The 2025 Index is our most comprehensive to date and arrives at an important moment. New in this year's report are in-depth analyses of the evolving landscape of Al hardware and novel estimates of inference costs. We also introduce fresh data on corporate adoption of responsible Al practices. The Index continues to lead in tracking and interpreting the most critical trends shaping the field. It has been cited in major media outlets such as The New York Times, Bloomberg, and The Guardian. It is referenced in hundreds of academic papers; and used by policymakers and government agencies around the world. We continue to serve as an independent source of insights for the global Al ecosystem. Explore the report and see for yourself this year's edition of the Al Index report. For more information on the report, visit the report's website or read it in its entirety here: Al Index Report 2025Artificial Intelligence Index Report 20251, 20253, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2036, 2037, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065

In 2024, U.S. private AI investment grew to \$109.1 billion—nearly 12 times China's \$9.3 billion. Generative AI saw particularly strong momentum, attracting \$33.9 billion globally in private investment. In 2024, global cooperation on AI governance intensified, with organizations including the OECD, EU, and African Union releasing frameworks on transparency, trustworthiness, and other core responsible AI principles. AI-related incidents are rising sharply, yet standardized RAI evaluations remain rare among major industrial model developers. But new benchmarks like HELM Safety, AIR-Bench, and FACTS offer promising tools for assessing factuality and safety. The global AI optimism is rising, but deep regional divides remain. In countries like China, Indonesia, and Thailand, strong majorities see AI products and services as more beneficial than

harmful. In contrast, optimism remains far lower in places like Canada (40%), the United States (39%), and the Netherlands (36%). Still, sentiment is shifting: Since 2022, optimism has grown significantly in several previously skeptical countries, including Germany.

Two-thirds of countries now offer or plan to offer K-12 CS education. Nearly 90% of notable AI models in 2024 came from industry, up from 60% in 2023. Complex reasoning remains a challenge for AI models. The AI Index welcomes feedback and new ideas for next year. The writing process was aided by AI tools, ChatGPT and Claude. The Index was conceived within the One Hundred Year Study on Artificial Intelligence (Al100). The Al index welcomes feedback, new ideas, and suggestions for the next year's edition. The next edition of the AI Index will be released April 25, 2025. For more information, visit artificialintelligence index.org or follow **Twitter** us on @ArtificialIntelligenceIndex and @StanfordIntelligence. For the full report, go to artificialintelligence

Index.org/Index/20255/The-Artificial-Intelligence-Index-25th-Annual-Report-20255. The full report will be available on April 26, 2025, at 10am ET.

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