

Facts & Data:

- Global spending on AI infrastructure including data centers, semiconductor factories, and power supply – is projected to reach \$375 billion in 2025 and \$500 billion in 2026. (SHRM)
- In a 2024 McKinsey Survey, 78% of respondents report their organizations use Al in at least one business function. (McKinsey)
- In 2024, U.S. federal agencies introduced 59 AI-related regulations—more than double the number in 2023—and issued by twice as many agencies. (Stanford)
- From a 2025 Pew Research Study, 75% of experts say the people who design Al take men's perspectives into account at least somewhat well, but 44% say this about women's views. (Pew Research)
- Women make up 25-30% of the Al workforce worldwide but hold only 15% of senior roles. (WE Forum)
- Goldman Sachs estimates that generative AI will raise the level of labor productivity in the US and other developed markets by around 15% when fully adopted and incorporated into regular production. (Goldman Sachs)
- Skills sought by employers are changing 66% faster in occupations most exposed to AI versus least exposed. (PwC)

