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Term Paper Topic

I would like to discuss the advancement of the use of robotics on the battlefield from a focus on ethical and societal considerations as we slowly begin to use more machines rather than humans for fighting future wars. Possible issues I would probably discuss are if human soldiers will become obsolete as machines fit for combat will take their place, will a country’s population be more supportive about fighting another country as long as robots are used to fight for them (as in only bloodshed on the opposition), could the advancement in robotic soldiers lead to another Cold War with a robotics arms race, and is it morally correct to fight against a country with less advanced technology. I might not be able to talk about all of those issues so I can stay within the required length, but those are just some ideas.