

# Quiz 10 - Open Source w/ Percy Liang (11/18)

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✓ What is NOT an existing level of access for foundational models? \* 1/1

- ☐ Querying the model via an API without visibility into its internal mechanics
- ☐ Accessing the model's implementation, including source code and training data
- ☐ Utilizing downloadable, pre-trained weights for customization or fine-tuning
- ☒ Altering the model's neural parameters directly through hardware-level adjustments ✓



✓ **According to the speaker, what was NOT an argument for why open-source access matters?** \*1/1

- ☐ It allows for the use, study, modification, and sharing of the system for any purpose without permission requirements
- ☒ It ensures that any agent can operate with perfect ethical alignment across all domains ✓
- ☐ It addresses challenges with APIs becoming deprecated, which impacts reproducibility in research
- ☐ It provides researchers the transparency to critically examine and challenge every aspect of the model's design with unrestricted exploration

✓ **In the context of agent memory simulation, which of the following is NOT a useful criterion for memory retrieval?** \*1/1

- ☐ Temporal proximity to the present moment
- ☐ Significance of the memory in relation to life-altering events
- ☒ Randomized selection to ensure unbiased recall patterns ✓
- ☐ Contextual alignment with the agent's immediate situation



✓ **How can researchers determine if two models are independently trained?**

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- ☐ Take the cosine similarity between the weights of the two models
- ☒ Comparing the similarity between model 1 and model 2 against the similarity between model 1 and the permutation of model 2 ✓
- ☐ Retrain model 2 many times and compare the cosine similarities between model 1 with each of the model 2 copies
- ☐ Analyze the output distributions of both models without considering their internal structures

✓ **What was NOT a suggestion by the speaker to address the “compute problem”?**

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- ☒ Reducing the use of GPUs to lower environmental impact ✓
- ☐ Constructing scaling laws to enable smaller-scale experimentation that can generalize to larger scales
- ☐ Leveraging idle GPUs globally through decentralized compute networks
- ☐ Advocating for increased funding for public research initiatives and infrastructure

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