Generative AI presentation summary

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Terms

Large language models (LLM) Machine learning models trained on vast amounts of textual data predict the next word (sentence, text) to an input.

GPT (Generative Pre-trained Transformer) in a type of LLM

OpenAl is the company behind GPT, ChatGPT, Dall-E, etc But all big tech companies are pivoting to Al now

Prompt: the input to a generative model, typically a sentence Prompt engineering: the emerging field of crafting optimal prompts



Language models

ChatGPT is a *chatbot* that runs on various GPT models (optimized GPT3.5, now GPT4)

"Answers" any question, but does not really "know" anything (although sounds like it does).

Predicts answers, which are often sensible, but can be "hallucinated".

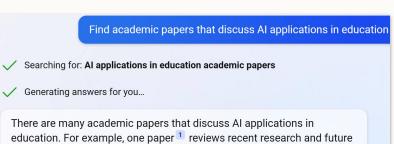
Not perfect. But already pretty good.

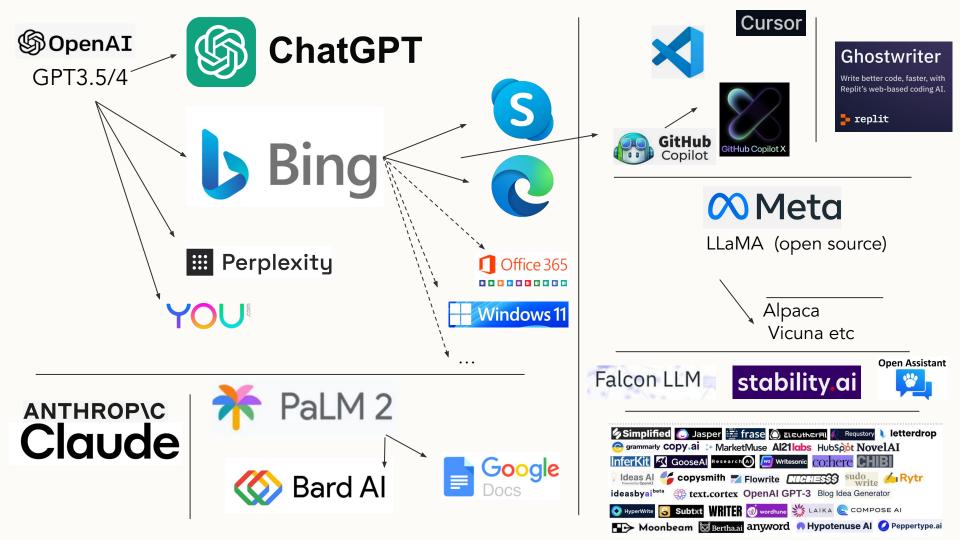
It is not a new Wikipedia. It's not search/googling...

...but it is being integrated with search MS Bing Chat (based on GPT), Google Bard, You.com, Perplexity.ai, etc.

Rapid development towards integration of chatbots with search engines.

TechScape: Google and Microsoft are in an AI arms race - who wins could change how we use the internet





Generative models boom?

Challenges as well as opportunities

Maybe an opportunity to rethink some fossilized concepts

Changes are coming (and underway) in the edu sector and job marked. No point in hiding one's head in the sand.

A chance for agile organizations to show the way and/or gain an edge (and avoid extinction)



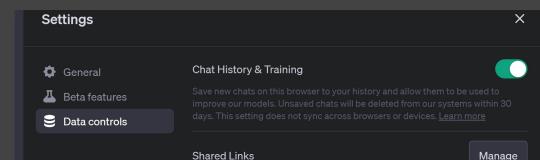
How to use all of these things

- ChatGPT: chat.openai.com, make an account or log in with Google etc. Free version is on GPT3.5; paid Plus (\$22/month) on GPT4. gpt-3.5-turbo API \$0.002/1000 tokens (~700 words)
- Bing: bing.com (see also Bing Create for images)
- Bard: bard.google.com
- See also: perplexity.ai, you.com, open-assistant.io, anthropic.com
- Try more image models: midjourney.com, dreamstudio.ai, scribblediffusion.com, mage.space, clipdrop.co



Data privacy issues

- All your input data is very likely used for training their next products
- Solutions: run your own LLM (requires beefy hardware though) or the ChatGPT Enterprise (aka "pinky swear we won't train on your data")



The need for updated digital literacy

- Spreading fake news has never been easier (text, photos, etc)
- Photo & video no longer credible evidence
- People may misuse chatbots (e.g. to seek medical advice)
- Phishing and scams are about to get a whole lot more elaborate ->

Rapid growth of 'news' sites using AI tools like ChatGPT is driving the spread of misinformation





Dear Andres,

I hope you're well. Your work at the CUDAN (continues to impress. I'm curious to know ho dynamics is progressing. It's certainly a fasc learning and large scale corpora analysis bri

Our collaboration on quantifying the evolution great experience, and your input was invalued between academia and the media industry of

On a different note, I'm currently facing a bit publication, and I was wondering if you coul understand this is out of the blue and I'd be more details.

Looking forward to hearing from you and ca

Best wishes,

The (very) near future

• Al will only get better, faster, more accessible.



- Integration into Office suites, Google Docs, browsers (already in Edge), search engines (already in Bing, Perplexity), and future operating systems.
- Practically impossible to ban or prohibit (but there are/will be those offering "solutions")

Is AI usage plagiarism?

Nobody knows. Not really.

Turnitin announces AI writing detector and AI writing resource center for educators

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Impossible to reliably prove (mis)use:

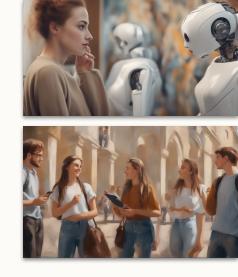
- Any classifier will have a high false positive rate (false accusations)
- Easy to mislead (and who would directly submit AI text anyway?)
- Al usage is not an on-off switch, a continuum of usages

(as thesaurus, spell checker, idea generator, editor, text generator, text summarizer etc)

(still.... how to grade homework, where one may have been generated+edited in minutes, while the other has taken a students hours or days of careful manual labor?)

Conclusions and ways forward?

- Learn to talk to machines (if you haven't yet)
- But do talk to humans (friends, other students, colleagues, professors)
- If you save some time, use it well



- No time like now to learn new skills (using your free personal AI tutor, and by learning from early adopters)
- No time like now to develop new products, startups, ideas (still low barrier of entry, but the window will be closing)

Thanks! Aitäh!

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