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7. The quiet transfer of PII, IP, and secrets to AI and LLM providers

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Abstract: LLM's are increasingly confided in by professionals, researchers and laymen alike and yet, it is obscure what is done with the data after it has been served to the provider. The data sits in unclear legal territory because of multinational service providers which means that the data falls under multiple government's jurisdiction simultaneously without any clear rule which law governs a dispute. On top of that the Intellectual Property (IP) and Personally Identifiable Information (PII) is often provided to the providers creating both privacy, security and IP ownership problems. This talk means to look at this issue from a legal, humanities and practitioners experience by comparing legal infrastructure and security issues of transferring data between the main governments at play, the United States (US) and the European Union (EU). This talk includes real IP lawsuits, warnings from a major LLM service provider, definition and legal paradoxes that seem to be included in the terms of service and legal infrastructure. This talk is meant to help inform laymen and professionals alike of what happens to their data so they can ask themselves the question of whether providing external providers with IP and PII is worth the risk if it could potentially be accessed at a later time by a foreign court order.