

# Machine Ethics

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## 1. LITERATURE

Machine ethics is part of the ethics of artificial intelligence concerned with adding moral behaviors to machines. The actual Machine Ethics term was first coined by Mitchell Waldrop in the 1987 *AI Magazine* article “A Question of Responsibility.” (Waldrop, 1987)

## REFERENCES

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