

Decision making

Systems don't have motivations,
so they don't have hidden motivations.

If the system consistently produces a
particular outcome, then that's its purpose.

But on the other hand,
systems don't make mistakes.

Just as it's impossible to get lost
if you don't know where you're going,
a decision-making system does what it does
and then either lives with the consequences
or dies of them.

Dan Davies, *The Unaccountability Machine*