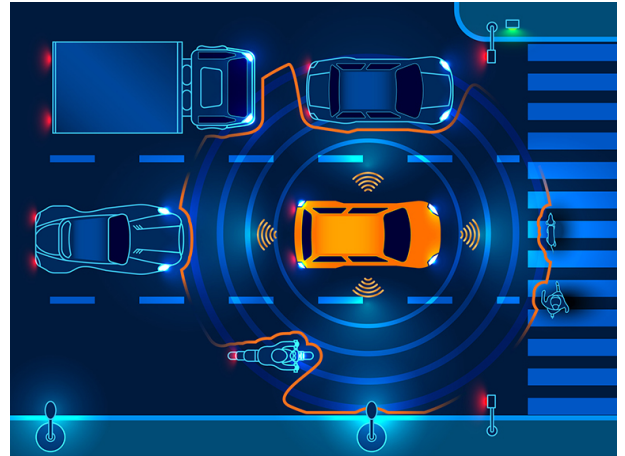


Controlling a robot

Broadly speaking, artificial intelligence (AI) is all about creating programs and machines that are able to carry out human behaviours like critical thinking and decision making. Generally, the realism of an AI is judged by how closely it acts like a human. AI can be as simple as an automatic light switch or as complicated as an autocorrect in a text document.



1. As a group, see how many different pieces of technology you can think of that utilise AI. List them all in your learning journals.
2. What do you think are the pros and cons of driving a delivery van using a person compared to an AI?. Discuss as a group and list all of the pros and cons you can think of in your learning journals. At a minimum, your pros and cons should include:
 - a. Costs of operating the van
 - b. Required size of the van
 - c. Driving efficiency
 - d. What might happen in emergency situations like accidents