# Google unveils AI-powered News Brief feature at CES 2025



At the Consumer Electronics Show (CES) 2025, held on Monday, Google introduced a significant enhancement to its TV operating system, leveraging the capabilities of its Gemini AI assistant in an innovative feature called “News Brief.” This development aims to transform the way users consume news, offering summarised highlights from various sources including news articles and YouTube video headlines from trusted news channels. By simply requesting their “News Brief,” users can receive a condensed summary of the top stories of the day, showcasing Google's intent to integrate AI deeply into daily media consumption.

The rollout of this feature is scheduled for later in 2025, and is expected to be made available for both new and existing Google TV devices. This initiative represents Google's significant foray into the realm of AI-generated news summaries, a sector that has recently attracted scrutiny and legal challenges. Other tech giants such as OpenAI and Microsoft are involved in lawsuits with media companies alleging improper licensing and crediting practices in their AI systems used for news content curation.

Amidst concerns about ethical usage, AI summarisation has sparked instances of misinformation, often referred to as 'hallucinations'. Recent examples include Apple's AI-generated summaries, which inaccurately represented a BBC news story regarding tennis champion Rafael Nadal, while past iterations of Google’s Gemini AI included misstatements encouraging users to apply glue on pizza. Such incidents highlight the challenges faced by tech companies venturing into this sensitive area.

Historically, Google has shown caution towards AI news summaries, initially steering users to its traditional Google Search platform. However, as it pivots towards a more integrated approach, News Brief signifies a notable shift in Google’s strategy, now presenting a dedicated AI-driven news feature. During the demonstration, a Google executive shared with TechCrunch that the News Brief pulls information not only from YouTube but also a wide array of online content, though it notably does not disclose the specific sources of information.

In the demonstration for TechCrunch, Gemini effectively summarised breaking news relating to Canadian Prime Minister Justin Trudeau’s resignation and significant happenings on Capitol Hill, including the anniversary of the January 6 Capitol riot. This capability is in line with Google’s vision of a more interactive TV experience, which includes the addition of sensors for detecting user presence in the room.

In addition to news summarisation, Google’s Gemini is set to enhance user interaction further, allowing individuals to inquire about shows, movies, and video content through natural language. This capability is intended to foster a more engaging media experience within the home environment, as Google continues to explore the convergence of AI technology and consumer electronics.

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