Libraries,
Collections as Data,
and AI
Thomas Padilla

collections as data?

PREFACE.

AS this treatiſe is calculated for the improvement of the riſing generation of *Females* in America, the Lady of faſhion and fortune will not be diſpleaſed, if many hints are ſuggeſted for the more general and univerſal knowledge of thoſe females in this country, who by the loſs of their parents, or other unfortunate circumſtances, are reduced to the neceſſity of going into families in the line of domeſtics, or taking refuge with their friends or relations, and doing thoſe things which are really eſſential to the perfecting them as good wives, and

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Feeding America: The Historic American Cookbook Dataset

View of encoded cookbook text data

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Description

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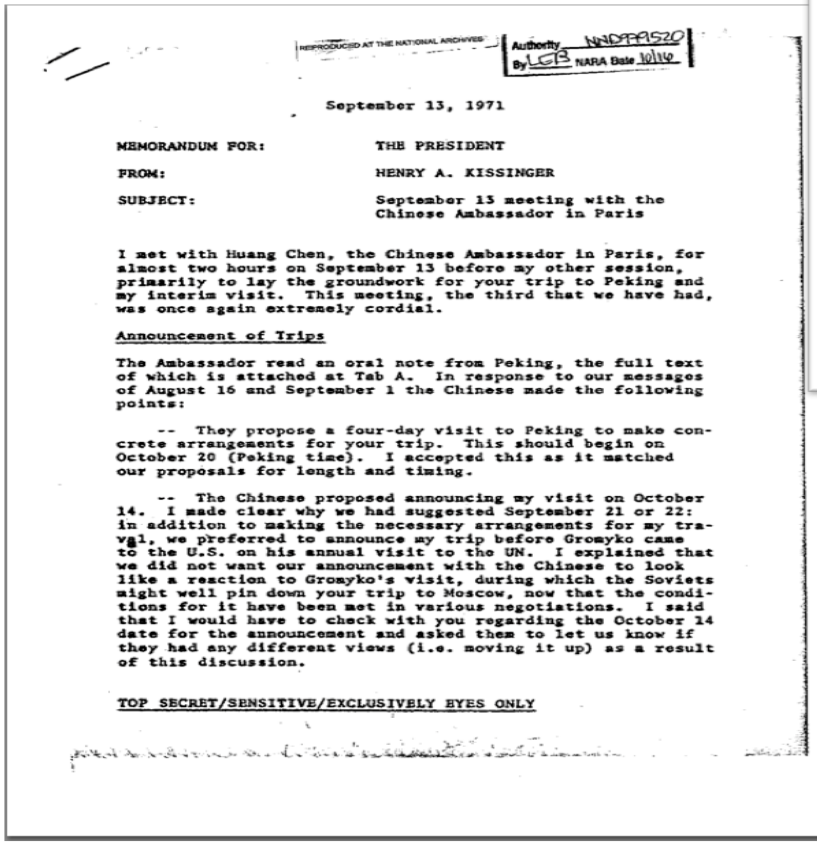

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September 13, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: HENRY A. KISSINGER

SUBJECT: September 13 meeting with the Chinese Ambassador in Paris

I met with Huang Chen, the Chinese Ambassador in Paris, for almost two hours on September 13 before my other session, primarily to lay the groundwork for your trip to Peking and my interim visit. This meeting, the third that we have had, was once again extremely cordial.

Announcement of Trips

The Ambassador read an oral note from Peking, the full text of which is attached at Tab A. In response to our messages of August 16 and September 1 the Chinese made the following points:

-- They propose a four-day visit to Peking to make concrete arrangements for your trip. This should begin on October 20 (Peking time). I accepted this as it matched our proposals for length and timing.

-- The Chinese proposed announcing my visit on October 14. I made clear why we had suggested September 21 or 22: in addition to making the necessary arrangements for my travel, we preferred to announce my trip before Gromyko came to the U.S. on his annual visit to the UN. I explained that we did not want our announcement with the Chinese to look like a reaction to Gromyko's visit, during which the Soviets might well pin down your trip to Moscow, now that the conditions for it have been met in various negotiations. I said that I would have to check with you regarding the October 14 date for the announcement and asked them to let us know if they had any different views (i.e. moving it up) as a result of this discussion.

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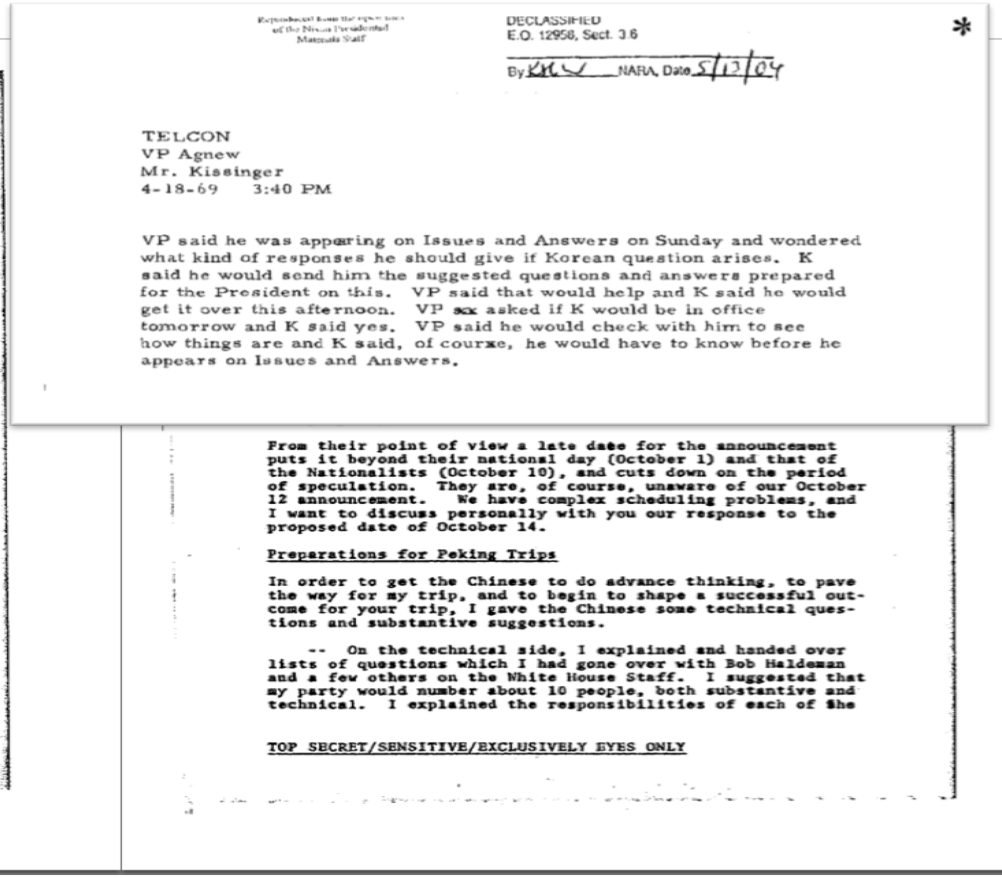

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By KHW NARA, Date 5/13/04

TELCON
VP Agnew
Mr. Kissinger
4-18-69 3:40 PM

VP said he was appearing on Issues and Answers on Sunday and wondered what kind of responses he should give if Korean question arises. K said he would send him the suggested questions and answers prepared for the President on this. VP said that would help and K said he would get it over this afternoon. VP ~~xx~~ asked if K would be in office tomorrow and K said yes. VP said he would check with him to see how things are and K said, of course, he would have to know before he appears on Issues and Answers.

From their point of view a late date for the announcement puts it beyond their national day (October 1) and that of the Nationalists (October 10), and cuts down on the period of speculation. They are, of course, unaware of our October 12 announcement. We have complex scheduling problems, and I want to discuss personally with you our response to the proposed date of October 14.

Preparations for Peking Trips

In order to get the Chinese to do advance thinking, to pave the way for my trip, and to begin to shape a successful outcome for your trip, I gave the Chinese some technical questions and substantive suggestions.

-- On the technical side, I explained and handed over lists of questions which I had gone over with Bob Haldeman and a few others on the White House Staff. I suggested that my party would number about 10 people, both substantive and technical. I explained the responsibilities of each of the

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...Kissinger and Matthew Meselson debate use of herbicides and tear gas in Vietnam;

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United States. National Security Council. Staff. Top Secret, Action Memorandum. August 4, 1971: 3 pp.

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...commitments made to Nguyen Van Thieu during meeting with Henry Kissinger.

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United States. National Security Council. Staff. Top Secret, Action Memorandum. August 4, 1971: 21 pp.

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...Kissinger to Nguyen Van Thieu related to Paris Peace Talks, retention of South

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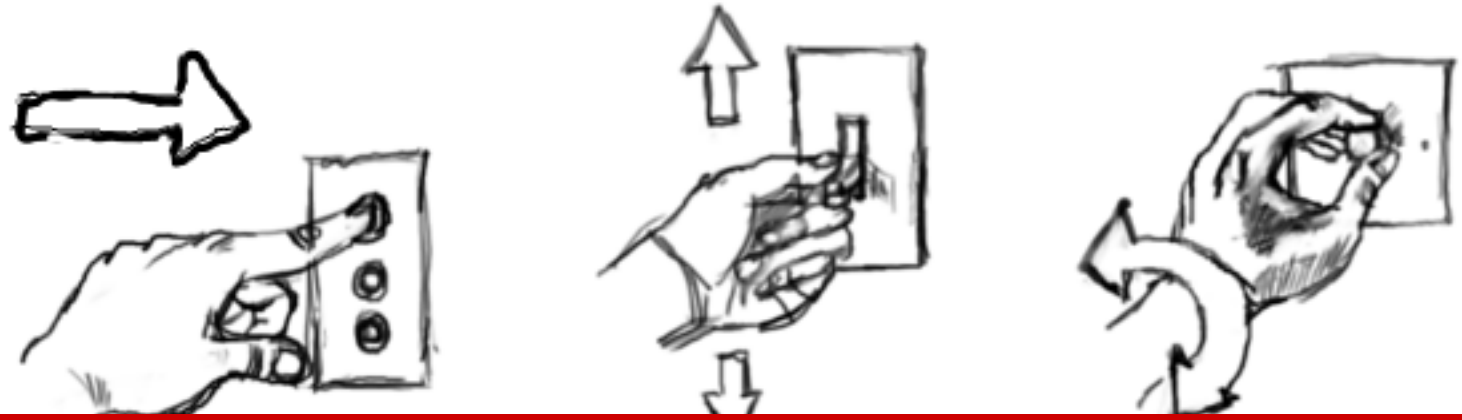

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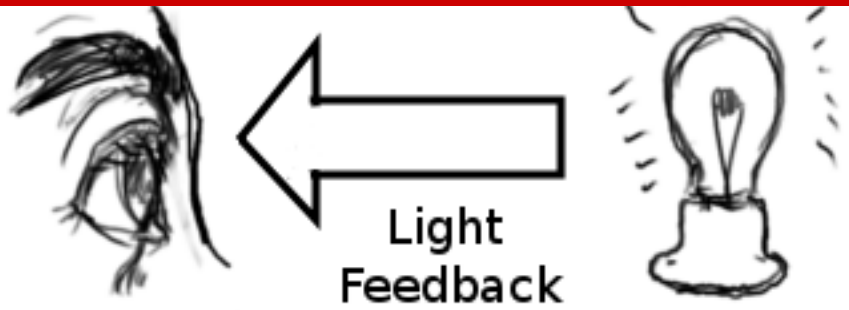

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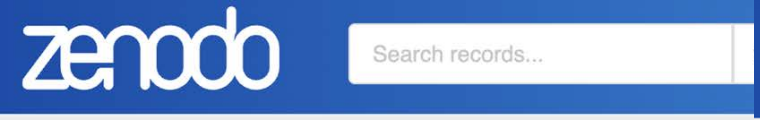

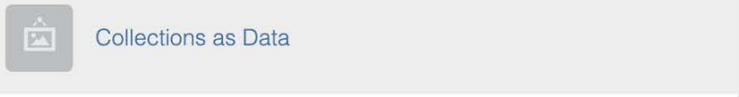

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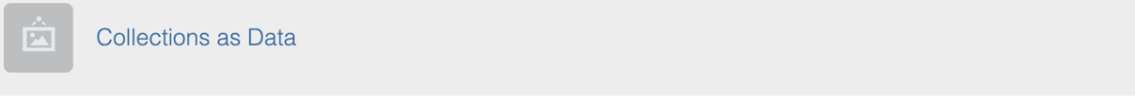

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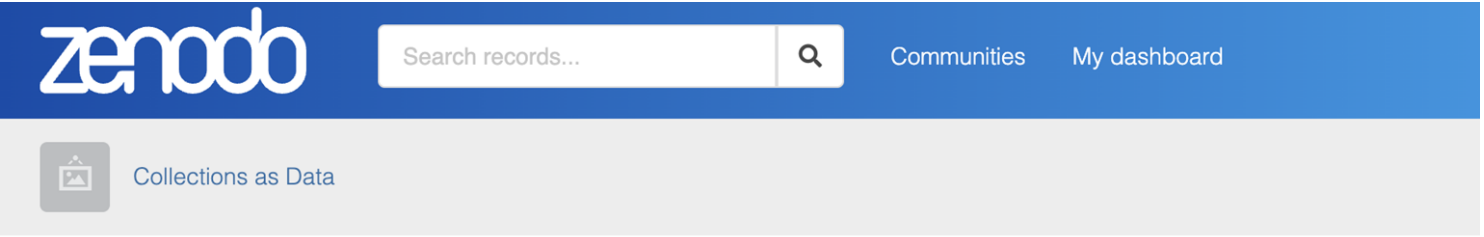

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Collections as data: Acceso computacional a colecciones digitales

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How do we responsibly support computational engagement with memory organization collections as data?

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open AI =

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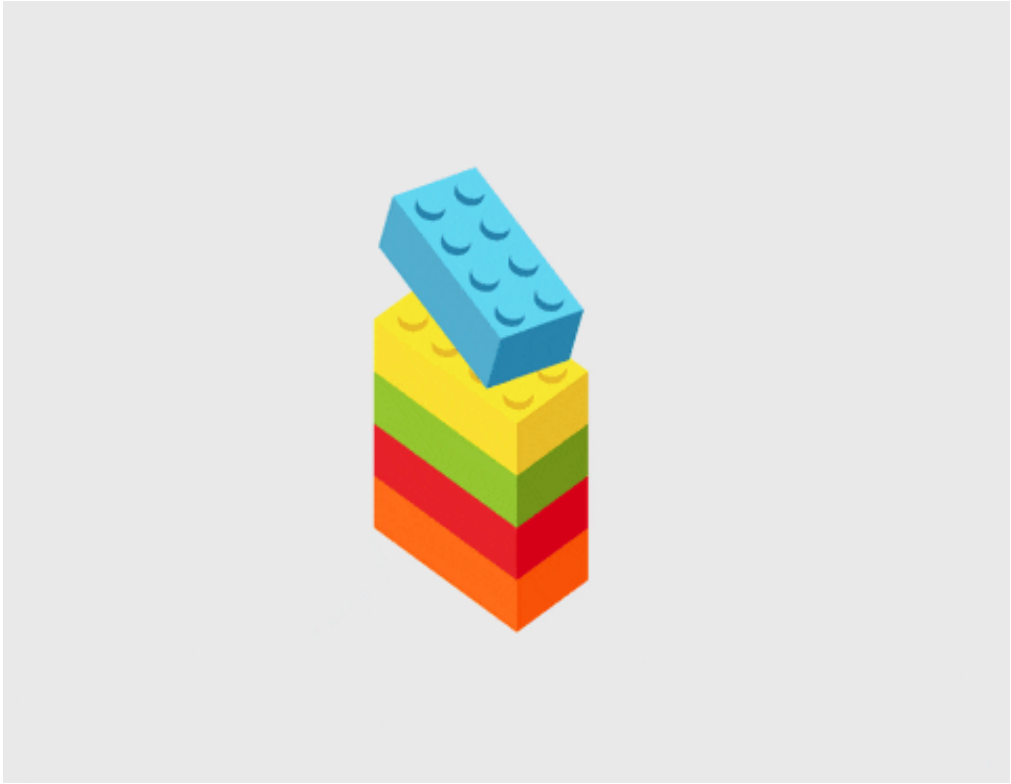

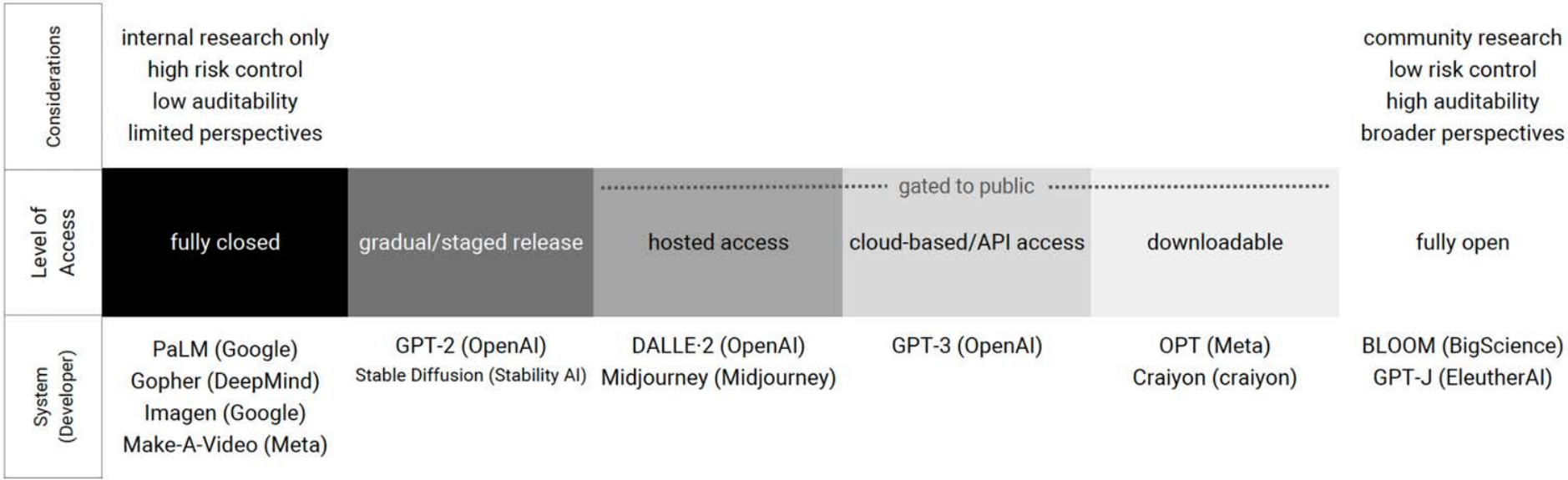

Irene Solaiman, **The Gradient of Generative AI Release: Methods and Considerations**

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Billy Perrigo, Yann LeCun On How An Open Source Approach Could Shape AI

Open Language Model: OLMo

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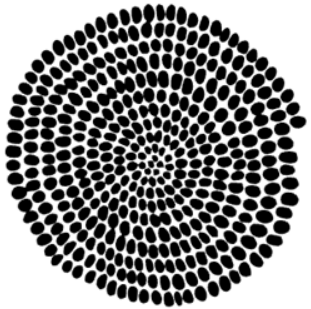

Community

Reducing the distance between researchers and community collaborators

Our research centers lived experiences from communities which are not typically represented in AI research. We strongly believe in a bottom-up approach, supporting and prioritizing research and researchers that emerge from the communities that we center in our work and their specific needs.

Interrogating Power

Creating spaces for communities to question elites

Understanding why people and communities “on the margins” are broadly excluded from AI development, and how this affects all of us, requires interrogating power. Part of our work is to expand the field of inquiry to study decision makers and tech elites that have remained significantly unquestioned in AI research.

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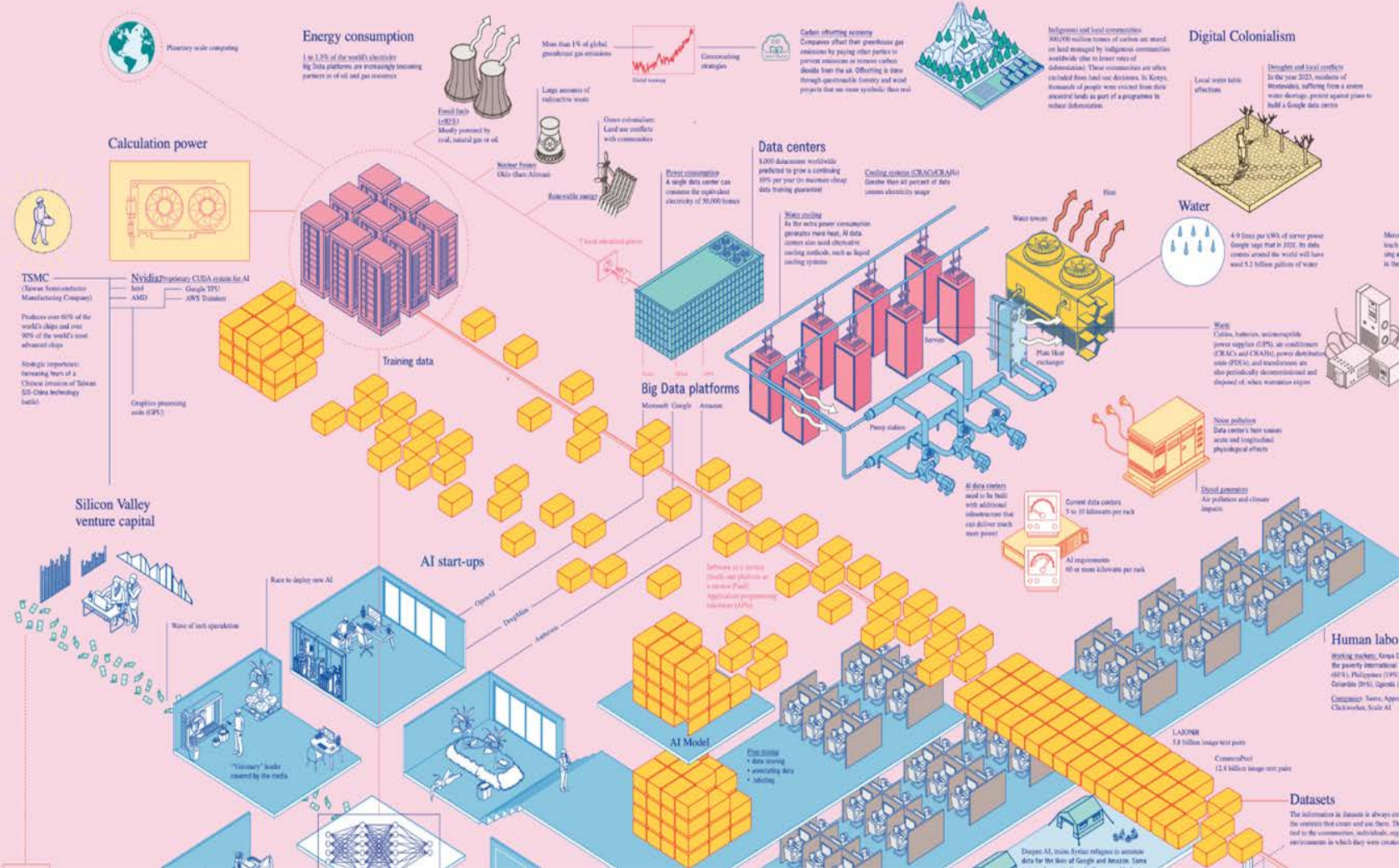
Sustainability strategy depends on awareness of interdependence, threats, and opportunities.

Suggested methods:

1. **Exploded view -** Cartography of generative AI
2. **Systems view -** World Systems Theory (Wallerstein)
3. **Replacement view** - AI is Automation (Bender)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Energy consumption
1 to 1.5% of the world's electricity
Big Data platforms are increasingly becoming partners in oil and gas resources
Fossil fuels (~80%)
Mostly powered by coal, natural gas or oil
More than 1% of global greenhouse gas emissions
Greenwashing strategies
Large amounts of radioactive waste
Nuclear fusion
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Renewable energy
Green colonialism: Land use conflicts with communities
Carbon offsetting economy
Companies offset their greenhouse gas emissions by paying other parties to prevent emissions or remove carbon dioxide from the air. Offsetting is done through questionable forestry and wind projects that are more symbolic than real
Indigenous and local communities
300,000 million tonnes of carbon are stored on land managed by indigenous communities worldwide (due to lower rates of deforestation). These communities are often excluded from land-use decisions. In Kenya, thousands of people were evicted from their ancestral lands as part of a programme to reduce deforestation.
Digital Colonialism
Local water table affections
Droughts and local conflicts
In the year 2025, residents of Montevideo, suffering from a severe water shortage, protest against plans to build a Google data centre
Calculation power
TSMC
(Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company)
Produces over 60% of the world's chips and over 90% of the world's most advanced chips
Strategic importance: Increasing fears of a Chinese invasion of Taiwan (US-China technology battle)
Nvidia Proprietary CUDA system for AI
Intel
AMD
Google TPU
AWS Trainium
Graphics processing units (GPU)
Training data
Power consumption
A single data center can consume the equivalent electricity of 50,000 homes
Data centers
8,000 datacenters worldwide predicted to grow a continuing 10% per year (to maximum cheap data training guarantee
Cooling systems (CRAC/CRAH)
Greater than 40 percent of data centers electricity usage
Water cooling
As the extra power consumption generates more heat, AI data centers also need alternative cooling methods, such as liquid cooling systems
Heat
Water towers
Water
4-9 times per kWh of server power Google says that in 2032, its data centres around the world will have used 5.2 billion gallons of water
Servers
Plate Heat exchanger
Pump station
Waste
Cables, batteries, uninterruptible power supplies (UPS), air conditioners (CRACs and CRAHs), power distribution units (PDUs), and transformers are also periodically decommissioned and disposed of, when warranties expire
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AI data centers
need to be built with additional infrastructure that can deliver much more power
Current data centers
5 to 10 kilowatts per rack
AI requirements
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Big Data platforms
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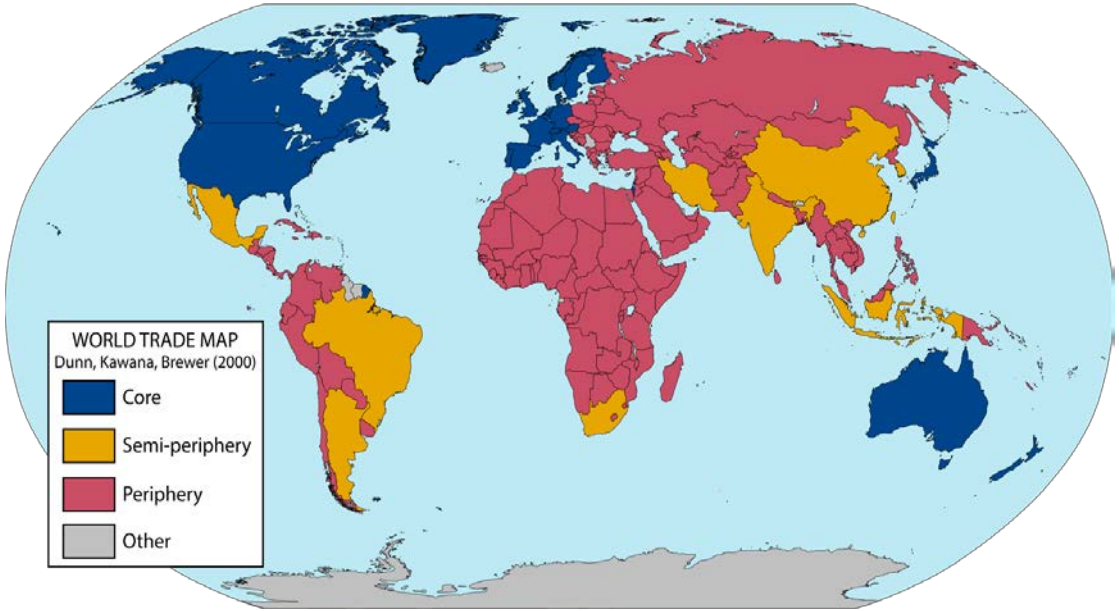


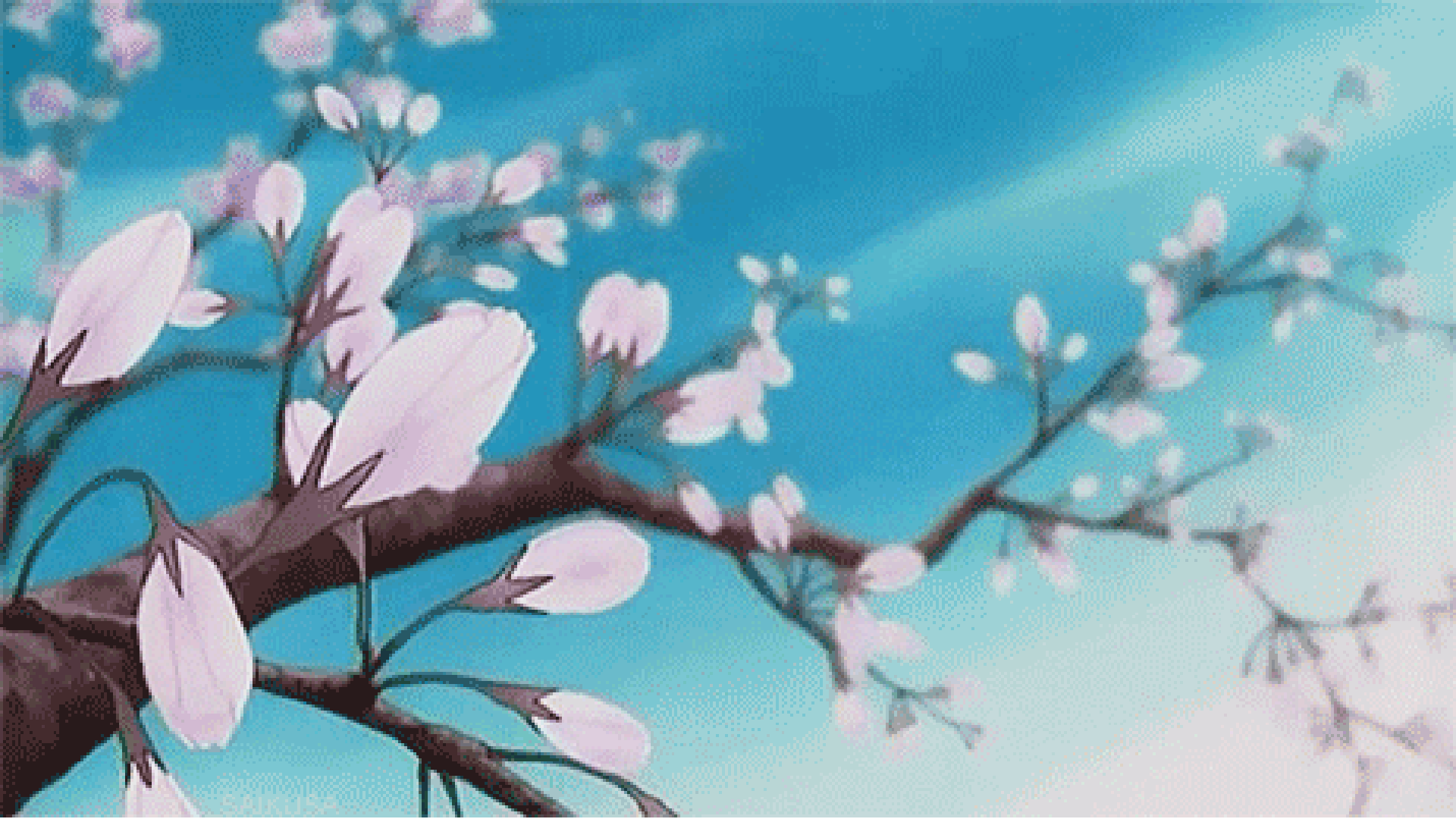
- Maintained distribution of capital concretizes system roles
- Exclusivity - e.g., compute
- Purgatory - e.g., raw materials, training data, content moderation

I think that discussions of this technology become much clearer when we replace the term AI with the word “automation”.

Then we can ask:

- What is being automated?
- Who’s automating it and why?
- Who benefits from that automation?
- How well does the automation work in its use case that we’re considering?
- Who’s being harmed?
- Who has accountability for the functioning of the automated system?
- What existing regulations already apply to the activities where the automation is being used?

Emily Bender, Opening remarks on “AI in the Workplace: New Crisis or Longstanding



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