

POLICY BRIEFING

High concern crimes Crime dimension ranking key:	Harm	Criminal Justice	RHP	M MVA

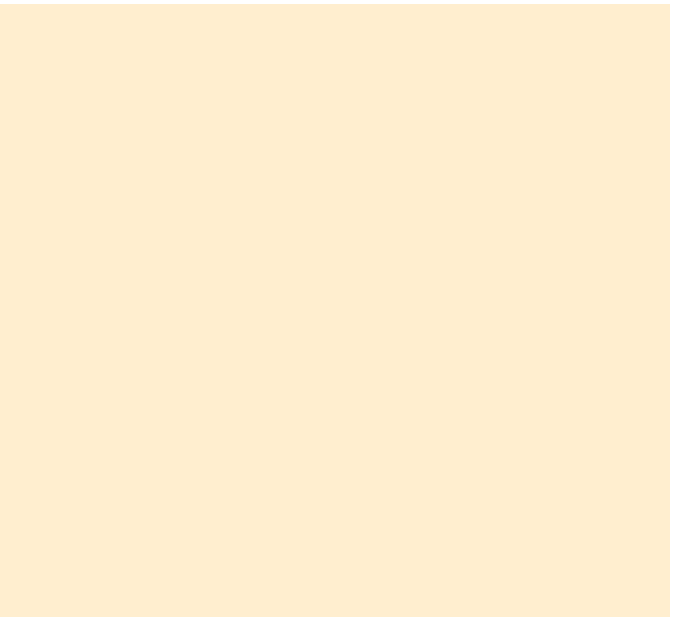
Medium concern crimes

Misuse of military robots

The availability of any military hardware to criminal or terrorist organisations can be expected to pose a serious threat,

Methods

- **A Review** of academic, news, current affairs, fiction and popular culture sources was conducted to identify and catalogue possible AI applications and related technologies for perpetration of crime.
- **A sandpit event** was held with 31 representatives from academia, the police, the defence sector, Government and the private sector to rank the threats identified during the review along four dimensions (harm, criminal profit, achievability, difficulty of defeat).
- **A ratings analysis exercise** took place after the sandpit to aggregate similar crimes and rank them. This resulted in 20 crimes with a rating value in these four dimensions.



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