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The Convergence of AI and Genomics to Grow as Chinese and US National Security Priority



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The topic covered in this report is: ***The Convergence of AI and Genomics to Grow as Chinese and US National Security Priority***

Key Takeaways:

- The growth of artificial intelligence (AI) is causing rapid technological disruption to the genomics, pharmaceutical and biotechnology industries as AI models and AI-enabled platforms are becoming crucial for the development and deployment of drugs and other related technologies.
- The emerging importance of AI in these industries is increasing the commercial and national security importance of the datasets underpinning them, including genomic data.
- The Chinese government will continue to strongly support its biotechnology and genomics industries, utilizing state resources to give Chinese

- companies an advantage against international competitors and giving them greater access to centrally-controlled and populated datasets to exploit.
- China's ascent in AI and biotechnology risks enabling Chinese companies to have a commercial edge against Western rivals and potentially damaging Western national security if China weaponizes such technologies.

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