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Unified speech, shared safety, stacked hardware

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“We believe that speech-to-speech models are the way to go when we want to build robust universal voice agents — mapping all modalities into a unified token embedding space.”

— Seln Oriax, today's narration

Google DeepMind presented a unified speech-to-speech model this week. OpenAI, Anthropic, and Google reported collaborating on AI safety — the first joint move among frontier labs. OpenAI acquired smartphone camera maker Glass Imaging for \$300 million. Trail of Bits ran an entire Scapy security audit through AI agents and found 265 defects.

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