

The True Cost of Shadow AI.

Your people are already using AI.
The only question is whether you can see it.

81%

of employees use unapproved AI;
45% bypass blocks

88%

of security leaders use unapproved AI;
45% bypass blocks

Source: UpGuard - The State of Shadow AI, 2025 - upguard.com/resources/the-state-of-shadow-ai

Four hidden costs of ungoverned AI. What shadow AI is quietly costing organizations today.

4 in 5

AI tools run with no IT oversight
(<20% visible)

Zluri — The State of AI in the Workplace
2025 (via Business Wire) — zluri.com

97%

of AI breaches involved tools with no
proper access controls

IBM with Ponemon Institute - Cost of a Data Breach Report 2025 -
ibm.com/reports/data-breach

57%

of employees have pasted
confidential data into public AI tools

TELUS Digital employee survey, 2025 (via Tech
Monitor) - techmonitor.ai

+\$670k

added to the average breach when
shadow AI is involved

IBM with Ponemon Institute - Cost of a Data
Breach Report 2025 -

From Shadow AI to governed AI. Microsoft Agent 365 as one control plane to:

Observe.

Govern.

Control.

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