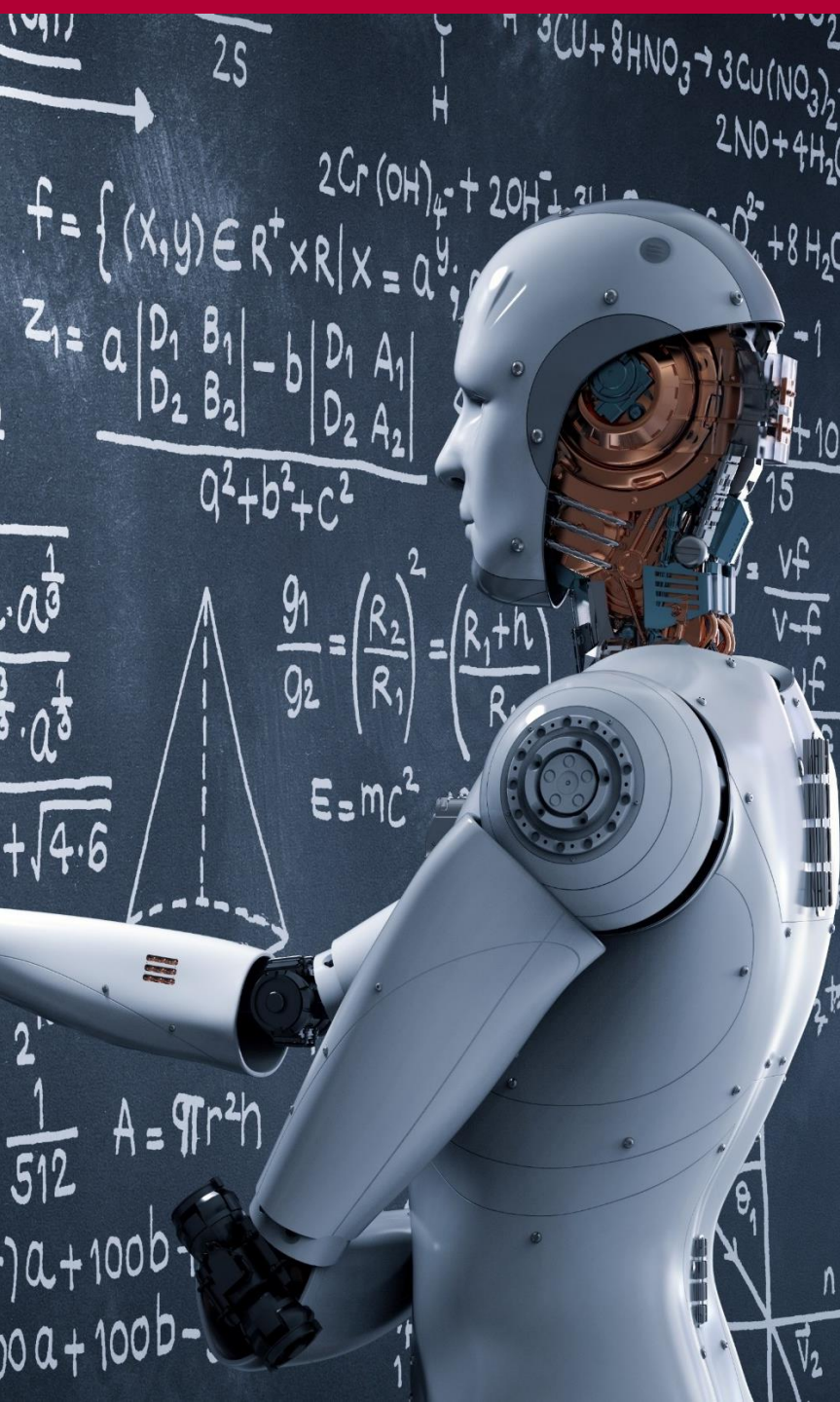


Filling out the registration form for group assignment

If not already done, please **fill out our registration form** so we can assign fair and mixed groups.



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About S3G

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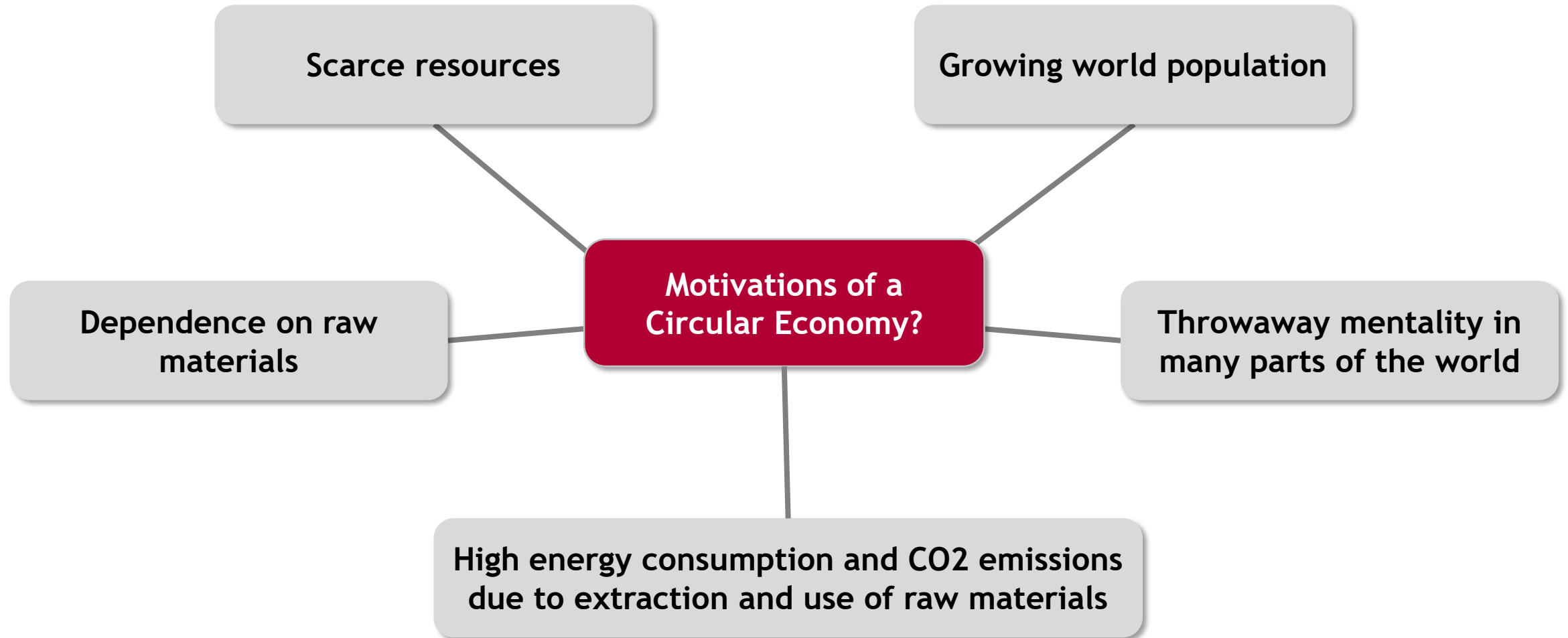
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“The goods of today are the resources of tomorrow at yesterday’s resource prices.”

- Walter Stahel (2016),
Former advisor to the European Commission

What is the motivation of a Circular Economy?



The three key principles of the Circular Economy



Circulate products and materials

Design products to be **reused, repaired, or remanufactured**. When it comes to products like food or packaging, **get the materials back** so they don't end up in landfill.



Eliminate waste and pollution

Waste and pollution are the **consequences** of decisions made at the **design stage**. Harness new materials and technology, to **ensure** waste and pollution are **not created in the first place**.



Regenerate nature

There is **no concept of waste in nature**. Instead of trying to do less harm, **return valuable nutrients** to the **soil and other ecosystems to enhance the natural resources**.

“In the future, the automobile will be the most complex, most valuable, most mass-market Internet device. When we see that, we also understand why Tesla is so valuable from the analysts' point of view.”

- Herbert Diess,
CEO VW AG (2018-2022),
Süddeutsche Zeitung, 23.01.2020



Machine Learning can help achieving sustainable development goals



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Data as a key resource for businesses and society

“So what’s getting ubiquitous and cheap? Data. And what is complementary to data? Analysis.”

- Hal Varian (2008)

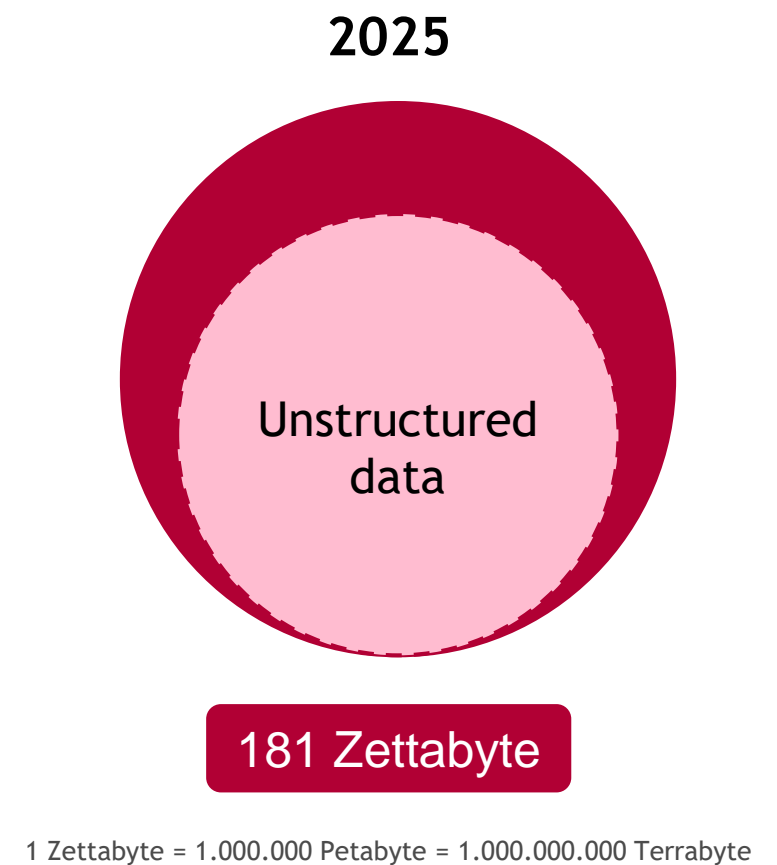
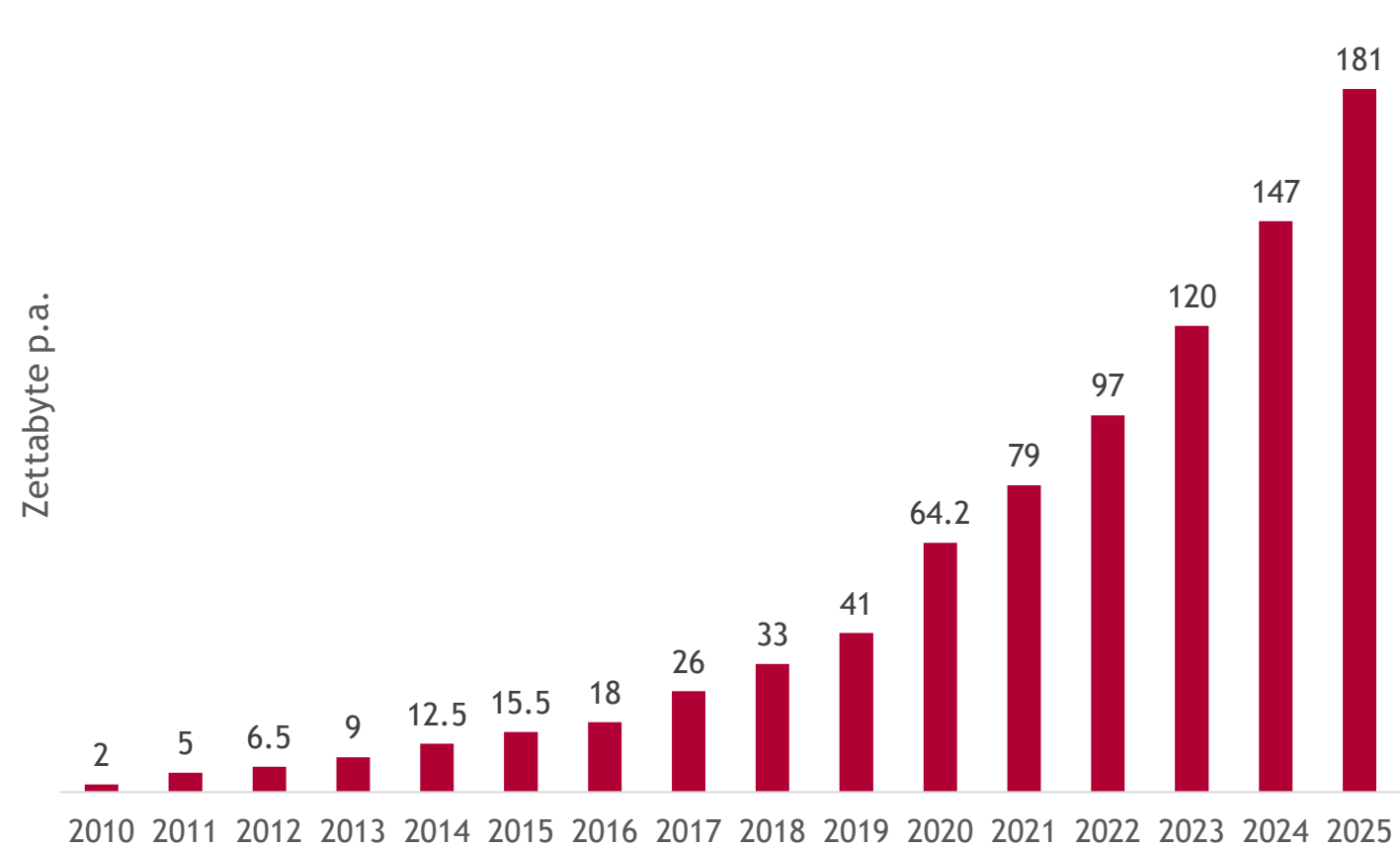


“Information is the oil of the 21st century, and analytics is the combustion engine.”

- Peter Sondergaard (Gartner Group, 2008)

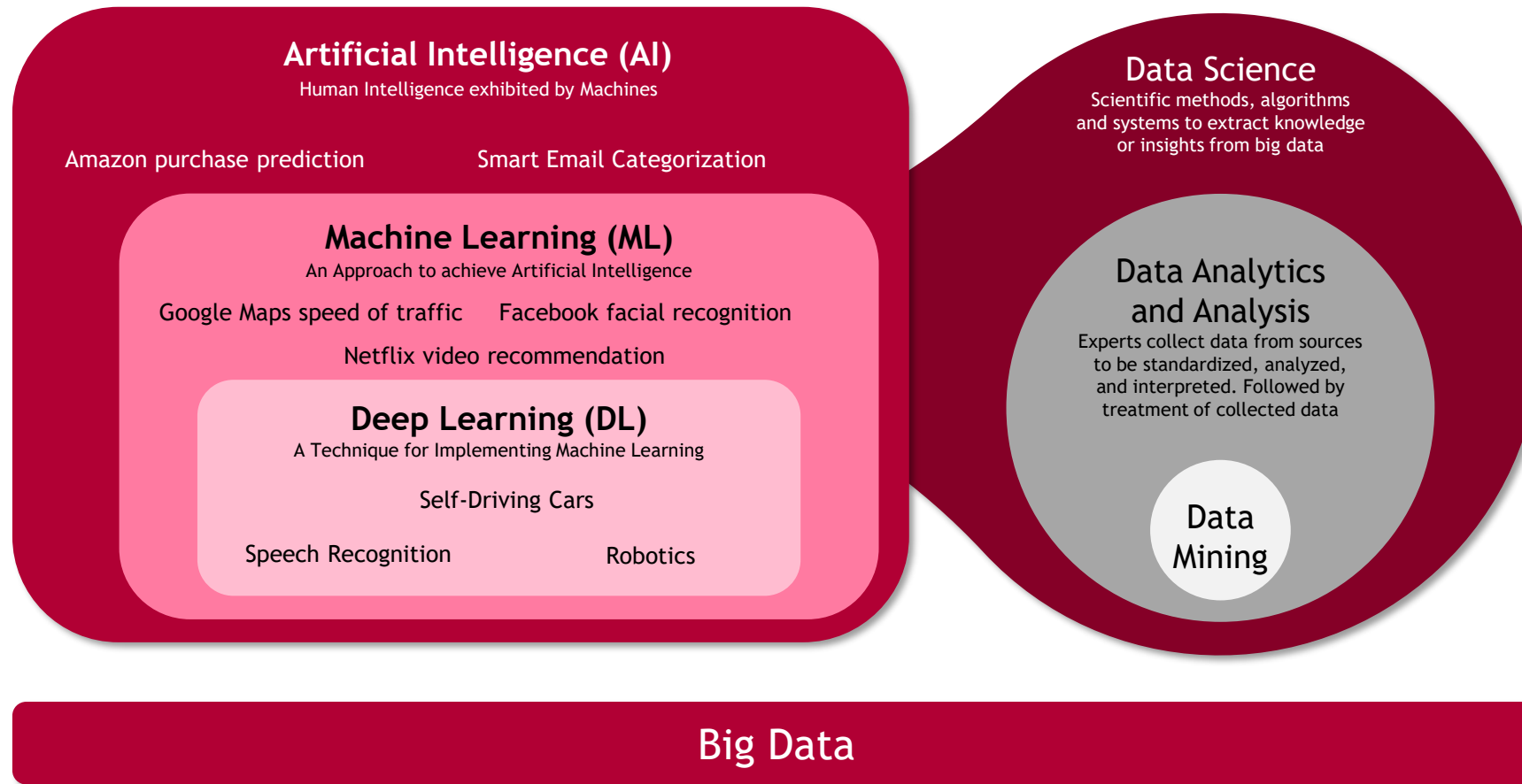
“Data is the information asset characterized by such a high volume, velocity and variety to require specific technology and analytical methods for its transformation into value.” (Mauro et al., 2016)

The volume of data generated, consumed, copied and stored is projected to exceed 180 ZB by 2025



<https://www.cio.com/article/220347/ai-unleashes-the-power-of-unstructured-data.html> | <https://www.statista.com/statistics/871513/worldwide-data-created>

The difference between Data Science and Artificial Intelligence

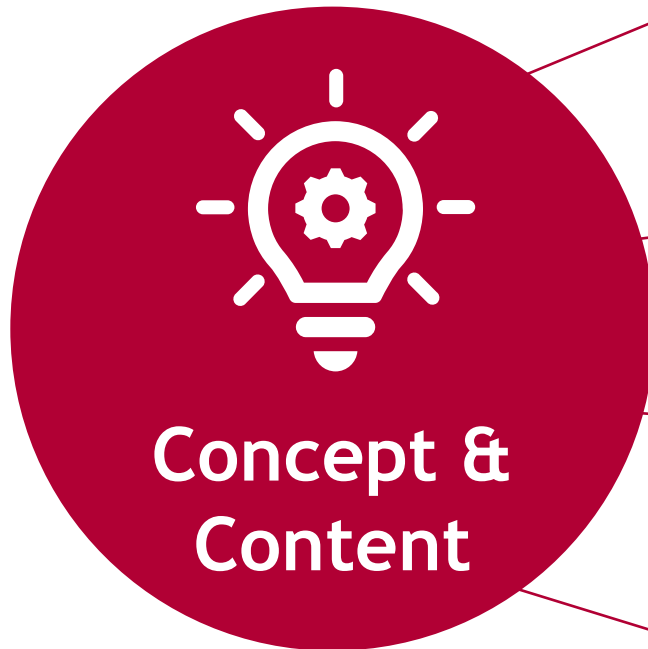


Inspired by <https://www.linkedin.com/pulse/how-make-simple-explain-ai-ml-dl-together-data-science-vollmer>

02

Organizational information

Concept and content of the course



You work in **cross-university teams** with different study backgrounds together on four programming cases and compete against each other in an interactive simulation game.

The four cases deal with selected steps along a **circular economy** in the context of e-mobility.

During the case work, you analyze the available data through **machine learning solutions** and make business decisions based on that data analytics.

In every business decision, you must consider the various **dimensions of sustainability**.

Now it's your turn!

What are you studying?

What are your expectations
for the course?



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31 responses




master of science master informatik
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wirtschaftsinformatik
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What are your expectation for the course?

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Overview of the cases

Case 1: Material procurement

- What materials should I buy and when?
 - Value chain level: Procurement
- Time Series Analysis

Case 2: Predictive Maintenance

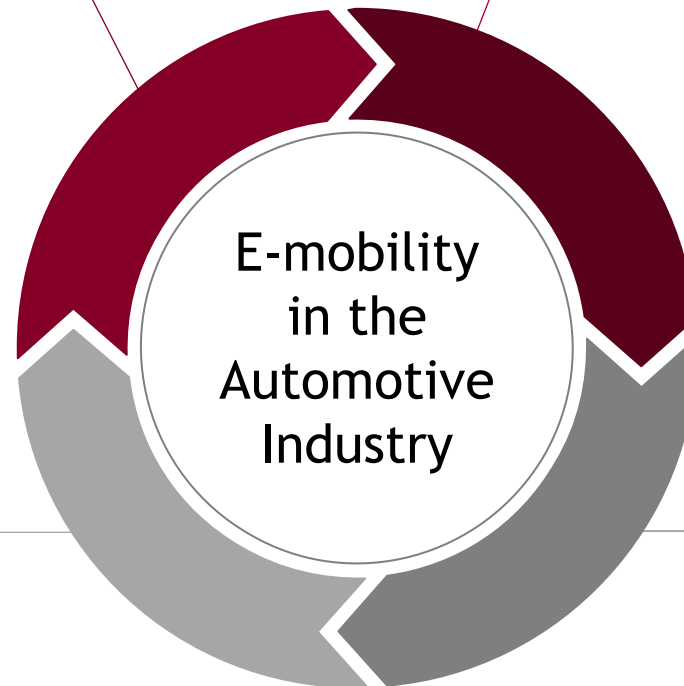
- How often and when should I maintain my machine?
 - Value chain level: Operations/production
- Predictive Analytics

Case 4: Recycling

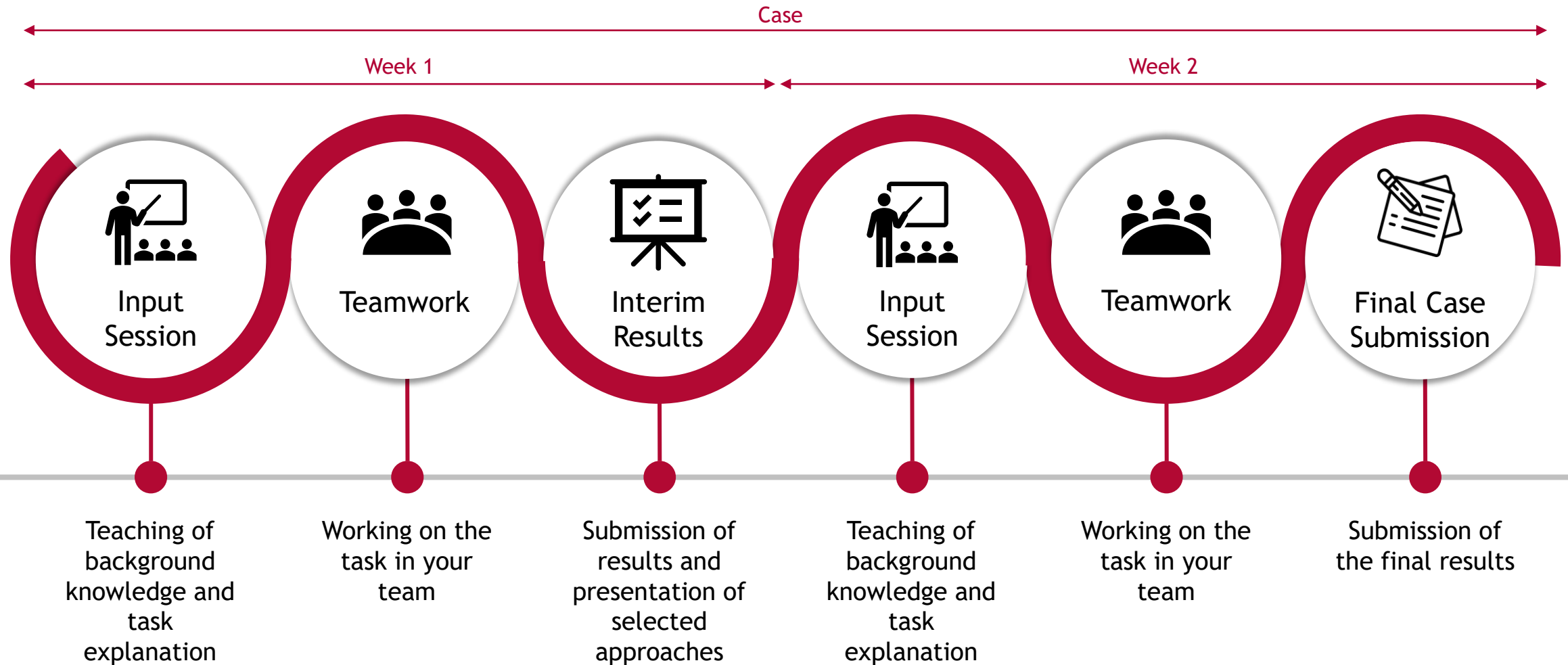
- How much effort do I put into recycling?
 - Value chain level: After-sales-services
- Process Mining

Case 3: Quality Management

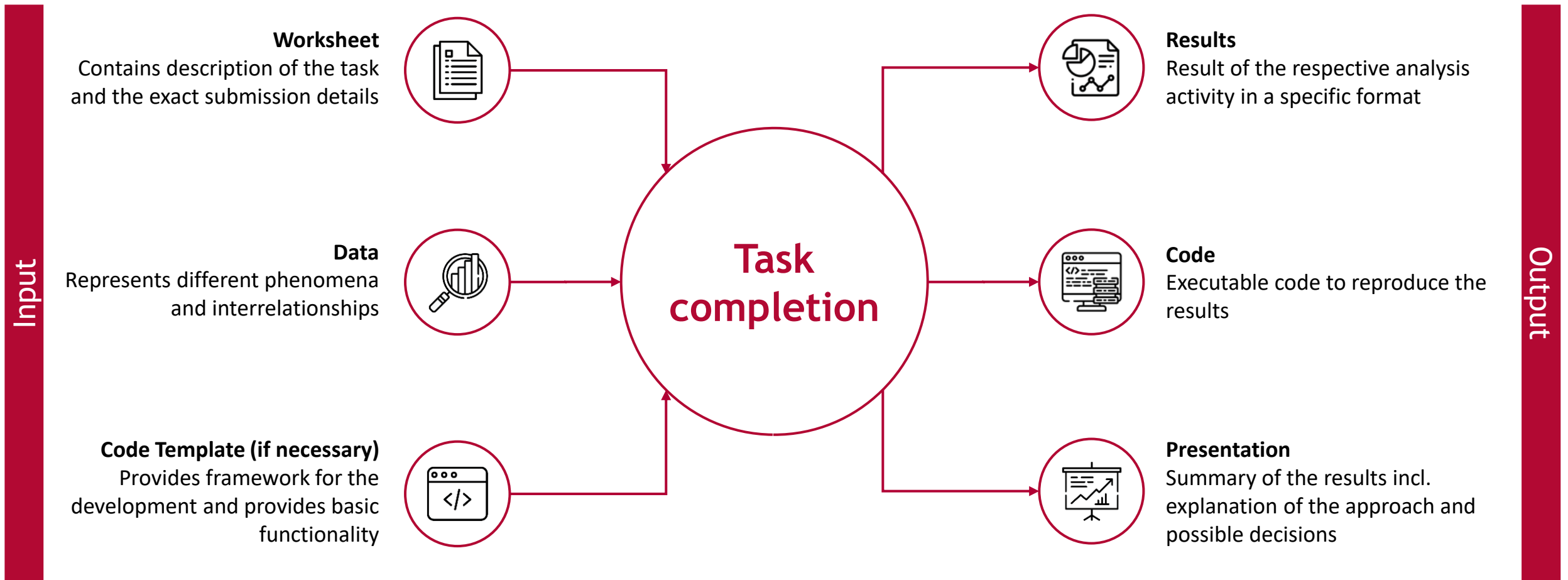
- How to ensure good quality?
 - Value chain level: Operations/production
- Computer Vision



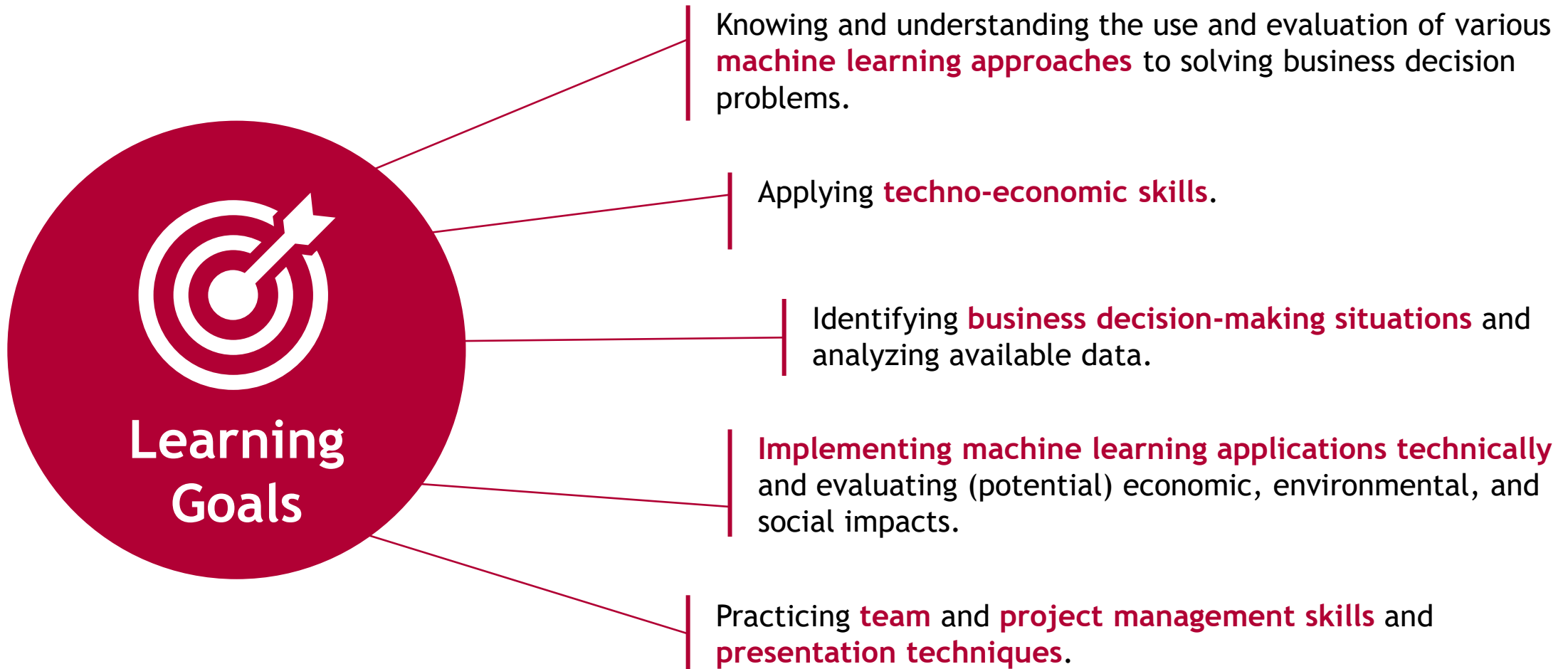
Case structure



Detailed case structure



Learning Goals



Grouping of the cross-university teams

Are the teams correct like that?

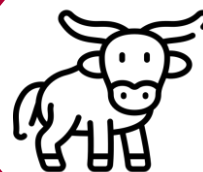
Team Ant

Tim Blassmann, Florian Stoll, Tamara Kartheininger, Antonia Karl, Mücahit Savas, Ole Hammerschick



Team Gnu

Manuel Hensel, Alina Wunderlich, Lena Kirchenmaier, Quyen Nguyen, Atilla Ogul, Charlotte Maier



Team Goat

Alexander Hug, Linus Bieber, Theodoros Koletsis, Tarkan Yildirim, Dominik Kühltau, Nervana Chana



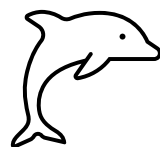
Team Penguin

Luis Lander, Fritz-Ferdinand Dörner, Benjamin Kusch, Simon Leitte, Peter Brötz, Maria Petkoudis, Julia Blaich



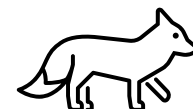
Team Dolphin

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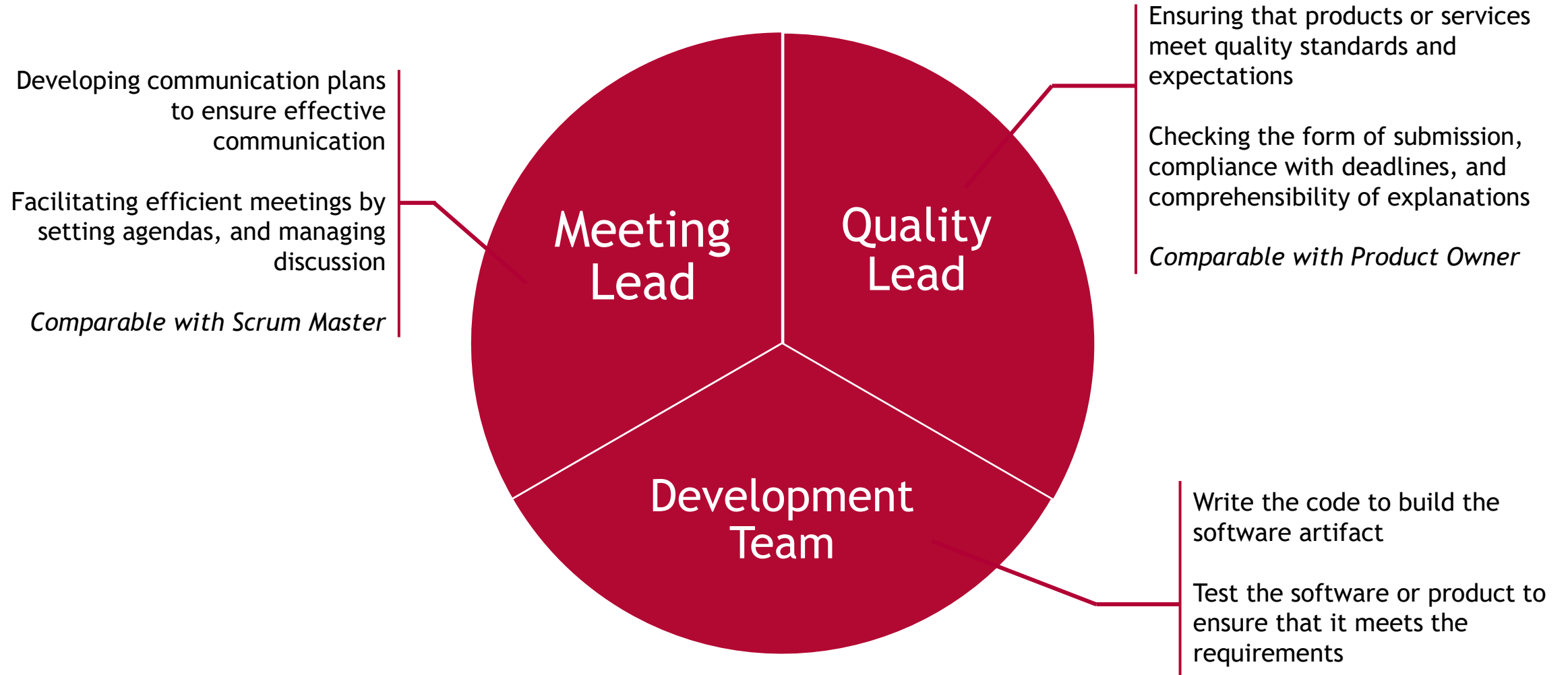


Team Fox

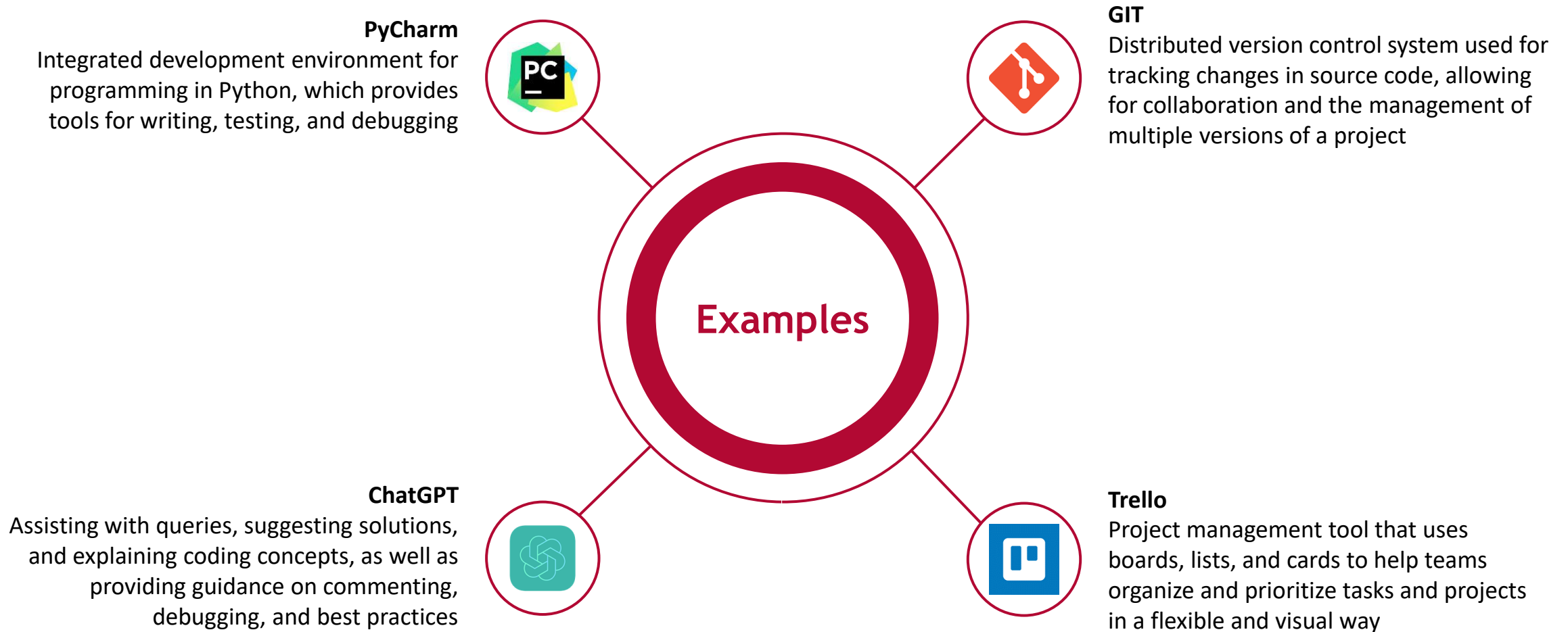
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Potential roles in the team

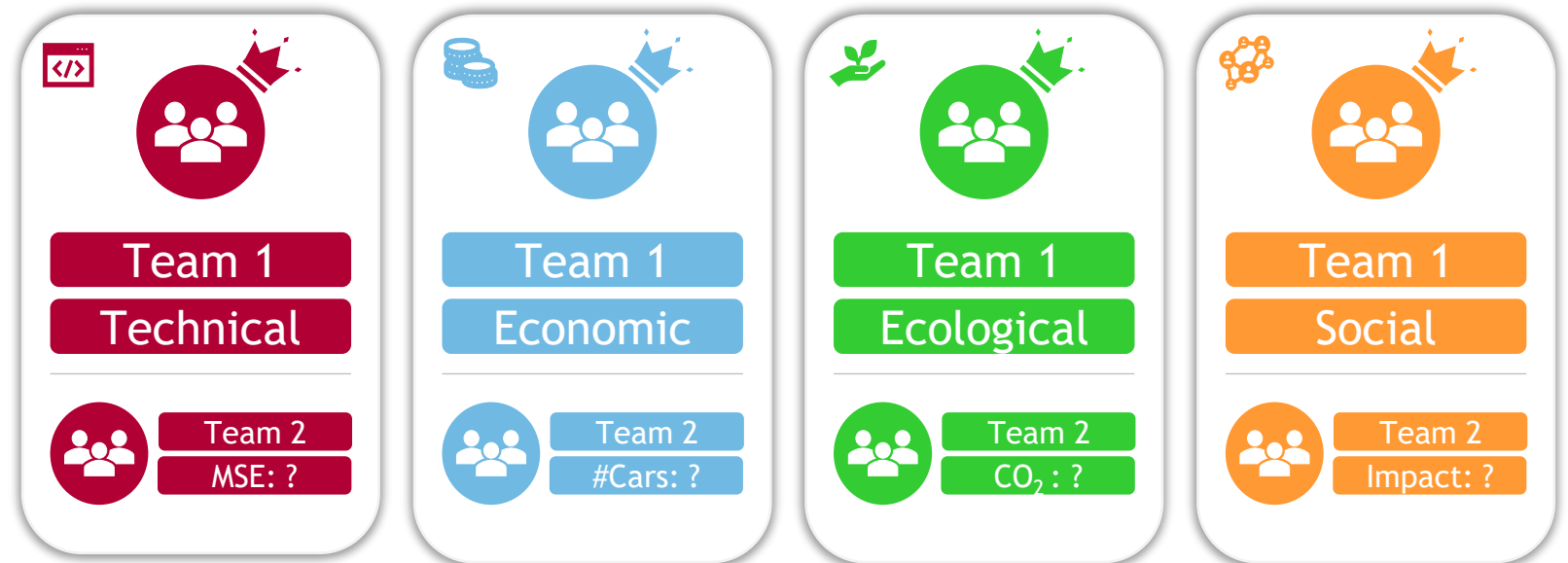


Exemplary useful (free) development tools



Leaderboard

- Leaderboard = visual representation of a **ranking** with relative comparisons of the different teams in four different dimensions.
- The four different dimensions are **technical**, **economic**, **ecological** and **social**.
- Leaderboard is intended to **motivate** and serve as **feedback**.
- The leaderboard is **updated every week**.



Examination performance

The **examination performance** consists of:

*Analysis results
and software code for
four cases*

*Project
report*

Analysis results and software code for four cases

- Consists of **16** individual and clearly definable performances that are assessed individually.
 - **4** cases x **2** weeks per case x **2** results (code and analysis results per week)
- All 4 cases are weighted equally
- For each case, week 2 is more important than week 1
- You have the choice of submitting the deliverables individually or as a team.
- If you submit the deliverables as a team (which we recommend), indicate who did what (potentially: We made everything jointly).

Project report

- This is an at most five-page reflection on the content-related and methodical learning process and success as well as on teamwork.
- The project report is an individual performance.

03

Outlook

Learning materials for the course



Sign up to eLearning



<https://elearning.uni-bayreuth.de/course/view.php?id=40278>



Sign up to ILIAS



https://ilias.uni-hohenheim.de/ilias.php?baseClass=ilrepositorygui&cmdNode=y7:m9&cmdClass=ilObjCourseGUI&cmd=view&ref_id=1552851



Sign up to Moodle



<https://moodle.hs-augsburg.de/course/view.php?id=8175>

Everything you need is in our GitHub Repository



<https://github.com/AI-for-Business/SmartSustainabilitySimulationGame>

Timetable until July, 2nd 2024

What?	When?	Where?
Kick-off	23.04.2024, 2:15 - 3:45 pm	Zoom, HS 36 (UHOH), J406 (THA) and S47 (UBT)
Case 1 - Week 1	30.04.2024, 2:15 - 3:45 pm	Zoom, HS 36 (UHOH), J406 (THA) and S47 (UBT)
Case 1 - Week 2	07.05.2024, 2:15 - 3:45 pm	Zoom, HS 36 (UHOH), J406 (THA) and S47 (UBT)
Case 2 - Week 1	14.05.2024, 2:15 - 3:45 pm	Zoom, HS 36 (UHOH), J406 (THA) and S47 (UBT)
Case 2 - Week 2	28.05.2024, 2:15 - 3:45 pm	Zoom, HS 36 (UHOH), J406 (THA) and S47 (UBT)
Case 3 - Week 1	04.06.2024, 2:15 - 3:45 pm	Zoom, HS 36 (UHOH), J406 (THA) and S47 (UBT)
Case 3 - Week 2	11.06.2024, 2:15 - 3:45 pm	Zoom, HS 36 (UHOH), J406 (THA) and S47 (UBT)
Case 4 - Week 1	18.06.2024, 2:15 - 3:45 pm	Zoom, HS 36 (UHOH), J406 (THA) and S47 (UBT)
Case 4 - Week 2	25.06.2024, 2:15 - 3:45 pm	Zoom, HS 36 (UHOH), J406 (THA) and S47 (UBT)
Award ceremony	02.07.2024, 2:15 - 3:45 pm	Zoom, HS 36 (UHOH), J406 (THA) and S47 (UBT)

Your task until next week



First tasks

Organize your **initial meeting** and get to know each other.

Discuss the following **guiding questions** during the meeting.

- What is your motivation to participate in S3G?
- How do we want to organize ourselves as a team?
- Are there any (time) constraints for individual team members to work together?
- What experience do you have with Python or other programming languages?
- What experience do you have in data analytics?
- What is a personal fun fact about you?

We will ask for your feedback several times



Topics and content

- What was the most interesting?
- What was the least interesting?
- Was anything missing?
- What would you like to see in the rest of the course?
- ...



Style

- What should we keep?
- What should we take off?
- ...

Which information or
resources do you need
for being equipped for
the course?



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“Globally, it is estimated that every second of all sea turtles have eaten plastic.”

- Wilcox et al. (2018)



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