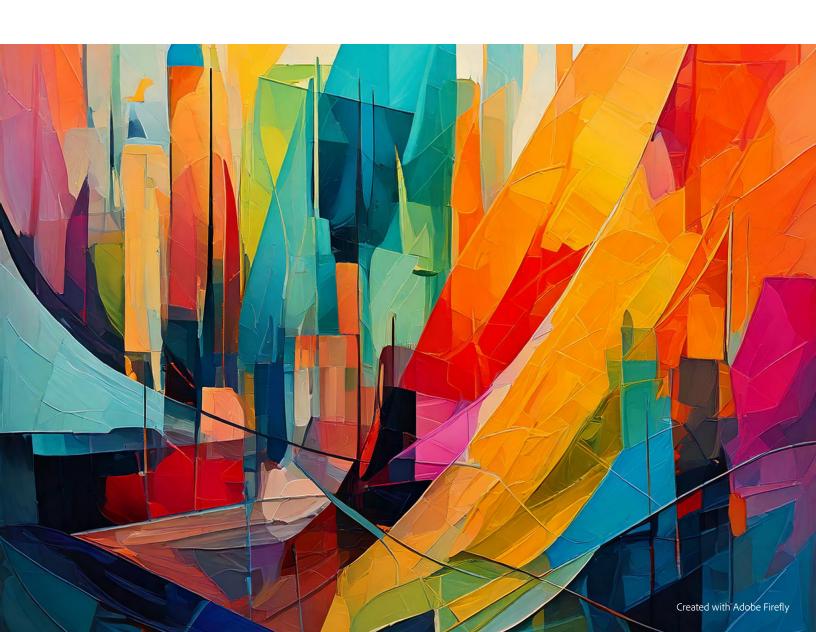
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Al Assistant for content generation

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About AI Assistant for content generation

Al Assistant for content generation is a feature in Adobe Journey Optimizer, Adobe Campaign and Adobe Marketo Engage that enables customers to generate text and image content variations for use in email, SMS, push notifications, and web offers using generative Al (GenAl). With prompt-based text generation powered by the Azure OpenAl Service and image generation powered by Adobe Firefly, customers can optimize the impact of their marketing messages by experimenting with different main titles and images, varying the delivery content or subject, and defining multiple message treatments so they can measure performance with their target audience.

Al Assistant for content generation Components

Al Assistant for content generation includes four (4) components:

- Al Assistant User interface Integrated into the Adobe Journey Optimizer content authoring screen, the
 Adobe Campaign web interface, and the Adobe Marketo Engage Email Designer, Al Assistant for content
 generation enables customers to upload and select existing brand assets, enter text prompts, and include other
 content features to generate and refine the content for different channels.
- Web Application Service Provides REST APIs to accept requests for document processing and content generation. The Web Application Service authorizes and validates the request before passing it to one of the two dedicated "Workers" described below to complete the task.
- **Document Processing Worker** Extracts the text chunks and image content from the brand documents uploaded by the customer and stores them as reference content for on-brand content generation.
- **Content Generation Worker** Generates marketing content based on user-uploaded reference content (if used) and user-defined preferences.
 - For Adobe Journey Optimizer and Adobe Campaign: The Content Generation Worker finds the matching reference content and sends it to the Azure OpenAl Service to generate text content. If no matching image assets exist in the uploaded brand documents, the Content Generation Worker uses Adobe Firefly to generate image content.
 - For Marketo Engage: If the "Generate images using AI" image setting is enabled, the Content Generation Worker uses Adobe Firefly to generate image content. If the setting is not enabled, it only looks for matching assets in the uploaded brand documents.

Accessing AI Assistant for content generation

To use AI Assistant for content generation in Adobe Journey Optimizer, users must be granted the "Generate Content" permission. For more information, see <u>Get Started with AI Assistant</u> on Adobe Experience League.

For the required permissions and steps to grant users access to AI Assistant for content generation in Adobe Campaign, please see <u>Work with AI Assistant</u> on Adobe Experience League.

For Marketo Engage, every user within an organization that has agreed to Adobe's generative AI terms and the supplemental terms for using the generative AI functionality in Email Designer can access AI Assistant. For more information, please contact your Adobe representative.

All AI Assistant for content generation requests are authenticated using Adobe Identity Management Services (IMS). For more information about Adobe IMS, please see the <u>Adobe Identity Management Services Security</u> Overview.

Please note: Each user granted permission to use AI Assistant for content generation is subject to the <u>Adobe Experience</u> Cloud Generative AI User Guidelines.

Data Encryption

In Transit: All data is encrypted in transit over HTTPS using TLS 1.2 or greater.

At Rest: Any data stored by AI Assistant for content generation is encrypted at rest using AES 256-bit encryption.

Security Architecture and Data Flow – Document Processing

The following example illustrates the data flow for document processing in AI Assistant for content generation:

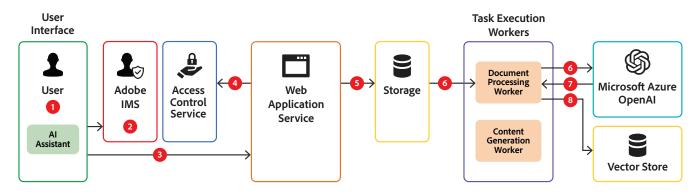


Figure 1: AI Assistant for content generation data flow diagram for document processing

Data Flow Narrative – Document Processing

Step 1: The user opens Al Assistant.

Step 2: Al Assistant authenticates the user with <u>Adobe Identity Management Services (IMS)</u> and checks that the user is entitled to use Al Assistant for content generation.

Step 3: The user selects "upload content" in AI Assistant and optionally adds the brand assets and documents they want to use as reference content.

Step 4: The Web Application Service confirms with the product's access control service that the user is entitled to ask upload content. *Note: For Adobe Journey Optimizer, access control is provided through the AEP Access Control*

Service. For Adobe Campaign, access control is provided through user groups in the Campaign web interface. For Adobe Marketo Engage, access control is provided through the Marketo Identity Service.

- **Step 5:** If the user has the appropriate entitlement, the Web Application Service uploads the user-provided reference content in an encrypted database.
- **Step 6:** The Document Processing Worker extracts relevant text and image content from the uploaded reference content in the database and sends this extracted content to the Azure OpenAI Service.
- **Step 7:** The Azure OpenAI Service generates vector embeddings for the extracted content and returns the vector embeddings to the Document Processing Worker.
- **Step 8:** The Document Processing Worker stores the extracted text and image vectors in encrypted storage to inform the generation of new marketing content.

Security Architecture and Data Flow – Content Generation

The following example illustrates the data flow for content generation in AI Assistant for content generation

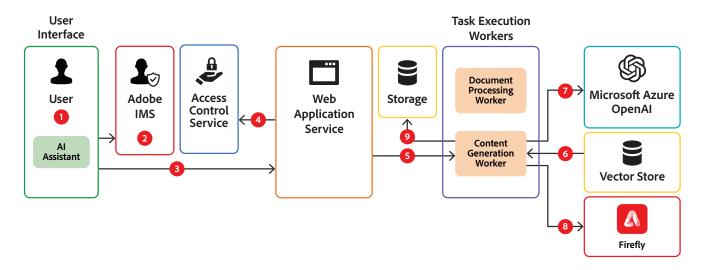


Figure 2: AI Assistant for content generation data flow diagram for content generation

Data Flow Narrative – Content Generation

- Step 1: User opens AI Assistant.
- **Step 2:** Al Assistant authenticates the user with <u>Adobe Identity Management Services (IMS)</u> and checks that the user is entitled to use Al Assistant for content generation.
- **Step 3:** User selects "generate content" in AI Assistant and types in a prompt that describes what they want to generate and uploads a content template. Optionally, the user may also upload brand assets and other parameters to guide the content generation.

Step 4: The Web Application Service confirms with the product's access control service that the user is entitled to generate content. *Note: For Adobe Journey Optimizer, access control is provided through the AEP Access Control Service. For Adobe Campaign, access control is provided through user groups in the Campaign web interface. For Adobe Marketo Engage, access control is provided through the Marketo Identity Service.*

Step 5: If the user has the appropriate entitlement, the Web Application Service sends the template and the user prompt to the Content Generation Worker.

Step 6: The Content Generation Worker retrieves the previously uploaded relevant text brand assets from the vector store based on the user-provided input and generation parameters.

Step 7: The Content Generation Worker sends the user input/prompt and the retrieved text from the vector store to Azure OpenAI to generate the new text content and provide suggested descriptions for relevant images.

Step 8: For Adobe Journey Optimizer and Adobe Campaign: Using the suggested image descriptions, the Content Generation Worker searches the uploaded brand assets for images that match the description. If it does not find any images that match the description, the Content Generation Worker uses Adobe Firefly to generate images for the corresponding image placeholders.

For Marketo Engage: Using the suggested image descriptions, the Content Generation Worker searches the uploaded brand assets for images that match the description. If the "Generate images using AI" image setting is enabled, the Content Generation Worker uses Adobe Firefly to generate images for the corresponding image placeholders.

Step 9: The Content Generation Worker stores the newly generated brand assets in encrypted storage. The user can then access the content in the Adobe solution they are using.

Al Assistant for content generation and Azure OpenAl

Al Assistant for content generation leverages Azure OpenAl to generate text-based content. The following data may be passed to Azure OpenAl to facilitate content generation:

- Prompt text and other generation parameters provided by the user
- Text and images from user-uploaded brand documents

Adobe has disabled logging in Azure OpenAI, helping ensure that Microsoft does not collect or review any data sent for processing to Azure OpenAI by AI Assistant. More information is available at <u>Azure OpenAI data privacy and security</u>.

Adobe does not use any customer data to train or fine-tune the Azure OpenAl Service.

Content Filtering

Al Assistant for content generation leverages Azure OpenAl's content filtering service to moderate the input before it is processed by Azure OpenAl and the output after generation by Azure OpenAl. Azure OpenAl uses Microsoft's collection of proprietary models for content filtering that includes both contextual and semantic understanding of

text. Adobe has configured the Azure OpenAI's content filtering service to filter for "medium" and "high" severity output from Azure OpenAI.

Al Assistant for content generation additionally filters any input and output that violates Adobe's Generative Al User Guidelines (e.g., hate speech and profanity) that was not moderated by Azure OpenAl's content filter.

When sending content to Azure OpenAI, AI Assistant for content generation also sends system prompt instructions to help provide guardrails that enforce intended behavior.

Testing

Adobe teams conduct testing to reduce the potential for biased and harmful outcomes in our generative AI products. For more information on the development and testing processes for our generative AI solutions, please see the <u>Generative AI Built for Business solution brief.</u>

Data Retention

Brand Assets

Uploaded reference content and brand assets are stored in an encrypted database located in the same region in which the customer's Adobe Journey Optimizer service infrastructure is provisioned. By default, Adobe stores this data for 30 days after which time it is automatically deleted. If the user wishes to delete their content prior to 30 days, they may delete it at any time.

Data Usage

While Adobe does not use customer data to fine-tune or train any model, a human evaluation team observes and uses the input and output data to evaluate and improve the quality of generated content.

Data Processing and Storage Locations

Adobe Identity Management Services (IMS)

Regardless of the geographic location of the customer, all identity data is stored in multi-region, load-balanced, cloud infrastructure providers with data centers located in North America, Europe, and APAC. Identity data is replicated across all data centers for reliability reasons. All identity data is secured at-rest using AES-256-bit encryption in compliance with the Adobe Common Controls Framework (CCF) and meets our internal policies for encryption and storage of sensitive data.

Adobe Journey Optimizer and Azure OpenAl

Customer data sent to Adobe Journey Optimizer and AI Assistant for content generation is processed and stored in regions as indicated in the table below. Customer data sent to Azure OpenAI is processed but not stored in Azure data centers listed here:

Adobe Journey Optimizer Service Infrastructure and Data Storage	Al Assistant for content generation Service Infrastructure and Data Storage	Azure OpenAl Data Center (Processing)
U.S. East (Virginia)	U.S. East (Virginia)	U.S. East 2 (Virginia), US West California)
Canada Central (Toronto)	Canada Central (Toronto)	U.S. East 2 (Virginia), US West (California)
Australia (Sydney)	Australia (Sydney)	U.S. East 2 (Virginia), US West (California)
Netherlands (Amsterdam)	Netherlands (Amsterdam)	Sweden Central (Gävle and Sandviken)
Central India	Central India	Sweden Central (Gävle and Sandviken)
UK South (London)	UK South (London)	Sweden Central (Gävle and Sandviken)

Adobe Campaign and Azure OpenAl

Customer data sent to AI Assistant for content generation may be processed and stored in a different region than the Adobe Campaign service infrastructure region. Customer data sent to Azure OpenAI is processed but not stored in Azure data centers listed here:

Adobe Campaign Service Infrastructure and Data Storage	Al Assistant for content generation Service Infrastructure and Data Storage	Azure OpenAl Data Center (Processing)
U.S. West (Oregon)	U.S. East (Virginia)	U.S. East 2 (Virginia), US West California)
U.S. East (Virginia)	U.S. East (Virginia)	U.S. East 2 (Virginia), US West California)
Canada Central (Toronto)	Canada Central (Toronto)	U.S. East 2 (Virginia), US West (California)
Australia (Sydney)	Australia (Sydney)	U.S. East 2 (Virginia), US West (California)
Europe (Ireland)	Netherlands (Amsterdam)	Sweden Central (Gävle and Sandviken)
Central India	Central India	Sweden Central (Gävle and Sandviken)

Adobe Marketo Engage and Azure OpenAl

Customer data sent to AI Assistant for content generation may be processed and stored in a different region than the Adobe Marketo Engage service infrastructure region. Customer data sent to Azure OpenAI is processed but not stored in Azure data centers listed here:

Adobe Marketo Engage Service Infrastructure and Data Storage	Al Assistant for content generation Service Infrastructure and Data Storage	Azure OpenAl Data Center (Processing)
U.S. West (California)	U.S. East (Virginia)	U.S. East 2 (Virginia), US West California)
U.S. East (Virginia)	U.S. East (Virginia)	U.S. East 2 (Virginia), US West California)
Canada Central (Toronto)	U.S. East (Virginia)	U.S. East 2 (Virginia), US West (California)
Australia (Sydney)	Australia (Sydney)	U.S. East 2 (Virginia), US West (California)
Netherlands (Amsterdam)	Netherlands (Amsterdam)	Sweden Central (Gävle and Sandviken)
United Kingdom (London)	Netherlands (Amsterdam)	Sweden Central (Gävle and Sandviken)

Questions?

If you have any additional questions about the security posture and capabilities of AI Assistant for content generation, please contact your Adobe account manager. For all other questions about Adobe's security programs and processes and compliance certifications, please see the <u>Adobe Trust Center</u>.