

Problematic Accuracy: Governing Al Risks

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What is Problematic?

Problematic error

Problematic accuracy

- Privacy
- Manipulation
- Power imbalance
- Opacity/disempowerment
- Labor displacement



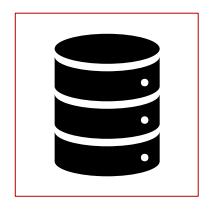
My Assignment

Governance in the US

- Law and policy
- Management



An Analogy Helps Us to Grasp







Environmental Harms

US Law and Policy

Environmental Experience

First generation regulation

- Prescriptive "command-and-control"
- Design standards

Second generation regulation

- Performance-based
- Planning-based
- Information-based

Privacy Law

First Generation

- Notice and consent, purpose limitation, access and correction
 - Information-based
 - Design-based

Al Law and Policy

Second Generation

Performance-based

- Fair. Loyal. Unbiased.
- E.g. Algorithmic Fairness Act (AFA); Data Care Act;
 American Data Privacy and Protection Act, § 207
 - Note: these proposed, not passed

Al Law and Policy

Planning-based

- Algorithmic impact assessments. Audits.
- E.g. Algorithmic Accountability Act (AAA) (proposed); AFA

Information-based

- Transparency. Explainability.
- E.g. Al Bill of Rights; FTC statements
- More purely about information disclosure
 - Not as tied to consent

From Privacy Law to Al Law

From first to second generation regulation

- Second generation strategies
 - Risk-based
 - Performance-based
 - Planning-based
 - Information-based
- Emphasis on regulated party duties, not individual rights

Management

Ohio State Research on Responsible Al

Business Data Ethics Management (2020)

Available at www.moritzlaw.osu.edu/PDG

Responsible Al Management (2022-2023)

Environmental Analogy

Instructive here as well

Environmental Management

From trade-off

To value (and values)

Sustainability

Green business

Al Management

Beyond compliance

Al ethics

Responsible AI management

To achieve value (and values)

Motivations Behind Responsible Al Managment

- Reduce regulatory risk
- Build and sustain trust
- Retain employees
- Improve quality
- Differentiate from competitors
- Live by values

Analogy





Sustainability

Responsible Al

Shorthand Understanding

The emerging governance of AI is using

- Regulation: Second-generation
- Management: Sustainability model

Key Question

How to design regulation to incentivize and support the growing sustainability mind-set in responsible AI management?