READING · RELEASE 2026-W35

OpenAI

Lab · 24–30 Aug 2026 · reading r_f87c3649751d, version 2

IN DEVELOPMENT

On Reddit, 8,531 distinct people posted about OpenAI between 24 and 30 August 2026: 11,968 posts, an estimated 4.89% of that week's Reddit posts about AI, leaving out spam, bot, incentive and templated automated posts (99.9% of these posts had an identifiable author).

Measured statement · Reddit · n 11,968 posts · author coverage 99.9% · 7 days: 7 backfilled

ATTENTION

Distinct people, each platform on its own scale

Reddit		**8,531 people** · 4.89% of posts
Hacker News		**21 people** · 6.54% of posts
Not counted	Bluesky and YouTube have no day between 24 and 30 August 2026 that AIDRAN counts, so there's no figure to show.	
Article sources	Not applicable: arXiv and Exa carry articles, which have no authors, so people aren't counted.	

People are distinct platform identities, counted on each platform separately and never added across platforms. Bars are scaled to each platform's first place in 2026-W35 (Reddit: Claude, 8,840; Hacker News), so no two platforms share a scale. As of 25 Sep 2026 13:30Z.

PLACE

Where it was said: posts on Reddit, by community

r/ChatGPT users		3,062 posts
r/OpenAI users		927 posts
r/ClaudeAI users		761 posts
r/singularity general		748 posts
r/LocalLLaMA builders		593 posts

Posts about OpenAI in its 5 largest Reddit communities, 24–30 Aug 2026. The word after each community is its type: who is there, not what it's about.

THE PARTS NOT MEASURED YET

Shown as absent, never as zero

Frames	NOT MEASURED YET	Frames aren't measured yet.
Register	NOT MEASURED YET	Register isn't measured yet.

EVIDENCE

The posts behind the figures

Up to 10 posts behind each figure with a value, one frozen sample per figure and per platform, drawn once on 2 Oct 2026 12:22Z. Reddit's people figure: 10 drawn from 11,968. The quotes are on the reading page, without authors, so they aren't printed here.

CONDITIONS

What this reading rests on

Window · as of	24–30 Aug 2026 · 25 Sep 2026 13:30Z
Days counted	Reddit 7 of 7 (from an archive); Hacker News 7 of 7 (from an archive); arXiv 7 of 7 (from an archive)
Not counted	Bluesky, YouTube, Google News and Exa, not being collected yet
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