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Cloud, Digital Transformation, Web3

Cloud

- **Google:** Announces the general availability of Dataplex data lineage — a fully managed [Dataplex](#) capability that helps you understand how data is sourced and transformed within the organization. [\(Link\)](#)
- **Google:** Opens access to Bard, an early experiment that lets you collaborate with generative AI. Bard is powered by a research large language model (LLM), specifically a lightweight and optimized version of [LaMDA](#). [\(Link\)](#)
- **Azure:** Announce that GPT-4 is available in preview in [Azure OpenAI Service](#). AI models—including GPT-3.5, ChatGPT and DALL•E 2. [\(Link\)](#)

Digital Transformation

- **Cisco:** Announce its intent to acquire Lightspin Technologies Ltd. a privately-held cloud security software company. Lightspin's lightweight agentless solution quickly scans your AWS, Azure, and GCP environments and Kubernetes clusters covering virtual machines, containers, and serverless. [\(Link\)](#)
- **SAP:** SAP and DataRobot announced a joint partnership to enable customers to train ML models on their data residing in SAP HANA Cloud and SAP Data Warehouse Cloud. As a result, enterprises can now get powerful insights and predictive analytics from their business data. [\(Link\)](#)
- **OpenAI:** Released GPT-4, a newer natural language processing (NLP) model that can render both images and text and produce text outputs. GPT-4 still suffers from similar limitations as earlier GPT models. Most notable is that it "hallucinates" facts and makes reasoning errors. [\(Link\)](#)

Web3

- **Web3 Games Collective:** The members of W3GC include Yield Guild Games (YGG), Game7, Magic Eden, and Fenix Games formed the [Web3 Games Collective](#) to leverage their expertise in creating a wave of breakout blockchain games. [\(Link\)](#)
- **Chainlink:** A web3 services platform, is launching a self-service, serverless platform to help developers connect their decentralized applications (dApps) to any Web 2.0 API, like an AWS or Meta service. [\(Link\)](#)
- **Bitcoin NFTs:** Bitcoin supports on-chain (native) support for NFTs, known as ordinal NFTs. Ordinals use an arbitrary but logical ordering system called [ordinal theory](#) to give each individual Bitcoin satoshi a unique number. [\(Link\)](#)