

- Give an example of another future technology that has the same economical implications as Amazon Go store and elaborate more on these implications

Gene Editing. Recent breakthroughs in what's called CRIPSR (clustered regularly interspaced short palindromic repeats) has allowed practically anyone with a lab and a moderate sum of money to edit parts of the genome.

This has huge social and economical implications, firstly, if current trials succeed we could kill hundreds of gene infecting diseases like Herpes, HIV and others. There is very recent research on cancer treatment using CRIPSR technology. There also is research on delaying aging, as it is as we understand it, caused by specific corruptions in the genome (at least as far as the writer's knowledge in biology..). Gene editing isn't new, but a breakthrough like this one could allow a LOT of things that were harder to do, doable.

If this gene editing technology emerges as predicted, we foresee a lot of disruptances in the medical sector. Want your future child to grow without down syndrome? That's doable. Want your child to be smarter, stronger, or prettier? That is doable if CRISPR meets expectations.

The technology is already being tested in many places including the United States and China.

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