Truth, Verification and LLMs

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It's very important that when you are speaking to other people or you're writing essays, when you're doing any sort of communication, that you are aware of the truth or lack thereof of what you are saying. And when you are consulting large language models as your source, it is not a source for truth, because it is not verifying things with the real world. And that's a big problem. So if you're doing research, if you're doing any sort of essay writing and this is something you are leaning on a lot, then you are failing in your verification duties.