

Tech Notices Webinar Questions

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Pre-submitted Questions:

What will the impacts of your work on 3D printed firearms be for the online acquisition of blueprints and making instructions?
Does the UK Online Safety regulation apply to web shops that allow online product reviews by customers, i.e. could customer reviews on a website be considered a 'user-to-user service'?
Is an end-to-end encrypted messenger app that only allows 1:1 conversations considered a 'user-to-user service'?
Have you thought about the role of international standards underpinned by accredited conformity assessment (where appropriate) as an assurance mechanism for ds

Questions submitted during the webinar

How will you determine what is "technically feasible"? Will this involve input from industry and civil society? Thanks!
Can you give an indication of how often you expect technologies that pass the audit-based assessment will need to go through the independent performance testing phase?
If the independent testing is optional, in what circumstances would you expect it to take place?
Can you explain what F1 score means?
Will you be providing more information on the specific circumstances when you may issue a Technology Notice?
Could you give examples of the kinds of technologies you're envisioning auditing?
If all technologies in a particular category score particularly poorly, would you still take the best of a bad bunch to create the threshold for a "pass"?
What is the expected timeline for implementing the accreditation process?
To clarify, Ofcom is considering whether or not to include the independent testing in the process at all, and if it is, technologies would only be sub...
Following consultation and decisions of the secretary of state, what are the likely timescales for the technology notices system to be operational?
We refer to "technologies" but some metrics mentioned (e.g. latency, throughput) are really artefacts of implementation and deployment (product, service) rather than of a technology. What level of maturity (e.g. TRL) will need to be achieved before accreditation? How far do we have to invest in productisation and service deployment BEFORE we know if a technology will be accredited.
How will you identify what sites will require technologies, do you have a criteria?



Appreciate you've focus on terrorism and abuse in this but the core document lacks definition on in some areas such as what you do define "pornography" as