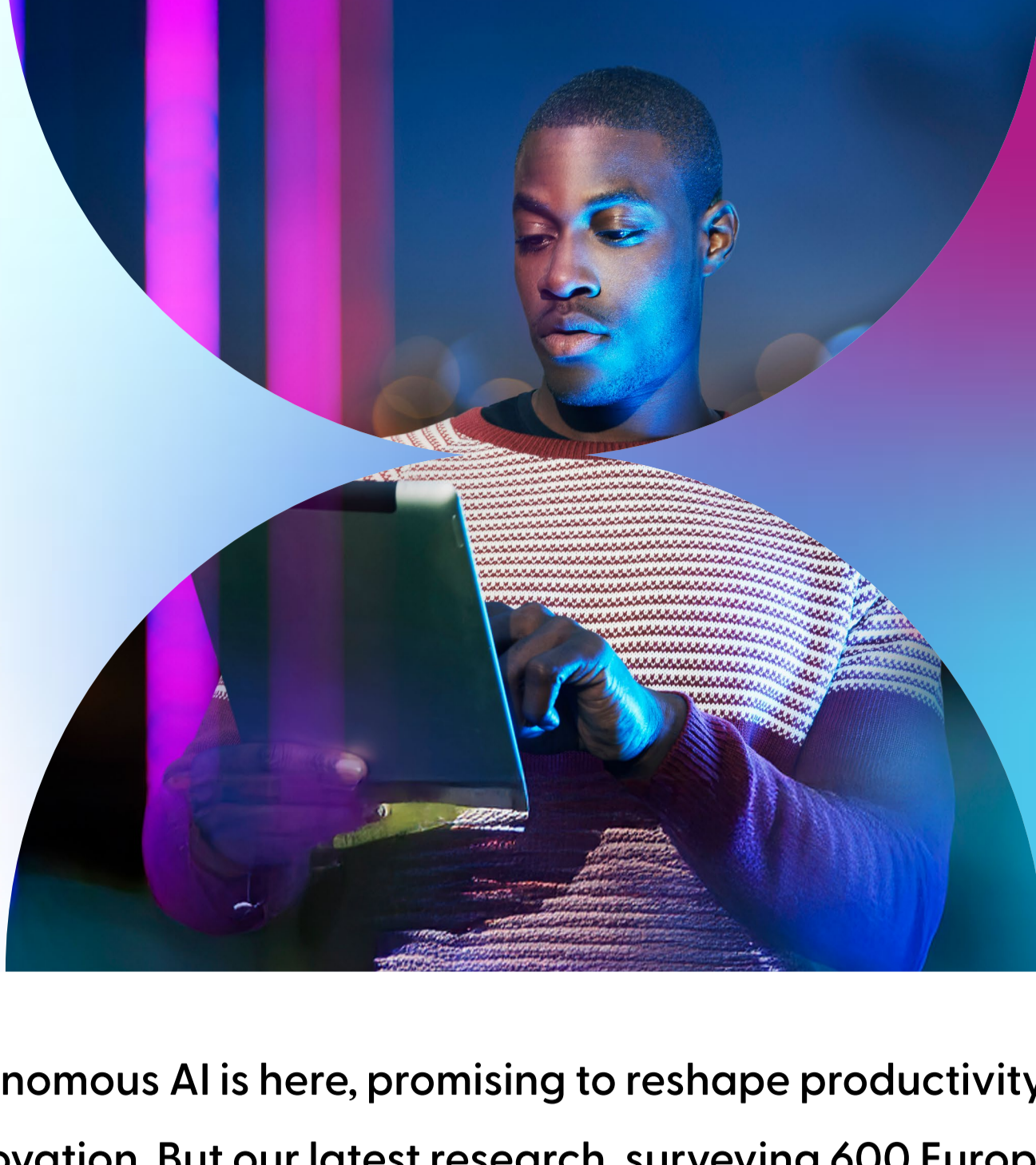


# Navigating the Autonomous AI Trust Barrier



Autonomous AI is here, promising to reshape productivity and innovation. But our latest research, surveying 600 European technology leaders, reveals a major roadblock between potential and production. What's holding organisations back?

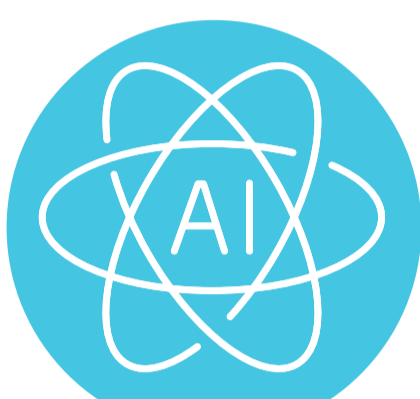
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### The State of Adoption: A Story of Hesitation

Despite the hype, most businesses are stuck in the starting blocks.



Only **1 in 5** organisations have **deployed autonomous AI systems** in production environments.

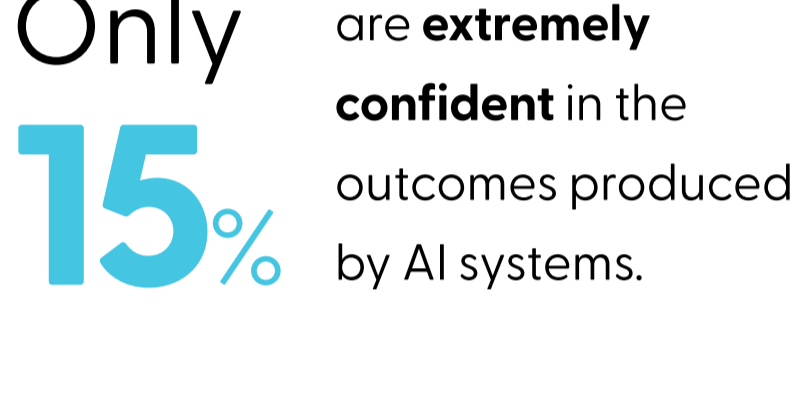
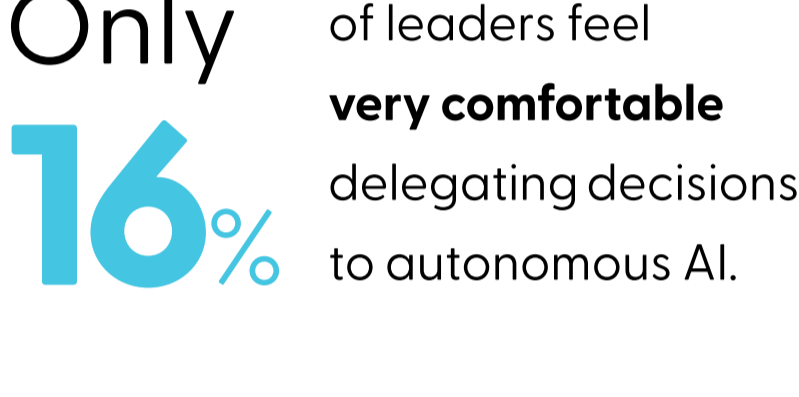


Just **7%** classify their adoption level as **'advanced'**.

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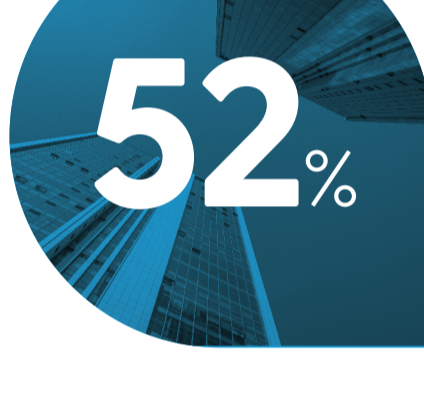
### The Cost of Inaction: Business Stagnation

The barrier isn't budget. It's trust.

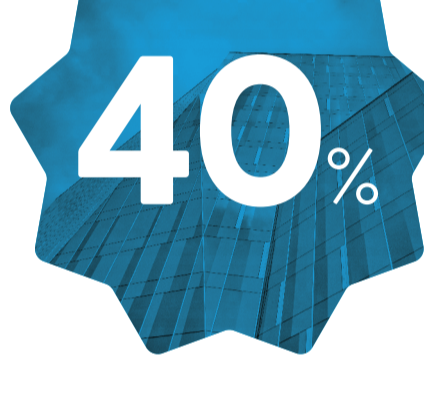


#### Top 3 Reasons for Mistrust:

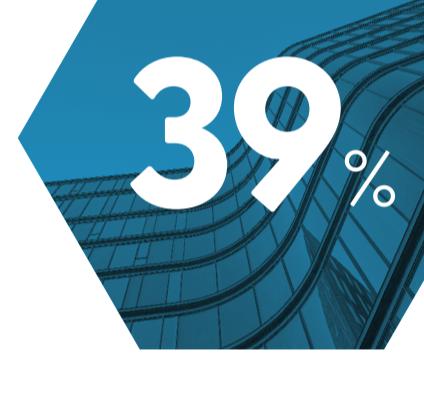
Harnessing AI requires a human-led strategy and robust governance—a key focus of the full report.



**1. Inaccurate or unreliable results**



**2. Biased or unfair outputs**



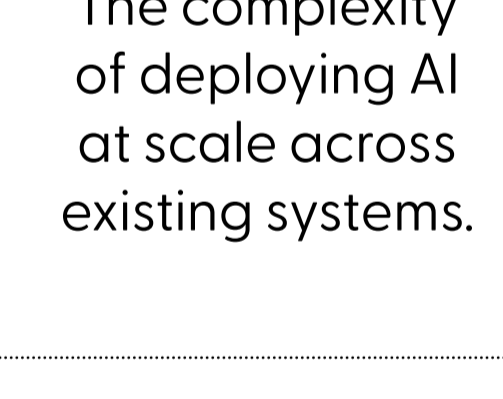
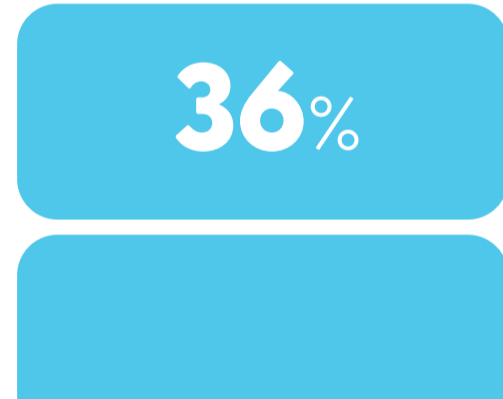
**3. 'Black box' algorithms lacking transparency**

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### The Biggest Hurdles to Scaling Up

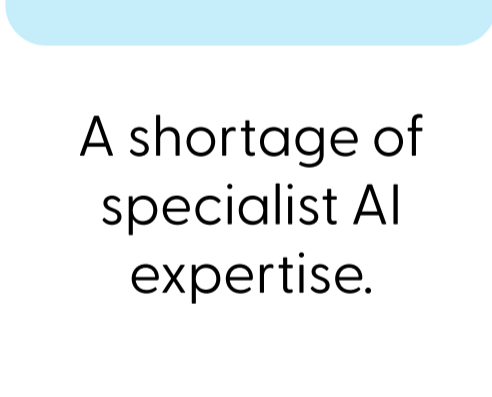
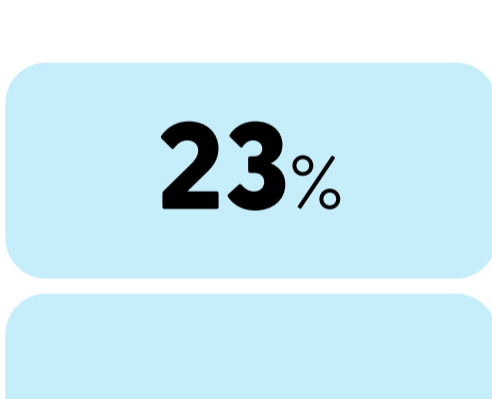
Beyond trust, practical challenges are stalling progress.

#### 1st: Integration Challenges



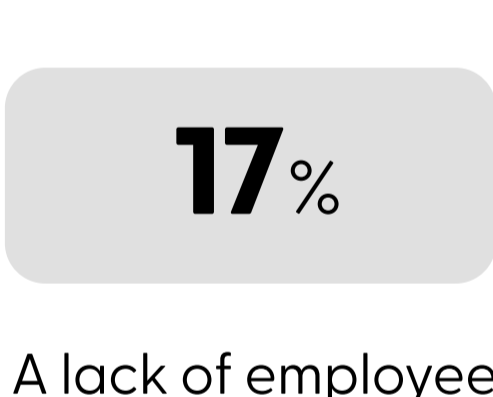
The complexity of deploying AI at scale across existing systems.

#### 2nd: Skills & Talent Gaps



A shortage of specialist AI expertise.

#### 3rd: Cultural Resistance



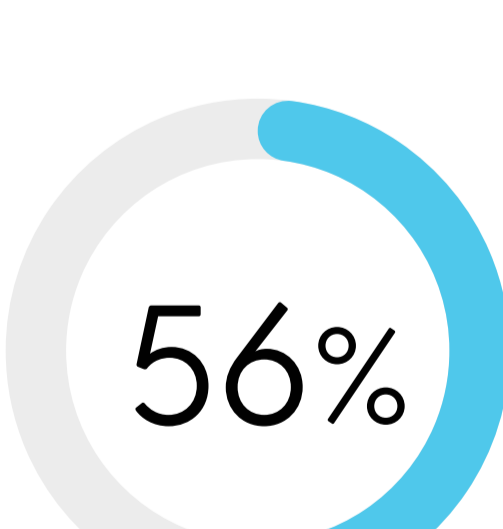
A lack of employee readiness and internal buy-in.

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### The Tipping Point: Experience Forges Trust

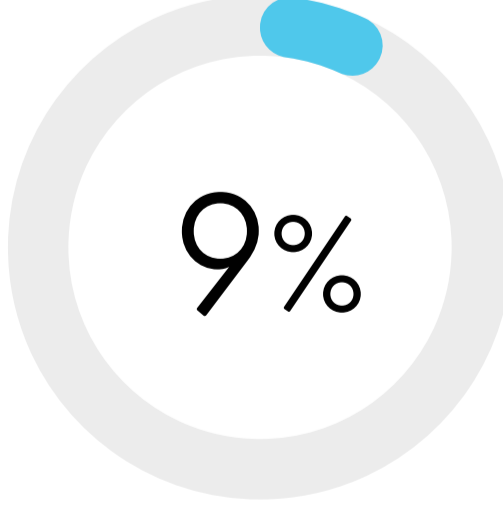
Here's the breakthrough finding: Seeing is believing. The organisations that push through the trust barrier reap the rewards.

**Organisations that have fully implemented autonomous AI are more than 6x as likely to have high confidence in it.**



have strengthened their organisational resilience.

**vs.**



of those in the early stages.

## 5

### Move from Hesitation to High Velocity

Overcoming the trust barrier isn't about ignoring the risks—it's about addressing them with a clear strategy. Strong governance, trusted partnerships, and a people-first approach are the keys to unlocking the transformative power of AI.

**Ready to build the foundations for safe, scalable, and people-centred AI adoption? Download our full report to get the complete picture and learn how to accelerate your transformation journey.**

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