

Recall Privacy Policy

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What Recall collects Recall indexes the text content of your AI conversations (Claude, ChatGPT, Gemini) using your existing browser sessions. This includes message text, conversation titles, timestamps, and documents or code files created within those conversations.

Where your data is stored All data is stored locally on your device in your browser's IndexedDB storage. No conversation data is transmitted to, processed by, or stored on any server operated by Recall or any third party.

What we can access We cannot access your conversation data under any circumstances. We do not operate servers that receive, store, or process your conversations. The only information we receive is your email address and payment status through our payment processor (Stripe).

The AI model Recall uses an open-source text embedding model (all-MiniLM-L6-v2) that runs entirely on your device via WebAssembly. The model is downloaded once (~22MB) from Hugging Face's public CDN and cached locally. No data is sent to any external service during search or indexing.

Network requests Recall makes

1. To AI platforms (claude.ai, chatgpt.com, gemini.google.com) — to read conversations using your existing sessions. These are the same requests the platform's own website makes.
2. To Hugging Face CDN (huggingface.co) — one-time download of the embedding model file.
3. To payment provider (Stripe) — to verify subscription status. Only email and subscription status are exchanged.

What we do not do

- We do not store your conversations on any server
- We do not transmit conversation data to any third party
- We do not use analytics, tracking pixels, or telemetry
- We do not access browsing history, other tabs, or other extensions
- We do not capture conversations from incognito/private browsing
- We do not sell, share, license, or provide access to any user data

Your controls

- Pause indexing at any time
- Remove specific conversations from your archive
- Restore removed conversations or delete them permanently

- Destroy all data with one button (Settings > Clear all data)

Permissions explained

- storage + unlimitedStorage: local conversation indexes
- offscreen: background ML model execution via WebAssembly
- alarms: periodic sync scheduling (every 15 minutes)
- Host permissions for claude.ai, chatgpt.com, gemini.google.com: reading conversations via existing browser sessions

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