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# AI & GDPR MONTHLY UPDATE

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Welcome to another edition of the AI & GDPR MONTHLY UPDATE, bringing you the latest insights into artificial intelligence and data protection. We'll cover new AI regulations, opinions, court and authority decisions across the EU, and the latest use cases in AI implementation. Our AI & GDPR MONTHLY UPDATE lands in your inbox every month.

#### AI Act

**The European Commission has launched a public consultation on high-risk AI systems.** The consultation is open until 18 July 2025. Stakeholders are encouraged to provide input on the classification and obligations for high-risk AI. The feedback will help shape upcoming AI Office guidance. <u>Read more</u>

České Radiokomunikace (CRa) plans to build a major AI data center in Prague. The proposed "AI Gigafactory CZ" aims to host up to 100,000 high-performance chips, making it one of Europe's largest AI supercomputing hubs. CRa is seeking EU funding for the project. The project could bring new opportunities for tech companies working in infrastructure and AI training as well as for researchers. <u>Read more</u>

The European Parliament has set up a working group to monitor how the AI Act is implemented. The MEP group will address how the AI Act works alongside other rules like GDPR, the DSA, and sector-specific laws. Read more

The EU is investing over €700 million in European generative AI projects. The funding will support applications in strategic industries such as healthcare, telecom, and security to boost European AI capabilities. Read more

### **AI Guidance**

**US** authorities published joint guidance on security of AI training data. The FBI, NSA and CISA warn against security threats that may impact the accuracy and integrity of AI outputs. The guidance offers best practices for securing data throughout the AI system lifecycle. <u>Read more</u>

The European Commission released a detailed report on how generative AI affects key sectors and legal frameworks. It outlines practical risks such as algorithmic bias or the overuse of AI, explains how current EU laws apply, and offers guidance for businesses in areas such as education, health, and media. <u>Read more</u>

**Irish government issued guidance for responsible AI use in the public sector.** The guidelines advise public agencies deploying AI how to ensure legal compliance and human oversight in decision-making. <u>Read more</u>

#### **Data protection news**

The EU Council and Parliament have reached a provisional agreement on the new rules for GDPR enforcement. Once adopted, the GDPR amendment will introduce fixed deadlines for cross-border investigations and encourage early resolution of cases. <u>Read more</u>

The EDPB published final guidelines on data transfers to non-EU authorities. The document clarifies that foreign court orders and administrative requests are not automatically enforceable and must comply with GDPR rules. This affects how companies handle subpoenas and other data demands from outside the EU. <u>Read more</u>

Spanish Data Protection Agency (AEPD) and the European Data Protection Supervisor (EDPS) issued a joint report on federated learning. The report explains how federated learning may support privacy-friendly AI training by avoiding mass data transfers and reducing re-identification risks. <u>Read more</u>

**The EDPB published two AI training courses covering legal and technical aspects of compliance.** The first course is addressed to DPOs and explains how to assess AI risks and ensure GDPR compliance throughout AI deployment. The second course targets developers and offers methods for embedding security and privacy protections into high-risk AI systems. <u>First course</u>, <u>Second course</u>

# IP & AI news

**CJEU will hear its first AI and copyright referral.** A Hungarian court asks whether memorization and reproduction of journalistic content by an AI chatbot infringes the press publishers' right and whether such use may be justified by the text and data mining (TDM) exception. The decision is expected to become a landmark case for AI and copyright. <u>Read more</u>

**Major movie studios have sued Midjourney for allegedly copying protected characters.** Disney, Universal, and others claim the image generator AI infringed their intellectual property by producing content based on famous movie characters. <u>Read more</u>

**Reddit has filed a lawsuit against Anthropic over unauthorized use of its content.** The platform alleges that Anthropic used Reddit posts to train its AI models without permission, violating its terms of service and copyright. <u>Read more</u>

# Al regulation outside the EU

The U.S. House of Representatives has approved a bill that would block state and local AI regulation in critical sectors for 10 years. Included in a broader budget package now under Senate review, the measure would prevent subnational rules on high-risk AI used in infrastructure, reserving authority for federal oversight. Read more

Japan has passed a new Al law that sets principles and voluntary rules. The bill adopts a soft-law approach, with no binding obligations or penalties. Read more (in Japanese)

Vietnam's new digital technology law introduces Al-specific obligations. The law promotes investment in emerging technologies by offering tax breaks, talent visas, and R&D incentives. <u>Read more</u>

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