

Artificial Intelligence

Impacts of Increased Computing Power on Commerce

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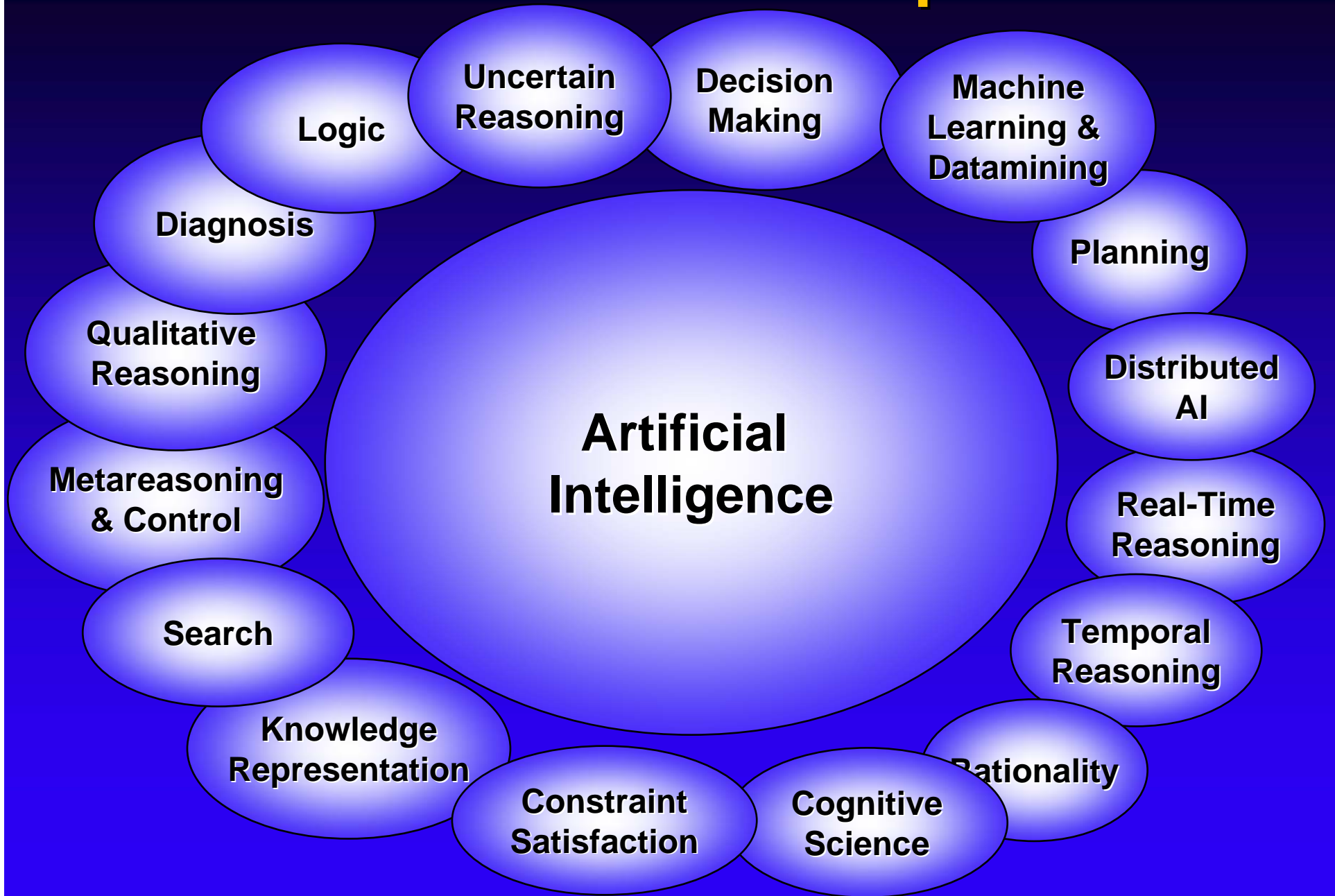
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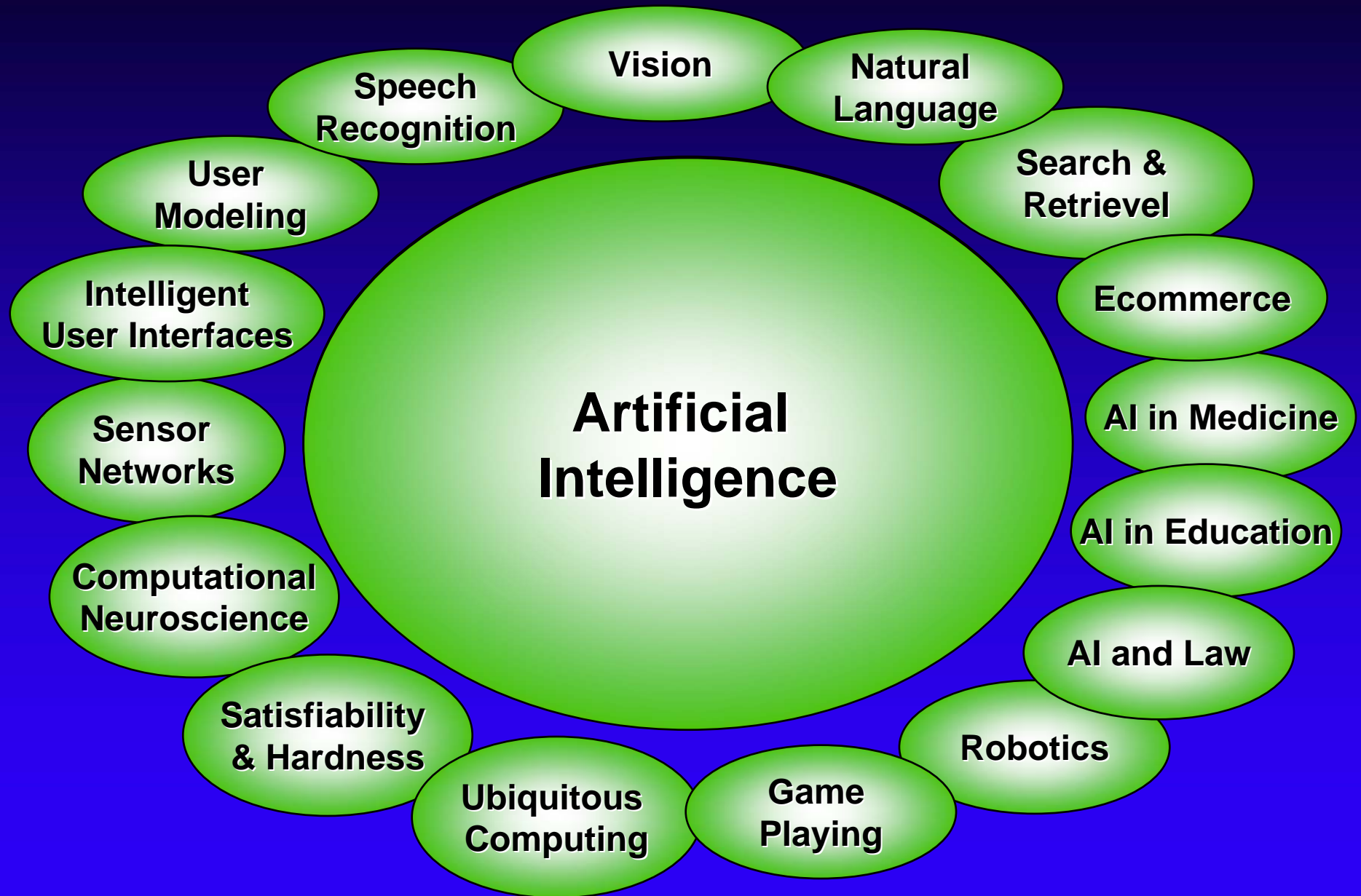
Automating tasks that have required human intelligence ...and beyond.

- ◆ Representation & reasoning with knowledge
- ◆ Sensing, learning & adaptation
- ◆ Search & optimization
- ◆ Theoretical principles & applications
- ◆ Embedded vs. foreground; real-time vs. offline; autonomous vs. supportive, interactive.

Evolution of Subdisciplines



Evolution of Specialty Areas



AI at Forefront of “Computational Revolution”

Industrial revolution



Computational revolution

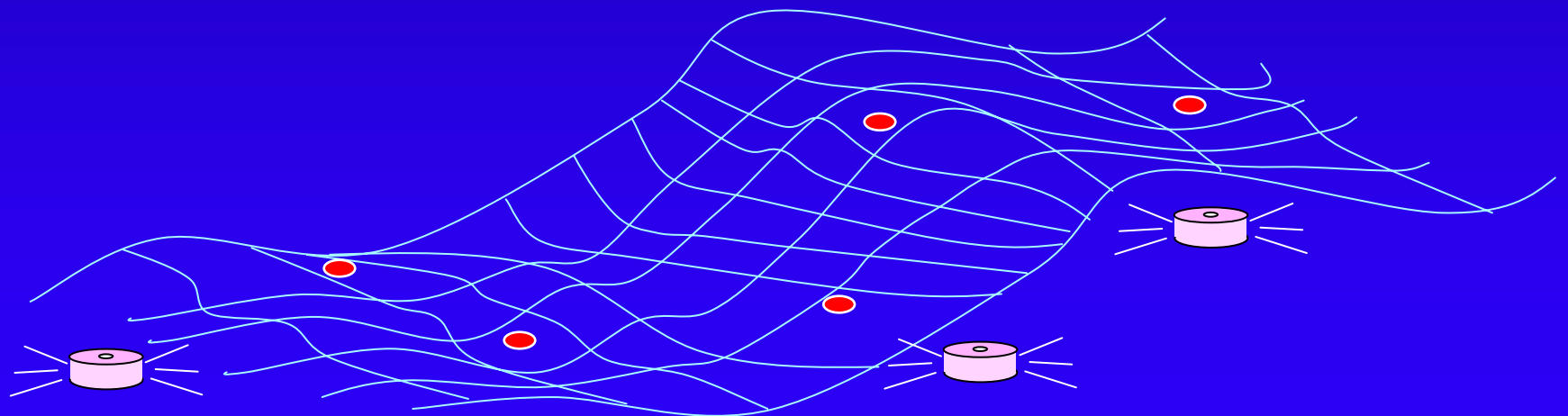
Acceleration of Methods, Applications, Infrastructure

↑ Learning and reasoning prowess

↑ Computation

↑ Memory

↑ Sensors, connectivity, and content



Expectations: AI in daily life

- **Communications**
- **Time management**
- **Health & safety**
- **Education**
- **Goals, informational needs**
- **Games, recreation, activities**
- **Products, purchases, marketing**
- **Opportunistic planning**
- **Augmentation of cognition**

Expectations: AI in Science

- Automated discovery
- Design of experiments
- Triaging of resources
- Interpretation of data
- Probing complexity
- Biology, chemistry, medicine, climate

Key insights and technological breakthroughs will be enabled through AI methods

Expectation: AI and Infrastructure

- **Transportation**
 - **Commerce decision making**
 - **Agriculture**
 - **Engineering & architecture**
 - **Power & conservation**
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AI and the Consumer

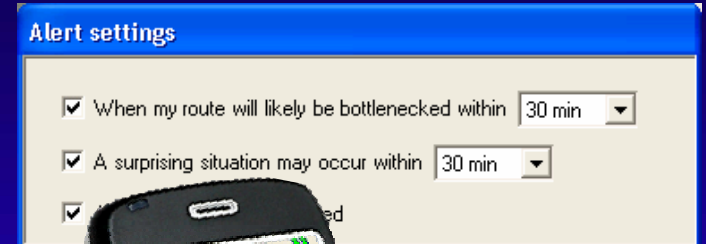
- **Evolving relationship with computation**
- **Sensing, reasoning & learning**
- **Personalized smart applications**
- **Products & services**
- **Challenges *and opportunities* with data & privacy**

Evolving relationship with computation

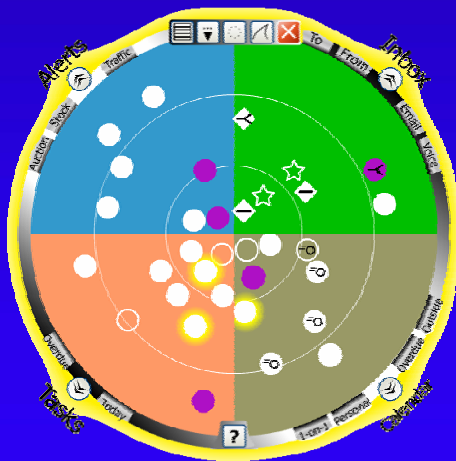
-Triage of alerts & messages



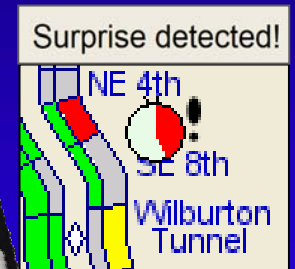
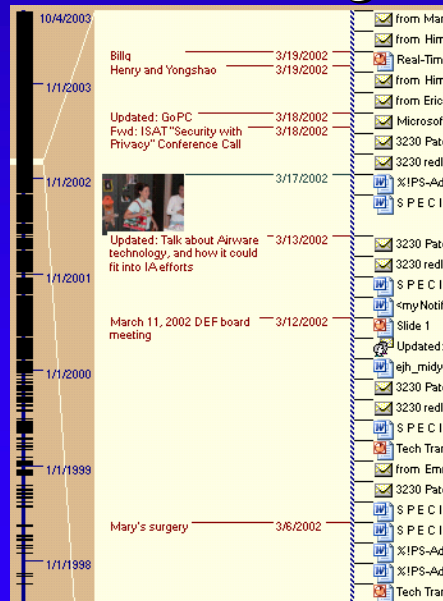
-Predictive, proactive services



-Rich visualizations of inferences



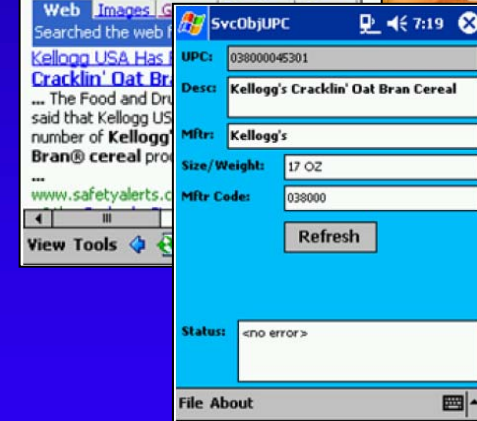
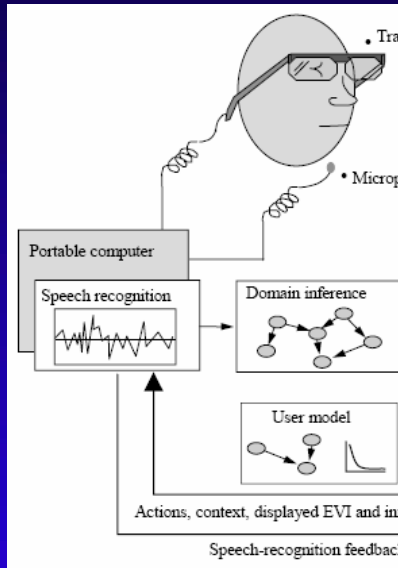
-Memory, search, reminding



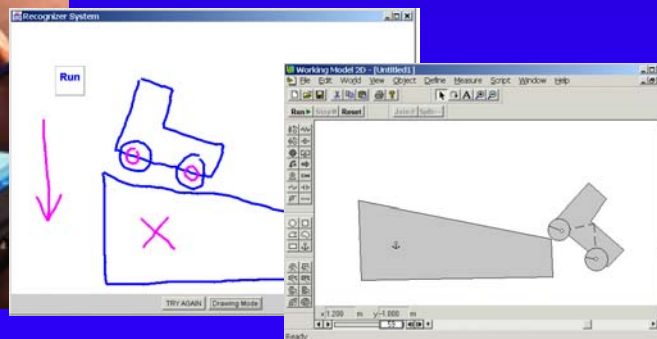
Evolving relationship with computation

- Handsfree decision support

- Mobile search & retrieval

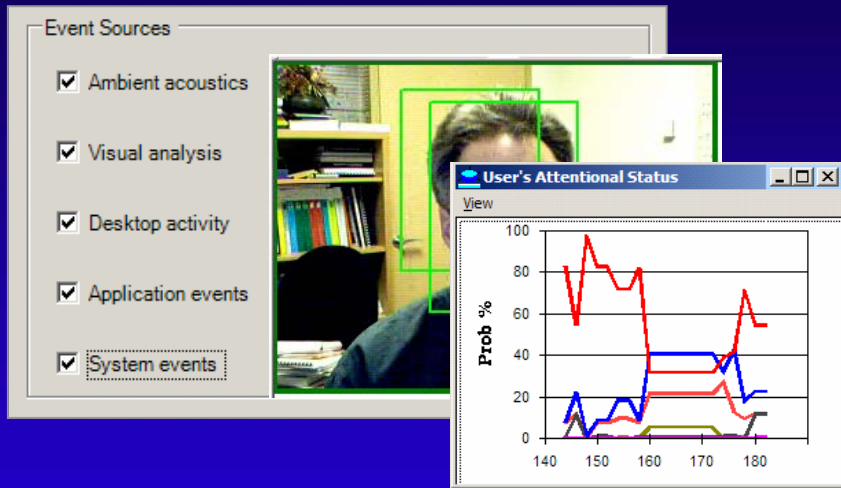


- Natural interaction methods

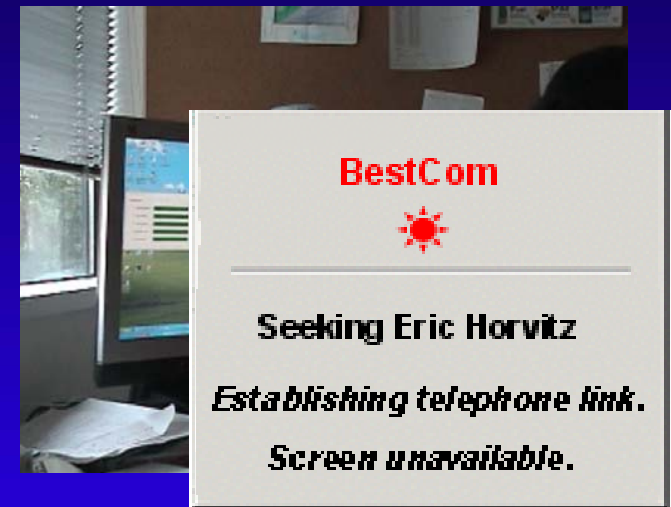


Evolving relationship with computation

- Reasoning about attention



- Facilitating & arranging communications



- Presence forecasting

Coordinate Snapshot

User: Eric Horvitz Probability: 90%

Prediction

- User online
- Email review
- Telephone
- Office presence
- Online at home
- Videoconference capabilities

✉ Priorities system for Eric Horvitz - Message (Rich Text)

From: Eric Horvitz Sent: Sun 2/11/2001 10:29 PM

Subject: Priorities system for Eric Horvitz

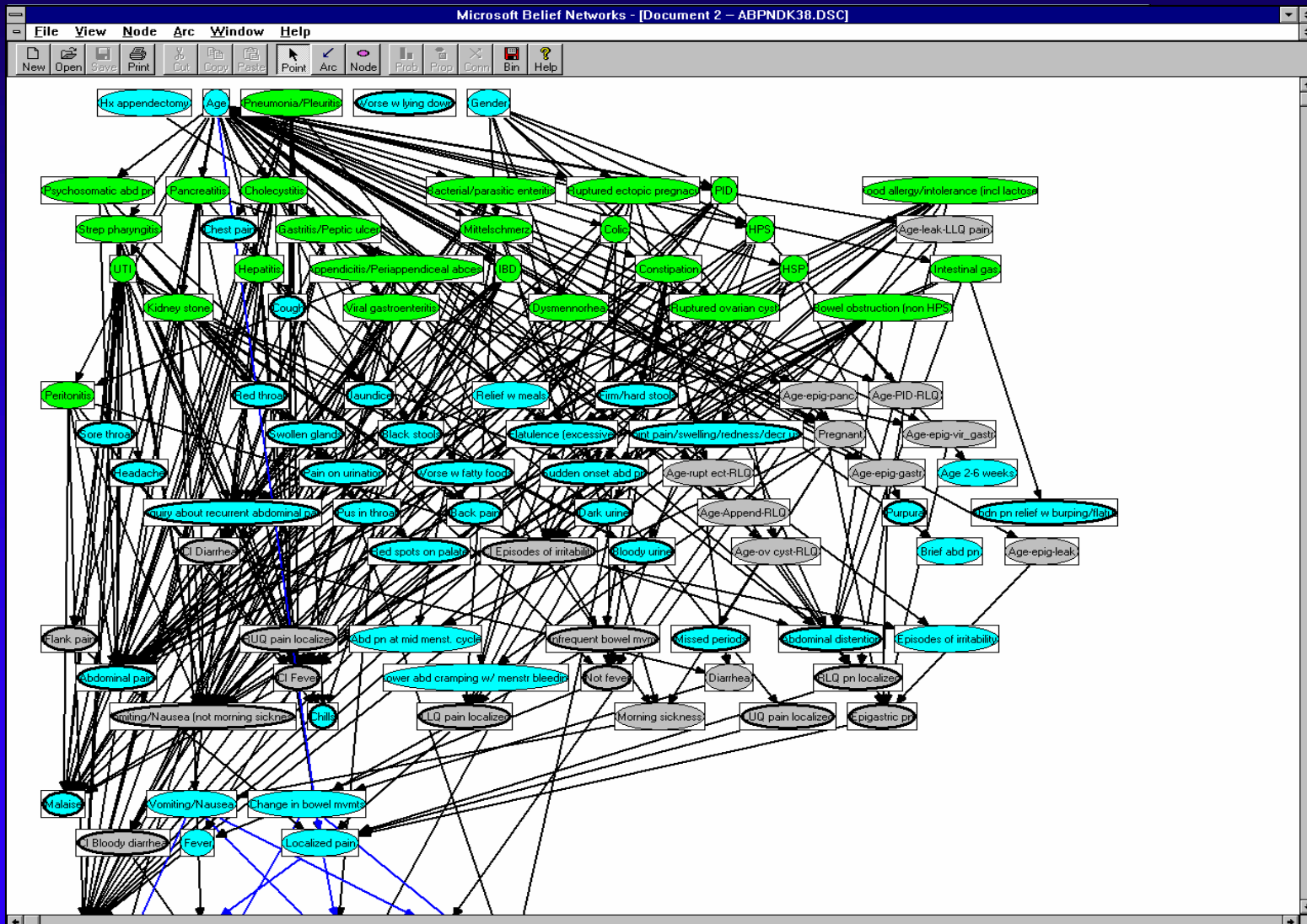
Eric has not been able to get to your message yet but I've noted this as an urgent communication.

I expect a return to the office within 90 minutes.

-Priorities system for Eric Horvitz

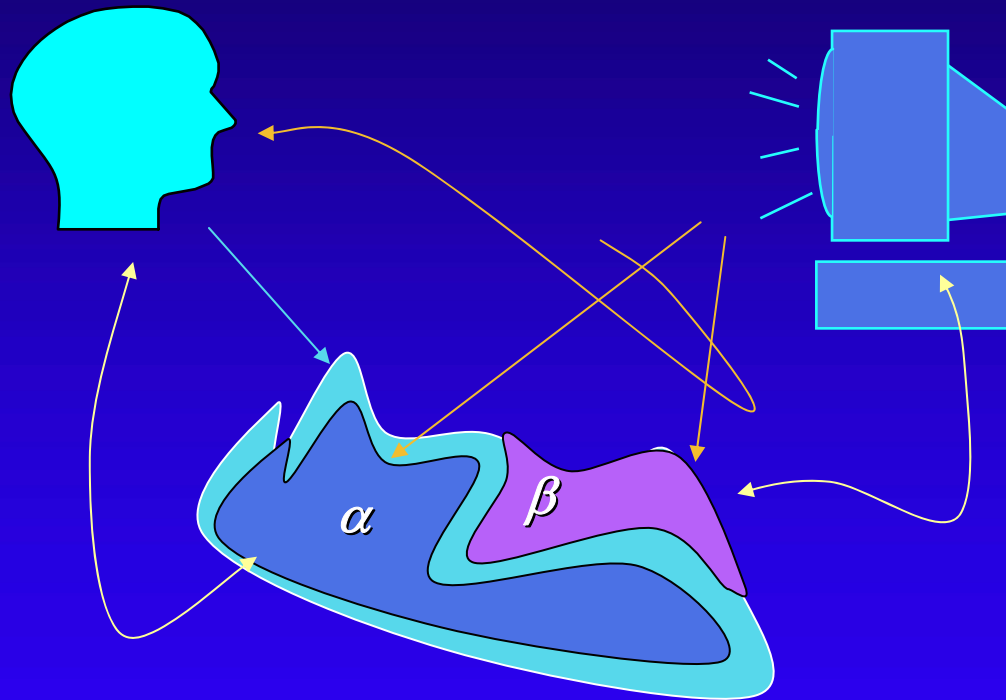
Evolving relationship with computation

- Shift of high-quality expertise and services to consumer



Evolving relationship with computation

- “Mixed-initiative” collaborations



Evolving relationship with computation

- “Mixed-initiative” collaborations

The image illustrates a "Mixed-initiative" collaboration between a human and a computer agent named "Genie". It features several screenshots from an email client and a calendar application.

Email Client Screenshots:

- Top Left:** An email window titled "Planning for session - Message (Plain T...". The sender is Robert Croft, sent on Tuesday, September 22, 1998 at 8:25 PM. The recipient is Eric Horvitz. The subject is "Planning for session". The body text reads: "Eric, I'd like to catch up on plans for the conf. session on decision making. How about speaking by phone sometime around 2pm on Fri? Looking forward to chatting. -Robert".
- Top Right:** A similar email window, but with a blue genie character (Genie) floating above it. A speech bubble from Genie says: "-- Genie is listening -- Heard 'Okay'".
- Middle Left:** A third email window, with Genie floating above it. A speech bubble from Genie says: "Should I go ahead and schedule that?".
- Middle Right:** A fourth email window, with Genie floating above it. A speech bubble from Genie says: "You will be busy then with the Lumiere project meeting... How about trying Friday at 3 PM."
- Bottom Center:** A fifth email window, with Genie floating above it. A speech bubble from Genie says: "-- Genie is listening -- for commands."

Calendar Application Screenshot:

- Bottom Right:** A screenshot of a calendar application window titled "Planning for session - Appointment". The appointment is for "Planning for session" on Friday, 9/25/98, from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM. A note indicates: "(Appointment moved from 9/25/98 2:00 PM due to conflict with the Lumiere project meeting)". The body text of the appointment is: "Eric, I'd like to catch up on plans for the conf. session on decision making. How about speaking by phone sometime around 2pm on Fri? Looking forward to chatting. -Robert".

Trends in sensing, reasoning & learning

- ◆ Large quantities of data via new sensing and online processes

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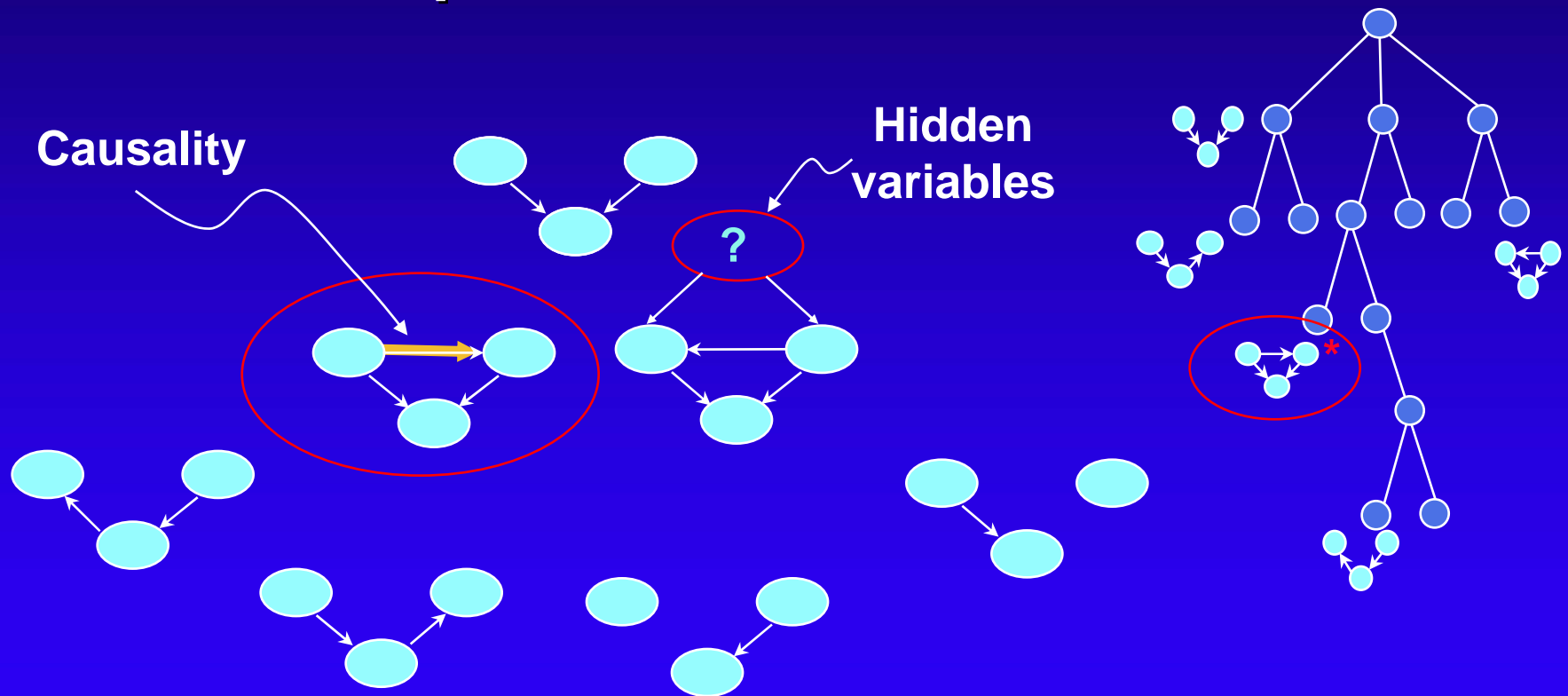
- ◆ Advances in tractable machine learning

→ New applications and services

Privacy challenges & opportunities

Advances in Machine Learning

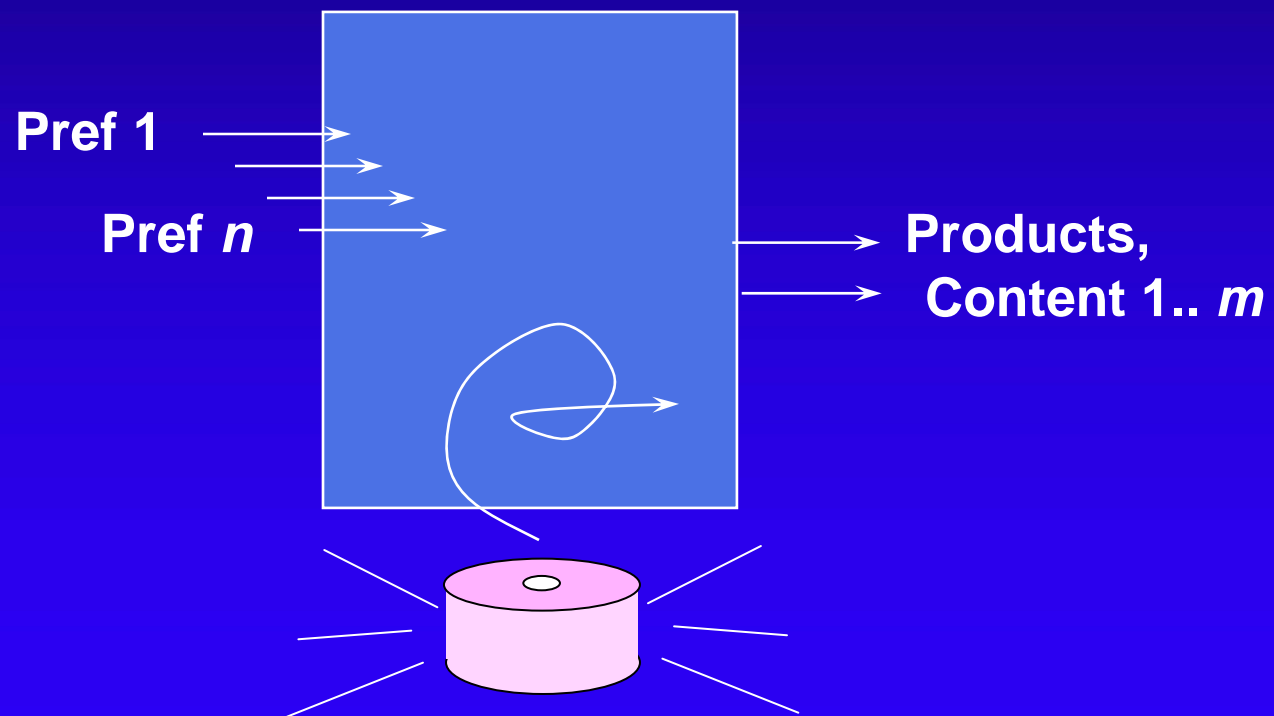
- ◆ e.g., Structure search over variables
- ◆ Generate and test feasible models
- ◆ Build predictive models



Playing an increasing role in the sciences

Proliferation of “Preference Machines”

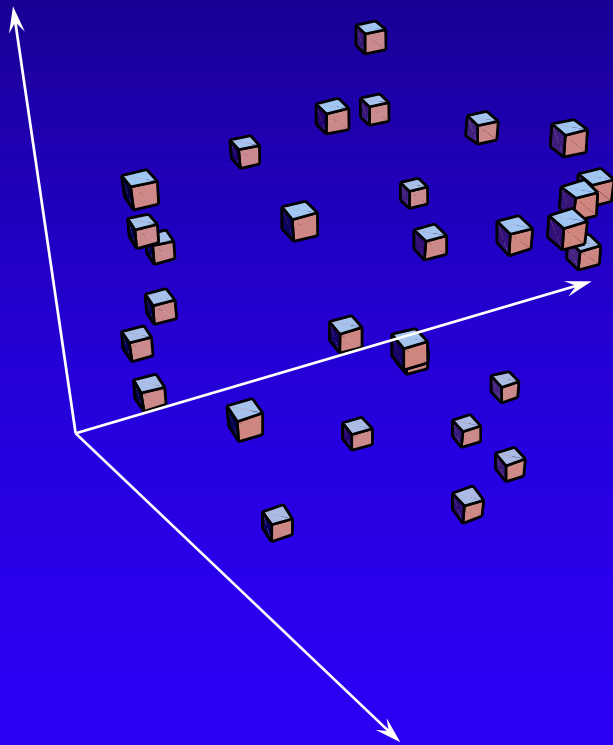
◆ Example: Collaborative Filtering



Proliferation of Preference Machines

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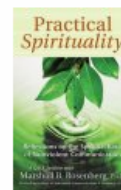
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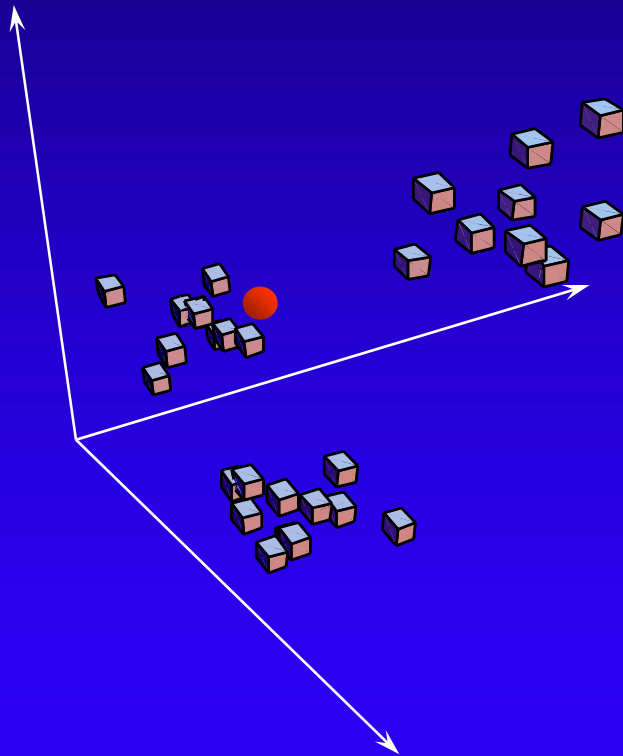
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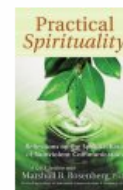
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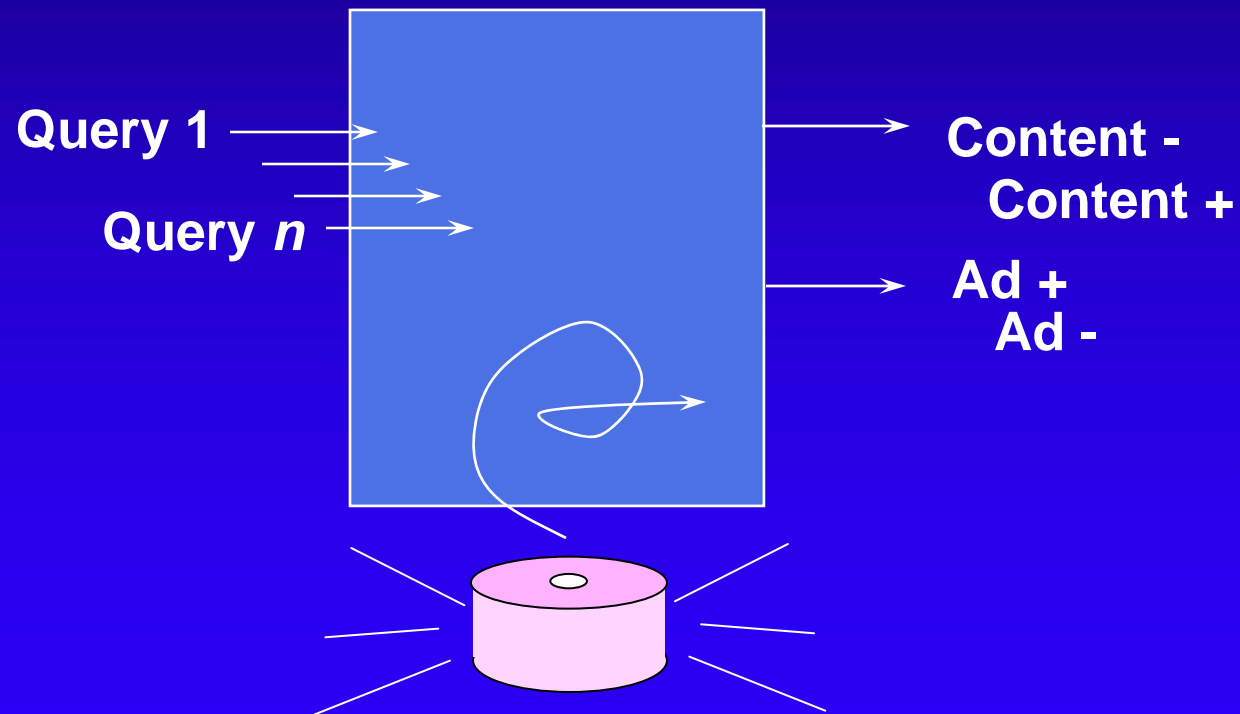
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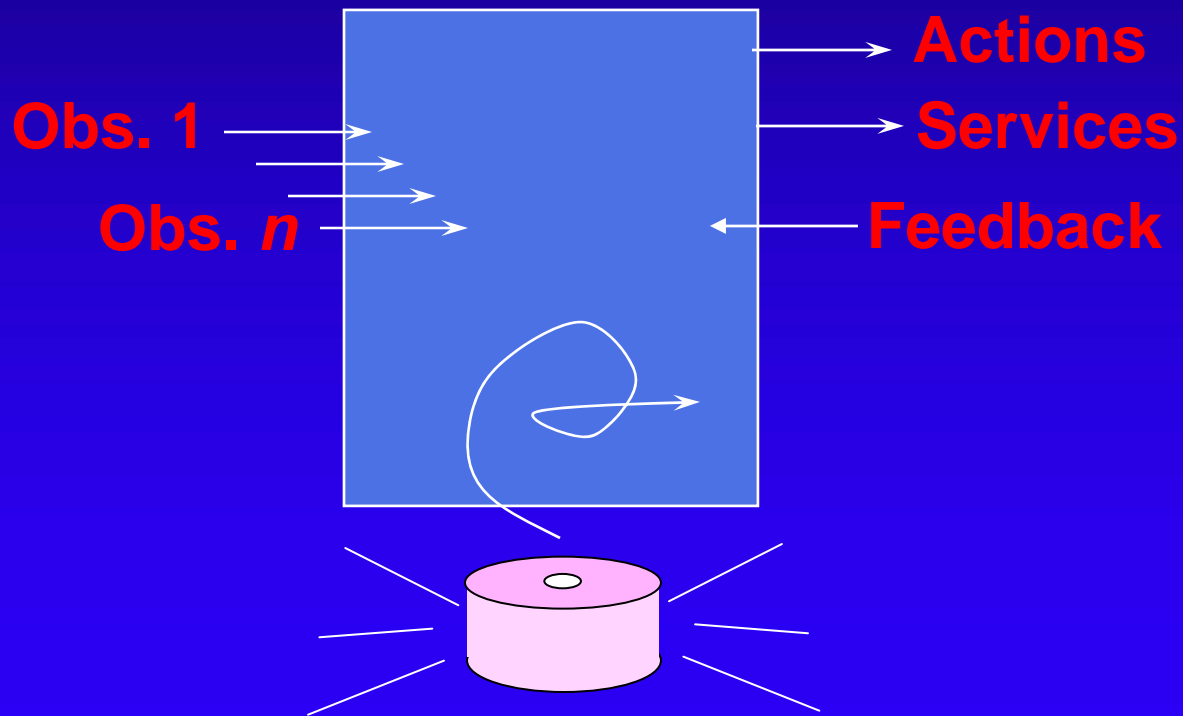
Proliferation of “Intention Machines”

◆ Example: Web search



Proliferation of “Intention Machines”

- ◆ Beyond search... multiple services



Sensing, Learning, and Privacy

Privacy challenges ...and opportunities

- ◆ **Protected sensing & personalization**
- ◆ **Learning preferences about privacy**
- ◆ **Proactive inference & modeling**
- ◆ **Enriched parameters & policies for data sharing**
- ◆ **Restricted usage**
- ◆ **Partial revelation**

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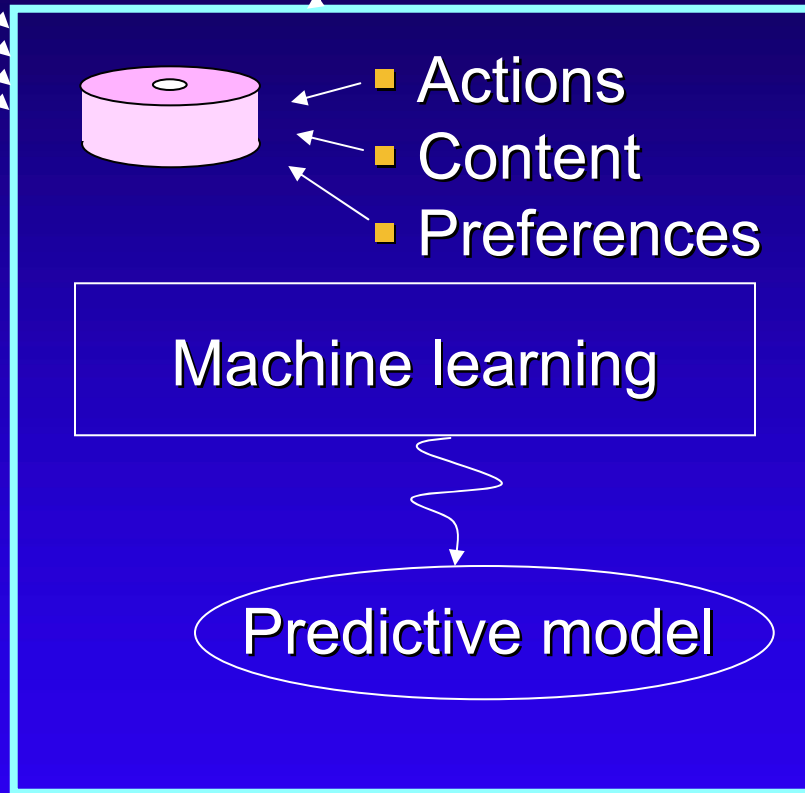
- ◆ **Protected sensing & personalization**
 - Local sensing, learning, and inferencing within privacy of users' systems
 - Design of services that share nothing or little externally

Protected Sensing & Personalization

■ Sensor data

■ Contextual attributes

Shroud of privacy



■ Actions

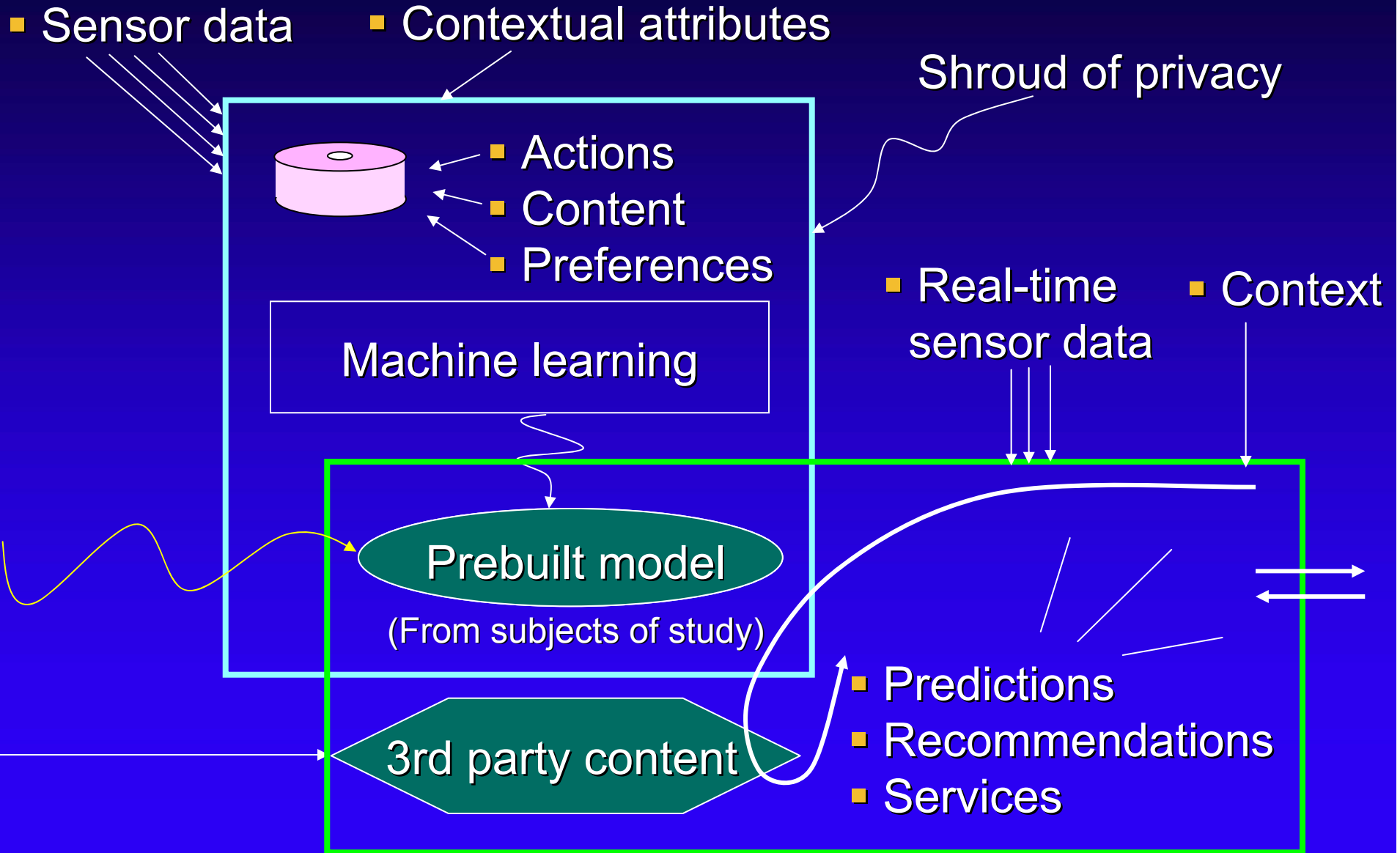
■ Content

■ Preferences

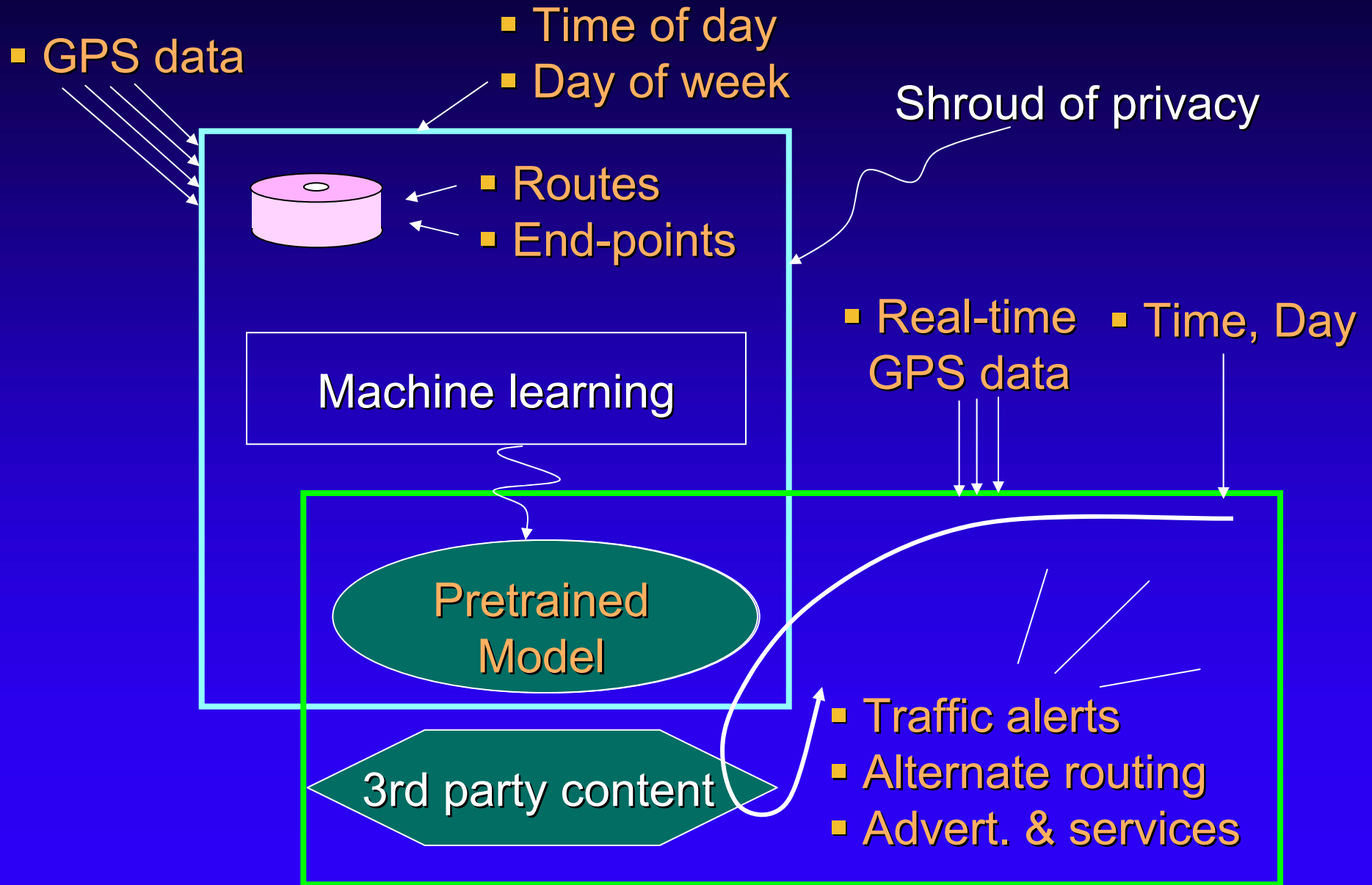
Machine learning

Predictive model

Protected Sensing & Personalization

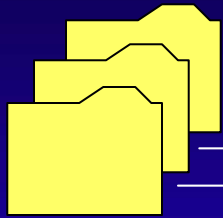


Example: Geocentric Services



Example: Personalized Web Search

lumiere



- Email
- Documents
- Web activity
- Location

Personal content activities stored


Personalized result ranker

Results from web search engine

A screenshot of a Microsoft Internet Explorer browser window. The title bar reads "MSN Search: lumiere - Microsoft Internet Explorer". The address bar shows "http://search.msn.com/results.aspx?FORM=TOOLBR&q=lumiere". The search bar contains "lumiere" and the "Search" button is highlighted. The page displays "Web Results" for "lumiere" with 597,832 results. A red box highlights the top two results: "The Lumiere Project: Bayesian User Modeling for Inferring the Goals ..." and "Lumiere: Bayesian Reasoning, User Modeling, and Automated Assistance". Below these are links for "Lumiere Magazine", "Lumière Restaurant Relais Gourmand", and "lumiere HD - Edit HDV on Final Cut Pro". The status bar at the bottom shows "Done" and "Internet".

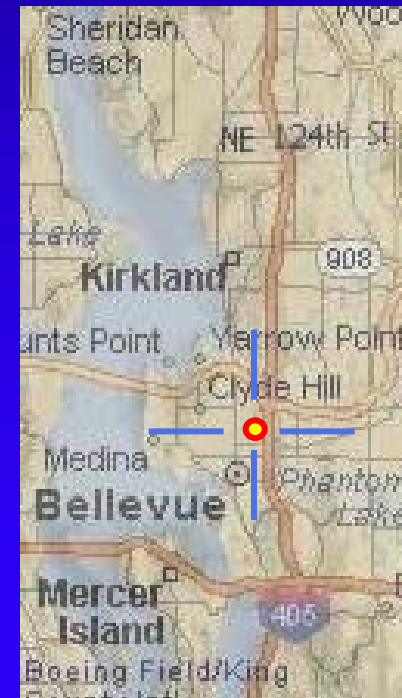
Enriched Policies for Sharing Data & Inferences

- ◆ *E.g., Policies set by identity, time, and activity*
“If I’m scheduled to see you within an hour...”
 - You can access my exact location
 - Your calls will be routed to my cell phone
 - *Otherwise no location and no call routing.*



My Groups
<i>Others</i>
Bestcom core
Close friends
Critical colleagues
Family
Meetings for the rest of today
Meetings in the next hour
Meetings this week
Meetings today or tomorrow
Meetings yesterday
My direct reports
My manager
My peers
People who called me yesterday
People who I called today
People who I called yesterday

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Summary

- ◆ **Efforts in artificial intelligence leading to valuable new services and applications**
- ◆ **Innovations in privacy will be enabling**
- ◆ **AI methods for learning & reasoning promises to play a key role in these innovations**

