

## Matrix for deriving common issues across cases

### Ethical Issues

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<p>Mobility-B (ride share): Ride-share taxis and buses will optimize routes based on several passengers' destinations, removing the need for passengers to wait a long time for a bus or taxi or seek a complex transit route of public buses or subways themselves. The ride share system will be useful for people living in a depopulated area and/or elderly people.</p>	<p>Manufacturing-B (creations): AI will produce extensive literary writings, music, and arts semi-autonomously. AI will be able to re-produce the touch of famous artists with high accuracy.</p>	<p>Services-B (credit examination, financing): AI will improve the reliability and speed of credit examinations using various personal data, and reduce the costs and complications of financing. It will benefit both lenders and borrowers.</p>	<p>Do humans accept their credit scores being ranked or evaluated by AI?</p>	<p>Concerns about modulating emotion, faith, and behavior, and ranking or selecting by AI:</p> <p>Revisiting the concept of humanity</p> <p>AI is becoming able to support and make decisions and actions that only humans have previously been able to perform. People may have concerns and anxieties about AI's potential modulation or operation of our mind and behavior, evaluation or ranking of people by AI, and AI influencing people's emotion, affection, and faith. Ethical discussions might especially be needed if these are conducted without people's awareness. In the future, our senses of space, time, and the body will be augmented by AI, and changing concepts of human ability and emotion may interact with such augmented senses. Accordingly, the concept of humanity may be revisited taking account of these AI's potential.</p>
<p>Delivery of customers' orders will be optimized for each customer, ensuring they can receive ordered objects at a desired time and place by autonomous vehicles and drones. Autonomous vehicles will reduce the driving load of delivery drivers in specific areas where this technology is available.</p>		<p>Services-C (recommender system): Recommendations on various activities, issues, and events (e.g., shopping, political issues, behaviors, careers, and communications), optimized for each individual, will be provided based on AI inferences, using big data and individual data on behaviors, shopping, and affiliations.</p>	<p>What are optimal conditions or goals of AI recommender systems (how to balance the different goals of individuals, companies, governments, and humankind)?</p>	<p>Considering the value of products and actions relating to AI: Sustaining the diversity in values and future prospects</p> <p>It can be predicted that AI will enhance productivity quantitatively and qualitatively, and be able to produce objects that otherwise either could not be made or would require high costs and/or a long time to make. Thus, everyone will have access to such high-quality items. It might be necessary to discuss how to evaluate the values (e.g., originality, utility, and virtue) of products made and actions performed by humans, AI, and human cooperating with AI, together with how those values are accepted in society. Cooperation between humans and AI can lead to augmentation of human ability, and will be a basis of a new sense of values. We should consider individuals' differences in values and future prospects, and sustain various choices and the diversity of values.</p>
		<p>Does the value of humans' learned skills change when AI can perform the same skills? Are there any differences in value between a robot's skills learned from specialists and specialist humans' skills, and how are they evaluated?</p>		
		<p>Who should decide, and how, the priority of accident avoidance? (Should humans decide behaviors to avoid accidents except for stopping?)</p>		
		<p>Does one become uncertain of or doubt one's first impression of a creation when later discovering the creation was made by AI?</p>		
		<p>Is it acceptable for AI to make a large quantity of arts or creations affecting humans' impressions and emotions?</p>		
			<p>Do humans accept their credit scores being ranked or evaluated by AI?</p>	
			<p>How much can we accept AI affecting and modulating our emotion, affection, and faith?</p>	
			<p>Does it violate human dignity that an AI agent pretending to be and indistinguishable from a human being interacts with human users? Is it always required for AI agents to identify themselves as AI?</p>	
			<p>What are optimal conditions or goals of AI recommender systems (how to balance the different goals of individuals, companies, governments, and humankind)?</p>	
			<p>Is it acceptable that customer profiling is conducted without users' awareness, and users are classified or ranked without their awareness?</p>	
			<p>Though users are convinced that they behave according to their own free will, AI recommender systems would actually influence their behaviors. It should be discussed ethically.</p>	

# Legal Issues

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<p>Is it necessary to reinterpret/revise the Road Traffic Act to deal with drivers who remotely control vehicles?</p>		<p>Should we place responsibility on the user of a myoelectric-controlled powered exoskeleton for the accidents caused by its malfunction, based on the idea that the myoelectric signal reflects the user's will?</p>	<p>Who is responsible for erroneous diagnoses?</p>	<p><b>Balancing the benefits from AI exploiting big data with privacy information protection</b></p> <p>The ability to exploit big data would make AI more useful. However, there would be a trade-off relationship between its usefulness and personal information protection (privacy issues). It is necessary to consider appropriate institutional frameworks (laws, guidelines, and contracts) to avoid the chilling effects of fearing privacy invasion and balancing the usefulness with privacy issues. We might need to clarify Japan's positions on access to personal information, data portability, rights to be forgotten, and related security issues. It is anticipated that the government considers the utilization of AI for government services to embody the above positions.</p>
<p>How can we guarantee privacy when we try to improve security by using surveillance cameras, etc.? How can we assure the options for protecting our privacy rights (i.e., the options on how much personal information we must disclose, which could vary between individuals)?</p>	<p><b>Manufacturing-B (creations):</b> AI will produce extensive literary writings, music, and arts semi-autonomously. AI will be able to re-produce the touch of famous artists with high accuracy.</p>	<p><b>Services-B (credit examination, financing):</b> AI will improve the reliability and speed of credit examinations using various personal data, and reduce the costs and complications of financing. It will benefit both lenders and borrowers.</p>	<p>Who is responsible for the accidents caused by autonomous robots?</p>	<p><b>Considering the rights and incentives for the creation by AI</b></p> <p>It is necessary to consider who retains the property rights to the creation and calculation results produced by AI or the collaboration between AI and humans (i.e., shares of contributions), given that the exploitation of AI will easily create high-value products. Furthermore, to facilitate the development and utilization of AI, it is expected that people will find an appropriate method of assignment of rights (incentives) to AI developers, users, and data owners by means of appropriate contracts and guidelines on a case-by-case basis.</p>
<p><b>Mobility-B (ride share):</b> Ride-share taxis and buses will optimize routes based on several passengers' destinations, removing the need for passengers to wait a long time for a bus or taxi or seek a complex transit route of public buses or subways themselves. The ride share system will be useful for people living in a depopulated area and/or elderly people.</p>		<p>How should we treat copyright and other intellectual property rights in AI creations (e.g., granting rights depending on how much AI is exploited for the creation, and claiming rights or incentives for AI developers)?</p>	<p>Do we need any special restrictions on the information used for AI credit examinations?</p>	<p><b>Possible necessity of rethinking the concept of law itself</b></p> <p>We need to continuously discuss whether the existing laws (on transportation, business, pharmacy, labor, etc.) can deal with the change in jobs and employment caused by AI, whether we need to revise existing laws or introduce new legislation, or whether we need to fundamentally reconsider the concept of law itself.</p>
<p>How can we protect the personal information of fellow passengers?</p>		<p>Is it necessary to review labor and tax laws, which assume a laborer belongs to a company, if more people work as sole proprietors?</p>	<p>We need to protect personal data that is used for profiling personal information and the resulting profiles.</p>	
<p>Is it necessary to reinterpret/revise road transport laws?</p>		<p>How can we guarantee the intellectual property rights of original creations by humans if AI can fully replicate the creations?</p>		
<p><b>Mobility-C (autonomous logistics):</b> <b>Delivery of customers' orders will be optimized for each customer, ensuring they can receive ordered objects at a desired time and place. Autonomous vehicles will reduce the driving load of delivery drivers in specific areas where this technology is available.</b></p>	<p>How can we protect personal information, such as when the receiver is absent, whether they live alone, and whether they are elderly?</p>			

# Economic Issues

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<p>Can the current insurance system, which determines premiums based on drivers' attributes and experience, be viable if the vehicle software is more responsible for accidents than human drivers?</p>		<p>Services-B (credit examination, financing): AI will improve the reliability and speed of credit examinations using various personal data, and reduce the costs and complications of financing. It will benefit both lenders and borrowers.</p>	<p>AI-based credit and finance-related personal services will accelerate complicated credit examinations. However, those services may reduce the number of workers for credit examination, leading to the conversion of work positions. Thus, the credit and finance-related workers might be urged to acquire new skills.</p>	<p>Changes in the ways people work caused by AI: For individual workers It is expected that employees will be freed from tedious tasks and required to focus on more creative tasks, since AI will be able to do the current jobs and tasks that humans do. To perform such creative tasks, workers will have to acquire abilities to move to other jobs to fully use their talents, to do creative things, and to exploit AI. It is also expected that the number of new businesses will increase and more people will work on their own account.</p>
<p>Mobility-B (ride share): Ride-share taxis and buses will optimize routes based on several passengers' destinations, removing the need for passengers to wait a long time for a bus or taxi or seek a complex transit route of public buses or subways themselves. The ride share system will be useful for people living in a depopulated area and/or elderly people.</p>	<p>Manufacturing-B (creations): AI will produce extensive literary writings, music, and arts semi-autonomously. AI will be able to reproduce the touch of famous artists with high accuracy.</p>	<p>Services-C (recommender system): Recommendations on various activities, issues, and events (e.g., shopping, political issues, behaviors, careers, and communications), optimized for each individual, will be provided based on AI inferences, using big data and individual data on behaviors, shopping, and affiliations.</p>	<p>It is anticipated that recommender systems will affect some job categories, though the systems are expected to be exploited in many fields and facilitate economic growth, which will increase employment. Will the adaptation of recommender systems to office administration, for the purpose of suggesting the best action, reduce the need for secretaries except for service and communication-related tasks, though also lowering business costs?</p>	<p>Change in employment systems and companies due to the utilization of AI: For companies It is anticipated that the utilization of AI will reduce tedious, prolonged, and exhausting jobs and increase high-value jobs and the freedom of people to work without belonging to companies. These transformations will require companies to reconsider their way of decision-making and staff (re)assignment, taking advantage of the flexibility of working that are unconstrained by time and space, e.g., teleworking.</p>
<p>Delivery of customers' orders will be optimized for each customer, ensuring they can receive ordered objects at a desired time and place by autonomous vehicles and drones. Autonomous vehicles will reduce the driving load of delivery drivers in specific areas where this technology is available.</p>	<p>Is autonomous logistics unprofitable if it costs too much due to serving few customers in underpopulated areas?</p>			<p>Policy for facilitating the utilization of AI: For the government At government level, it is necessary to formulate policies that provide opportunities for people to learn abilities for labor moving, in order to facilitate economic growth by AI and ensure a variety of ways of working that are suitable for individuals. In addition, it might be important to consider the necessity of implementing appropriate macroeconomic policies and safety nets. It is necessary to consider how to fairly distribute the profits and benefits of productivity improvements, economic revitalization, and predictability attributable to AI.</p>
	<p>Will autonomous logistics steal truck drivers' jobs or their income? Will it automate delivery planning (which requires skills, though autonomous logistics solves the problem of redelivery due to the receivers' absence, which increases logistics costs)?</p>			

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	<p>Manufacturing-B (creations): AI will produce extensive literary writings, music, and arts semi-autonomously. AI will be able to reproduce the touch of famous artists with high accuracy.</p>	<p>Excessive confidence in AI, praise for AI creation, rejection / aversion, and its possible social confrontation.</p>	<p>Is there any possibility of discrimination due to disease susceptibility or health conditions?</p>	<p>AI divide: Unbalanced burden of social costs relative to AI To maximize benefits from AI, in addition to appropriate knowledge on AI itself, users need digital goods and services literacy and knowledge of data privacy. However, if some people cannot acquire or maintain this knowledge and literacy, it might be a factor to cause the so-called "AI divide". For example, "ride share" backed by AI could offer a new means of transport at low cost comparative to taxi, therefore supportive of socially weak people. However access to these services require a minimum familiarity with digital devices, so that these people without this literacy may be excluded from benefit of ride share services. Therefore, it is necessary to take into consideration and make policies to avoid generating an imbalanced social cost burden and a new differential caused by literacy, knowledge, and assets.</p>
<p>Mobility-B (ride share): Ride-share taxis and buses will optimize routes based on several passengers' destinations, removing the need for passengers to wait a long time for a bus or taxi or seek a complex transit route of public buses or subways themselves. The ride share system will be useful for people living in a depopulated area and/or elderly people.</p>	<p>There might be a possibility of a digital (or AI) divide, for example, as socially weak people in traffic, such as the elderly, come to live in a society where a smartphone or the internet is a prerequisite for using services.</p>		<p>While young people with literacy and assets will be able to utilize AI, and highly educated and rich people can become healthier by utilizing disease prevention, socially weak people who cannot use AI are expected to become less healthy. This may mean that economic disparity will increase social disparity through AI.</p>	<p>New social pathology, conflict, and dependence on AI With increasing opportunities to use AI in social contexts, there is a possibility of generating social pathology and new social problems, such as excessive rejection, overconfidence, and dependence on AI. It is, therefore, assumed necessary to provide accurate information and the opportunity for dialogue, and for training.</p>
	<p>Will conventional taxis become relatively expensive as the number of their users decreases, and will the imbalance of the movement cost between people who can use ride share and those who cannot increase? It might be hard to use for the socially weak people, who should primarily benefit from AI.</p>	<p>Services-B (credit examination, financing): AI will improve the reliability and speed of credit examinations using various personal data, and reduce the costs and complications of financing. It will benefit both lenders and borrowers.</p>	<p>Will a person who does not want to provide personal information be denied access to credit screening or face a fall in their credit rating? How and what extent to assign decisions of the credit examination to humans and AI?</p>	
<p>Delivery of customers' orders will be optimized for each customer, ensuring they can receive ordered objects at a desired time and place by autonomous vehicles and drones. Autonomous vehicles will reduce the driving load of delivery drivers in specific areas where this technology is available.</p>		<p>Services-C (recommender system): Recommendations on various activities, issues, and events (e.g., shopping, political issues, behaviors, careers, and communications), optimized for each individual, will be provided based on AI inferences, using big data and individual data on behaviors, shopping, and affiliations.</p>	<p>Will opportunities to encounter new information be reduced as surrounded by convenient services such as the personal optimization based on AI?  Care should be taken to avoid the possibility of discrimination based on profile results.</p>	

# Educational Issues

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<p>It may be necessary to cultivate literacy for appropriate reliance on AI (preventing over-reliance or unfounded rejection).</p>		<p>Services-B (credit examination, financing): AI will improve the reliability and speed of credit examinations using various personal data, and reduce the costs and complications of financing. It will benefit both lenders and borrowers.</p>	<p>It is important to cultivate lenders' abilities to judge financing utilizing AI credit examinations, considering the circumstances, type of business, and risks by themselves.</p>	<p><b>Cultivating human abilities that AI cannot perform</b> We should investigate what can be performed efficiently by AI and what cannot, then discuss the reform of education curricula based on this evidence to cultivate human abilities that AI cannot perform. Education for children is especially urgent because it takes time and AI development is so fast. It is important to consider what abilities should be still learned by humans even though the activities enabled by those abilities can be performed instead by AI.</p>
<p>Mobility-B (ride share): Ride-share taxis and buses will optimize routes based on several passengers' destinations, removing the need for passengers to wait a long time for a bus or taxi or seek a complex transit route of public buses or subways themselves. The ride share system will be useful for people living in a depopulated area and/or elderly people.</p>		<p>Services-C (recommender system): Recommendations on various activities, issues, and events (e.g., shopping, political issues, behaviors, careers, and communications), optimized for each individual, will be provided based on AI inferences, using big data and individual data on behaviors, shopping, and affiliations.</p>	<p>Ability to choose information might be diminished by the personalized recommender system. It is important to cultivate abilities to seek and obtain novel information, rather than being limited to recommended information.</p>	<p><b>Policy actions against educational inequity</b> Policy making is needed to improve AI literacy and skills through school education, academic training and educational environments for self-learning. To minimize disparity on AI, policy actions against educational inequity are required.</p>
<p>Delivery of customers' orders will be optimized for each customer, ensuring they can receive ordered objects at a desired time and place by autonomous vehicles and drones. Autonomous vehicles will reduce the driving load of delivery drivers in specific areas where this technology is available.</p>	<p>Manufacturing-B (creations): AI will produce extensive literary writings, music, and arts semi-autonomously. AI will be able to re-produce the touch of famous artists with high accuracy.</p>			<p>It is necessary to educate ability to assess the level of a conversation agent or a machine translation, and use them adequately in critical situations.</p>

# Research and Developmental Issues

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<p>Mobility-A (autonomous vehicle): Autonomous vehicles will execute accelerating, braking, and steering instead of a human driver, using vehicles' sensors such as cameras, radars, and GPSs with traffic information from external networks, enabling them to drive on highways or jammed roads reducing the driver's workload. Autonomous vehicles will reduce the psychological load and physical workload of elderly people who have concerns regarding dynamic vision and quick action through AI support. Even when a driver becomes unable to control a car due to an accident, the autonomous vehicle can safely control and park the car.</p>	<p>The method to deal with security risks is necessary (e.g., periodic patrol or scan AI systems, applying virus pattern file, detaching the contaminated devices from networks, or stopping automatic control promptly).</p>	<p>Manufacturing-A (automated factory): Robot arms with AI will be able to handle any objects, regardless of their shapes and orientations, without complicated programming. Accordingly, manufacturing of a wide variety of products in small quantities and for various needs will be realized with low costs. Factory robots will learn specialist skills, enabling them to perform specialist skills and contribute to other workers learning specialists' implicit skills. Power-assisting robotic suites (exoskeleton) will reduce the physical workloads of workers.</p>	<p>It is necessary to implement security to prevent robots from being directed to wrong or unintended work and being hacked from outside. Technical functions that enable us to trace the status, calculations, and outputs of AI when certain accidents occur is also to be developed.</p>	<p>Services-A (medical care, diagnosis): Predicting health status and doctors' diagnoses will be supported by AI using daily-life data and/or DNA sequences. Based on these, how to change one's lifestyle, how to prevent diseases, and medical care can be proposed optimally for individuals.</p>	<p>It is necessary to develop methods to anonymize each person's data to avoid identification from the collected data, together with techniques to protect privacy such that each person can access their own data.</p>	<p>Conversation-A (conversation agent): Conversation agents speaking and understanding users' native language will be useful for all people, including the elderly and children, and will be partners in our everyday lives. Machine translations will make our communication across languages and cultures easy and smooth.</p>	<p>Technical methods to advance AI algorithms by collecting big data while simultaneously protecting individual privacy might be necessary. Methods to monitor users' emotional and mental impacts and prevent addiction or excessive influences might also be essential.</p>	<p><b>Ethics, Accountability, Security, and Privacy protection</b> It may be required for researchers and engineers to engage in R&amp;D in AI related areas with a high level of professional ethics, while observing the ethical codes and guidelines of their academic societies and organizations, and with accountability for them. It is also necessary for scientists and engineers to establish environments to use AI with robust cyber-security and safety. It is especially essential to develop technology that enables us to choose how much individual privacy should be protected and what kind of information can be used publicly.</p>
	<p>The algorithm for the priority and the way to show its results are necessary to be developed.</p>	<p>Manufacturing-B (creations): AI will produce extensive literary writings, music, and arts semi-autonomously. AI will be able to re-produce the touch of famous artists with high accuracy.</p>	<p>Technical mechanisms to embed information on how much AI is used in the creation, and to assure the originality of the creation by AI should be developed.</p>	<p>Services-B (credit examination, financing): AI will improve the reliability and speed of credit examinations using various personal data, and reduce the costs and complications of financing. It will benefit both lenders and borrowers.</p>	<p>It is necessary to develop techniques to protect privacy information included in the collected data or credit examinations based thereon.</p>			<p><b>Controllability and Transparency</b> It is assumed that we need to develop the technologies that enable people to control AI for its safe use, the interfaces to enable smooth transitions of controls from AI to human especially in an emergency, the technologies to explain the processes and logics of AI calculations inside AI, and the technology to embed how much AI is used in decisions or actions.</p>
	<p>The interfaces to switch the level of control, that is, showing the reliability of AI appropriately and promoting to switch the AI control level, are also to be developed.</p>			<p>Services-C (recommender system): Recommendations on various activities, issues, and events (e.g., shopping, political issues, behaviors, careers, and communications), optimized for each individual, will be provided based on AI inferences, using big data and individual data on behaviors, shopping, and affiliations.</p>	<p>It is necessary to develop the technical mechanism for everyone to personally set their own parameters on how much individual data can be used publicly and how much individual profiles can be estimated. Ethical attitudes may be required from researchers and engineers.</p>			<p><b>Appropriate disclosure of information and responsible use</b> When spreading new technologies, we might have to invest efforts in explaining their benefits and risks fairly, and people might ultimately be required to themselves judge whether to use or not to use the technologies.</p>
<p>Mobility-B (ride share): Ride-share taxis and buses will optimize routes based on several passengers' destinations, removing the need for passengers to wait a long time for a bus or taxi or seek a complex transit route of public buses or subways themselves. The ride share system will be useful for people living in a depopulated area and/or elderly people.</p>	<p>Security mechanism to protect the passenger's privacy is necessary.</p>							
<p>Delivery of customers' orders will be optimized for each customer, ensuring they can receive ordered objects at a desired time and place by autonomous vehicles and drones. Autonomous vehicles will reduce the driving load of delivery drivers in specific areas where this technology is available.</p>	<p>Security mechanism to protect the user's privacy is necessary.</p>							