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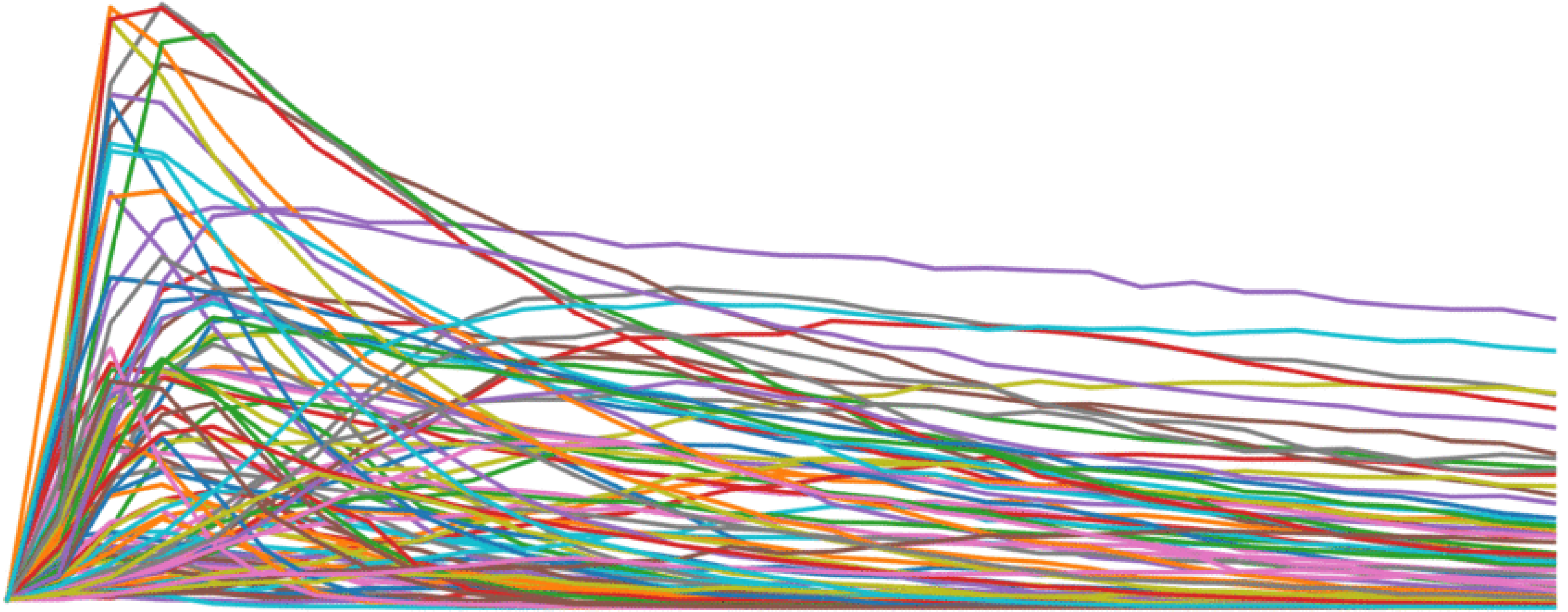
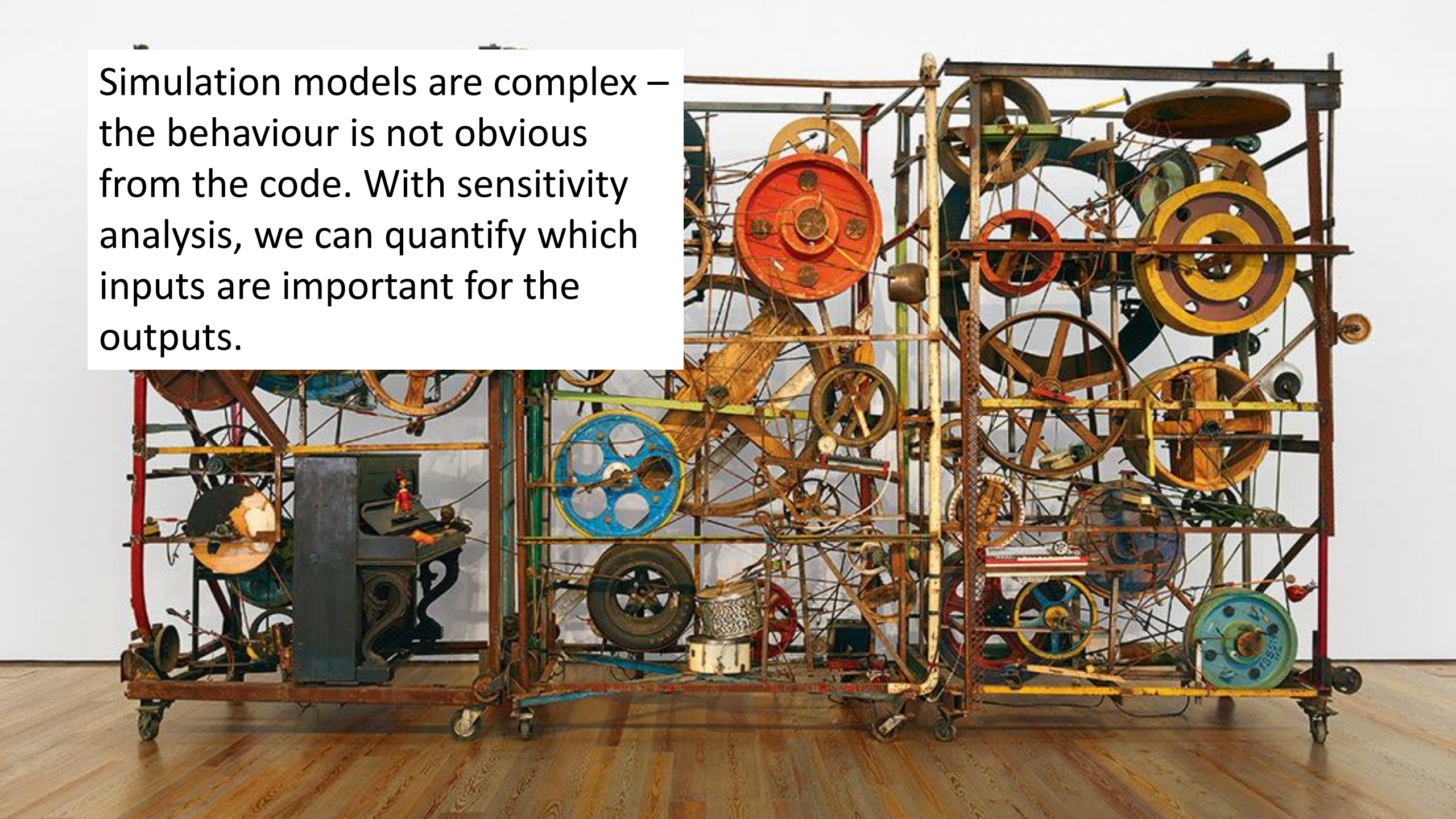
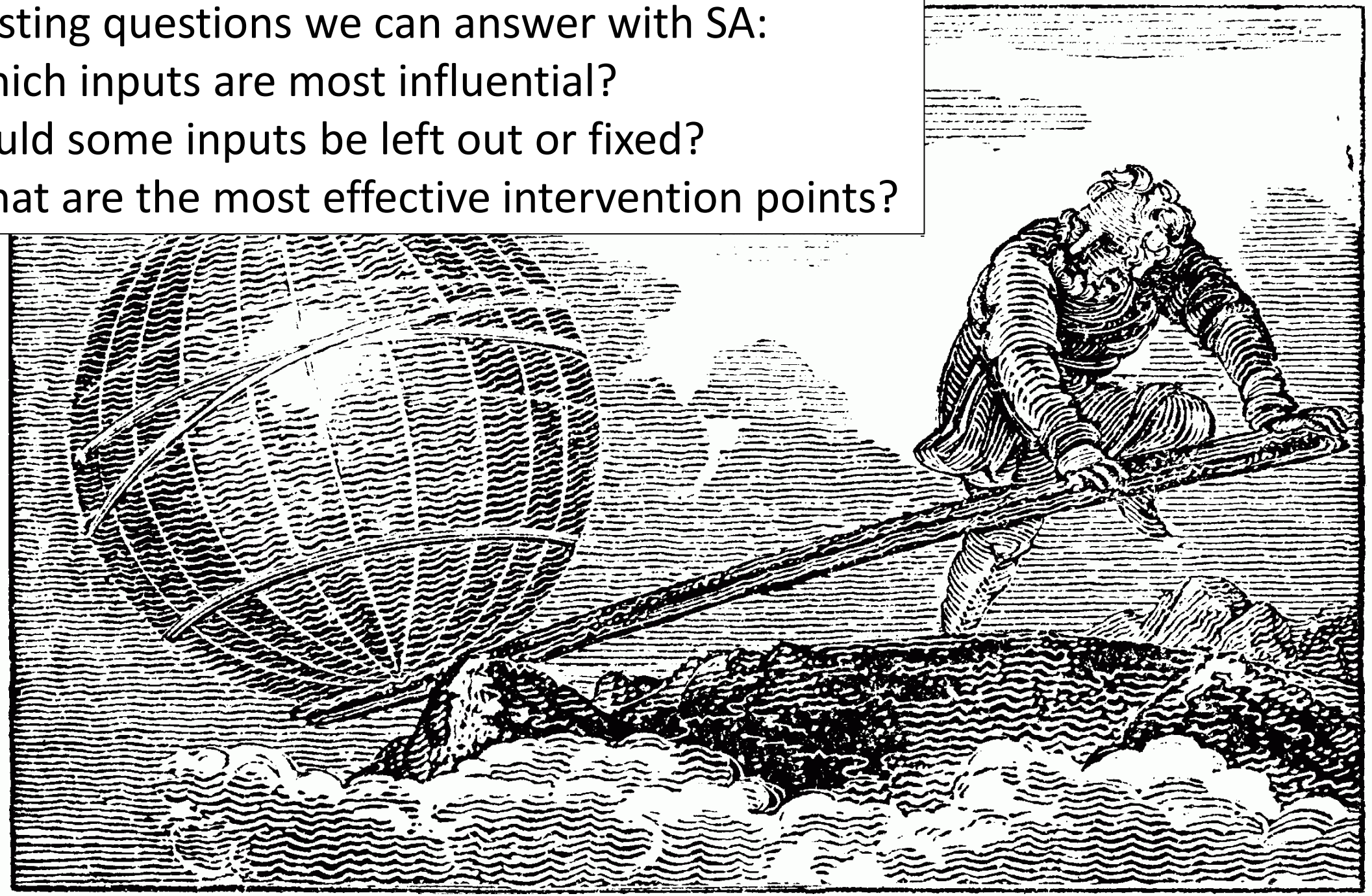


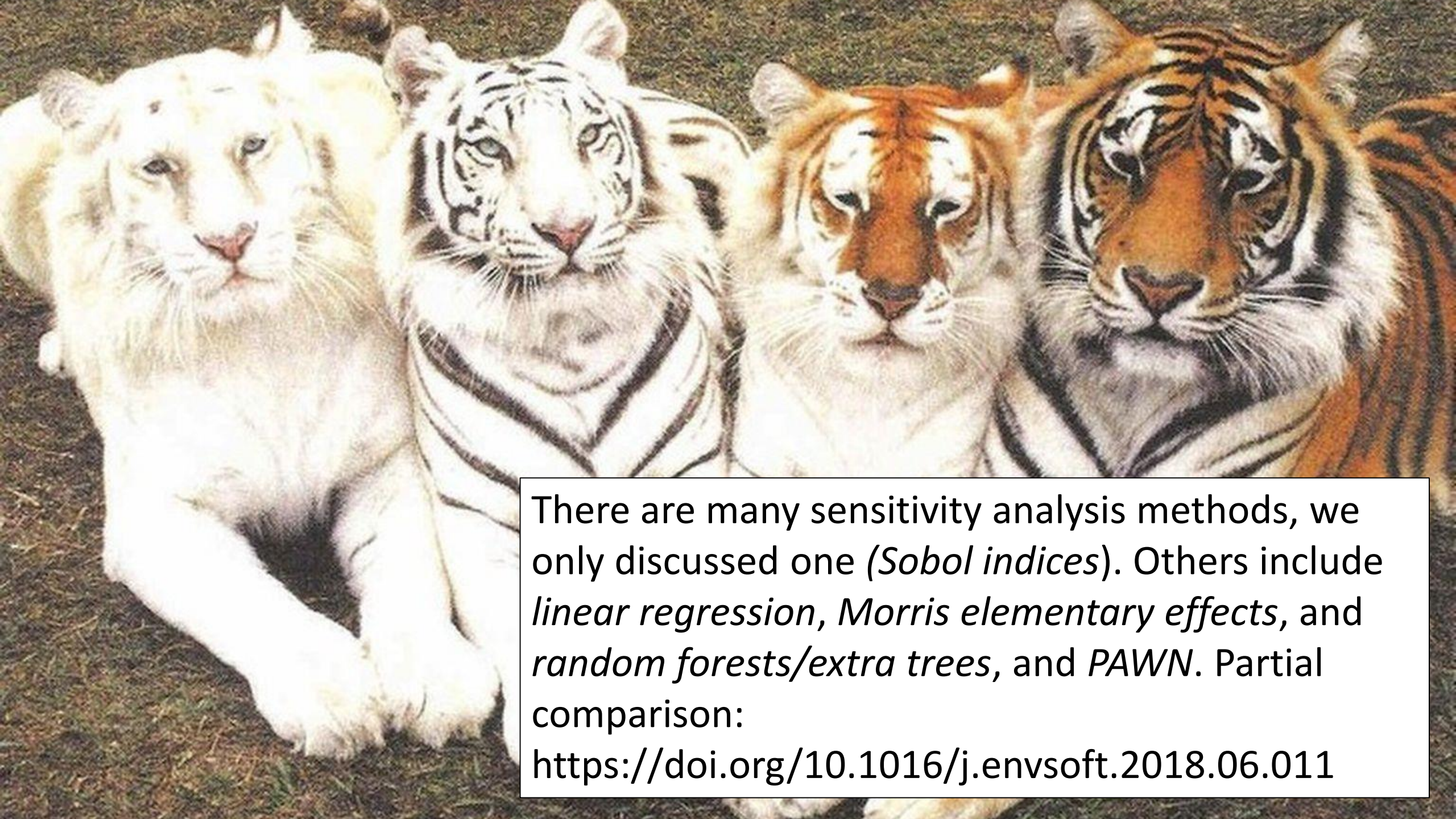
Simulation models are complex – the behaviour is not obvious from the code. With sensitivity analysis, we can quantify which inputs are important for the outputs.



Interesting questions we can answer with SA:

- Which inputs are most influential?
- Could some inputs be left out or fixed?
- What are the most effective intervention points?





There are many sensitivity analysis methods, we only discussed one *(Sobol indices*). Others include *linear regression*, *Morris elementary effects*, and *random forests/extra trees*, and *PAWN*. Partial comparison: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.envsoft.2018.06.011

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