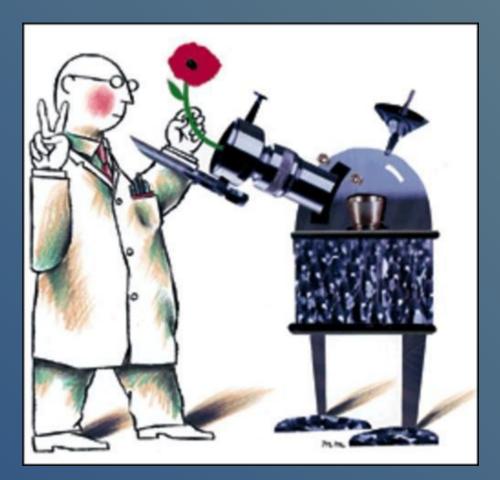
No Killer Robots



Types of Weapons Controls

- Weapons Systems
 - Remotely controlled:
 A human is controlling the robot.
 - Humans-in-the-loop:
 A human is.. making or approving key decisions.
 - Fully Autonomous:
 The robot works without the need for human interaction or approval.

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Why Autonomous

- Why build autonomous weapons?
 - No humans in danger during war
 - No panic, fatigue, or emotions to cloud judgment
- But...
 - .. Which humans?
 - Al judgment is based on its algorithms & learning.
 We build systems which encode our own biases
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 - Ex: Facial recognition for black faces;
 Ex: Photo enhancement for dark skin / curly hair
 - Al has limited ability to understand context.

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Problems with Autonomous Weapons

- Training Data
 - Biased
 - Collecting large data collections may violate privacy
- Complex Evaluation
 - Legality of decision to take a life requires it to be ..necessary and proportional to risk.
 - Requires understanding of.. complex context.
 - Requires. human level understanding to evaluate.

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StopKillerRobots.org

- Stop Killer Robots (.org) "Killer robots don't just appear - we create them."
 - October 2022:

70 states delivered joint statement on fully autonomous weapons systems at UN General Assembly

- Includes Canada, UK, US
- Promoting humans in the loop, and humans remain accountable for use of force.

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