

FCA's Supercharged Sandbox — the UK Financial Regulator's AI Testing Cohorts With NVIDIA, AWS and Anthropic

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Quality score: 47/100

Evidence strength: Observational / pre–post

Summary

The UK's Financial Conduct Authority runs 20-week 'Supercharged Sandbox' cohorts where selected firms stress-test AI systems on real infrastructure (NVIDIA, AWS, Anthropic's Claude) under regulatory observation; applications rose from 132 to 199 between its first two cohorts.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured public value	1/3
Transparency, fairness & accountability	2/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	1/3
Scalability beyond pilot	1/3
Governance, capability & sustainability	2/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

C-NAPSE web research — accessed 2026-09-10

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