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1. Background

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Under the G7 Italian Presidency in 2024, G7 discussed how G7 develop and introduce an appropriate tools and mechanisms (the "Reporting Framework") for monitoring the application of the "International Code of Conduct", in order to promote transparency and accountability in the development of advanced AI systems. As a result, with the cooperation of the OECD, the G7 agreed on the questionnaire and the operational procedure of the "Reporting Framework".

Today, based on the approved operational procedure and the questionnaire, the "Reporting Framework" was launched on the OECD website.

2. Overview

The questionnaire for AI development organizations, elaborated in line with the "International Code of Conduct" is now made available on the OECD website (<https://transparency.oecd.ai/>). In principle, AI development organizations that have responded to the questionnaire will be listed on the OECD website, and their responses will also be made public.

The questionnaire includes the following items:

- 1.Risk identification and evaluation
- 2.Risk management and information security
- 3.Transparency reporting on advanced AI systems
- 4.Organizational governance, incident management and transparency
- 5.Content authentication & provenance mechanisms

6. Research & investment to advance AI safety & mitigate social risks

7. Advancing human and global interests

3. Participating companies from Japan

The following AI development organizations from Japan have expressed their intention to participate in the “Reporting Framework”. Other organizations can also participate by completing the questionnaire and making their responses available on the OECD website.

[List of organizations from Japan that have expressed their participation] *In alphabetical order

Fujitsu KDDI CORPORATION

NEC Corporation Nippon Telegraph and Telephone

Preferred Networks Inc. Rakuten Group Inc.

SoftBank Corp.

(Reference) About the Hiroshima AI Process

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(<https://www.soumu.go.jp/hiroshimaaiprocess/>)

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