom y								
availability	Ensuring timely and reliable access to use of information.	SP800-37	The property that data or information is accessible and usable upon demand by an authorized person.	NIST_SP_800	property of being accessible and usable on demand by an authorized entity	ISO/IEC_TS 57323(2022)en						
back test	the quantitative evaluation of a model's performance both from a statistical and trading perspective	The_Science_of_Algorithmic_Trading_and_Portfolio_Management										
backpropagation	The way many neural nets learn. They find the difference between their output and the desired output, then adjust the calculations in reverse order of execution.	Hutton_Matthew	A classical method for error propagation when training Artificial Neural Networks (ANNs). For standard backpropagation, the parameters of each node are changed according to the local error gradient. The method can be very slow to converge although it can be improved through the use of methods that slow the error propagation and by batch processing. Many alternate methods such as the conjugate gradient and Levenberg-Marquardt algorithms are more effective and reliable.	Raynor								
bad actor	Individuals or entities who are responsible for cyber incidents against enterprises, governments, and users.	Mark_Clumpas_2021	someone with objectives of studying and using cyber security techniques and tools for personal or private gain through malicious or threat activity.	Thomas_Edgar							black hat, threat actor	
bagging	Bagging predictors is a method for generating multiple versions of a predictor and using these to get an aggregated predictor.	Reiman_Leo	In this approach we generate k different bootstrapped training data sets. We then train our method on each kth bootstrapped training set in order to get $\hat{f}_b(x)$ and finally averaged the predictions, to obtain $\hat{f}_{bag}(x) = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{b=1}^k \hat{f}_b(x)$. This is called bagging.	hastie_introdu ction_2014								
back-testing	A form of outcomes analysis that involves the comparison of actual outcomes with modeled forecasts during a development sample time period (ie-sample back-testing) and during a sample period not used in model development (out-of-time back-testing), and at an observation frequency that matches the forecast horizon or performance window of the model.	Comptroller_O ffice										
batched automation	Process automation execution of intentionally segregated work processes that are able to be processed irrespective of their contextual placement within a service.	IEEE_Guide_1 PA										
benchmark	Standard against which results can be measured or assessed. Procedure, problem, or test that can be used to compare systems or components to each other or to a standard.	IEEE_Soft_Vo cab	An alternative prediction or approach used to compare a model's inputs and outputs to estimates from alternative internal or external data or models.	Comptroller_O ffice	The term benchmarking is used in machine learning (ML) to refer to the well-established comparison of ML methods regarding their ability to learn patterns in 'benchmark' datasets that have been applied as 'standards'. Benchmarking could be thought of simply as a sanity check to confirm that a new method successfully runs as expected and carefully find simple patterns that existing methods are known to identify.	olson_paul_2 007						

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bias	A systematic error. In the context of fairness, we are concerned with unwanted bias that places privileged groups at systematic advantage and underprivileged groups at systematic disadvantage.	AI_Fairness_360	(computational bias) An effect which deprives a statistical result of representativeness by systematically distorting it, as distinct from a random error which may distort on any one occasion but balances out on the average.	OECD	(legal/ethics) Discrimination against or in favor of particular individuals or groups. In the context of ethics and politics, the question arises whether a particular bias is unjust or unfair.	AI_Ethics_Markus_Crockenberg	(systemic bias) systematic difference in treatment of certain objects, people or groups. In the context of ethics and politics, the question arises whether a particular bias is unjust or unfair.	measurement_16022889_2022	(mathematical) A point estimator $\hat{\theta}$ is said to be an unbiased estimator of θ if $E(\hat{\theta}) = \theta$. If $E(\hat{\theta}) \neq \theta$, then $\hat{\theta}$ is called a biased estimator. The difference $E(\hat{\theta}) - \theta$ is called the bias of $\hat{\theta}$.	devore_probabilty_2004		
bias mitigation algorithm	A procedure for reducing unwanted bias in training data or models.	AI_Fairness_360										
bias testing	As it relates to disparate impact, courts and regulators have utilized or considered as acceptable various statistical tests to evaluate evidence of disparate impact. Traditional methods of statistical bias testing look at differences in predictions across protected classes, such as race or sex. In particular, courts have looked to statistical significance testing to assess whether the challenged practice likely caused the disparity and was not the result of chance or a nondiscriminatory factor.	SP1270										
big data	Extremely large data sets that are statistically analyzed to gain detailed insights. The data can involve billions of records and require substantial computer processing power. Datasets are sometimes linked together to see how patterns in one domain affect other areas. Data can be structured into fixed fields or unstructured as free-flowing information. The analysis of big datasets, often using AI, can reveal patterns, trends, or underlying relationships that were not previously apparent to researchers.	Brookings_Inst	consists of extensive datasets primarily in the characteristics of volume, variety, velocity, and/or variability that require a scalable architecture for efficient storage, manipulation, and analysis	NIST_1900								
binning	a technique of lumping small ranges of values together into categories, or "bins" for the purpose of reducing the variability (removing some of the fine structure) in a data set.	Pyle_Division_Data_Preparation_as_a_Process										
biometric data	personal data resulting from specific technical processing relating to the physical, physiological or behavioural characteristics of a natural person, which allow or confirm the unique identification of that natural person, such as facial images or dactyloscopic data;	GDPR	an individual's physiological, biological, or behavioral characteristics, including information pertaining to an individual's deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA), that is used or is intended to be used singly or in combination with each other or with other identifying data, to establish individual identity. Biometric information includes, but is not limited to, imagery of the iris, retina, fingerprint, face, hand, palm, vein patterns, and voice recordings, from which an identifier template, such as a faceprint, a minutiae template, or a voiceprint, can be extracted, and keystroke patterns or rhythms, gait patterns or rhythms, and sleep, health, or exercise data that contain identifying information.	CCPA	A measurable physical characteristic or personal behavioral trait used to recognize the identity, or verify the claimed identity, of an applicant. Facial images, fingerprints, and iris scan samples are all examples of biometrics.	SP800-12				personal data; processing		
boosting	Boosting works by sequentially applying a classification/algorithm to reweighted versions of the training data and then taking weighted majority vote of the sequence of classifiers thus produced.	fridman_2000	A machine learning technique that iteratively combines a set of simple and not very accurate classifiers (referred to as "weak" classifiers) into a classifier with high accuracy (a "strong" classifier) by upweighting the examples that the model is currently misclassifying	aimc_measuremeent_2022, citing Machine Learning Glossary by Google								
breach	The loss of control, compromise, unauthorized disclosure, unauthorized acquisition, or any similar occurrence where a person other than an authorized user accesses or potentially accesses personally identifiable information; or an authorized user accesses personally identifiable information for another than authorized purpose.	CSRC										
broad artificial intelligence (broad AI)	Complex, computational, cognitive automation system capable of providing descriptive, predictive, prescriptive, and limited deductive analytics with relevance and accuracy exceeding human expertise in a broad, logically related set of knowledge domains.	IEEE_Guide_1PA	a sophisticated and adaptive system, which successfully performs any cognitive task by virtue of its sensory perception, previous experience, and learned skills.	Hochreiter_Sepp								
built-in test	Equipment or software embedded in the operational components or systems, as opposed to external support units, which perform a test or sequence of tests to verify mechanical or electrical continuity of hardware, or the proper automatic sequencing, data processing, and readiness of hardware or software systems.	SP1011										
bug-bounty	Reward given to independent security researchers, penetration testers, and white hat hackers for discovering exploitable software vulnerabilities and sharing this knowledge with the operator of a particular bug-bounty program (BPP).	Kuehn_Andreas										
business process	A defined set of business activities that represent the steps or tasks required to achieve a business objective, including the flow and use of information, participants, and human or digital resources.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
business process management	Discipline involving any combination of modeling, automation, execution, control, measurement and optimization of business activity flows, in support of enterprise goals, spanning systems, employees, customers, and partners within and beyond the enterprise boundaries.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
business rule	Definition, constraint, dependency, or decision criteria that determine the method of execution of a task or tasks, or influence the order of execution of a task or tasks. Business rules assert control, or influence the behavior, of a business process within computing systems.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
calibration	A comparison between a device under test and an established standard, such as IEC 60757. When the calibration is finished, it should be possible to state the estimated time offset and/or frequency offset of the device under test with respect to the standard, as well as the measurement uncertainty.	CSRC	operation that, under specified conditions, in a first step, establishes a relation between the quantity values with measurement uncertainties provided by measurement standards and corresponding indications with associated measurement uncertainties and, in a second step, uses this information to establish a relation for obtaining a measurement result from an indication	aimc_measuremeent_2022, citing ISO/IEC Guide 99	Set of operations that establish, under specified conditions, the relationship between values indicated by a measuring instrument or measuring system, or values represented by a material measure, and the corresponding known values of a measurand.	UNODC_Glossary_QA_GLP						
capability	measure of capacity and the ability of an entity, person or organization to achieve its objectives	ISO/IEC_TS_27032(2020)										
case	Single entry, single exit multiple way branch that defines a control expression, specifies the processing to be performed for each value of the control expression, and returns control to all instances to the statement immediately following the overall construct.	IEEE_Soft_Vocab										
causal inference	an intellectual discipline that considers the assumptions, study designs, and estimation strategies that allow researchers to draw causal conclusions based on data. The term 'causal conclusion' used here refers to a conclusion regarding the effect of a causal variable (often referred to as the 'treatment' under a broad conception of the word) on some outcome(s) of interest.	Jennifer_Hill										
causative	acting as the cause of something	cambridge_english_2021										
chatbot	Conversational agent that dialogues with its user (for example: empathic robots available to patients, or automated conversation services in customer relations)	COE_AI_Glossary	A chatbot is a computer program which responds like an intelligent entity when conversed with. The conversation may be through text or voice. Any chatbot program understands one or more human languages by Natural Language Processing	Khanna_Amitabh								
choreography	An ordered sequence of system-to-system message exchanges between two or more participants. In choreography, there is no central controller, responsible entity, or observer of the process.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
classification	When the output is one of a finite set of values (such as sunny, cloudy or rainy), the learning problem is called classification, and is called Boolean or binary classification if there are only two values.	AIMA	task of assigning collected data to target categories or classes.	aimc_measuremeent_2022, citing ISO/IEC TR 24030								
classifier	A model that predicts categorical labels from features.	AI_Fairness_360										
clustering	Detecting potentially useful clusters of input examples.	AIMA	The basic problem of clustering may be stated as follows: Given a set of data points, partition them into a set of groups which are as similar as possible.	aggarwal_clustering_2013	the tendency for items to be consistently grouped together in the course of recall. This grouping typically occurs for related items. It is readily apparent in memory tasks in which items from the same category, such as cartoonish animals, are recalled together.	APA_clustering						
cognitive automation	The identification, assessment, and application of available machine learning algorithms for the purpose of leveraging domain knowledge and reasoning to further automate the machine learning already present in a manner that may be thought of as cognitive. With cognitive automation, the system performs corrective actions driven by knowledge of the underlying analytics tool itself, iterates its own automation approaches and algorithms for more expansive or more thorough analysis, and is thereby able to fulfill its purpose. The automation of the cognitive process refines itself and dynamically generates novel hypotheses that it can likewise assess against its existing corpus and other information resources.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
cognitive computing	Complex computational systems designed to: — Sense (perceive the world and collect data); — Comprehend (analyze and understand the information collected); — Act (make informed decisions and provide guidance based on this analysis in an independent way); and — Adapt (adapt capabilities based on experience) in ways comparable to the human brain.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
column	In the context of relational databases, a column is a set of data values, all of a single type, in a table.	techopedia_column_2022										
COMPAS controversy	A canonical example of algorithmic bias comes from a tool used by courts in the United States to make pretrial detention and release decisions. The software, Correctional Offender Management Profiling for Alternative Sanctions (COMPAS), measures the risk of a person to recommit another crime. Judges use COMPAS to decide whether to release an offender or to keep him or her in prison. An investigation into the software found a bias against African-Americans: COMPAS is more likely to have higher false positive rates for African-American offenders than Caucasian offenders in falsely predicting them to be at a higher risk of recommitting a crime or recidivism	Mehrabian_Ninareh										
computer vision	The digital process of perceiving and learning visual tasks in order to interpret and understand the world through cameras and sensors.	NSCAI	An image understanding task that automatically builds a description not only of the image itself, but of the three-dimensional scene that it depicts.	NBSIR_82-2382								

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concept drift	Use of a system outside the planned domain of application, and a common cause of performance gaps between laboratory settings and the real world.	SPI70	an online supervised learning scenario where the relation between the input data and the target variable changes over time.	Guma_ksao	Systems that classify or predict a concept (e.g., credit ratings or computer intrusion monitors) over time can suffer performance loss when the concept they are tracking changes. This is referred to as concept drift. This can either be a natural process that occurs without a reference to the system, or an active process, where others are reacting to the system (e.g., virus detection). The property that data or information is not made available or disclosed to unauthorized persons or processes.	Raynor						
confidentiality	Data confidentiality is a property of data, usually resulting from legislative measures, which prevents it from unauthorized disclosure.	OECD	Preserving authorized restrictions on information access and disclosure, including means for protecting personal privacy and proprietary information.	CSRC		NIST_SP_800	A property that information is not disclosed to users, processes, or devices unless they have been authorized to access the information.	CISA				
confusion matrix	A matrix showing the predicted and actual classifications. A confusion matrix is of size LxL, where L is the number of different label values	Kohavi_Ron										
consent	'Consent' of the data subject means any freely given, specific, informed and unambiguous indication of the data subjects' wishes by which he or she, by a statement or by a clear affirmative action, signifies agreement to the processing of personal data relating to him or her.	GDPR	"Consent" means any freely given, specific, informed, and unambiguous indication of the consumer's wishes by which the consumer, or the consumer's legal guardian, a person who has power of attorney, or a person acting as a conservator for the consumer, including by a statement or by a clear affirmative action, signifies agreement to the processing of personal information relating to the consumer for a narrowly defined particular purpose. Acceptance of a general or broad terms of use, or similar document, that contains descriptions of personal information processing along with other, unrelated information, does not constitute consent. Having over, misting, passing, or closing a given piece of content does not constitute consent. Likewise, agreement obtained through use of dark patterns does not constitute consent.	CCPA							personal data	
constituent system	Independent system that forms part of a system of systems (SoS) (note: Constituent systems can be part of one or more SoS. Each constituent system is a useful system by itself, having its own development, management, utilization, goals, and resources, but interacts within the SoS to provide the unique capability of the SoS).	ISO/IEC_TS_5723:2022(en)										
constraint	Specification of what may be contained in a data or metadata set in terms of the content or, for data only, in terms of the set of key combinations to which specific attributes (defined by the data structure) may be attached.	OECD	A limitation or implied requirement that constrains the design solution or implementation of the systems engineering process and is not changeable by the enterprise	IEEE_Soft_Vo								
construct validity	The degree to which the application of constructs to phenomena is warranted with respect to the research goals and questions.	Wieringa_Buel_J	Construct validation is involved whenever a test is to be interpreted as a measure of some attribute or quality which is not "operationally defined." The problem faced by the investigator is, "What constructs account for variance in test performance?"	crombach_constr_1955	Established experimentally to demonstrate that a survey distinguishes between people who do and do not have certain characteristics. It is usually established experimentally.	fink_survey_2000	Establishing construct validity means demonstrating, in a variety of ways, that the measurements obtained from measurement model are both meaningful and useful.	Jacobs_measurement_2023				
content harms	the psychological, social, physical, or other harms experienced by someone while they are interacting with content that is algorithmically recommended to them.	Chi_Guo_Ma									harms of representation	
content validity	Refers to the extent to which a measure thoroughly and appropriately assesses the skills or characteristics it is intended to measure.	fink_survey_2000	the extent to which a test measures a representative sample of the subject matter or behavior under investigation, for example, if a test is designed to survey arithmetic skills at a third-grade level, content validity indicates how well it represents the range of arithmetic operations possible at that level. Modern approaches to determining content validity involve the use of exploratory factor analysis and other multivariate statistical procedures.	APA_content_validity								
contestability	A contestable statement, claim, legal decision, etc. is one that is possible to argue about or try to have changed because it may be wrong	cambridge_co_intenable_2023										
context	The context is the circumstances, purpose, and perspective under which an object is defined or used.	OECD	The immediate environment in which a function (or set of functions in a diagram) operates	IEEE_Soft_VoLab	the interrelated conditions in which something exists or occurs.	Merritt-Wheeler_cont ext						
context control												
contextual learning	A computing system with sufficient knowledge regarding its purpose that it understands the source, relevance, and utility of data and inputs.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
content-of-use	The Content of Use is the actual conditions under which a given artifact/software product is used, or will be used in a normal day-to-day working situation.	interaction_co ment_2023	comprises a combination of userx, tasks, resources, and the technical, physical and social, cultural and organizational environments in which a system product or service is used[...]. can include the interactions and interdependencies between the object of interest and other systems, products or services.	ISO_3204-II-008								
contributory	property of a system that allows a human or another external agent to intervene in the system's functioning such a system is heterogeneous	ISO/IEC_TS_5723:2022(en)										
control class	(control group) the set of observations in an experiment or prospective study that do not receive the experimental treatment(s). These observations serve (a) as a comparison point to evaluate the magnitude and significance of each experimental treatment, (b) as a reality check to compare the current observations with previous observation history, and (c) as a source of data for establishing the natural experimental error.	nint_statistics_2012										
controller	'Controller' means the natural or legal person, public authority, agency or other body which, alone or jointly with others, determines the purposes and means of the processing of personal data, where the purposes and means of such processing are determined by Union or Member State law; the controller or the specific criteria for its nomination may be provided for by Union or Member State law;	GDPR									personal data; processor	
corpus (corpore)	A deliberately assembled collection of knowledge and data (structured and/or unstructured) believed to contain relevant information on a topic or topics to be used by software systems for which useful analysis, prediction, or outcome is being sought.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
correlation	In its most general sense correlation denoted the interdependence between quantitative or qualitative data. In this sense it would include the association of dichotomized attributes and the contingency of multiply-classified variables.	OECD	The correlation coefficient of two random variables y_1 and y_2, denoted r(yho_1,y_2)=2(ho_1,h_2)/(V(ho_1)+V(h_2)-2r*(ho_1,h_2))^0.5=2(r*(ho_1,h_2)/sqrt((V(h_1)+V(h_2))-2r*(ho_1,h_2)))	box_statistics_2005								
counterfactual	Statements taking the form: Score x was returned because variables V had values {v_1,...} associated with them. If V instead had values {v'_1,...}, score p' would have been returned.	wachter_conterfactual_2008										
counterfactual fairness	Our definition of counterfactual fairness captures the intuition that a decision is fair towards an individual if he is the same in (a) the actual world and (b) a counterfactual world where the individual belonged to a different demographic group.	bauer_counterrfactual_2007	Given a predictive problem with fairness considerations, where X and Y represent the protected/discriminated attributes, remaining attributes, and output of interest respectively, let us assume that we are given accuracy model (U,V,T), where V = A \times Y \times X. We postulate the following criterion for predictors of Y (Definition 5 (Counterfactual Fairness)). Predictor T is counterfactually fair if under any context X=x and A=a, R=T_X[(A,a)(Y)] \times [X=x,A=a] \cap R_T_X[(A,a-a')(Y)] \times [X=x,A=a'] (t) for all y and for any value x attainable by A.	kunzer_counterrfactual_2007	A fairness-metric that checks whether a classifier produces the same result for one individuals it does for another individual who is identical to the first, except with respect to one or more sensitive attributes. Evaluating a classifier for counterfactual-fairness is one method for surfacing potential sources of bias in a model	aiims_measurement_2022, citing Machine Learning Glossary by Google						
countermeasure	Actions, devices, procedures, techniques, or other measures that reduce the vulnerability of a system. Synonymous with security controls and safeguards.	SP800-37	Actions, devices, procedures, or techniques that meet or oppose (i.e., counters) a threat, a vulnerability, or an attack by eliminating or preventing it, by minimizing the harm it can cause, or by discovering and reporting it so that corrective action can be taken.	OWVC							safeguard; security control	
criterion validity	compares responses to future performance or to those obtained from other, more well-established surveys. Criterion validity is made up two subcategories: predictive and concurrent. Predictive validity refers to the extent to which a survey measure forecasts future performance. A graduate school entry examination that predicts who will do well in graduate school has predictive validity. Concurrent validity is demonstrated when two assessments agree or a new measure is compared favorably with one that is already considered valid.	fink_survey_2000	an index of how well a test correlates with an established standard of comparison (i.e., a criterion). Criterion validity is divided into three types: predictive validity, concurrent validity, and retrospective validity. For example, if a measure of criminal behavior is valid, then it should be possible to use it to predict whether an individual (a) will be arrested in the future for a crime and (b) is currently breaking the law, and (c) has a previous criminal record.	APA_criterion_validity							criterion-referenced validity; criterion-related validity	
crowdsourcing	a type of participative online activity in which an individual, an institution, a non-profit organization, or company proposes to a group of individuals of varying knowledge, heterogeneity, and number, via a flexible open call, the voluntary undertaking of a task. The understanding of the task, of variable complexity and modularity, and in which the crowd should participate bringing their work, money, knowledge and/or expertise, always entails mutual benefits. The user will receive the satisfaction of a given type of need, be it economic, social recognition, self-esteem, or the development of individual skills, while the crowdsourcer will obtain and utilize to their advantage what the user has brought to the venture, whose form will depend on the type of activity undertaken.	Eurique										
customer	The beneficiary of the execution of an automated task, process, or service.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
cybersecurity	Prevention of damage to, protection of, and restoration of computers, electronic communications systems, electronic communications services, wire communication, and electronic communication, including information contained therein, to ensure its availability, integrity, authentication, confidentiality, and nonrepudiation.	SP800-37										
dark pattern	'Dark patterns' means a user interface designed or manipulated with the substantial effect of subverting or impairing user autonomy, decisionmaking, or choice, as further defined by regulation.	CCPA										
data	Characteristics or information, usually numerical, that are collected through observation.	OECD	re-interpretable representation of information in formalized manner suitable for communication, interpretation or processing	aiims_measurement_2022, citing ISO/IEC TR 24029-1								
data analytics	The analysis of data to gather substantive insights. Researchers use statistical techniques to find trends or patterns in the data, which give them a better understanding of a range of different topics. Data analysis approaches are used in many businesses and organizations to track day-to-day activities and improve operational efficiency.	Brookings Institution	Data analysis is the process of transforming raw data into usable information, often presented in the form of a published analytical article, in order to add value to the statistical output.	OECD	the process of applying graphical, statistical, or quantitative techniques to a set of data observations or measurements in order to summarize it or to find general patterns.	APA_data_analysis						
data cleaning	Data Cleaning is the process of identifying, correcting, or removing inaccurate or corrupt data records	Ranschaert_Erik										
data control	management oversight of information policies for an organization's information; observing and reporting on how processes are working and managing issues.	Egypte										

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data dredging	A statistical bias in which testing huge numbers of hypotheses of a dataset may appear to yield statistical significance even when the results are statistically nonsignificant.	SP1270									statistical bias; p-hacking	
data drift	The change in model input data that leads to model performance degradation.	Microsoft_Azure_documentation										
data-driven	Data-driven decision making (DDM) refers to the practice of basing decisions on the analysis of data rather than purely on intuition.	proovost_data_2013										
data fabric	A data corpus, after the application of semantic mapping, relevant ontologies, and data seeding sufficient for artificial intelligence (AI) or machine learning algorithms to provide meaningful insight, prediction, and/or prescriptions.	IEEE_Guide_JPA										
data fusion	A process in which data, generated by multiple sensory sources, is integrated and/or correlated to create information, knowledge, and/or intelligence that may be displayed for user or be actionable to accomplish the tasks.	SP601	The process of combining data from multiple sources to produce more accurate, consistent, and concise information than that provided by any individual data source.	Munir_Arslan								
data governance	A set of processes that ensures that data assets are formally managed throughout the enterprise. A data governance authority establishes authority and management and decision making parameters related to the data produced or managed by the enterprise.	CIBC										
data mining	Techniques that analyze large amounts of information to gain insights, spot trends, or uncover subversive patterns. These approaches are used to help businesses and organizations improve their processes or identify associations that shed light on relevant questions. Data mining often involves more use of algorithms, especially machine learning than traditional statistics.	Brookings_Institution	Data Mining is the process of data analysis and information extraction from large amounts of datasets with machine learning, statistical approaches, and many others.	Ramachert,_Erik	computational process that extracts patternby analyzing quantitative data from different perspectives and dimensions, categorizingthem, and summarizing potential relationships and impacts	aim_-_measurement_2022 citing DOJ/REC 22089						
data point	a discrete unit of information.	TechTarget_data_point	the information we feed into the machine learning model.	Morris_John_data_point								
data poisoning	Machine learning systems trained on user-provided data are susceptible to data poisoning attacks, whereby malicious users inject false training data with the aim of corrupting the learned model.	Steinhardt,_Jacob										
data preparation	We define data preparation as the set of preprocessing operations performed in early stages of a data processing pipeline, i.e., data transformation at the structural and syntactical levels	hamed_data_2020										
data proxy	Data that are closely related to and serve in place of data that are either unobvorable or inestimable.	Comptroller_Office										
data quality	degree to which the characteristics of data satisfy stated and implied needs when used under specified conditions	IEEE_Soft_Vocab	The dimensions of the IMF definition of "data quality" are: - integrity; - methodological soundness; - accuracy and reliability; - serviceability; - accessibility. There are a number of prerequisites for quality. These comprise: - legal and institutional environment; - resources; - quality awareness.	OECD								
data science	The field that combines domain expertise, programming skills, and knowledge of mathematics and statistics to extract meaningful insights from data.	Resnik_Leon										artificial intelligence (AI); machine learning (ML)
data scientist	A practitioner who has sufficient knowledge in the overlapping regimes of business needs, domain knowledge, analytical skills, and software and systems engineering to manage the end-to-end data processes in the analytics life cycle.	NIST_1000										
data seeding	The intentional introduction of initial state conditions, influencing factors, and outcomes (both successful and unsuccessful) in a data fabric to create sufficient machine learning analysis signals to enable encouragement/discouragement to enrich deterministic relationships between data elements in a given information domain.	IEEE_Guide_JPA										
data wrangling	process by which the data required by an application is identified, extracted, cleaned and integrated, to yield a data set that is suitable for exploration and analysis.	Furche,_Tim										
decision	A conclusion reached after consideration of business rules and relevant data within a given process.	IEEE_Guide_JPA										
decision point	A point within a business process where the process flow can take one of several alternative paths, including recursive.	IEEE_Guide_JPA										
decision subject												
decision tree	Tree-structure resembling a flowchart, where every node represents a test to an attribute, each branch represents the possible outcomes of that test, and the leaves represent the class labels.	Resnik_Leon	In this chapter, we describe tree-based methods for regression andclassification. These involve stratifying or segmenting the predictor spaceinto a number of simple regions. In order to make a prediction for a givenobserved input, we typically use the mean or the mode of the training observations in the region to which it belongs. Since the set of splitting rules usedto segment the predictor space can be summarized in a tree, these types of approaches are known as decision tree methods.	james_statistical_2014								
decision-making	the cognitive process resulting in the selection of a belief or a course of action among several possible alternative options. I could be either rational or irrational. The decision-making process is a reasoning process based on assumptions of values, preferences and beliefs of the decision-maker. Every decision-making process produces a final choice, which may or may not prompt action.	Wikipedia_Decision-making	the cognitive process of choosing between two or more alternatives, ranging from the relatively clear cut (e.g., ordering a meal at a restaurant) to the complex (e.g., selecting a mate). Psychologists have adopted two converging strategies to understand decision making: (a) statistical analysis of multiple decisions involving complex tasks and (b) experimental manipulation of simple decisions, looking at the elements that occur within these decisions.	APA,_decision,_making	Decision making requires that the decision maker make a choice between two or more alternatives (note that doing nothing can be viewed as making a choice). The alternative selected results in real or imaginary consequences to the decision maker. Judgment is a closely related process in which a pre-criteria or assign values to attributes of the alternatives considered. A rational decision maker seeks desirable consequences and attempts to avoid undesirable consequences.		a choice of action - of what to do or not to do. Decisions are made to achieve goals, and they are based on beliefs about what actions will achieve the goals.	Baron,_Thinking and_Deciding				
decision support system	a computer program application used to improve a company's decision-making capabilities. It analyzes large amounts of data and presents an organization with the best possible options available; they bring together data and knowledge from different areas and sources to provide users with information beyond the usual reports and summaries. This is intended to help people make informed decisions.	TechTarget_decision_support_system	a model- or knowledge-based system intended to support managerial decision making in semistructured or unstructured situations. A DSS is not meant to replace a decision maker, but to extend his/her decision making capabilities. It uses data, provides a clear user interface, and can incorporate the decision maker's own insights.	Burstein_Holtsapple								
decommission	the total or partial removal of existing components and their corresponding sub-components from Production and any relevant environment, eliminating risks and impacts, ensuring policy compliance, and maximizing the financial benefits (i.e., optimizing the cost reduction).	KIDDMOM_ADP v1.0 Decommissioning on_v1.0.0										
deductive analytics	Insights, reporting and information answering the question, "What would likely happen if..." Deductive analytics evaluates causes and outcomes of possible future events.	IEEE_Guide_JPA										deductive reasoning
deep learning	A subset of machine learning that relies on neural networks with many layers of neurons. It is so doing, deep learning employs statistics to spot underlying trends in data patterns and applies that knowledge to other layers of analysis. Some have labeled this as a way to "learn by example" and a technique that "perform[s] classification tasks directly from images, text, or sound" and "also applies that knowledge independently [4] Deep learning requires extensive computing power and labeled data, and is used in self-driving cars, automated vehicles, electronics, and manufacturing among other areas.	Brookings_Institution	Deep learning is a broad family of techniques for machine learning in which hypotheses take the form of complex algebraic circuits with tunable connection strengths. The word "deep" refers to the fact that the circuits are typically organized into many layers, which means that computation paths from inputs to outputs have many steps. Deep learning is currently the most widely used approach for applications such as visual object recognition, machine translation, speech recognition, speech synthesis, and image generation; it also plays a significant role in reinforcement learning applications.	Russell,_N	Machine learning method based on characterization of data learning.	Resnik_Leon	A form of machine learning that uses neural networks with several layers of "neurons," simple interconnected processing units that interact.	AI_Ethics_Mark_Coeckelberg	[in approach to AI that allow] computers to learn from experience and understand the world in terms of a hierarchy of concepts, with each concept defined through its relation to simpler concepts. By gathering knowledge from experience, this approach avoids the need for human operators to formally specify all the knowledge that the computer needs. The hierarchy of concepts enables the computer to learn complicated concepts by building them out of simpler ones. If we draw a graph showing how these concepts are built on top of each other, the graph is deep, with many layers.	deeplearningsbook_astro		
deepfake	Digital images and audio that are artificially altered or manipulated by AI and/or deep learning often to make someone do or say something he or she did not actually do or say. Pictures or videos can be edited to put someone in a compromising position or to have someone make a controversial statement, even though the person did not actually do or say what is shown. Increasingly, it is becoming difficult to distinguish artificially manufactured material from actual videos and images.	Brookings_Institution	A digital picture or video that has been maliciously edited using an algorithm in a way that makes the video appear authentic.	GWUC								
detection	Of an <O>, the action of destroying an instantiated <O>.	IEEE_Soft_Vocab										
denial-of-service	The prevention of authorized access to resources or the delaying of time-critical operations. (Time-critical may be milliseconds or it maybe hours, depending upon the service provided).	SP800-12	An attack that prevents or impairs the authorized use of information system resources or services.	CISA	when legitimate users are unable to access information systems, devices, or other network resources due to the actions of a malicious cyber threat actor. Services affected may include email, websites, online accounts (e.g., banking, or other services that rely on the affected computer or network, a denial-of-service condition is accomplished by flooding the targeted host or network with traffic until the target cannot respond or simply crashes, preventing access for legitimate users. Denial attacks can cost an organization both time and money while their resources and services are inaccessible.	ST04-015						
denigration	(denigrate) to attack the reputation of	merriam-webster_dictionary_2022	(denigrate) to deny the importance or validity of	merriam-webster_dictionary_2022		</						

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deterministic	modelling [that] produces consistent outcomes for a given set of inputs, regardless of how many times the model is recalculated. The mathematical characteristics are known in this case. None of them is random, and each problem has just one set of specified values as well as one answer or solution. The unknown components in a deterministic model are external to the model. It deals with the definitive outcomes as opposed to random results and doesn't make allowances for error.	Sourabh_Mehra_deterministic										
deterministic algorithm developer	An algorithm that, given the same inputs, always produces the same outputs. A general term that includes developers or manufacturers of systems, system components, or system services: systems integrators; vendors; and product resellers. Development of systems, components, or services can occur internally within organizations or through external entities.	CSRC SP800-37			IEEE_Soft_Vocab							
diagnostic analytics	Insights, reporting, and information answering the question, "Why did something happen?" Diagnostic analytics determines information useful to understanding the causality of an event(s).	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
diagnostics	Pertaining to the detection and isolation of faults or failures	IEEE_Software_Vocab										
differential privacy	Differential privacy is a method for measuring how much information the output of a computation reveals about an individual. It is based on the randomized injection of "noise". Noise is a random alteration of data in a dataset so that values such as direct or indirect identifiers of individuals are harder to reveal. An important aspect of differential privacy is the concept of "epsilon" or ϵ , which determines the level of added noise. Epsilon is also known as the "privacy budget" or "privacy parameter".	For two datasets D and D' that differ in at most one element, a randomized algorithm M satisfies ϵ -differential privacy for any subset of the output S iff M satisfies: $P(M(S) \in S D) \leq e^{\epsilon} P(M(S) \in S D')$	gong_differential_2020									
differential validity	Differential validity states that the validities in two applicant populations are unequal, that is, $p_1 \neq p_2$.	hunter_differential_1979										
digital labor	Digital automation of information technology systems and/or business processes that successfully delivers work output previously performed by human labor or new work output that would typically or alternatively have been performed by human labor.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
digital workforce	The collective suite of automation technologies delivering existing or new work output as applied in a business; the manifestation of digital labor.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
dimension	The dimension of an object is a topological measure of the size of its covering properties. Roughly speaking, it is the number of coordinates needed to specify a point on the object.	welfram_math_2022	Distinct components that a multidimensional construct encompasses	IEEE_Soft_Vocab								
dimension reduction	Dimensionality reduction is the process of taking data in a high dimensional space and mapping it into a new space whose dimensionality is much smaller	Shaler-Shwartz_Shah										
discrimination	Disadvantageous treatment of a person based on belonging to a category rather than on individual merit.	Zinbarte_Hind										
disparate impact	Facially neutral practices that might nevertheless have an unjustified adverse impact on members of a protected class.	Lipton,_Jachary	For Predictive Y and Sensitive Impact S, Definition 6.2 Disparate Impact (DI) = $P(Y = 1 S = 1) / P(Y = 1 S = 0)$	friedler_comparative_2019								
disparate treatment	Intentional discrimination, including (i) decisions explicitly based on protected characteristics; and (ii) intentional discrimination via proxy variables (e.g. literacy tests for voting eligibility).	Lipton,_Jachary										
distributional robustness	Optimizing the predictive accuracy for a whole class of distributions instead of just a single target distribution.	Meinshausen,_Nicolai										
diversity	Diversity refers to anything that sets one individual apart from another, including the full spectrum of human demographic differences as well as the different ideas, backgrounds, and opinions people bring.	Eth_Roden_2020	Diversity: The term diversity is used to describe individual differences (e.g. life experiences, learning and working styles, personality types) and group/social differences (e.g. race, socio-economic status, class, gender, sexual orientation, country of origin, ability, intellectual traditions and perspectives, as well as cultural, political, religious, and other affiliations) that can be engaged to achieve excellence in teaching, learning, research, scholarship, and administrative and support services.	GWU_diversity_and_inclusion	any dimension that can be used to differentiate groups and people from one another. It means respect for and appreciation of differences. But it's more than this. We all bring with us diverse perspectives, work experiences, life styles and cultures. Here in ODE we know the power of diversity is unleashed when we respect and value differences. Diversity is defined by who we are as individuals. HUD recognizes that its strength comes from the dedication, experience, talents, and perspectives of every employee. Diversity encompasses the range of similarities and differences each individual brings to the workplace, including but not limited to national origin, language, race, color, disability, ethnicity, gender, age, religion, sexual orientation, gender identity, socioeconomic status, veteran status, and family structures. We define workforce diversity as a collection of individual attributes that together help us pursue organizational objectives efficiently and effectively; in simple terms, diversity is the mix.	HUD_diversity_and_inclusion	the practice of including the many communities, identities, races, ethnicities, backgrounds, abilities, cultures, and beliefs of the American people, including underserved communities.	EO_DIRA_2021		inclusion		
documentation	Collection of documents on a given subject; written or pictorial information describing, defining, specifying, reporting, or certifying activities, requirements, procedures, or results.	IEEE_Soft_Vocab										
domain	Distinct scope, within which common characteristics are exhibited, common rules observed, and over which a distribution transparency is preserved.	IEEE_Soft_Vocab	A set of elements, data, resources, and functions that share a commonality in combinations of: (1) rules supported, (2) rules governing their use, and (3) protection needs.	SP800-360	"artificial intelligence" specific field of knowledge/expertise	aimc_measurement_2022, citing ISO/IEC CSRC						
domain expertise	Domain expertise implies knowledge and understanding of the essential aspects of a specific field of inquiry.	McCue_Colleen										
domain shift	Differences between the source and target domain data	Stacke_Karin										distributional shift
drinking your own champagne	The practice in which tech workers use their own product consistently to see how well it works and where improvements can be made.	Kelly_Dogfooding_2022									dogfooding, eating your own dogfood	
dynamic process	The process in which one or more paths are defined and may be utilized based on the conditions present at the time of execution.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
eavesdropping	An attack in which an attacker listens passively to the authentication protocol to capture information that can be used in a subsequent active attack to masquerade as the claimant.	Berezik_Leon	An attack in which an attacker listens passively to the authentication protocol to capture information that can be used in a subsequent active attack to masquerade as the claimant.	CSRC	A form of active wiretapping attack in which the attacker intercepts and selectively modifies communicated data to masquerade as one or more of the entities involved in a communication association.	NIST_CSRC_mis-is-the-middle_attack	An attack in which an attacker is positioned between two communicating parties in order to intercept and/or alter data traveling between them. In the context of authentication, the attacker would be positioned between claimant and verifier, between registrant and CSP during enrollment, or between subscriber and CSP during authenticator binding.	NIST_CSRC_mis-is-the-middle_attack	An attack where the adversary positions himself in between the user and the system so that he can intercept and alter data traveling between them.	NIST_CSRC_mis-is-the-middle_attack	man-in-the-middle, interception attack	
edge case	a problem or situation, especially in computer programming, that only happens at the highest or lowest end of a range of possible values or in extreme situations.	cambridge_dictionary_2022										
effective challenge	The concept of effective challenge is used to improve AI implementation at large financial services organizations in the US. An interpretation of an effective challenge is that, when building AI systems, one of the best ways to guarantee good results is to actively challenge and review each step of the development process. Of course, a culture of effective challenge must apply to everyone developing an AI system, even so-called "rock-star" engineers and data scientists.	Dunnell_Cosmo_Hall										
embedding	An embedding is a representation of a topological object, manifold, graph, field, etc. in a certain space in such a way that its connectivity or algebraic properties are preserved. For example, a field embedding preserves the algebraic structure of plus and times; an embedding of a topological space preserves open sets, and a graph embedding preserves connectivity.	welfram_math_2022										
emergent risks	One space X is embedded in another space Y when the properties of Y restricted to X are the same as the properties of X.											
emulation	The use of a data processing system to imitate another data processing system, so that the imitating system accepts the same data, executes the same program, and achieves the same results as the imitated system.	IEEE_Soft_Vocab										
end event	An activity, task, or output that describes or defines the conclusion of a process.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
engineer	n. 3a: a designer or builder of engines; b: a person who is trained in or follows as a profession a branch of engineering; c: a person who carries through an enterprise by skillful or artful contrivance; 4: a person who runs or supervises an engine or an apparatus.	Merriam-Webster_engineer										
ensemble	v. 1: to lay out, construct, or manage as an engineer.											
ensemble	a machine learning paradigm where multiple models (often called "weak learners") are trained to solve the same problem and combined to get better results. The main hypothesis is that when weak models are correctly combined we can obtain more accurate and/or robust models.	Joseph_Baccus_Ensemble_methods										
environment	Anything affecting a subject system or affected by a subject system through interactions with it, or anything sharing an interpretation of interactions with a subject system	IEEE_Soft_Vocab										
equality of odds	(Equalized odds) We say that a predictor h satisfies equalized odds with respect to protected attribute A and outcome Y , if h and A are independent conditional on Y .	hardt_equality_2016	The probability of a person in the positive class being correctly assigned a positive outcome and the probability of a person in a negative class being incorrectly assigned a positive outcome should both be the same for the protected and unprotected group members. In other words, the protected and unprotected groups should have equal rates for true positives and false positives.	Mehrabi,_Nimrah								
equality of opportunity	(Equal opportunity) We say that a binary predictor h satisfies equal opportunity with respect to A and Y if $P(h(Y = 1) A = 0, Y = 1) = P(h(Y = 1) A = 1, Y = 1)$.	hardt_equality_2016	The probability of a person in positive class being assigned to a positive outcome should be equal for both protected and unprotected group members. In other words, the protected and unprotected groups should have equal true positive rates.	Mehrabi,_Nimrah								
error	The difference between the observed value of an index and its "true" value. Errors may be random or systematic. Random errors are generally referred to as "errors". Systematic errors are called "biases".	OEDD	Difference between a computed, observed, or measured value or condition and the true, specified, or theoretically correct value or condition.	IEEE_Soft_Vocab	measured quantity value minus a reference quantity value	aimc_measurement_2022, citing ISO/IEC Guide 99						ontological uncertainty

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error propagation	the way in which uncertainties in the variables affect the uncertainty in the calculated results.	Doerf_2008									propagation of uncertainty; propagation of error	
ethics	definition 1c: "a set of moral principles: a theory or system of moral values"; definition 1b: "the principles of conduct governing an individual or a group"; definition 1e: "a consciousness of moral importance"; definition 1d: "a guiding philosophy"; definition 2 "a set of moral issues or aspects (such as rightness)"; definition 3: "the discipline dealing with what is good and bad and with moral duty and obligation"	Merriam-Webster_ethic	n. the branch of philosophy that investigates both the content of moral judgments (i.e., what is right and what is wrong) and their nature (i.e., whether such judgments should be considered objective or subjective). The study of the first type of question is sometimes termed normative ethics and that of the second metaethics. Also called moral philosophy. 2. the principles of morally right conduct accepted by a person or a group or considered appropriate to a specific field. In psychological research, for example, proper ethics requires that participants be treated fairly and without harm and that investigators report results and findings honestly. See code of ethics; professional ethics; research ethics. –ethical adj.	APA_ethics								
ethics by design	An approach to technology ethics and a key component of responsible innovation that aims to integrate ethics in the design and development stage of the technology. Sometimes formulated as "embedding values in design," similar terms are "value-sensitive design" and "ethically aligned design."	AI_Ethics_Mark_Coeckelberg										
evaluation	(i) systematic determination of the extent to which an entity meets its specified criteria; (2) action that assesses the value of something	aimc_mearns2022, citing ISO/IEC 24763									Test, Evaluation, Verification and Validation (TEVV)	
evasion	In Evasion Attacks, the adversary solves a constrained optimization problem to find a small input perturbation that causes a large change in the loss function and results in output misclassification.	tabassi_adversarial_2019										
example	definition 1 "one that serves as a pattern to be imitated or not to be imitated"; definition 3 "one that is representative of all of a group or type"; definition 4 "a parallel or closely similar case especially when serving as a precedent or model"; definition 5: "an instance (such as a problem to be solved) serving to illustrate a rule or precept or to act as an exercise in the application of a rule"	Merriam-Webster_exam										
exception	An event that occurs during the performance of the process that causes a diversion from the normal flow of the process. Exceptions are generated by an unanticipated event within a process due to an undefined or unknown input, undefined or unexpected outcome, or unforeseen sequencing of a task or event.	IEEE_Guide_19A										
execute	To carry out a plan, a task command, or another instruction	SP001	To carry out an instruction, process, or computer program; directing, managing, performing, and accomplishing the project work, providing the deliverables, and providing work performance information.	IEEE_Soft_Vocab								
executive	one that exercises administrative or managerial control	Merriam-Webster_executive										
ex-nomination	Ex-nomination is the harm of eliminating social identity by almost ignoring its existence. This term comes from Barthes where he coined it to describe what the bourgeoisie do to hide their name and identity by not referring to themselves as such to naturalize bourgeois ideology. This can show up in some of the same examples as mentioned above, as ex-nomination can present itself in technology not recognizing a certain class of people with facial recognition technology or by having implicit biases towards certain adjectives to describe certain classes	Blank_Abagnale-Le										
experiment	a series of observations conducted under controlled conditions to study a relationship with the purpose of drawing causal inferences about that relationship. An experiment involves the manipulation of an independent variable, the measurement of a dependent variable, and the exposure of various participants to one or more of the conditions being studied. Random selection of participants and their random assignment to conditions also are necessary in experiments.	apa_experiment_2023	A study of a fundamental physical process by the use of one or more computer simulators. Like empirical experiments, input variables (factors) are systematically changed to assess their impact upon simulator outputs (responses). Unlike empirical experiments, the simulator responses are deterministic, and this has implications: Computer experiments can appropriately have their factors with intermediate levels and the scope, especially the number of runs, can be more ambitious. Further, modeling methods based on interpolation (especially kriging) emerge as a viable approach. Good practice is to use Latin hypercubes for computer experiments, and advanced nonparametric modeling methods such as kriging, neural networks, and multivariate adaptive regression splines (MARS) in the data analysis stage. Important applications of computer experimental methods are for determining process optima and for evaluating process tolerances.	nist_statistics_2002								
expert system	A form of AI that attempts to replicate a human's expertise in an area, such as medical diagnosis. It combines a knowledge base with a set of hand-coded rules for applying that knowledge. Machine-learning techniques are increasingly replacing hand-coding.	Hinton_Matthew	Intelligent computer program that uses knowledge and inference procedures to solve problems that are difficult enough to require significant human expertise for their solution.	Remik_Leon	An expert system is an intelligent computer program that uses knowledge and inference procedures to solve problems that are difficult enough to require significant human expertise for their solution.	OECD	Computer system that provides for expertly solving problems in a given field or application area by drawing inferences from a knowledge base developed from human expertise.	IEEE_Soft_Vocab	A computer system emulating the decision-making ability of a human expert through the use of reasoning, leveraging an encoding of domain-specific knowledge most commonly represented by sets of if-then rules rather than procedural code. The term "expert system" was used largely during the 1970s and 80s amidst great enthusiasm about the power and promise of rule-based systems that relied on a "knowledge base" of domain-specific rules and rule-chaining procedures that map observations to conclusions or recommendations.	NSCAI		
expertise	The accumulation of specialized knowledge is often called expertise. Pusuite expertise is a type of knowledge-based specialization that arises from experiences in life and one's position in a society or culture. Formal expertise is the result of a self-selection of a domain of knowledge that is mastered deliberately and for which there are clear benchmarks of success.	Schneider_McGrew_Rh_Flanagan_McMahon_2018										
explainability	The ability to provide a human interpretable explanation for a machine learning prediction and produce insights about the causes of decisions, potentially to line up with human reasoning	NISTIR_8269_Draft	Within the context of AI, the extent to which AI decisioning processes and outcomes are reasonably understood.	Comptroller_O'Flue	The ability to explain or be explained. In the context of ethics, it refers to the ability to explain to others why you have done something or why you have made a decision; this is part of what it means to be responsible.	AI_Ethics_Mark_Coeckelberg	A characteristic of an AI system in which there is provision of accompanying evidence or reasons for system output in a manner that is meaningful or understandable to individual users (as well as to developers and auditors) and reflects the system's process for generating the output (e.g., what alternatives were considered, but not proposed, and why not).	NSCAI		interpretability		
explainable artificial intelligence (XAI)	XAI seeks to make AI more understandable and interpretable, and therefore trustworthy. One of the complaints about artificial intelligence is the lack of transparency in how it operates. Many algorithm developers don't reveal the data that go into applications or how various factors are weighted and analyzed. That leads to a situation where outsiders cannot understand or explain how AI reached the outcome or decision that it did. That lack of explainability can lead people to suspect the worst about AI, and thus not trust AI in general or certain AI applications in particular. XAI seeks to help describe either the overall function of AI or the specific way it reaches decisions.	Brookings_Institution	At that can explain to humans its actions, decisions, or recommendations, or can provide sufficient information about how it came to its result.	AI_Ethics_Mark_Coeckelberg								
explainer	Functionality for providing details on or causes for fairness metric results.	AI_Fairness_360										
explanation	Systems deliver accompanying evidence or reasons(i) for all outputs.	NISTIR_8269_Draft	The explanation principle obligates AI systems to supply evidence, support, or reasoning for each output.	NISTIR_8302								
exploratory	Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) is an approach/philosophy for data analysis that employs a variety of techniques (mostly graphical) to: 1. maximize insight into a data set; 2. uncover underlying structure; 3. extract important variables; 4. detect outliers and anomalies; 5. test underlying assumptions; 6. develop parsimonious models; and 7. determine optimal factor settings.	nist_statistics_2002										
external validity	A study has external validity to the degree that its results can be extended (generalized) beyond the limited research setting and sample in which they were obtained	hordern_research_2011	the extent to which the results of research or testing can be generalized beyond the sample that generated them. The more specialized the sample, the less likely will it be that the results are highly generalizable to other individuals, situations, and time periods.	APA_external								
facial recognition (FR)	A technology for identifying specific people based on pictures or videos. It operates by analyzing features such as the structure of the face, the distance between the eyes, and the angles between a person's eyes, nose, and mouth. It is controversial because of worries about privacy invasion, malicious applications, or abuse by government or corporate entities. In addition, there have been well-documented biases by race and gender with many facial recognition algorithms.	Brookings_Institution	Records the spatial geometry of distinguishing features of the face. Different vendors use different methods of facial recognition, however, all focus on measures of key features of the face.	Woodward	Face recognition algorithms, however, have no built-in notion of a particular person. They are not built to identify particular people; instead they include a face detector followed by a feature extraction algorithm that converts one or more images of a person into a vector of values that relate to the identity of the person. The extractor typically consists of a neural network that has been trained on ID-labeled images available to the developer. In operations, they act as generic extractors of identity-related information from photos of persons they have usually never seen before. Recognition proceeds as a differential operator: Algorithms compare two feature vectors and emit a similarity score. This is a crude-defined numeric value expressing how similar the parent faces are. It is compared to a threshold value to decide whether two samples are from, or represent, the same person or not. Thus, recognition is mediated by persistent identity information stored in a feature vector (or "template").	NISTIR_8280						
fair-washing	promoting the false perception that a machine learning model respects some ethical values	shivdny_fairwashing_2019										
fairness (another entry for "algorithms fairness")	"cultural assumptions" regarding "the regulation of (human) life effected by stated and unstated rules of interaction"; rules that most interactants see as "generally applicable" and "reasonable." (We have to get the full definition from the book...	Anna Wierzbicka, English Meaning and Culture (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2006), 125–54										
fairness metric	A quantification of unwanted bias in training data or models.	AI_Fairness_360	A mathematical definition of "fairness" that is measurable. Some commonly used fairness metrics include: equalized odds predictive parity counterfactual fairness demographic parity Many fairness metrics are mutually exclusive; see incompatibility of fairness metrics.	google_glossary_2023								

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false negative	An example in which the predictive model mistakenly classifies an item as in the negative class.	NSCAI	an outcome where the model incorrectly predicts the negative class.	google_dev_cl _Kash	A false negative is denying an applicant who should be approved	Vanhuysen, _Kash	1. An instance in which a security tool intended to detect a particular threat fails to do so. 2. Incorrectly classifying malicious activity as benign.	CSRC_fake_n egative			Type II error (in statistics)	
false positive	An example in which the model mistakenly classifies an item as in the positive class	NSCAI	an outcome where the model incorrectly predicts the positive class.	google_dev_cl _Kash	A false positive is approving an applicant who should be denied	Vanhuysen, _Kash	1. An alert that incorrectly indicates that a vulnerability is present. 2. An alert that incorrectly indicates that malicious activity is occurring. 3. An instance in which a security tool incorrectly classifies benign content as malicious. 4. Incorrectly classifying benign activity as malicious. 5. An erroneous acceptance of the hypothesis that a statistically significant event has been observed. This is also referred to as a type I error. This is also referred to as a type I error. When "results-testing" the components of a device, it often refers to a declaration that a component has malfunctioned - based on some statistical test(s) - despite the fact that the component was actually working correctly.	CSRC_fake_p ositive			Type I error (in statistics)	
fault tolerance	The ability of a system or component to continue normal operation despite the presence of hardware or software faults	SPRO11										
favorable label	A label whose value corresponds to an outcome that provides an advantage to the recipient. The opposite is an unfavorable label.	AI_Fairness_3 60										
feature	An attribute containing information for predicting the label.	AI_Fairness_3 60										
feature extraction	a more general method in which one tries to develop a transformation of the input space onto the low-dimensional subspace that preserves most of the relevant information	khaliq_feature _2014										
feature importance	how important the feature was for the classification performance of the model; a measure of the individual contribution of the corresponding feature for a particular classifier, regardless of the shape (e.g., linear or nonlinear relationship) or direction of the feature effect	sanabria_fatur e_2021										
feature shift	Unlike joint distribution shift detection, which cannot localize which features caused the shift, we define a new hypothesis test for each feature individually. Ideally, the simplest test would be to check if the marginal distributions have changed for each feature (as explored by [25]) however, the marginal distribution would be easy for an adversary to simulate (e.g., by looping the sensor values from a previous day). Thus, marginal tests are not sufficient for our purpose. Therefore, we propose to use conditional distribution tests. More formally, our null and alternative hypothesis for the <i>j</i> -th feature is that its full conditional distribution (i.e., its distribution given all other features) has not shifted for all values of the other features.	kolusinski_fatur e_2020										
federated learning	a learning model which addresses the problem of data governance and privacy by training algorithms collaboratively without transferring the data to another location.	Public_Health _and_Informa tics_MHI_2021										
feedback loop	describes the process of leveraging the output of an AI system and corresponding real-user actions in order to retrain and improve models over time. The AI-generated output (predictions or recommendations) are compared against the final decision (for example, to perform work or not) and provides feedback to the model, allowing it to learn from its mistakes.	CI_AI_Feedback_L oop										closed-loop learning
fitting	Fitting is the process of verifying whether the data item value is in the previously specified interval.	OECD										
firmware	Computer programs and data stored in hardware - typically in read-only memory (ROM) or programmable read-only memory (PROM) - such that the programs and data cannot be dynamically written or modified during execution of the programs.	SPR000-37	Combination of a hardware device and computer instructions or computer data that reside as read only software on the hardware device.	IEEE_Soft_Vo cab								
forecasting	Estimate or prediction of conditions and events in the project's future based on information and knowledge available at the time of the forecast. The information is based on the project's past performance and expected future performance, and includes information that could impact the project in the future, such as estimate at completion and estimate to complete.	IEEE_Soft_Vo cab	Predicting the future as accurately as possible, given all of the information available, including historical data and knowledge of any future events that might impact the forecasts.	Hyndman, _Rob								
four-fifths rule	a rule of thumb under which [federal enforcement agencies] will generally consider a selection rate for any race, sex, or ethnic group which is less than four-fifths (4/5ths) or eighty percent (80%) of the selection rate for the group with the highest selection rate as a substantially different rate of selection. This "4/5ths" or "80%" rule of thumb is not intended as a legal definition, but is a practical means of keeping the attention of the enforcement agencies on serious discrepancies in rates of hiring, promotion and other selection decisions.	EEOC_QAA_E mployees_Sele ction										
fraud detection	Monitoring the behavior of populations of users in order to estimate, detect, or avoid undesirable behavior.	Kou,_Yufeng	detecting and recognizing fraudulent activities as they enter systems and report them to a system manager.	Behdad								
fully autonomous	Accomplishes its assigned mission, within a defined scope, without human intervention while adapting to operational and environmental conditions	SPRO11										
generative adversarial network (GAN)	Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs) for short, are an approach to computer modeling using deep learning methods, such as convolutional neural networks. Generative modeling is what unsupervised learning task in machine learning that involves automatically discovering and learning the regularities or patterns in input data in such a way that the model can be used to generate or output new examples that plausibly could have been drawn from the original dataset.	Brownlee,_Jason	A pair of jointly trained neural networks that generates realistic new data (like Picasso, say) as the other tries to detect the fakes.	Hinton,_Matthew	Generative adversarial networks (GANs) consist of two competing neural networks—a generator network that tries to create fake outputs (such as pictures), and a discriminator network that tries to determine whether the outputs are real or fake. A major advantage of this structure is that GANs can learn from less data than other deep learning algorithms.	CBS_AI		NSCAI				
generative artificial intelligence	[a kind of artificial intelligence] capable of generating new content such as code, images, music, text, simulations, 3D objects, videos, and so on. It is considered an important part of AI research and development, as it has the potential to revolutionize many industries, including entertainment, art, and design.	Acham_Idam, History_2021	describes algorithms (such as ChatGPT) that can be used to create new content, including audio, code, images, text, simulations, and videos.	McKinsey_gen erative_AI								
global	[An approach that] [t]ries to understand the model as a whole.	arun,_opportu nities_2020	A global explanation produces a model that approximates the non-interpretable model.	NISTIR_832_ Full								
governance	The actions to ensure stakeholder needs, conditions, and options are evaluated to determine balanced, agreed-upon enterprise objectives; setting direction through prioritization and decision-making; and monitoring performance and compliance against agreed-upon directions and objectives. AI governance may include policies on the nature of AI applications developed and deployed versus those limited or withheld.	NSCAI	A framework of policies, rules, and processes for ensuring direction, management, and accountability.	SPR270								
graph	Diagram that represents the variation of a variable in comparison with that of one or more other variables. Diagram or other representation consisting of a finite set of nodes and intermediate connections called edges or arcs.	IEEE_Soft_Vo cab	A graph (sometimes called an undirected graph to distinguish it from a directed graph, or a simple graph to distinguish it from a multigraph) is a pair <i>G</i> = (<i>V</i> , <i>E</i>), where <i>V</i> is a set whose elements are called vertices (singular: vertex), and <i>E</i> is a set of paired vertices, whose elements are called edges (sometimes links or lines).	wikipedia_gra ph_2023								
graphical processing unit (GPU)	A specialized chip capable of highly parallel processing. GPUs are well-suited for running machine-learning and deep learning algorithms. GPUs were first developed for efficient parallel processing of arrays of values used in computer graphics. Modern-day GPUs are designed to be optimized for machine learning.	NSCAI										
graphical user interface (GUI)	A GUI is a type of computer human interface on a computer. It solves the blank screen problem that confronted early computer users. These early users sat down in front of a computer and faced a blank screen, with only a prompt. The computer gave the user no indication what the user was to do next. GUIs are an attempt to solve this blank screen problem. At a conceptual level, a computer human interface is a "means by which people and computers communicate with each other".	janzen_graphi cal_1998										
ground truth	information provided by direct observation as opposed to information provided by inference	Collins_Dictio nary_ground_ truth	value of the target variable for a particular item of labeled input data	aimc_measure ment_2022, eting ISO/IEC 22889	In most accounts of supervised (machine) learning, the ground truth is considered to be the "dependent variable" that is predicted by a collection of features (independent variables)	Muller, _Michael						
group fairness	The goal of groups defined by protected attributes receiving similar treatments or outcomes.	AI_Fairness_3	Treat different groups equally	Mohrabi, _Nihar								
hacker	Unauthorized user who attempts to or gains access to an information system.	Renzik,_Leon	Technically sophisticated computer enthusiast who uses his or her knowledge or means to gain unauthorized access to protected resources.	IEEE_Soft_Vo cab								
hallucination	generated content that is nonsensical or unfaithful to the provided source content; [...] there are two main types of hallucinations, namely intrinsic hallucination and extrinsic hallucination. [an intrinsic hallucination is a] generated output that contradicts the source content; [an extrinsic hallucination is a] generated output that cannot be verified from the source content (i.e., subject can neither be supported nor contradicted by the source).	Survey_of_Hal lucination_in_ NLP	when a bot confidently says something that is not true.	Liam_Tung_2 022_Veta_ha llucination								
hardware	Physical equipment used to process, store, or transmit computer programs or data	IEEE_Soft_Vo cab										
harm	An undesired outcome [whose] cost exceeds some threshold; [...] the key points in the definition of safety are that: costs have to be sufficiently high in some human sense for events to be harmful, and that safety involves reducing both the probability of expected harms and the possibility of unexpected harms.		to damage, injure or hurt.	Black's_Law_ Dictionary_har m								
harmful bias	Harmful bias can be either conscious or unconscious. Unconscious, also known as implicit bias, involves associations outside conscious awareness that lead to a negative evaluation of a person on the basis of characteristics such as race, gender, sexual orientation, or physical ability.3,4 Discrimination is behavior, discriminatory actions perpetrated by individuals or institutions refer to inequitable treatment of members of certain social groups that results in social advantages or disadvantages	humphrey_add resing_2020										
harms of allocation	unfairly assigned opportunities or resources due to algorithmic intervention; [...] when a system [distributes] or withholds certain groups an opportunity or a resource. [They are] immediate, easily quantifiable, discrete, and transactional.	Lim,_Swee_Kia										

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in silico	carrying out some experiment by means of a computer simulation	World_Wide_Webst_in_all_co										
instance	Discrete, bounded thing with an intrinsic, immutable, and unique identity. Individual occurrence of a type	IEEE_Soft_Vo_cub	A single object of the world from which a model will be learned, or on which a model will be used (e.g., for prediction).	Eshavi_Ron							computer simulation testing	
instance weight	A numerical value that multiplies the contribution of a data point in a model	AI_Fairness_360										
integrity	Degree to which a system, product, or component prevents unauthorized access to, or modification of, computer programs or data.	IEEE_Soft_Vo_cub	Guarding against improper information modification or destruction, and includes ensuring information non-repudiation and authenticity.	CSRC	The property whereby information, an information system, or a component of a system has not been modified or destroyed in an unauthorized manner.	CISA	<data> property whereby data have not been altered in an unauthorized manner since they were created, transmitted, or stored; <system> property of accuracy and completeness	ISQ/IEC_TS_5723:2022(en)	the quality of moral consistency, honesty, and truthfulness with oneself and others.	APA_integrity		
intelligent process automation	A preconfigured software instance that combines business rules, experience-based content determination logic, and decision criteria to initiate and execute multiple interrelated human and automated processes in a dynamic context. The goal is to complete the execution of a combination of processes, activities, and tasks in one or more unrelated software systems that deliver a result or service with minimal or no human intervention.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
interaction	Action that takes place with the participation of the environment of the object.	IEEE_Soft_Vo_cub										
internal validity	The ability of your research design to adequately test your hypotheses	bordens_research_2010	the degree to which a study or experiment is free from flaws in its internal structure and its results can therefore be taken to represent the true nature of the phenomenon. In other words, internal validity pertains to the soundness of results obtained within the controlled conditions of a particular study, specifically with respect to whether one can draw reasonable conclusions about cause-and-effect relationships among variables.	APA_internal_validity								
interoperability	The ability of software or hardware systems or components to operate together successfully, with minimal effort by end user	SP1001	Degree to which two or more systems, products or components can exchange information and use the information that has been exchanged.	IEEE_Soft_Vo_cub	The ability for tools to work together in execution, communication, and data exchange under specific conditions.	NIST_F500						
interpretability	The ability to understand the value and accuracy of system output. Interpretability refers to the extent to which a cause and effect can be observed within a system or to which what is going to happen given a change in input or algorithmic parameters can be predicted.	NSCAI	The ability to explain or to present an ML model's reasoning in understandable terms to a human	IEEE_Soft_Vo_cub							explainability	
interpretable model	An interpretable machine learning model obeys a domain-specific set of constraints to allow it (or its predictions, or the data) to be more easily understood by humans. These constraints can differ dramatically depending on the domain.	rudin_interpretable_2022										
intervenable	the property that intervention is possible concerning all ongoing or planned (privacy) relevant data processing; [...] the data subjects themselves should be able to intervene with regards to the processing of their own data ... [to ensure] that data subjects have the ability to control how their data is processed and by whom.	Covert_et_al										
kill switch	a form of safety mechanism used to completely shut off a device in case of an emergency situation where it cannot be shut off using the normal process or if immediate shut off is required.	Techopedia_kill_switch										
knowledge	The sum of all information derived from diagnostic, descriptive, predictive, and prescriptive analytics embedded in or available to or from a cognitive computing system.	IEEE_Guide_1PA	artificial intelligence- abstracted information about objects, events, concepts or rules, their relationships and properties, organized for goal-oriented systematic use.	aieme_measure ment_2022, citing ISO/IEC 22869								
label	A value corresponding to an outcome.	AI_Fairness_360	target variable assigned to a sample	aieme_measure ment_2022, citing ISO/IEC 22869								
label shift	Under label shift, the label distribution p(y) might change but the class-conditional distributions p(y x) do not. ... We work with the label shift assumption, i.e., p(y x) ~ p(y x)	saurabh_label_2020										
large language model (LLM)	a class of language models that use deep-learning algorithms and are trained on extremely large textual datasets that can be multiple terabytes in size. LLMs can be classed into two types: generative or discriminative. Generative LLMs are models that output text, such as the answer to a question or even writing an essay on a specific topic. They are typically unsupervised or semi-supervised learning models that predict what the response is for a given task. Discriminatory LLMs are supervised learning models that usually focus on classifying text, such as determining whether a text was made by a human or AI.	AI_Assurance_2022									language model	
language model	A language model is an approximative description that captures patterns and regularities present in natural language and is used for making assumptions on previously unseen language fragments.	Gustavi_Ebba									large language model (LLM)	
learning	A procedure in artificial intelligence by which an artificial intelligence program improves its performance by gaining knowledge.	Dennis_Merca	the acquisition of novel information, behaviors, or abilities after practice, observation, or other experience, as evidenced by change in behavior, knowledge, or brain function. Learning involves consciously or nonconsciously attending to relevant aspects of incoming information, internally organizing the information into a coherent cognitive representation, and integrating it with relevant existing knowledge activated from long-term memory.	APA_learning								
least privilege	The principle that a security architecture should be designed so that each entity is granted the minimum system resources and authorizations that the entity needs to perform its function.	CSRC	The security objective of granting users only those access they need to perform their official duties.	SP-800-12								
lemmatization	the process of grouping together the different inflected forms of a word so that they can be analyzed as a single item.	Arianancher_John_AI_with_Python	in natural language processing[...], working with words according to their root lexical components	Techopedia_lemmatization	grouping together words with the same root or lemma but with different inflections or derivatives of meaning so that they can be analyzed as one item.	TechTarget_lemmatization	the grouping together of different forms of the same word.	TechTarget_lemmatization				
linear model	[a supervised learning algorithm that uses] a simple formula to find a best-fit line through a set of data points.	dataiku_ML_and_linear_models	(linear) An operator L ~ is said to be linear if, for every pair of functions f and g and scalar t, L ~ (t*f + (1-t)*g) = t*(L ~ f) + (1-t)*(L ~ g) and L ~ (t*f) = t*(L ~ f).	wolfram_mathworld_2022								
local	Mainly focus on explanation of individual data instances. Generates one explanation map g per data x in X.	arun_opportunities_2020	A local explanation explains a subset of decisions or is a per-decision explanation.	NISTIR_832_Full								
localization	Creation of a national or specific regional version of a product.	IEEE_Soft_Vo_cub										
logistic model	(logistic equation) The continuous version of the logistic model is described by the differential equation (dN)/(dt) = rN(1 - N/K), where r is the Malthusian parameter (rate of maximum population growth) and K is the so-called carrying capacity (i.e., the maximum sustainable population). Dividing both sides by K and defining v = N/K then gives the differential equation (d(v))/(dt) = r(v)(1 - v), which is known as the logistic equation and has solution v(t) = 1/(1 + e^(-r(t - t_0))). The function v(t) is sometimes known as the sigmoid function.	wolfram_mathworld_2022										
machine learning	A general approach for determining models from data.	AI_Fairness_360	Machine Learning is the study of computer algorithms that improve automatically through experience.	Mitchell_Tom	Machine learning is based on algorithms that can learn from data without relying on rules-based programming	Pyle_and_San_Jose	The study or the application of computer algorithms that improve automatically through experience. Machine learning algorithms build a model based on training data in order to perform a specific task, like adding in prediction or decision-making processes, without necessarily being explicitly programmed to do so	NSCAI	A subcategory of artificial intelligence; a method of designing a sequence of actions to solve a problem that organizes automatically through experience and with limited or no human intervention.	Comptroller_Office		
machine observation	Machine detection and interpretation of relevant and meaningful events and conditions that impact operation of the computer system itself or other dependent mechanisms or processes essential to the purpose of the system. See bad actor.	IEEE_Guide_1PA										
malicious actor	Hardware, firmware, or software that is intentionally included or inserted in a system for a harmful purpose.	Reznik_Leon	Software that compromises the operation of a system by performing an unauthorized function or process.	CISA							trojan horse	
materiality	Refers to the significance of a matter in relation to a set of financial or performance information. If a matter is material to the set of information, then it is likely to be of significance to a user of that information	OECD										
McNamara fallacy	presum[ing] that (A) quantitative models of reality are always more accurate than other models; (B) the quantitative measurements that can be made must really must be the most relevant; and (C) factors other than those currently being used in quantitative metrics must either not exist or not have a significant influence on success. This flawed approach to reasoning is also known as the quantitative fallacy.	McNamara_Ralphy									quantitative fallacy	
measurement	(Quantitative) (1) act or process of assigning a number or category to an entity to describe an attribute of that entity; (2) assignment of numbers to objects in a systematic way to represent properties of the object; (3) use of a metric to assign a value (e.g., a number or category) from a scale to an attribute of an entity; (4) set of operations having the object of determining a value of a measure; (5) assigning values and labels to aspects of software engineering work products, processes, and resources plus the models that are derived from them, whether these models are developed using statistical or other techniques; (6) figure, extent, or amount obtained by measuring	aieme_measure ment_2022, citing ISO/IEC 24765	(Qualitative) (1) a way of learning about social reality [...] That used approaches [...] to explore, describe, or explain social phenomena[]; unpack the meaning people ascribe to activities, situations, events, or [artifacts]; build a depth of understanding about some aspect of social life; build "thick descriptions" (see Clifford Geertz, 1973) of people in naturalistic settings; explore new or under-researched areas; or make micro-macro links (illuminate connections between individuals-groups and institutional and/or cultural contexts) (2) [approaches that] can make visible and unpack the mechanisms which link particular variables, by looking at the explanations, or accounts, provided by those involved.	Leary_CHQRC_Intro	Qualitative measurement engages research methods and techniques to provide information about the nature of phenomenon. Qualitative methods are designed for systematic collection, organization, description and interpretation of non-numeric (textual, verbal or visual) data (Hammerberg et al., 2018). Qualitative measurement generally answers questions about why, for whom, when, and how something is (or is not) observed, whereas quantitative measurement answers questions about what is observed. Elements assessed using qualitative measurement may include contextual norms or meaning, socio-cultural dynamics, individual or collective beliefs, and complex multi-component interactions or interventions (Buenetto et al., 2020).	Hammerberg_2018, Buenetto_2020	Documentation of assumptions and methods used is a foundational element of qualitative measurement, as the choice of single or combined methods is made based on the phenomenon and its context (Buenetto & Gregory, 2018). When appropriately paired, qualitative and quantitative measurement can provide corroboration or elaboration, demonstrate use cases, and/or identify conditions for complementarity or contradiction (Branen, 2005).	Buenetto_2003, Branen_2005				

Terms	Definition 1	Citation 1 [1]	Definition 2	Citation 2	Definition 3	Citation 3	Definition 4	Citation 4	Definition 5	Citation 5	Related terms and synonyms [2]	Legal definition applicable
precision	A metric for classification models. Precision identifies the frequency with which a model was correct when classifying the positive class.	NSCAI	closeness of agreement between indications or measured quantity values obtained by replicate measurements on the same or similar objects under specified conditions	aine_measure ment_2022, citing ISO/IEC Guide 59	A metric for classification models. Precision identifies the frequency with which a model was correct when predicting the positive class. That is, Precision = True Positive / (True Positive + False Positive)	aine_measure ment_2022, citing Machine Learning Glossary by Google	Closeness of agreement between independent test results obtained under prescribed conditions. It is generally dependent on analyte concentration, and this dependence should be determined and documented. The measure of precision is usually expressed in terms of imprecision and computed as a standard deviation of the test results. Higher imprecision is reflected by a larger standard deviation. Independent test results means results obtained in a manner not influenced by any previous results on the same or similar material. Precision covers repeatability and reproducibility [39]. Alternatively precision is a measure for the reproducibility of measurements within a set, that is, of the scatter or dispersion of a set about its central value. Precision depends only on the distribution of random errors and does not relate to the true value or specified value.	UNCODC_Gloss ary_QA_01P				
prediction	Forecasting quantitative or qualitative outputs through function approximation, applied on input data or measurements.	NSCAI	primary output of an AI system when provided with input data or information	aine_measure ment_2022, citing ISO/IEC 22989								
predictive analysis	The organization of analyses of structured and unstructured data for inference and correlation that provides a useful predictive capability to new circumstances or data.	IEEE_Guide_1 PA										
predictive analytics	Insights, reporting, and information answering the question, "What is likely to happen?" Predictive analytics support high confidence foretelling of future event (s).	IEEE_Guide_1 PA										
preprocessing	Transforming the data so that the underlying discrimination is mitigated. This method can be used if a modeling pipeline is allowed to modify the training data.	SP1270	Techniques that try to transform the data so the underlying discrimination is removed. If the algorithm is allowed to modify the training data, then pre-processing can be used.		Mehrabi, _Nisarah							
prescriptive analytics	Insights, reporting, and information answering the question, "What should I do about it?" Prescriptive analytics determine information that provides high confidence actions necessary to recover from an event or fulfill a need.	IEEE_Guide_1 PA										
privacy	freedom from intrusion into the private life or affairs of an individual	ISO/IEC_TS_5723:2022(en)	freedom from intrusion into the private life or affairs of an individual when that individual	aine_measure ment_2022, citing ISO/IEC TR 24029-1								
privacy-by-design	Embedding privacy measures and privacy enhancing technologies directly into the design of information technologies and systems.	ENISA									https://www.enisa.europa.eu/data-protection-by-design/	
privacy-enhancing technology	A coherent system of ICT (Information and Communications Technology) measures that protects privacy by eliminating or reducing personal data or by preventing unnecessary and/or undesired processing of personal data, all without losing the functionality of the information system.	PET_Handbook										
privileged protected attribute	A value of a protected attribute indicating a group that has historically been at systematic advantage.	AI_Fairness_3 60										
procedure	Information item that presents an ordered series of steps to perform a process, activity, or task.	IEEE_Soft_Vocab										
process	A sequence or flow of activities in an organization with the objective of carrying out work, which may include a set of activities, events, tasks, and decisions in a sequenced flow that adhere to finite execution semantics. Process levels will generally follow structure at the capability maturity model integration (CMMI) level.	IEEE_Guide_1 PA	Set of interrelated or interacting activities that transforms inputs into outputs	IEEE_Soft_Vocab								
process flow	The defined representation of the overall progression of how a process is intended to be performed, including all exceptions.	IEEE_Guide_1 PA										
processing	"Processing" means any operation or set of operations which is performed on personal data or on sets of personal data, whether or not by automated means, such as collection, recording, organisation, structuring, storage, adaptation or alteration, retrieval, consultation, use, disclosure by transmission, dissemination or otherwise making available, alignment or combination, restriction, erasure or destruction.	GDPR	"Processing" means any operation or set of operations that are performed on personal information or on sets of personal information, whether or not by automated means.	CCPA						personal data; processing		
processing environment	the combination of software and hardware on which the Application runs	Law_Insider_processing_environment										
processor	"Processor" means a natural or legal person, public authority, agency or other body which processes personal data on behalf of the controller.	GDPR	"Processing" means any operation or set of operations that are performed on personal information or on sets of personal information, whether or not by automated means.	CCPA						personal data; processing controller		
product manager	a specialized product management professional whose job is to manage the planning, development, launch, and success of products/solutions powered by AI, machine learning, and deep learning technologies.	productmanagement_Josh_Fetter										
product owner	[person who is] focused on providing direction and prioritization for the cross-functional AI team, ensuring everyone remains focused on the overall vision and road map. This role is responsible for unifying individuals with diverse skills and backgrounds toward a common goal.	Forbes_Tracy Kemp										
product velocity	how fast a product can be delivered to the market	Cost_Management_Chris_Towards_Productivity										
production	[turning the best performing model] into an actual "data product," ready to be used in live services.											
profiling	"Profiling" means any form of automated processing of personal data consisting of the use of personal data to evaluate certain personal aspects relating to a natural person. In particular to analyse or predict aspects concerning that natural person's performance at work, economic situation, health, personal preferences, interests, reliability, behaviour, location or movements.	GDPR	"Profiling" means any form of automated processing of personal information, as further defined by regulations pursuant to paragraph (8) of subordination (a) of Section 778.85, to evaluate certain personal aspects relating to a natural person and in particular to analyse or predict aspects concerning that natural person's performance at work, economic situation, health, personal preferences, interests, reliability, behavior, location, or movements.	CCPA	Measuring the characteristics of expected activity so that changes to it can be more easily identified.	CSRC				personal data; processing		
protected attribute	An attribute that partitions a population into groups whose outcomes should have parity. Examples include race, gender, caste, and religion. Protected attributes are not universal, but are application specific.	AI_Fairness_3 60										
protected class	[a feature] that may not be used as the basis for decisions [and] could be chosen because of legal mandates or because of organizational values. Some common protected [classes] include race, religion, national origin, gender, marital status, age, and socioeconomic status.	MIT_Protected_Attributes										
prototype	A prototype is an original model constructed to include all the technical characteristics and performances of the new product.	OECD										
provisioning	The granting of access rights and executional privilege to an agent (human or machine) within an application(s) or system(s).	IEEE_Guide_1 PA										
proxy	A variable that can stand in for another, usually not directly observable or measurable, variable.	SP1270										
proxy discrimination	a particularly pernicious subset of disparate impact. Like all forms of disparate impact, it involves a facially neutral practice that disproportionately harms members of a protected class. But a practice producing a disparate impact only amounts to proxy discrimination when a second condition is met. In particular, proxy discrimination requires that the usefulness to the discriminator of a facially neutral practice derives, at least in part, from the very fact that it produces a disparate impact. This condition can be met either when the discriminator intends to disparately impact a protected group or when a legally-prohibited characteristic is predictive of the discriminator's goals in ways that cannot be captured more directly by non-suspect data.	Proxy_Discrimination								A variable V in a causal graph exhibits unresolved discrimination if there exists a directed path from A to V that is not blocked by a resolving variable, and V itself is non-resolving.	Mehrabi, _Nisarah (this definition is quite technical, though)	
pseudo-anonymization (pseudonymization)	"Pseudonymization" means the processing of personal data in such a manner that the personal data can no longer be attributed to a specific data subject without the use of additional information, provided that such additional information is kept separately and is subject to technical and organizational measures to ensure that the personal data are not attributed to an identified or identifiable natural person.	GDPR	"Pseudonymize" or "Pseudonymization" means the processing of personal information in a manner that renders the personal information no longer attributable to a specific consumer without the use of additional information, provided that the additional information is kept separately and is subject to technical and organizational measures to ensure that the personal information is not attributed to an identified or identifiable consumer.	CCPA	A data management technique to strip identifiers linking data to an individual.	NSCAI				personal data; processing		
pseudoscience	a system of theories, assumptions, and methods erroneously regarded as scientific	Merriam-Webster_pseudoscience										
quality	The totality of features and characteristics of a product or service that bear on its ability to satisfy stated or implied needs.	OECD	<data> degree to which the characteristics of data satisfy stated and implied needs when used under specified conditions; <system> degree to which a set of inherent characteristics of an object fulfills requirements (an object can be a product, process or service)	ISO/IEC_TS_5723:2022(en)								
racialized	A socio-political process by which groups are ascribed a racial identity, whether or not members of the group self-identify as such	AAAS_Mandl_Bian_2022-09										
ranking	a type of machine learning that sorts data in a relevant order[; often used by companies] to optimize search and recommendations.	DEV_ranking	position, order, or standing within a group : RANK	Merriam-Webster_ranking								

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