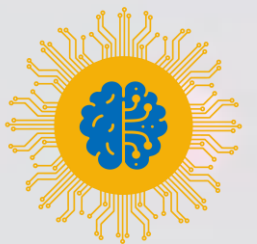


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# The Intersection of Cybersecurity and AI

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# AGENDA

Current AI Landscape

AI Use cases in Cyber Security

Challenges and Concerns on AI in Cyber Security

Live Demo - Let's fool an LLM?

What is PET?

Protecting AI Workloads using Confidential Computing

Future of AI in Cyber Security









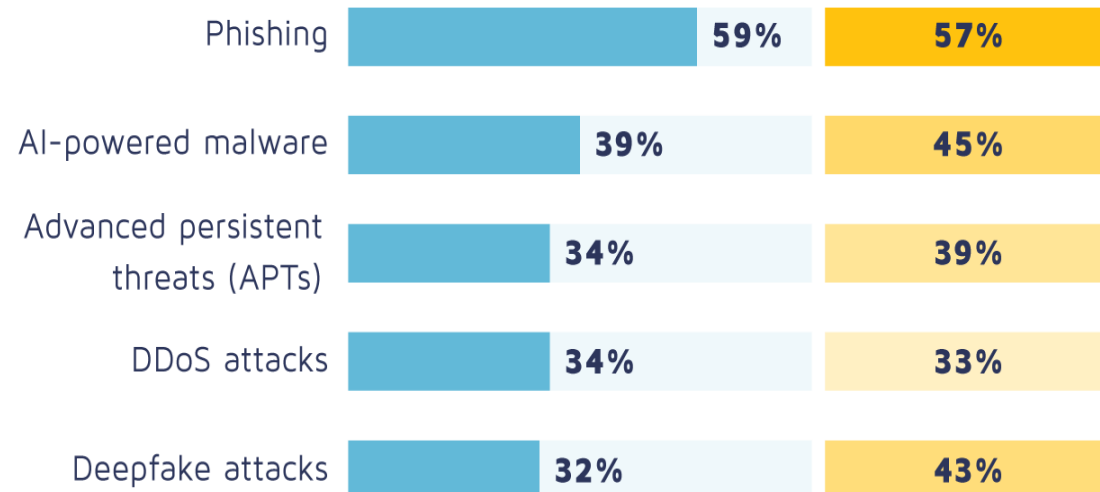
## THE AI CYBER THREAT



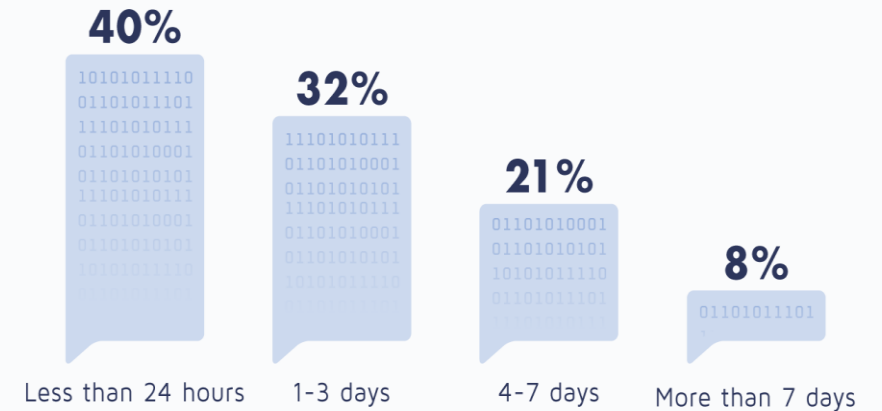
More than **1 in 6 cybersecurity specialists** worked for companies that **suffered AI-fueled cyberattacks**. **Medium-sized** companies were **41% more likely** than micro, small, and large companies to **experience them**.

### Most Commonly Seen AI-Fueled Cyberattacks

Percentage reporting moderate to major damage due to attacks

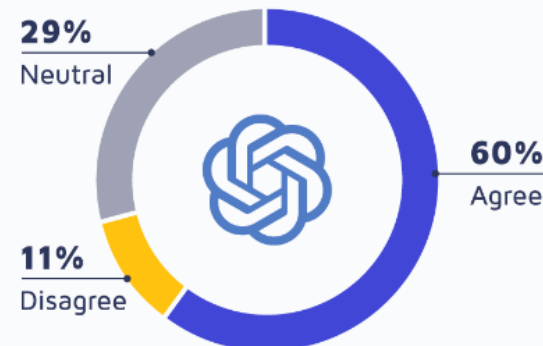


How long did it take your company to detect and respond to the AI-powered cyberattack?

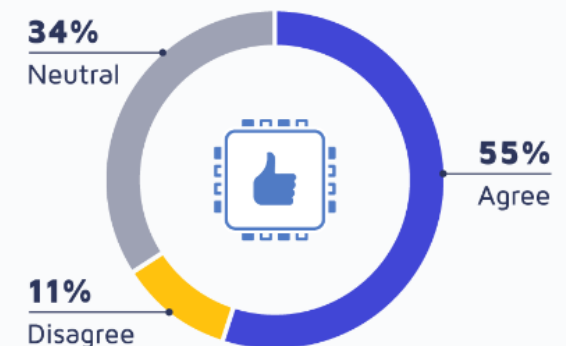


Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

ChatGPT will be used for cyberattacks in 2023.



AI's benefits in cybersecurity outweigh its drawbacks.





**In 2022**



the market size for AI in  
cybersecurity was

**\$17 billion**

**By 2032**



is projected to reach an  
impressive

**\$102 billion**

**48.9%**

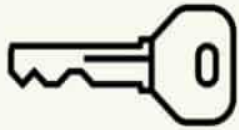
of global executives and security experts  
consider AI and machine learning as potent  
tools to combat modern cyber threats.

**44%**

of global organizations are already  
leveraging AI to detect security  
intrusions.

# PRIORITY AI USE CASES IN CYBERSECURITY

AI Reduces the Total Response Time but is Limited by Simplistic AI Deployments



49% of breaches involved stolen credentials\*

**Identity & Credential Attacks**

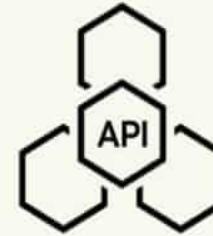
**Digital Fingerprinting**



74% of breaches include human element\*

**Phishing & Social Engineering**

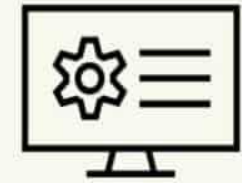
**Phishing Simulation & Detection**



49-day average to patch critical vulnerabilities\*

**Vulnerability Management**

**CVE Tools and Workflows**



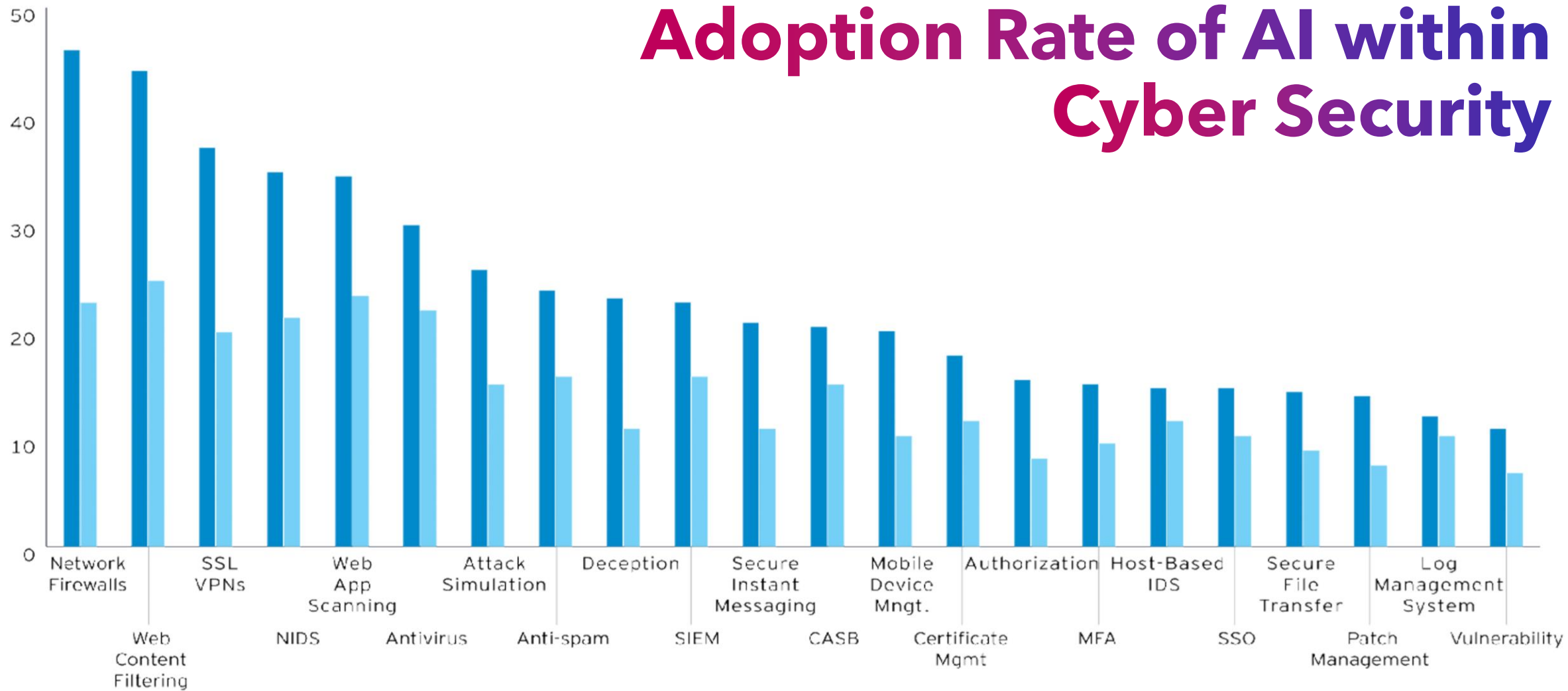
Up to 70% of cloud incidents are misconfigurations

**Config Analysis and Copilot**

**Requirements Generation**

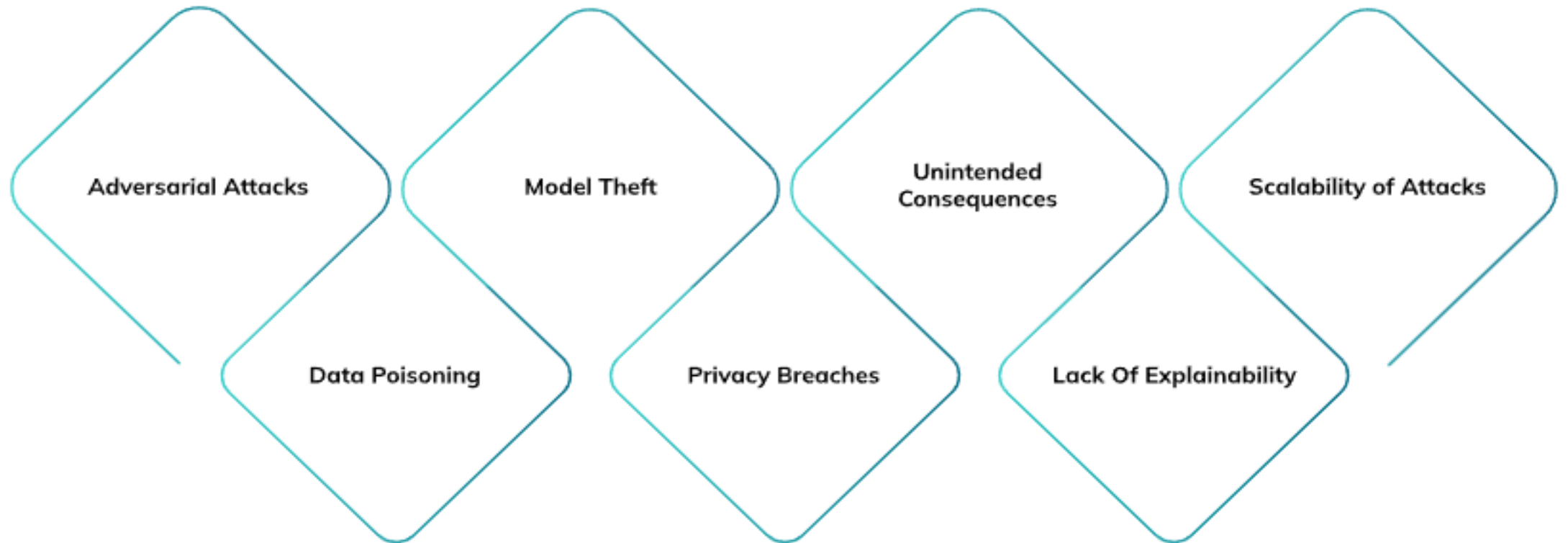
credits - NVidia

# Adoption Rate of AI within Cyber Security





# Key Cybersecurity Risks for AI

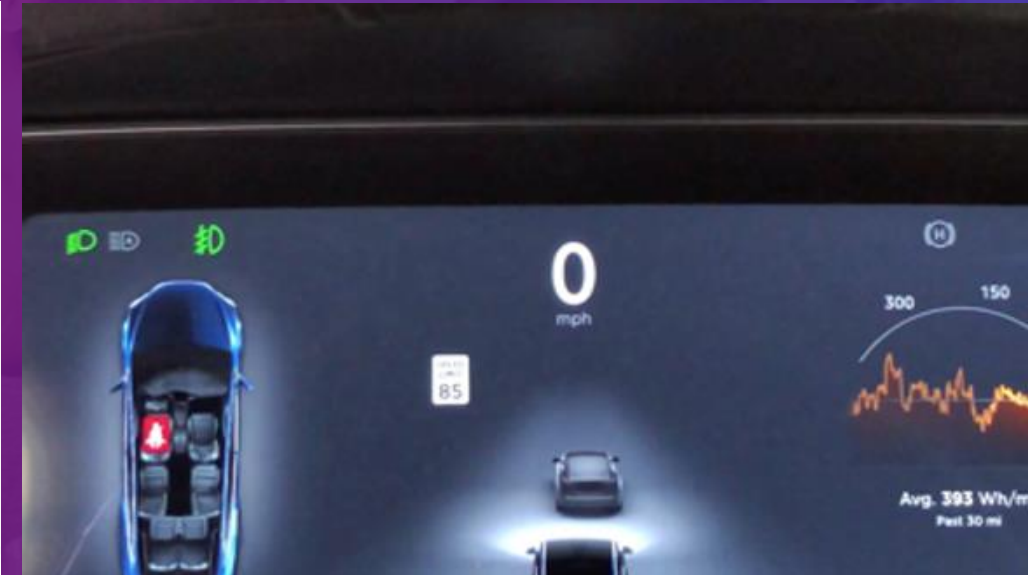


# Tricking Tesla Model S

For example, conveniently placed stickers managed to trick a Tesla Model S into recognizing a stop sign as an “Added Lane” sign. In any traffic, that would most likely crash it. Also, stickers managed to trick its algorithm into seeing 85 instead of 35 on a speed limit sign. Check out the modified sign on the figure below!

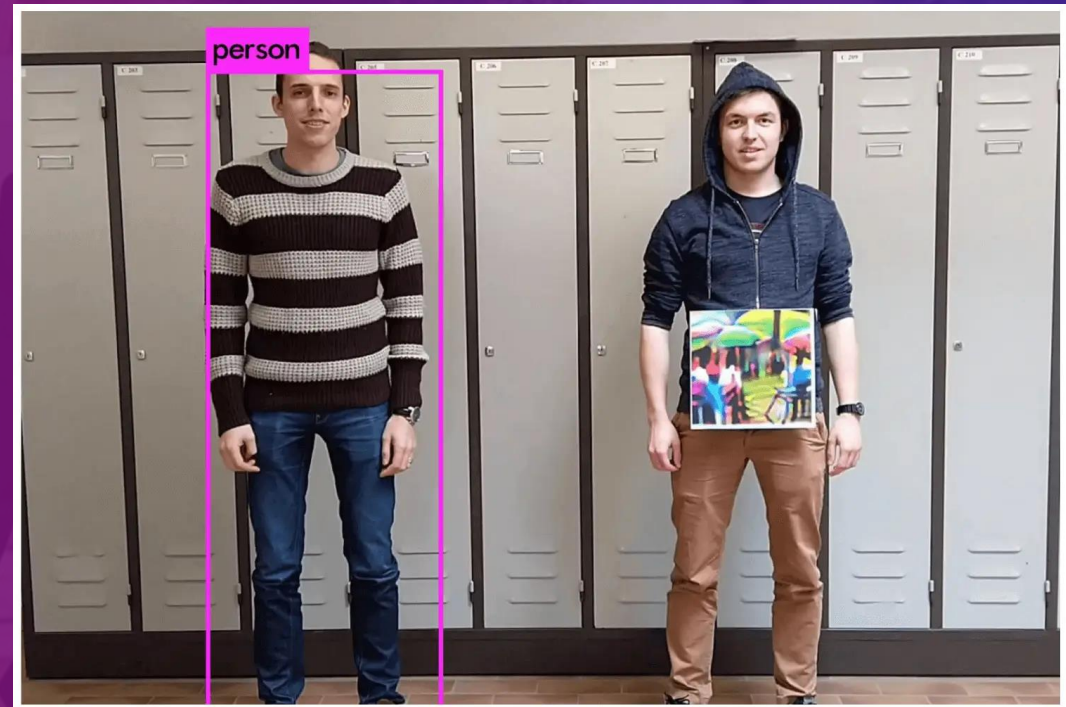
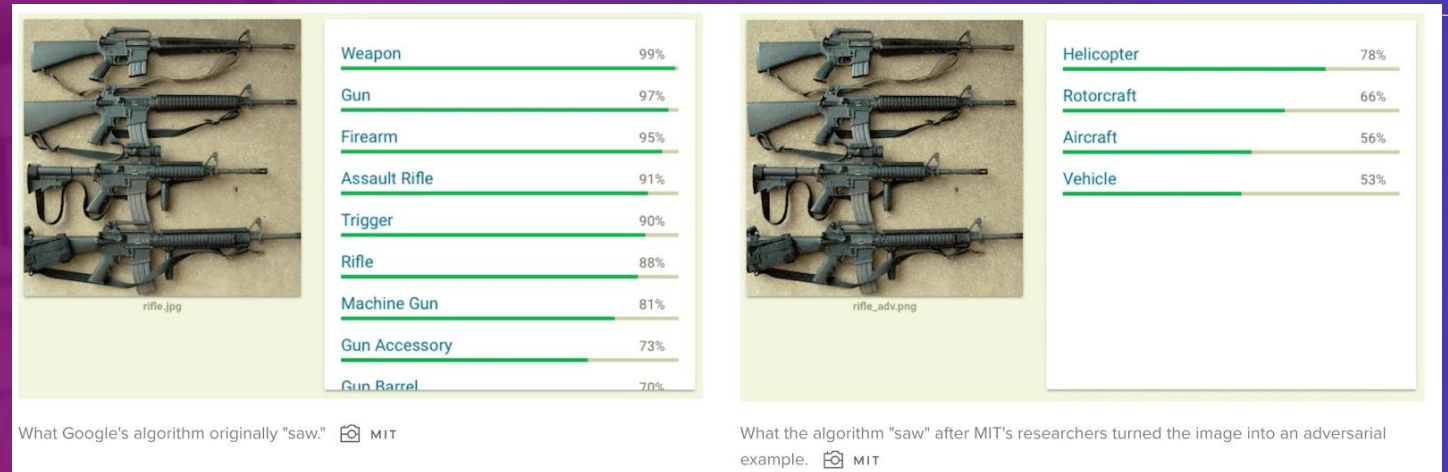


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...ee@GPUbox: ~/jupyter -- -bash ...  
Top Predictions      Confidence  
speedLimit45        86.11  
Top Predictions      Confidence  
speedLimit30         9.93  
[]
```



# Video Surveillance Fails

In most cases, machine learning algorithms can be fooled by manipulating the underlying pixels of an image. These changes are invisible to humans, but they lead the algorithm astray. Take a look below to see how the methods can make AI see a helicopter on a photo with four automatic weapons





# Live Demo

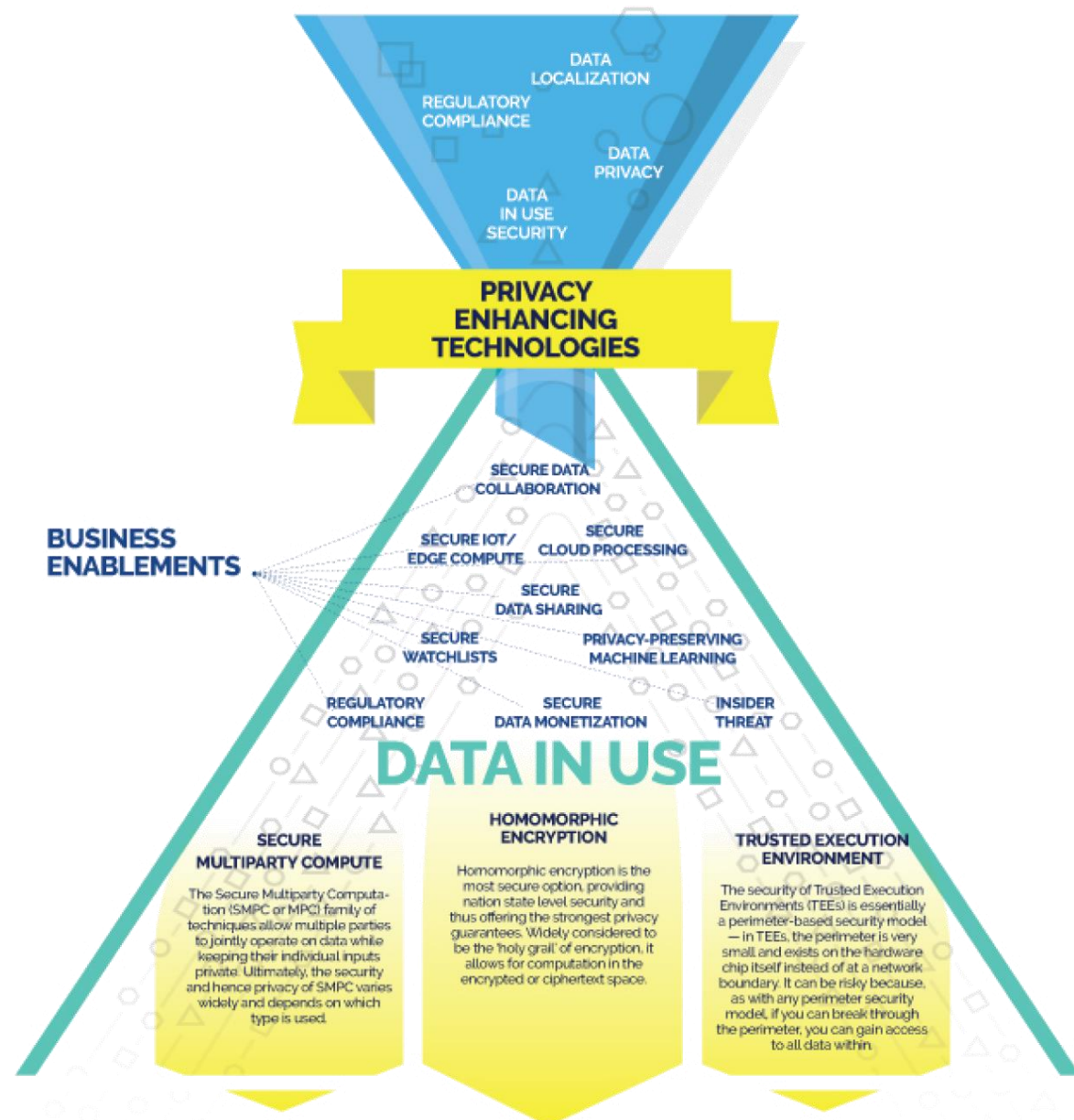
Let's fool an AI?



# What are privacy-enhancing technologies (PETs)?

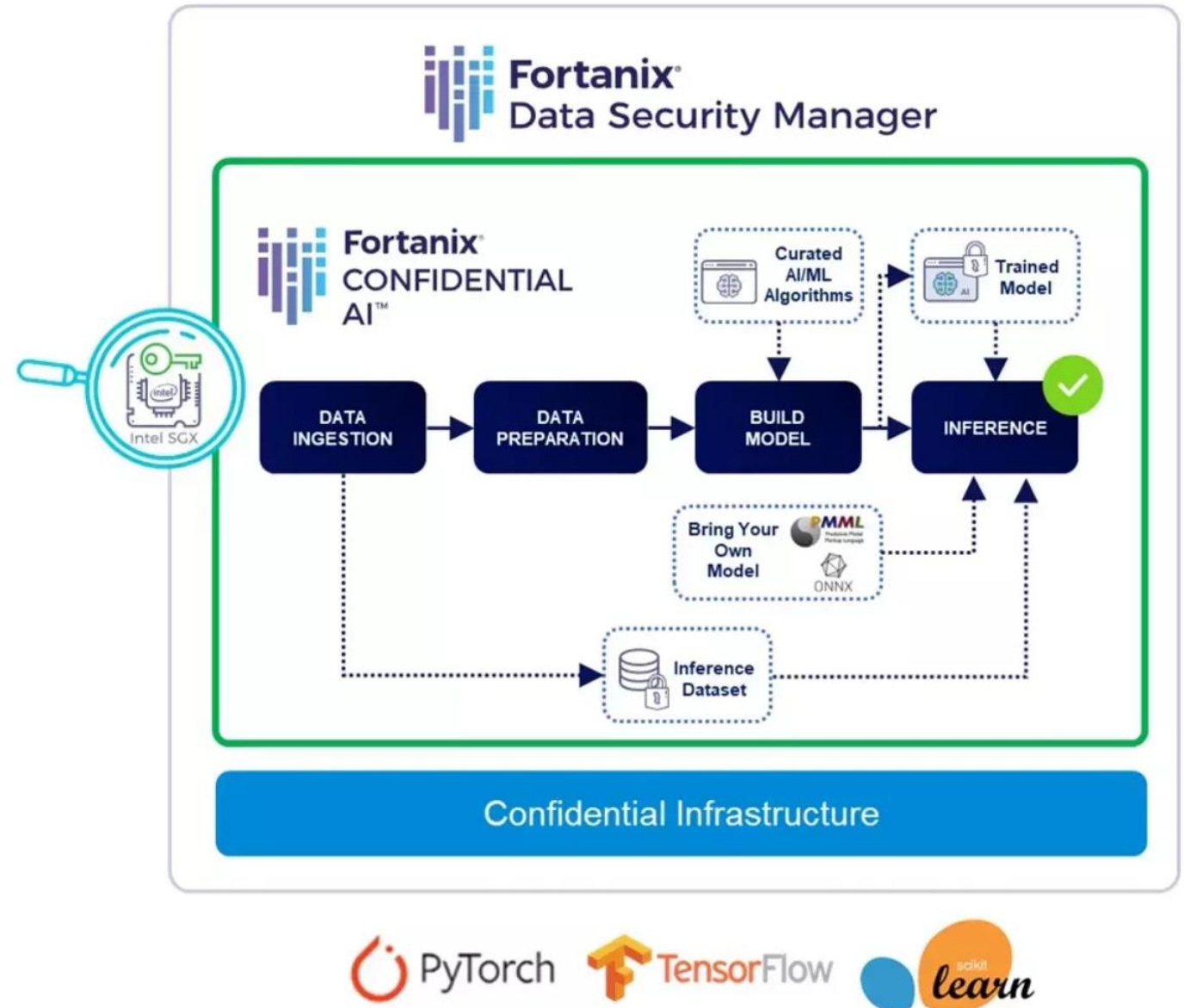
Privacy-enhancing technologies (PETs) are a broad range of technologies (hardware or software solutions) that are designed to extract data value in order to unleash its full commercial, scientific and social potential, without risking the privacy and security of this information.

## BUSINESS DATA CHALLENGES TODAY



# Protecting Sensitive Data and AI Models

with Confidential Computing







**How do  
I hack  
using  
AI?**

# AI Powered Ethical Hacking Tools

<https://github.com/berylliumsec/nebula>

## berylliumsec/ nebula



AI-Powered Ethical Hacking Assistant



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Contributor



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Issue



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Star



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Forks



# AI Powered Ethical Hacking Tools

<https://github.com/Hacking-Notes/VulnScan>

## Hacking-Notes/ VulnScan



Performing website vulnerability scanning using  
OpenAI technologie

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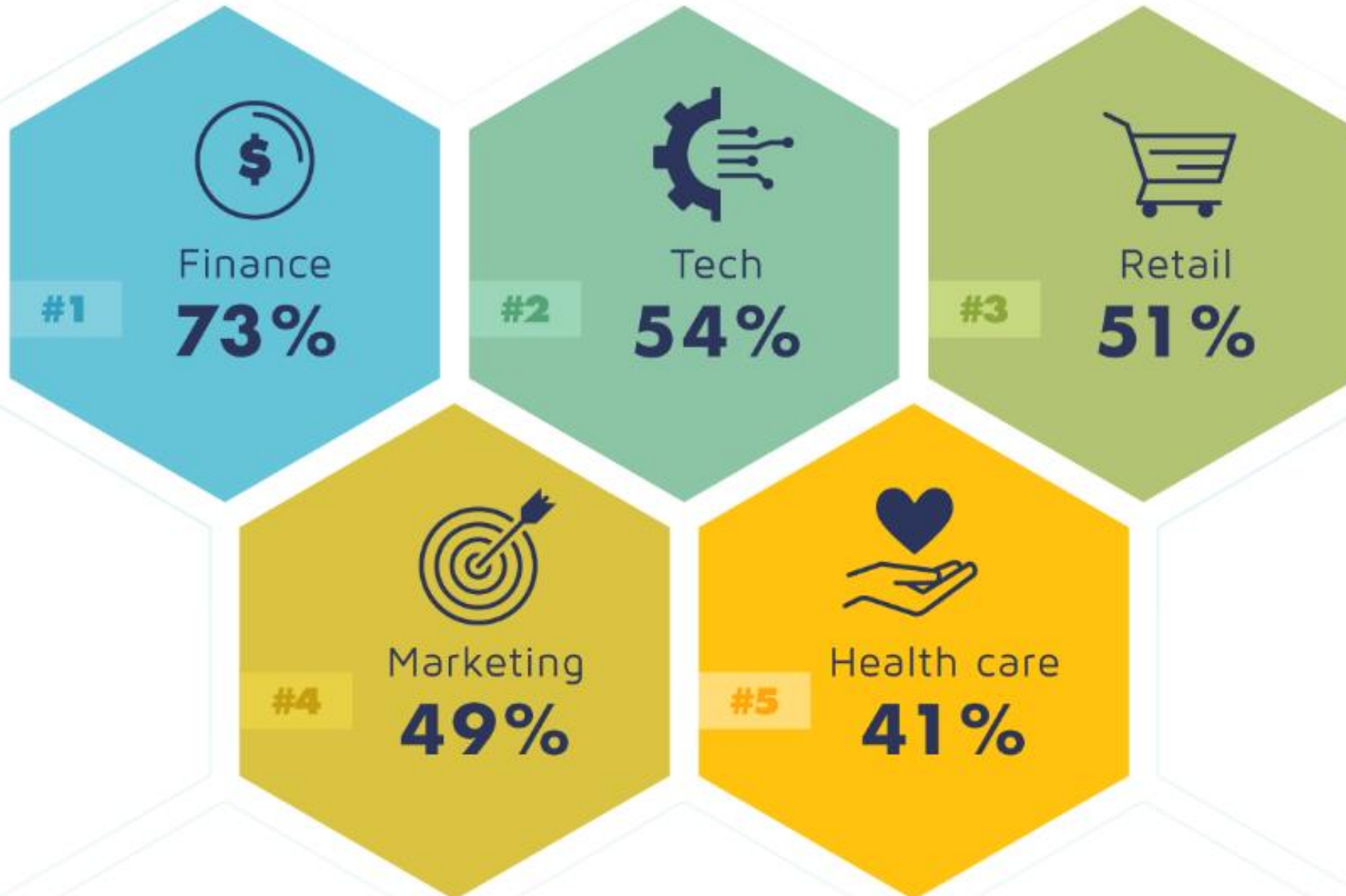


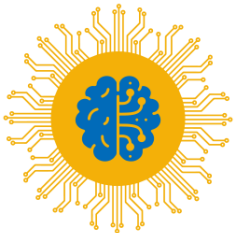
# **Future of AI in Cybersecurity**

AI's future in cybersecurity is very exciting, with a lot of room for growth and new ideas. With more use cases and applications, AI's role in cybersecurity is likely to grow. One potential area where AI could be integrated with other technologies is blockchain and the Internet of Things (IoT).

As AI keeps getting more and more important in cybersecurity, there will be a growing need for people who know how to use AI in cybersecurity. These professionals will need to have a deep understanding of both cybersecurity and AI technologies.

## Top 5 Industries Hiring for AI Cybersecurity Skills





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# TY/Q&A



Much to learn you still have.



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