

Overview

This document contains **Responsible AI Framework**, a comprehensive governance, risk, and oversight model designed to guide organisations in the safe, ethical, and compliant adoption of AI systems.

This framework integrates global standards such as:

- **NIST AI RMF**
- **ISO/IEC 42001 (AI Management System)**
- **OECD AI Principles**
- **Microsoft, Google & Meta Responsible AI practices**

1. Responsible AI Principles

1.1 Human-Centered Design

1.2 Ethical Data Use

1.3 Transparency & Traceability

1.4 Safety & Security by Design

1.5 Responsible Deployment

1.6 Continuous Monitoring & Auditability

1.7 Accountability & Governance Alignment

2. AI Governance Structure

2.1 Strategic Governance Layer

- AI Governance Board
- RAI Executive Sponsor
- CISO / Legal / Compliance
- Ethics Review Teams

2.2 Tactical Governance Layer

- AI Program Manager
- AI Risk Manager
- Data Stewards
- Model Owners

2.3 Operational Layer

- Data Scientists
- ML Engineers

- MLOps & Monitoring Teams

3. AI Model Lifecycle

3.1. GOVERN

- Use case classification
- Ethical/legal review
- Data access governance
- Approval workflows

3.2. MAP

- Data analysis & lineage
- Bias detection
- Model assumptions
- Documentation (Model Cards, Data Cards)

3.3. MEASURE

- Fairness testing
- Explainability evaluation
- Adversarial robustness
- Privacy & security testing

3.4. MANAGE

- Deployment guardrails
- Monitoring (drift, misuse, performance)
- Incident response
- Audit cycles & retraining

4. Responsible AI Controls Catalogue

4.1. Data Controls

- Data minimisation
- Provenance validation
- Bias detection
- Consent governance

4.2. Model Controls

- Explainability thresholds
- Fairness metrics
- Human-in-the-loop
- Robustness validation

4.3. Security Controls

- MITRE ATLAS threat mapping
- Adversarial testing
- Access management
- Logging & anomaly detection

4.4. Deployment Controls

- Deployment gates
- Rollback strategy
- Versioning
- Reproducibility

4.5. Monitoring Controls

- Drift alerts
- Fairness monitoring
- Incident logging
- SLA tracking

4.6. Organizational & Governance Controls

- RACI for AI roles
- Audit readiness
- Compliance mapping
- Governance decisions

5. AI RISK SCORING MODEL

Risk Score = Impact * Likelihood * Detectability (Produces a Red-Amber-Green Risk Matrix)

5.1. Impact Dimensions

- Harm to individuals
- Financial risk
- Legal/regulatory exposure
- Security impact
- Reputational harm

5.2. Likelihood Dimensions

- Bias probability
- Data vulnerability
- Model instability
- Attack feasibility

5.3. Detectability

- Ease of identifying anomalies
- Monitoring strength

6. Documentation Templates

6.1 Model Card Template

6.2 Data Card Template

6.3 AI Decision Log

6.4 Governance Review Checklist

6.5 AI Risk Assessment Template

6.6 AI Use Case Registration Form

6.7 Model Monitoring Report Template

6.8 RAI Review Checklist