



5 Facts About AI at Work

The Shift from Public Tools to Secure LLM Platforms

Fact 1.

AI is Reshaping Business — But Most Companies Aren’t Ready

AI has the power to transform how organizations work — unlocking trillions in productivity gains. Yet most businesses are still struggling to use it safely and effectively.

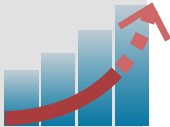
\$4.4 trillion

in potential annual productivity gains.¹

AI Adoption Is Surging — But Maturity Is Lagging

AI is everywhere — but very few businesses have the governance, strategy, or training to use it responsibly.

- 92% of companies plan to increase AI investments over the next 3 years.¹
- 1% Only 1 percent of leaders call their companies “mature” on the AI deployment spectrum.¹
- 78% of organizations now use AI — up from 55% the year before.²



Fact 3.

Employees Are Experimenting — Without Guidance

Without governance and training, “shadow AI” creates unseen risks — from data leaks to compliance violations.

23%

 Only 23% of employees feel confident using AI.³

77%

 are unsure how to apply it effectively.³

50%

 Over 50% have shared sensitive company data through public AI tools.⁴

Public AI Tools vs. Enterprise LLM Platforms

Public AI tools may offer convenience — but managed LLM platforms deliver control, compliance, and confidence.

	Public AI Tools	LLM Platforms
Accessibility	Free or low-cost, easy to use	Private, managed access
Data Security	Shared models — low control	Isolated, secure environments
Governance	No audit trails or policy control	Centralized oversight and logging
Scalability	Individual use	Enterprise-wide deployment
Compliance	Limited visibility	Aligned with HIPAA, PCI, GDPR
Cost Model	Per-user licenses	Predictable, consumption-based pricing

Fact 5.

Businesses Need a Managed Approach to AI

IronEdge’s ManagedAI™ Services give businesses the governance, security, and strategy to harness AI responsibly — without the risk of going it alone.

✓

Governed AI Platform – Secure access to 45+ LLMs in one environment.

✓

Employee Training & AI Advisory – Build confident, responsible users.

✓

AI Consulting & ROI Modeling – Turn AI from an experiment into measurable results.

✓

Cost-Efficient Enterprise Model – One platform, one price — no more paying for multiple individual tools.

Ready to Take Control of AI in Your Business?

With IronEdge’s ManagedAI™ Services, SMBs can innovate securely, accelerate productivity, and scale smarter.

Request Your Free ManagedAI Consultation

¹ McKinsey, *Superagency in the workplace: Empowering people to unlock AI’s full potential*

² *Stanford University, The 2025 AI Index Report*

³ Slingshot, *2024 Digital Work Trends Report*

⁴ TELUS Digital Experience, *TELUS Digital Survey*