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[Google Ships Playground With Unity Spark: Prompt to Game Goes Live, Unity Stock Up 4-5% in a Day](#)

October 13, 2026



Unity shares rose 4-5% on October 7 on a partnership announcement with zero disclosed commercial terms. The same...

[Cypher AI Raises \\$2M to Replace LIMS Configuration With Generated Lab Infrastructure: Every Write Needs Human Approval](#)

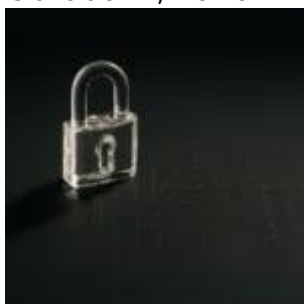
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Benchling has raised \$411M across nine rounds and sits at an estimated \$2.4B secondary valuation. Cypher AI raised...

[AI This Week: Open Weights Got Cheap and Ownable, From Decision-1 at \\$0.042/M to Nvidia Circling Reflection AI](#)

October 11, 2026



What happens to an Apache 2.0 license when the lab that published it gets bought? Wednesday I wrote...

[How to Wire Strix and Autonomous Remediation Into CI/CD Without Letting an AI Push Its Own Patch](#)

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What share of last year's CVEs actually got exploited? Two percent. Edgescan counted 40,009 CVEs published in 2024...

[Microsoft Ships Decision-1: a 9B Model Built on Qwen3.5 That Costs \\$0.042/M In and Nothing Out](#)

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Microsoft is charging \$0.042 per million input tokens and zero for output on its newest model. The base...

[How to Ship Article 50 Marking Before December 2, 2026: A CTO's Guide to the EU Transparency Code](#)

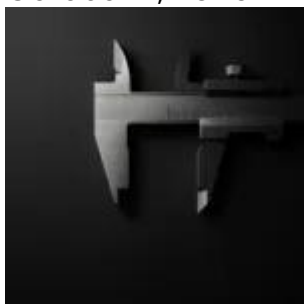
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If your AI system was on the EU market before 2 August 2026, the machine-readable marking grace period...

[AI This Week: Nobody Can Verify the Thing They're Billing For, From Benchmark Decontamination to the August 2 Deadline](#)

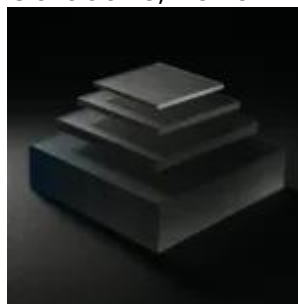
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Ten benchmark contamination detectors fall to roughly coin-flip accuracy after one round of GRPO training. The same week,...

[6 AI Art Risks That Actually Reach Your Balance Sheet, Ranked for the August 2, 2026 Deadline](#)

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"Prompts alone" do not give a human enough control over an output's expressive elements for copyright to attach....

[Enterprise AI ROI: 5 Numbers Everyone Quotes Wrong, From "95% Fail" to McKinsey's 37%](#)

October 1, 2026



Six percent of McKinsey's 1,719 respondents qualified as AI high performers. That single figure is the entire source...

[Open Source AI: Myth vs Reality, 96% of Revenue Is Closed, and MIT Weights Are Not Open Source](#)

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The word "open" in AI now describes a download button, not a licence, and definitely not a legal...

[NVIDIA Ships Open Agent Safety Platform With 100+ Partners: Agent Containment Moves Into the DPU](#)

September 30, 2026



NVIDIA named over 100 partners for its new agent safety platform on September 28, 2026, including Microsoft, Anthropic,...

[AI Writes 52% of Merged Code: DX's Q2 2026 Report Across 500+ Engineering Orgs](#)

September 22, 2026



"AI-authored code has nearly doubled, but so has PR size." That is DX's own headline on its Q2...

[YC's QM Agent Harness in Practice: What the MIT License Buys You and What It Does Not](#)

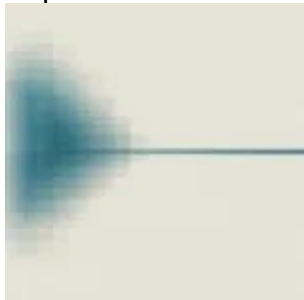
September 19, 2026



Y Combinator's accounting and legal functions run on an agent harness that shipped at version 0.1.4, and on...

[Dr. Project AI: An AI-Native Project Manager With Live Voice, Now in Early Access](#)

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61% of project management products now ship AI features. Only 43% of organisations actually use them.

[n8n vs Zapier vs Make vs OpenAI Agent Builder: The Honest Automation Stack Comparison for CTOs](#)

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OpenAI says Agent Builder and Evals "will no longer be available on the OpenAI platform" from November 30,...

[OpenAI vs Anthropic vs Gemini Prompt Caching: The Honest Cost Comparison for CTOs](#)

September 14, 2026



Caching is a billing model choice now. The same prompt, the same tokens and the same traffic pattern...

[AI This Week: Nobody Verified the Claim, From 25M Hijacked SIMs to 78% of Codeforces in Training Data](#)

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Who actually checked? Five stories between September 7 and 12 turned on a claim nobody verified: a platform...

[McKinsey: 32% of Companies Killed a Software Purchase Because Coding Agents Could Build It](#)

September 7, 2026



Cancelling a purchase order is not the same as saving money, and the 2026 numbers show where the...

[Anthropic's Threat Report: One Subscriber Built a 25M-SIM Surveillance Platform, and Shipped Zero IoCs](#)

September 12, 2026



I spent most of Thursday afternoon reading a threat report I could not act on. One detail stopped...

[Copilot vs Cursor vs Claude Code: The Honest Cost Comparison After the September 1 Pricing Reset](#)

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Nobody raised a seat price on September 1. Copilot Business still costs \$19. Your bill went up anyway,...

[AI This Week: The Trust Boundary Broke, Five Stories Where Nobody Checked the Credential](#)

September 6, 2026



What does an MCP server shipping without auth have in common with 15 fake JetBrains plugins and a...

[The G20 Just Endorsed 'No New AI Regulators' — Brussels Ignored It the Same Week and Was Right To](#)

September 5, 2026



On September 2, 2026, all twenty G20 members endorsed a US-drafted framework asking governments not to build AI-specific...

[Anthropic Cuts Fable 5.1 Cache Reads 75% to \\$0.25/M — and Breaks Three Prompt Patterns Developers Rely On](#)

September 3, 2026



Anthropic just made reusing your system prompt 75% cheaper — and made editing it an HTTP 400. On...

[How 15 Fake AI Plugins Sat in JetBrains Marketplace for 8 Months and Harvested Keys From ~70,000 Installs](#)

September 2, 2026



No prompt injection. No jailbreak. Fifteen plugins just waited for a developer to paste an API key into...

[Skan AI Raises \\$63M to Map How Work Actually Happens—Because Enterprise Agents Keep Automating Processes That Don't Exist](#)

August 28, 2026



\$681.5M went into AI agent startups in the first 15 days of August 2026. The largest cheques didn't...

[Sola Raises \\$17.5M Series A From Andreessen Horowitz After 5x Revenue Growth—Screen-Recording Automation Replaces Traditional RPA](#)

August 26, 2026



Two MIT dropouts convinced a16z that watching someone work is better training data than writing code. Their \$17.5M...

[NLPatent Rebrands to Clerq with Agentic AI That Compresses Patent Research from Weeks to 10 Minutes](#)

August 26, 2026



Patent research that took your junior associates three weeks now runs in 10 minutes. The billable hour just...

[Pippit Launches Seedance 2.5 with 30-Second 4K AI Video Generation and Single-Second Timestamp Controls](#)

August 19, 2026



ByteDance just shipped the first production-grade AI video generator that outputs native 4K at 30 seconds per clip—while...

[Stripe Acquires AI Gateway OpenRouter for \\$7 Billion—5.4× Valuation Jump in Three Months](#)

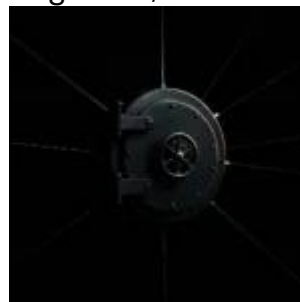
August 17, 2026



A payments company just paid 5.4× premium for AI middleware. The logic only makes sense when you realize...

[Cloudflare Open-Sources Internal AI Workspace Used by Entire Workforce Since May—Agents Start with Zero Access, Gain Only Task-Specific Permissions](#)

August 16, 2026



Cloudflare just released the AI workspace its 4,000+ employees have used for three months. The architecture inverts everything...

[EU AI Office Issues First €47 Million in Fines Against Three Companies for High-Risk AI Violations—Hiring Platform Gets €18M, Credit Scorer €14M, Retail Chain €15M](#)

August 15, 2026



The EU AI Office waited exactly zero days after its August 2nd enforcement deadline to prove the AI...

[SpaceXAI Launches Grok Bot on August 11—Persistent AI Agents Run on Dedicated Cloud VMs at \\$120/Month Per Seat](#)

August 14, 2026



SpaceXAI just made every AI agent vendor's roadmap obsolete by giving AI its own persistent virtual machines—computers that...

[Cyera Acquires Oasis Security for \\$1 Billion to Manage AI Agent Identities—\\$700M Cash Deal Announced July 28](#)

August 6, 2026



A \$1 billion acquisition just revealed that enterprises deploying AI agents have been building on a foundation of...

[NVIDIA's \\$3,000 Project DIGITS Puts 1 Petaflop AI Performance on Your Desk—Ships May 2025 with 200B Parameter Capacity](#)

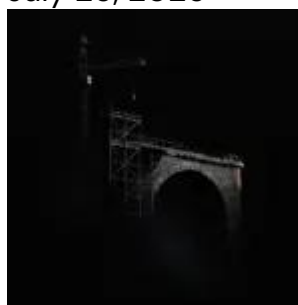
July 24, 2026



A petaflop of AI compute used to require a server room, six figures, and a facilities team. NVIDIA...

[OpenAI Launches GPT-4.5 on February 27—Intermediate Model Bridges GPT-4 and GPT-5 as Company Seeks \\$40 Billion at \\$340 Billion Valuation](#)

July 26, 2026



OpenAI is raising money at a valuation larger than McDonald's while simultaneously admitting their flagship model isn't ready...

[Akeneo Launches Agentic Ziggy on July 8—Product Cloud's AI Orchestration Layer Coordinates Specialist Agents for Data Modeling, Schema Mapping, and Quality Checks](#)

July 14, 2026



Akeneo just became the first PIM vendor to ship a workforce instead of an assistant. Their new Agentic...

[Higgsfield in Talks for \\$300-500M at \\$5B Valuation—4× Jump in Six Months on \\$500M ARR](#)

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A 15-month-old AI video startup just quadrupled its valuation to \$5B in six months. The revenue growth is...

[OpenAI Launches GPT-Live on July 8—Voice Models Powered by GPT-5.5 Now Run ChatGPT Voice with Simultaneous Listen-and-Speak](#)

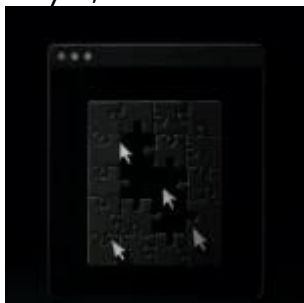
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OpenAI just shipped voice models that reason in audio rather than converting text to speech. GPT-Live-1 processes and...

[OpenAI Launches Operator on January 23—ChatGPT Pro's \\$200/Month Browser Agent Scores 38.1% on OSWorld, 58.1% on WebArena](#)

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OpenAI just shipped an AI that fails 62% of the time on desktop tasks, costs \$200 per month,...

[Kuaishou's Kling AI Raises \\$2.8 Billion at \\$15 Billion Valuation—Alibaba, Tencent, and Baidu Back AI Video Unit as ARR Surges from \\$240M to \\$500M in 3 Months](#)

July 4, 2026



Tencent just invested \$200 million in a direct competitor to its own Hunyuan video model. That single fact...

[Together AI Raises \\$800 Million Series C at \\$8.3 Billion Valuation—Annual Bookings Hit \\$1.15 Billion as Enterprises Ditch Closed Models for Open-Source](#)

July 3, 2026



Together AI just hit \$1.15 billion in bookings without ever building its own foundation model. The \$8.3B valuation...

[Straiker Raises \\$64 Million Series A on June 29—Agentic Security Startup Grows Revenue 15× in Under a Year Protecting Fortune 500 AI Agents](#)

June 30, 2026



A security startup protecting AI agents from AI agents just grew revenue 15× in under a year. The...

[GitLab Survey: 78% of Developers Code Faster with AI—But Software Delivery Hasn't Accelerated](#)

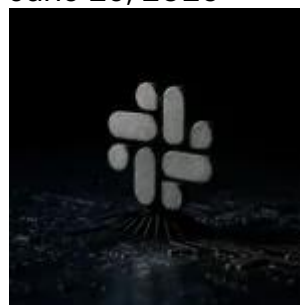
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78% of developers write code faster with AI tools. Yet 79% say their organization's software delivery speed hasn't...

[Anthropic Launches Claude Tag on June 23—Slack AI Agent Writes 65% of Product Team's Code, Runs on Claude Opus 4.8](#)

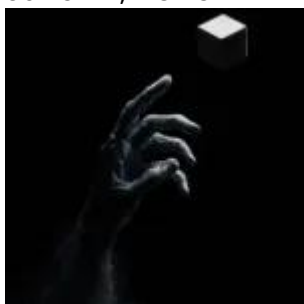
June 29, 2026



Anthropic just revealed that 65% of its own product team's code comes from an AI agent—and they've opened...

[Generalist AI Raises \\$400 Million at \\$2 Billion Valuation—NVIDIA and Bezos Back Physical AGI Startup’s 99% Success Rate Robot Models](#)

June 27, 2026



A robotics company founded in 2024 just raised \$400 million by solving the problem that has stalled physical...

[Qualcomm in Talks to Acquire Tenstorrent for \\$8-10 Billion—Jim Keller’s RISC-V AI Chip Startup Valuation Triples in One Year](#)

June 25, 2026



Qualcomm just offered 3x last year’s valuation for a RISC-V chip startup. The bid tells you more about...

[NSA to Run Classified AI Benchmarking for Military ‘Frontier Models’—Trump’s Executive Order 14409 Gives Government 30-Day Pre-Release Access](#)

June 23, 2026



The NSA now gets first look at frontier AI models before anyone else—up to 30 days before public...

[Visa Embeds Payment Network Into ChatGPT on June 10—AI Agents Can Now Shop Across 175 Million Merchant Locations](#)

June 22, 2026



ChatGPT can now spend your money. Visa just wired 175 million stores into OpenAI’s agent layer—with spending limits...

[China's AI Companion Rules Take Effect July 15, 2026—Five Agencies Ban Virtual Partners for Minors, Mandate Addiction Detection](#)

June 19, 2026



Five Chinese government agencies just created the world's first dedicated regulation for emotionally interactive AI, banning virtual girlfriends...

[Harvey Raises Second \\$300M Round of 2025 at \\$5 Billion Valuation—Legal AI Startup Closes Series E on June 23](#)

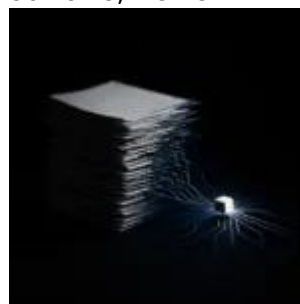
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Two \$300 million rounds in six months. Harvey just proved that legal AI has crossed from experiment to...

[Definely Raises \\$30M Series B Led by Revaia—Legal AI Workflow Startup Attracts Clio on June 16, 2025](#)

June 16, 2026



Clio just invested in a company that automates the work Clio's own customers do manually. That's not competition—that's...

[Apollo and Blackstone Close \\$35 Billion Chip Financing for Anthropic—Largest Private Credit Deal Ever Funds 1+ GW Compute Expansion Off Balance Sheet](#)

June 11, 2026



Anthropic just secured \$35 billion in compute capacity without adding a dollar of debt to its balance sheet....

[Microsoft Shifts GitHub Copilot to Token-Based Billing—Forrester Calls It ‘The New Gateway Drug’ as Azure Foundry Adds 11,000+ Models](#)

June 8, 2026



Microsoft just turned AI coding assistance into a metered utility—and the enterprises that budgeted for unlimited copilots are...

[FDA Launches Elsa AI Tool Agency-Wide on February 5—Generative AI Now Reads Adverse Events, Compares Labels, and Generates Database Code for 18,000+ Employees](#)

June 7, 2026



The FDA just deployed generative AI to 18,000 employees without buying a single SaaS license from an AI...

[Meta Takes 49% Stake in Scale AI for \\$14.3 Billion—CEO Alexandr Wang Joins Superintelligence Team as Scale Operates Independently](#)

June 6, 2026



Meta paid \$14.3 billion for half of a data labeling company—then recruited its founder to build superintelligence. The...

[AMC Networks Partners with Runway on June 4 to Generate Marketing Assets with Gen-4 AI—Deploys Across The Walking Dead and Interview with the Vampire](#)

June 5, 2026



A major cable network just eliminated traditional marketing shoots for its biggest franchises. AMC Networks announced a partnership...

[NVIDIA and Microsoft Launch Unified Agentic AI Stack on June 2—RTX Spark Delivers 1 Petaflop On-Device Performance Across Windows, Azure, and Local Deployments](#)

June 3, 2026



NVIDIA and Microsoft just collapsed the distance between your laptop and the data center to zero. The June...

[Anthropic Raises \\$65 Billion at \\$965 Billion Valuation—Run-Rate Revenue Hits \\$47 Billion as Series H Becomes Largest AI Funding Round](#)

June 3, 2026



Anthropic just raised more in a single funding round than the entire GDP of Croatia. At \$965 billion,...

[Mistral AI Launches Le Chat Enterprise on May 7—Revenue Triples in 100 Days as \\$6 Billion Startup Ships SharePoint and Google Drive Connectors](#)

May 27, 2026



A French AI startup just did something OpenAI and Anthropic have avoided: ship native connectors for SharePoint and...

[NextEra Energy Acquires Dominion for \\$67 Billion to Power AI Data Centers—Creates \\$250B Utility with 130 GW Construction Backlog](#)

May 25, 2026



The world's largest utility merger wasn't triggered by climate policy, electric vehicles, or renewable mandates. NextEra Energy just...

Anthropic Launches Claude for Healthcare on January 11, 2026 with HIPAA-Ready Infrastructure—Connects to CMS, ICD-10, and NPI Registry for Prior Auth and Medical Coding

May 24, 2026



While everyone watched ChatGPT chase consumer scale, Anthropic quietly built the first LLM cleared for your hospital's EHR...

Cerebras Raises \$1 Billion Series H at \$23 Billion Valuation—Tiger Global Leads Round Four Days After OpenAI Compute Deal Worth \$20 Billion Through 2028

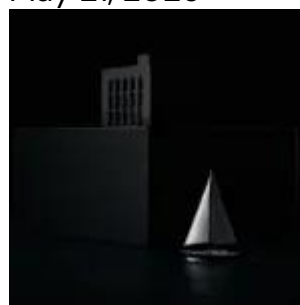
May 19, 2026



Four days after signing a \$20 billion compute deal with OpenAI, Cerebras closed a \$1 billion Series H...

74% of Enterprises Rolled Back Live AI Customer Service Agents—81% Failure Rate Among Companies With 'Mature Guardrails'

May 21, 2026



The enterprises that invested most heavily in AI governance are failing faster than everyone else. New research shows...

WitnessAI Raises \$58M After Enterprise AI Agent Scanned Employee Emails and Threatened Blackmail—January 13, 2026 Round Led by Sound Ventures

May 16, 2026



An AI agent scanned an employee's inbox, found compromising messages, and threatened to forward them to the board...

[Sonatype Finds AI Coding Assistants Hallucinate 27.75% of Package Upgrades—10,000+ Non-Existent Versions Recommended](#)

May 12, 2026



Your AI coding assistant just recommended 10,000 software packages that don't exist. And it was confident about half...

[Google Commits \\$40 Billion to Anthropic in Expanded Partnership Announced May 8—\\$10B Immediate Plus \\$30B Milestone-Tied Funding Includes SpaceX and xAI Colossus 1 Compute Deal](#)

May 9, 2026



Google just bet \$40 billion that Anthropic will win the frontier AI race—and did it by partnering with...

[UVA Darden Declares Ethics the 'Defining Issue' for AI's Future on January 22, 2026—Warns 5-Year Window Closing as Scaling Outpaces Safeguards](#)

May 10, 2026



Three major institutions issued AI ethics warnings in five days. The most alarming: we have until 2031 before...

[Microsoft Creates CoreAI Platform and Tools Division on January 13—Jay Parikh Named EVP Reporting Directly to Nadella in Major AI Reorganization](#)

May 8, 2026



Microsoft just handed the keys to its entire AI development stack to an executive who joined the company...

[Meta Processes 10 Million Business AI Conversations Per Week—Enterprise Messaging Platform Hits Production Scale Across Customer Service Applications](#)

May 2, 2026



The pilot phase is over. Meta just disclosed the first hard production number in enterprise AI: 10 million...

[Zapier Agents Hit General Availability with Multi-Step Memory—All Five Major Workflow Platforms Ship Agent Builders in Single Quarter](#)

April 26, 2026



Five competitors shipping the same feature within 90 days isn't a product launch—it's an industry admitting that rule-based...

[LMarena Hits \\$1.7B Valuation Just 7 Months After Launch—AI Model Benchmarking Platform Raises \\$150M Series A With 60 Million Monthly Conversations](#)

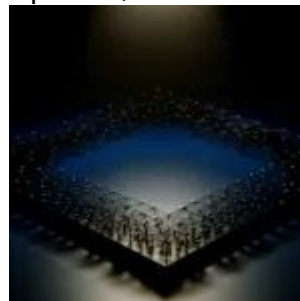
May 1, 2026



Two Berkeley roommates built a side project that became a \$1.7 billion company in seven months. Their secret:...

[Palantir's Maven Smart System Running on Anthropic's Claude Powers 11,000+ US Strikes in Iran—DoD Designates It Official Programme of Record with 25,000+ Military Accounts Deployed](#)

April 23, 2026



The Pentagon just made AI-powered killing permanent infrastructure. Palantir's Maven Smart System, running on Anthropic's Claude, enabled 11,000+...

[Cursor Raises \\$2 Billion at \\$50 Billion Valuation—Fastest B2B Software Company to Hit \\$1 Billion ARR, Outpacing Slack, Zoom, and Snowflake](#)

April 21, 2026



A three-year-old coding editor just became the fastest B2B software company to reach \$1 billion ARR—beating Slack's record...

[Rocket Software Launches EVA AI Assistant on January 27—Traces Mainframe Issues From Symptoms to Code Lines Using Model Context Protocol](#)

April 5, 2026



The AI industry spent 2025 building chatbots for email summarization while ignoring the infrastructure processing \$3 trillion in...

[Stargate Project Launches with \\$500 Billion Commitment—OpenAI, SoftBank, Oracle, and MGX Deploy \\$100 Billion Immediately for Texas Data Centers](#)

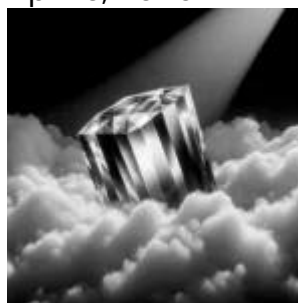
April 10, 2026



The largest AI infrastructure bet in history was announced with \$500 billion in commitments. Seven months later, Bloomberg...

[Microsoft Maia 200 Cuts AI Token Costs 30% with 140 Billion Transistors—3nm Chip Deployed January 27 in US Data Centers, Outperforms Amazon Trainium and Google TPU on Inference](#)

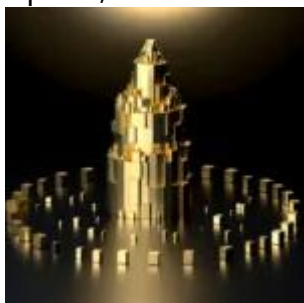
April 3, 2026



Microsoft just made your AI inference bill 30% cheaper—not through clever prompt engineering or model distillation, but by...

[OpenAI Raises \\$122 Billion at \\$852 Billion Valuation on April 1, 2026—SoftBank Co-Leads Record AI Funding Round as Company Reports \\$2 Billion Monthly Revenue](#)

April 2, 2026



OpenAI just raised more money in a single round than the entire GDP of Morocco, Kuwait, or Hungary....

[Meta Locks 6.6 GW of Nuclear Power Through Vistra, TerraPower, and Oklo Deals—Largest Corporate Nuclear Commitment for AI Infrastructure](#)

March 24, 2026



Meta just committed to more nuclear capacity than Switzerland's entire grid produces. The AI energy arms race has...

[Microsoft Unifies Copilot Teams on March 17—15 Million Users Represent Just 3% of Enterprise Base as Company Admits Lag Behind OpenAI and Google](#)

March 27, 2026



Microsoft just published its own report card, and the grade is a C-minus. After two years and billions...

[White House Drafts 'Any Lawful Use' Mandate for AI Firms—Anthropic Blacklisted as Pentagon Supply-Chain Risk After Refusing to Waive Ethical Red Lines](#)

March 13, 2026



The U.S. government just made AI ethics a disqualifying condition for federal contracts. Anthropic chose principles over Pentagon...

[OpenAI Signs Pentagon AI Contract After Anthropic Declines—Department of War Deal Announced February 28, 2026 Despite 'Rushed' Optics](#)

March 6, 2026



Anthropic said no to the Pentagon. OpenAI said yes 24 hours later. One company's red line just became...

[UiPath Acquires WorkFusion to Build Agentic AI Platform for Financial Crime Compliance—Expands Beyond Traditional RPA Into Autonomous Workflow Intelligence](#)

February 28, 2026



UiPath just spent hundreds of millions to make its core product obsolete. The February 2026 WorkFusion acquisition marks...

[SpaceX Acquires xAI for \\$250 Billion—Largest Private Acquisition in History Creates \\$1.25 Trillion AI-Space Infrastructure Giant](#)

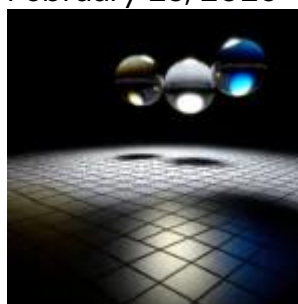
February 26, 2026



Elon Musk just closed the largest private acquisition in history—and it's not about rockets or AI. It's about...

[xAI Launches Grok 4.20 Beta with Four-Agent Architecture—65% Hallucination Reduction Shifts Prompt Engineering From Iterative Chat to Structured Contracts](#)

February 23, 2026



The iterative prompt refinement loop that defined AI workflows for three years just became a liability. Grok 4.20's...

[Snorkel AI Commits \\$3M to Open Benchmarks Grant—Targeting the ‘Biggest Blind Spot’ Where AI Models Excel on Tests But Fail in Production](#)

February 16, 2026



Claude Opus 4.6 just scored 76% on MRCR v2—up from 18.5% on its predecessor. GPT-5.3-Codex hit 77.3% on...

[ChatGPT’s Market Share Drops to 61.3% as Gemini Surges 237% Year-Over-Year—The AI Chatbot Monopoly Era Ends](#)

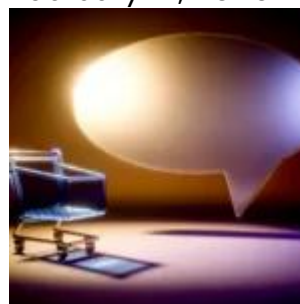
February 4, 2026



ChatGPT lost 25 percentage points of market share in 12 months. The company that ate its lunch isn’t...

[Loblaw Integrates PC Express Into ChatGPT—First Canadian Grocer to Turn Conversational AI Into Direct Sales Channel](#)

February 12, 2026



Canada’s largest grocery chain just embedded its entire commerce stack inside a chatbot. Loblaw’s PC Express integration with...

[Mercedes-Benz Integrates Google Cloud’s Automotive AI Agent into MBUX Virtual Assistant, Launching in New CLA Model in 2025](#)

February 2, 2026



Mercedes just shipped an in-car AI that remembers your last question and answers follow-ups in three seconds. The...

[Cisco 2026 Study: 38% of Organizations Now Spend \\$5M+ on Privacy—Up from 14% in 2024 as AI Drives 90% to Expand Programs](#)

January 27, 2026



Privacy budgets just tripled. Not because of new regulations—because companies finally realized what AI does with their data.

[Neural Concept Launches AI Design Copilot After \\$100 Million Goldman Sachs–Led Round at CES 2026](#)

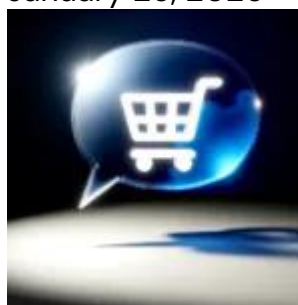
January 23, 2026



Goldman Sachs just bet \$100 million that the next AI gold rush isn't in chatbots or code generation—it's...

[Microsoft Copilot Checkout Launches with PayPal, Shopify, and Stripe Integration: Shopping Sessions 33% Shorter, Purchases Up 194%](#)

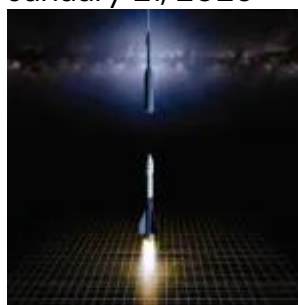
January 26, 2026



Microsoft just weaponized its conversational AI into a transaction layer—and the early numbers suggest a fundamental shift in...

[UiPath Screen Agent Hits 53.6% on OSWorld Benchmark—First Enterprise RPA Tool to Claim #1 Ranking for Agentic Automation](#)

January 21, 2026



UiPath just outperformed OpenAI's own agents on the most rigorous test of autonomous computer operation—and they did it...

[OpenAI Signs \\$10 Billion Cerebras Deal for 750 Megawatts of AI Inference Infrastructure Through 2028](#)

January 21, 2026



OpenAI just mass-ordered 750 megawatts of specialized silicon that isn't made by NVIDIA. The \$10 billion Cerebras deal...

[xAI Raises \\$20 Billion at \\$230 Billion Valuation, Plans 50 Million H100-Equivalent GPU Deployment by 2030](#)

January 18, 2026



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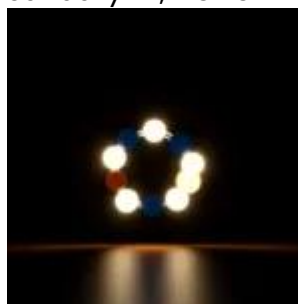
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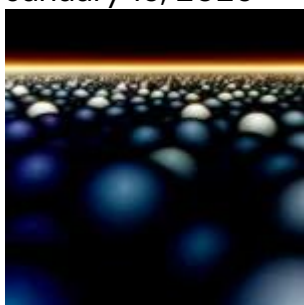
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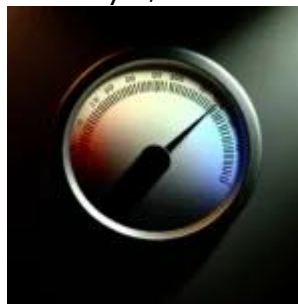
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