## IndiaAI Datasets Platform Set to Go Live by January Next Year

Open-source Al models platform to have data from govts, private sector: Nand Kumarum

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New Delhi: The IndiaAI Datasets Platform, one of the pillars of the government's ₹10,000 crore IndiaAI Mission, will be live by January 2025, Nand Kumarum, chief executive of the National eGovernance Division (NeGD), said on Wednesday.

The aim is to create a platform like HuggingFace, a US-based collaborative and open-source forum hosting datasets and artificial intelligence (AI) models to enable developers to create, train and deploy their own models.

"The idea primarily is like Hugging-Face – you have models, you have datasets, and you have people coming up

## **Al Building Blocks**

GenAI has several potential use cases in government

It can help in drafting requests for proposals if trained on past documents It can also improve office productivity and enable easy comparison of different states' policies

**Trained AI** can help to partly automate the verification and approval process

and using those datasets and building models. We are trying to do something similar," Kumarum said.

Data from central and state governments, as well as from the private sector, will be part
of this, he told media
persons on the sidelines of the
event. On private partnerships, he said that work is ongoing. Kumarum ad-

ded that while bringing in thousands of datasets and models that a global repository like HuggingFace has is not easy and will take time, the skeletal framework will be lively at most the end of Janu-

The six other pillars of the IndiaAI Mission, announced by the electronics and information technology ministry in March, are compute capacity, future skills, an innovation centre, application development initiative, startup financing, and safe and trusted AI. The NeGD provides the technology for the implementation of

the ministry's egovernance projects.