

Data privacy and ownership

Another major problem is data privacy.

The amount of data being collected and used by technology companies today is enormous. Social media platforms, search engines, video platforms and other services collect huge amounts of information about how people interact with the internet.

At the same time, AI companies are training models using enormous datasets collected from different sources.

This raises questions about where the data came from, whether people gave permission for their data to be used, and whether creators should be compensated when their work is used to train these systems.

There is also a difference between something being publicly accessible and something being ethically available for any possible use.

Just because something is available on the internet does not necessarily mean the person who created it expected it to become training data for an AI model.

This also creates problems around copyright and intellectual property.

A photographer, artist, writer, programmer or researcher may spend years creating something, while an AI system can potentially learn patterns from huge amounts of similar work in a very short period of time.

So the question is not only **"Can AI do this?"**

It is also:

"Who owns the data, who gave permission for it to be used, and who should benefit from it?"

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