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**On unified aspects of conformity  
assessment of AI, from  
requirements to technical  
implementation**



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Workshop: Testing frameworks and infrastructure as baseline for trustworthy AI

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- 1** Introduction to QuantPi

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- 2** Multidimensional Risk Exposure

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- 3** Meet QuantPi's AI Trust Platform

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- 5** Open Challenges and Q&A

## Since 2020, our **mission...**

...has been to help organizations understand their AI-system.

We aspire to bring **transparency** into AI models and systematically **identify risks** and **hidden value** across organizations complete AI landscape.

### Company Profile

- Working on trustworthy AI for over 7 years
- 27 employees, including 7 PhDs
- 16 languages, 12 nationalities



## Various roadblocks along the AI transformation

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### Governance Need

Without a clear overview of AI risk and performance metrics, foggy decisions are made – such as the uncertainty of where to deploy AI specialists or what projects to invest in.

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### Regulatory Pressure

AI regulations, such as the EU AI Act, or internal AI guidelines, are approaching fast without having a scalable, governance framework in place to operationalize them.

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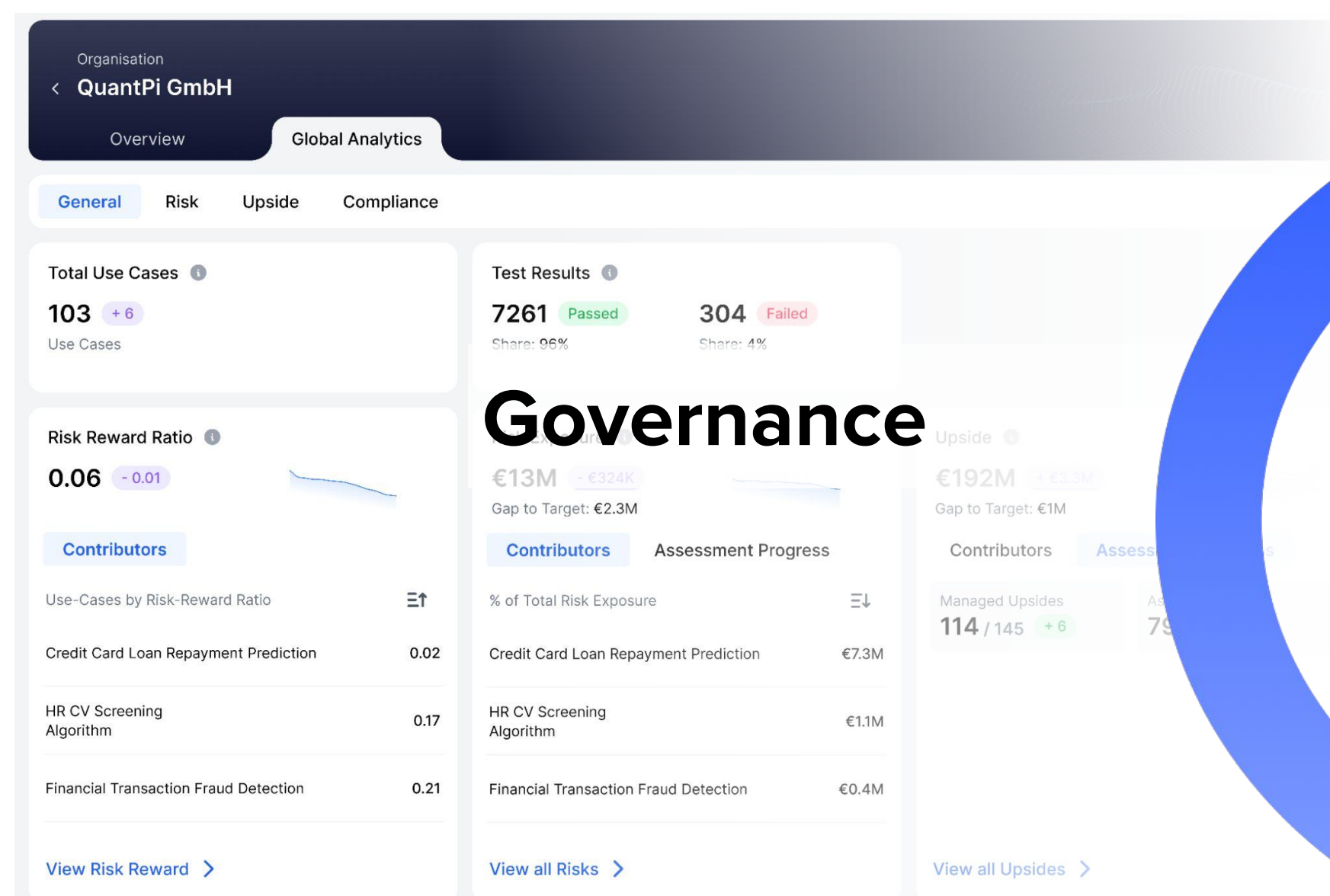
### Individual Model Risk

Lack of tools to effectively measure and validate model risk and performance across the entire lifecycle, as well as AI experts to test and enhance models.

**Many risk factors inherent in all AI models now and in the future, which can result in significant financial, reputational and legal damage.**

# Meet the QuantPi AI Trust Platform - Removing roadblocks along your AI Transformation

## 1 AI Hub Global Analytics Control Tower of all AI models



## 2 Trust Profiles Operationalizing Requirements

EU Artificial Intelligence Act  
Operationalization of the requirements for an obligatory AI risk management system based on the EU AI Act (Article 9, No. doc. 14954/22) proposition of the Council of the European Union.

NYC AI Law 144 (AI Hiring/Bias Audit)  
Requires users of automated employment decision tools to regularly assess their AI model with a "bias audit" as defined in this regulation.

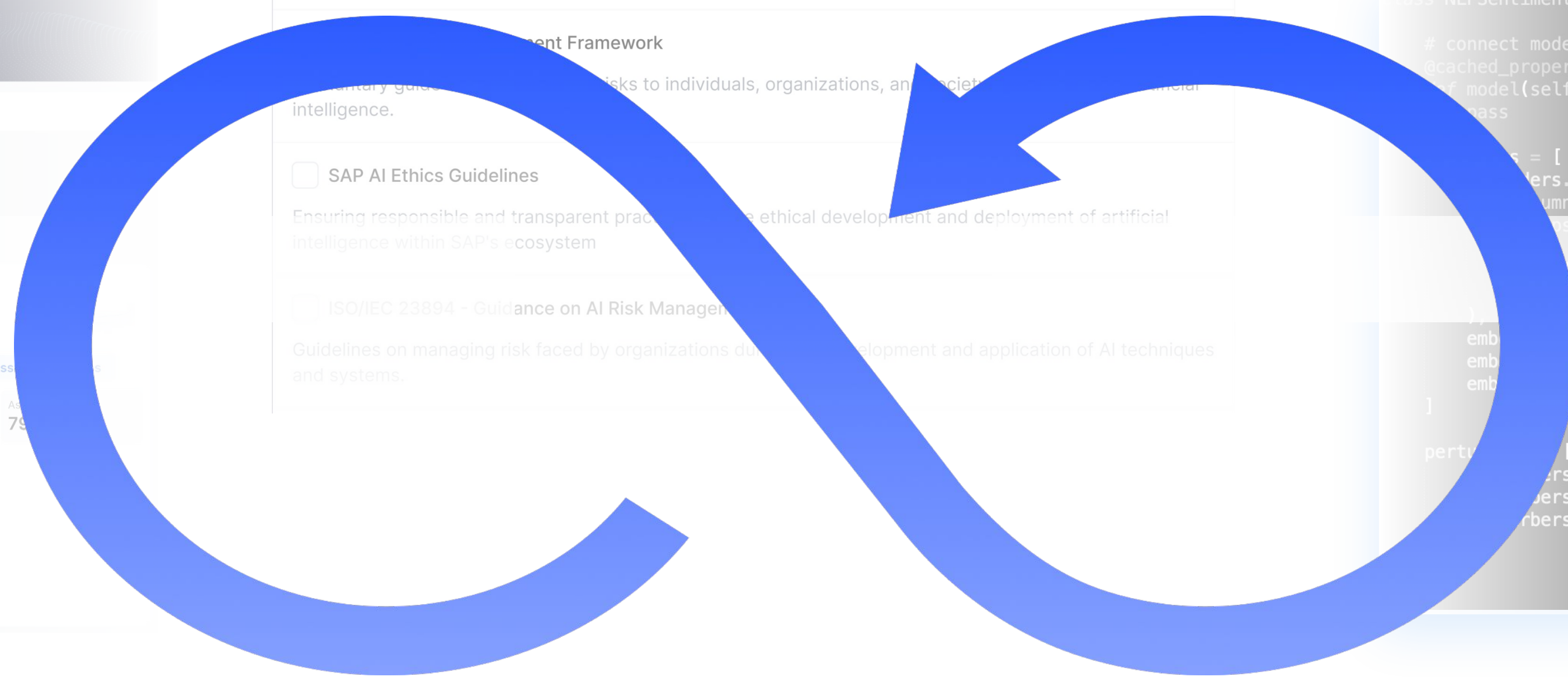
### Compliance

SAP AI Ethics Guidelines  
Ensuring responsible and transparent practices in the ethical development and deployment of artificial intelligence within SAP's ecosystem.

ISO/IEC 38594 - Guidance on AI Risk Management  
Guidelines on managing risk faced by organizations during the development and application of AI techniques and systems.

## 3 Unified AI Testing PiCrystal: Computational engine

```
class NLPsentimentUseCase(BaseUseCase):  
    # connect model  
    @cached_property  
    def model(self):  
        # ...  
class ...  
    def __init__(self, ...):  
        self.embedder = Embedders.CategoricalIdentityInputEmbedder(  
            num_embeddings=2,  
            embedding_dim=1,  
            names=[1: "Hispanic or Latino", 2: "White (Not Hispanic or Latino)",  
                3: "Black or African American (Not Hispanic or Latino)", 4: "Asian", 5:  
                "Other", 6: "Unlabeled", 7: "Sensitive", 'structured', 'unstructured', 'marriage']  
        )  
        self.binary_embedder = BinaryEmbedderFromProbability(on='predictions', threshold=0.5, ...),  
        self.identity_embedder = IdentityEmbedder(on='predictions', tags=('probabilities',), ...)  
        self.transformer_embedder = TransformersBinarizerEmbedder(on='groundtruth', positive=[1], ...),  
    }  
    def perturb(self, ...):  
        perturbations = [  
            Transformers.RandomShufflePerturber(column_indices_to_shuffle=[4], column_name='race',  
                num_embeddings=2, embedding_dim=1, names=[1: "Hispanic or Latino", 2: "White (Not Hispanic or Latino)",  
                    3: "Black or African American (Not Hispanic or Latino)", 4: "Asian", 5:  
                    "Other", 6: "Unlabeled", 7: "Sensitive", 'structured', 'unstructured', 'marriage']  
            ),  
            Transformers.TypeoPerturber(aug_char_max=3, aug_word_p=0.1, tags=('nlp',)),  
            Transformers.LLMPerturber(n_sample=n_samples, name='Rephrase', prompt="", tags=('nlp',))  
        ]
```



### Fast Time-to-Value

Fast tracks and significantly improves AI procurement and deployment decisions along the entire AI lifecycle.



### Fast Time-to-Compliance

Scalable, auditable procedure ensures to adhere to regulatory requirements and internal AI compliance guidelines.



### Fast Time-to-Insight

Proprietary AI Testing tool speeds up testing process, delivers unified metrics and allows benchmarking across AI models.

# NYC Local Law 144 | Exemplary Regulation

## § 5-301 Bias Audit.

(a) An employer or employment agency may not use or continue to use an AEDT if more than one year has passed since the most recent bias audit of the AEDT.

(b) ... [Compute the following according to § 5-300] ...

# Applicants: The number of applicants in the subgroup.

# Selected: The number of applicants in the subgroup with positive prediction.

Race/Ethnicity Categories	# of Applicants	# Selected	Selection Rate	Impact Ratio
Hispanic or Latino	408	204	50%	0.97
White (Not Hispanic or Latino)	797	412	52%	1.00
Black or African American (Not Hispanic or Latino)	390	170	44%	0.84
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander (Not Hispanic or Latino)	119	52	44%	0.85
Asian (Not Hispanic or Latino)	616	302	49%	0.95
Native American or Alaska Native (Not Hispanic or Latino)	41	18	44%	0.85
Two or More Races (Not Hispanic or Latino)	213	96	45%	0.87

$$\text{Selection Rate} = \frac{\text{\# Selected}}{\text{\# Applicants}}$$

$$\text{Impact Ratio} = \frac{\text{Selection rate of the subgroup}}{\text{Selection rate of the most selected subgroup}}$$

Let  $f: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$  be an automated employment decision tool ("AEDT").

Suppose the applicants are partitioned into subgroups  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_m$

$$\text{Selection Rate } A_i \approx \Pr(f(X) = 1 \mid X \in A_i)$$

$$\text{Impact Ratio of } A_i \approx \frac{\Pr(f(X) = 1 \mid X \in A_i)}{\max_{j=1, \dots, m} \Pr(f(X) = 1 \mid X \in A_j)}$$

The model is fair with respect to  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_m$  if

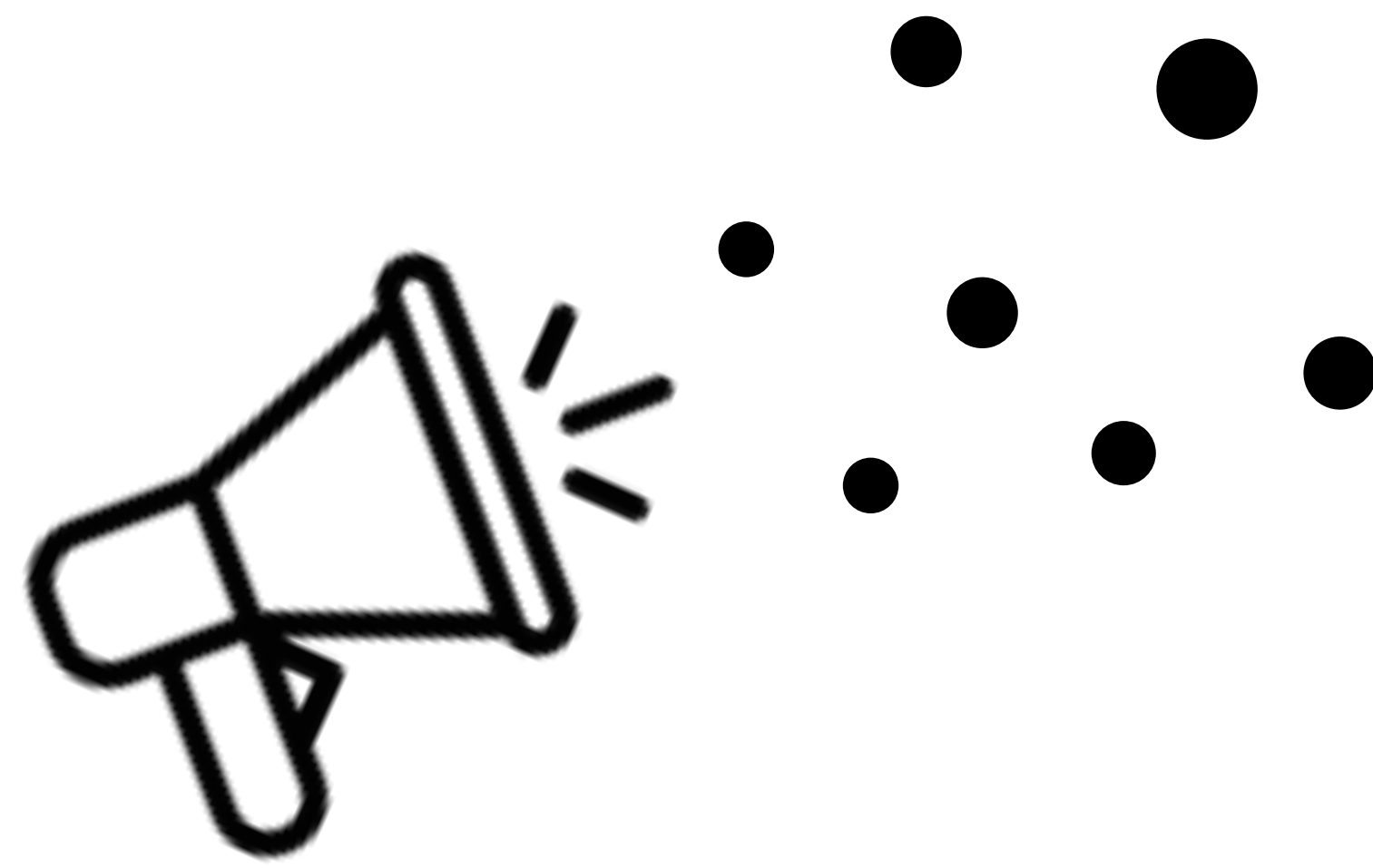
$$\text{Impact Ratio of } A_i = 1 \text{ for all } i = 1, \dots, m$$

equivalently

$$\Pr(f(X) = 1 \mid X \in A_i) = \Pr(f(X) = 1 \mid X \in A_j) \text{ for all } i, j = 1, \dots, m.$$

Equivalent metric appears under the name "Demographic parity" in

- ISO/IEC TR 24027, Section 7.5
- AIC 4, BI-02
- ...



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## Open challenges in technical testing:

- How should the applicability and parametrization of testing algorithms be validated?
- For tested entities and use cases, which regulatory frameworks apply and how can their requirements be translated into technical tests?
- What are the concrete requirements for scalability of testing frameworks?
- ...

## Open challenges in reporting on assessments:

- What are concrete, horizontal and application agnostic requirements for transparent reporting on AI system evaluations?
- How should the (numeric) results of technical assessments be visualized for different audiences (e.g. internal risk management, external auditors)?
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