

ChatGPT Is Dumber Than You Think

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In his article "ChatGPT is Dumber Than You Think," Ian Bogost argues that while ChatGPT has generated excitement and enthusiasm about the potential of AI, the idea of relying on a bot to have conversations and generate output is concerning.

Bogost argues that ChatGPT is not truly "understanding" the language it generates, but instead is simply producing patterns based on the data it has been trained on. This means that the model can easily generate harmful or biased content, as it has no actual understanding of the meaning behind the words it uses.

Bogost also raises ethical concerns about the use of language models like ChatGPT. He argues that these models can be used to generate realistic fake news and propaganda, and they can be used to spread misinformation and manipulate public opinion. He suggests that more attention needs to be paid to the ethical implications of these technologies and that we need to be more skeptical of their abilities.

While these models are not truly "intelligent" in the way that humans are, they can still be powerful tools for generating and analyzing language data. It is also worth noting that efforts are being made to address the potential biases and ethical concerns associated with these models and that there is still much to be learned and discovered in this field. In my opinion, it is important to approach AI technologies like LLMs with an understanding that the information that they generate might be false. Additionally, we must use these tools responsibly and ethically, keeping in mind their potential impact on society.