



INTRODUCTION TO DATA SCIENCE

Unlocking Insights from Data

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What is Data Science?

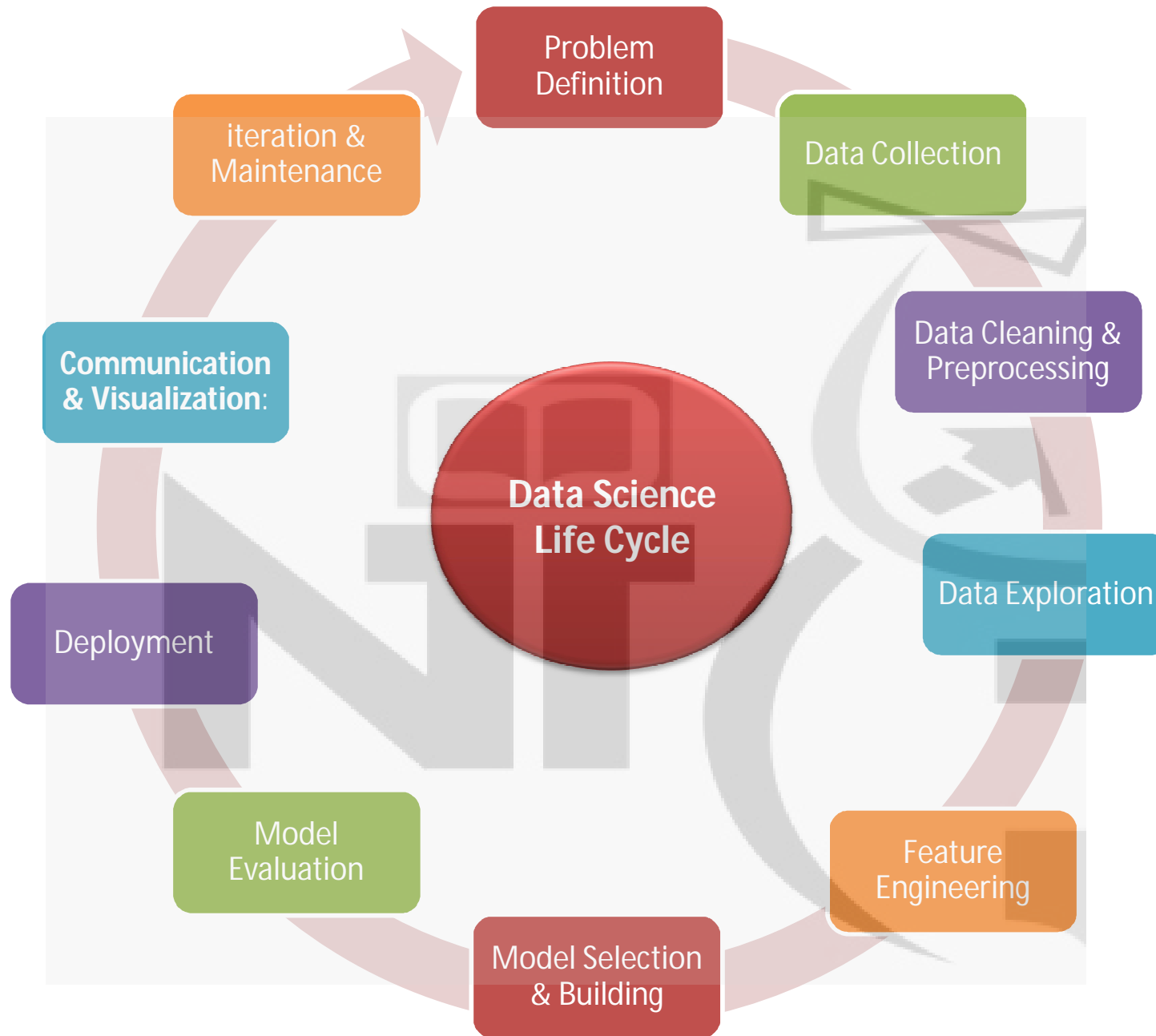
- Data Science is the art and science of turning raw data into actionable insights to solve real-world problems
- Data science is an interdisciplinary field focused on extracting knowledge from typically large data sets and applying the knowledge and insights from that data to solve problems in a wide range of application domains.

Purpose of Data Science

- To uncover hidden patterns and trends in data.
- To support better decision-making across industries.
- To solve complex problems in fields like healthcare, finance, marketing, and technology.

Data Science Workflow

- Problem Definition
- Data Collection
- Data Cleaning
- Data Exploration
- Model Selection & Building
- Model Evaluation
- Deployment
- Iteration & Maintenance



Problem Definition

- **Objective:** Understand the business problem or research question.
- **Key Actions:**
 - Define goals and deliverables.
 - Identify the problem domain and expected outcomes.
 - Understand constraints (time, budget, data availability).

Data Collection

- **Objective:** Gather data required to solve the problem.
- **Key Actions:**
 - Identify data sources (databases, APIs, sensors, web scraping, etc.).
 - Collect relevant raw data from multiple sources.

Data Cleaning and Preprocessing

- **Objective:** Prepare the raw data for analysis and modeling.
- **Key Actions:**
 - Handle missing or inconsistent data.
 - Remove duplicates or irrelevant data points.
 - Normalize or standardize numerical values.
 - Encode categorical variables.
- **Tools:** Pandas, NumPy.

Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

- **Objective:** Understand the data and identify patterns, trends, and anomalies.
- **Key Actions:**
 - Generate visualizations (e.g., histograms, scatter plots, box plots).
 - Compute summary statistics (mean, median, mode, correlation).
 - Detect relationships and outliers.
- **Tools:** Matplotlib, Seaborn, Plotly.

Feature Engineering

- **Objective:** Create meaningful input features for the model.
- **Key Actions:**
 - Select important variables (feature selection).
 - Transform data (e.g., log transformations, scaling).
 - Create new features (e.g., time-based features, ratios).

Feature Engineering Example

- Sales Data for a product

Transaction Date	Sales
1/1/2025	120
1/2/2025	150
1/3/2025	200
1/4/2025	250
1/5/2025	100

Feature Engineering Example

Extract new features like:

- **Day of the week** (e.g., Monday, Tuesday) to capture weekly patterns.
- **Month** to identify seasonal trends.
- **Is Holiday** (binary: 1 for holidays, 0 otherwise) to account for holiday effects.
- **Purpose:** These features help models understand temporal trends affecting sales.

Feature Engineering Example

- Sales Data after Feature Engg

Transaction Date	Sales	Day of Week	Month	Is Holiday
1/1/2025	120	Wednesday	January	1
1/2/2025	150	Thursday	January	0
1/3/2025	200	Friday	January	0
1/4/2025	250	Saturday	January	1
1/5/2025	100	Sunday	January	0

Model Selection and Building

- **Objective:** Develop predictive or analytical models.
- **Key Actions:**
 - Choose appropriate algorithms (linear regression, decision trees, neural networks, etc.).
 - Split data into training, validation, and test sets.
 - Train models on the training set and tune hyperparameters.
- **Tools:** Scikit-learn, TensorFlow, PyTorch.

Model Evaluation

- **Objective:** Assess model performance and refine as needed.
- **Key Actions:**
 - Evaluate metrics (e.g., accuracy, precision, recall, F1-score, AUC-ROC).
 - Perform cross-validation to ensure model robustness.
 - Compare multiple models and select the best one.

Deployment

- **Objective:** Integrate the final model into production.
- **Key Actions:**
 - Build APIs, dashboards, or applications for end-users.
 - Monitor real-time model performance.
 - Continuously update the model as new data becomes available.

Iteration and Maintenance

- **Objective:** Continuously improve and adapt the solution.
- **Key Actions:**
 - Gather feedback from users and stakeholders.
 - Update the model with new data or insights.
 - Monitor for data drift or performance degradation.



End to End DataScience Project Demo

End to End DataScience Project

Demo

- **Problem Definition**

- We want to help potential homebuyers to predict house prices based on features like location, number of bedrooms, square footage, etc.

Data Collection

- Include features like:
 - Location
 - Number of bedrooms
 - Square footage
 - Age of the house
 - Price (as the target variable).

House Dataset

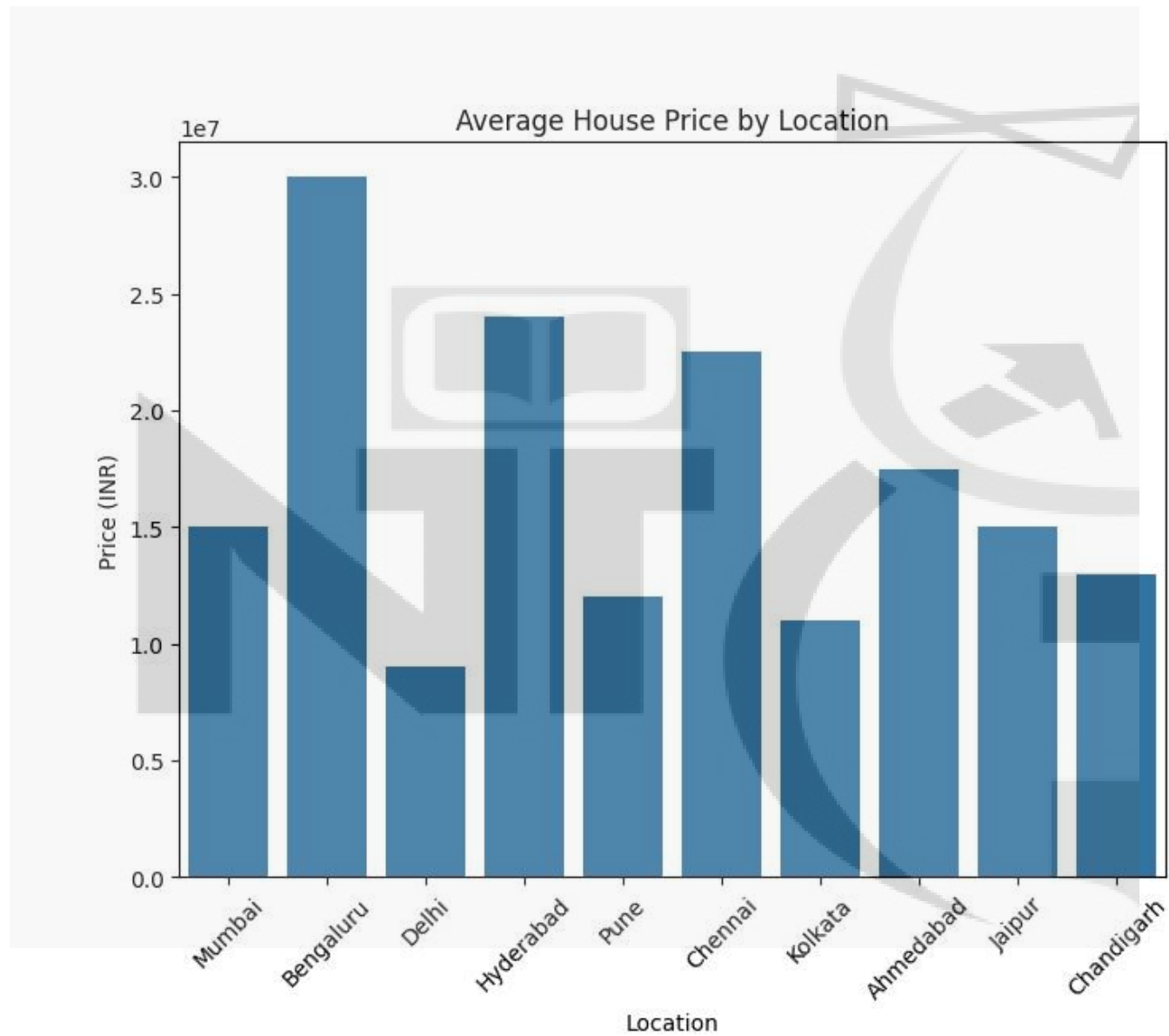
ID	Location	Bedrooms	Bathrooms	Square Footage	Age (Years)	Price (₹)
1	Mumbai	3	2	1200	10	1,50,00,000
2	Bengaluru	4	3	2500	5	3,00,00,000
3	Delhi	2	1	800	20	90,00,000
4	Hyderabad	5	4	3000	8	2,40,00,000
5	Pune	3	2	1500	12	1,20,00,000
6	Chennai	4	3	1800	7	2,25,00,000
7	Kolkata	2	1	1000	15	1,10,00,000
8	Ahmedabad	3	2	2000	6	1,75,00,000
9	Jaipur	4	3	2200	9	1,50,00,000
10	Chandigarh	3	2	1400	11	1,30,00,000

Data Cleaning

- Examples of handling missing data, removing duplicates, and dealing with outliers.

Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

- Create a few graphs or charts:
 - A bar chart showing the average price in different cities.
 - A scatterplot showing the relationship between square footage and price.



Insights from the Graph

- **Highest Prices:**
 - **Bengaluru** has the highest average house prices, indicating a highly valued real estate market in this city.
- **Moderately High Prices:**
 - **Hyderabad** and **Chennai** follow Bengaluru, with moderately high average house prices, possibly due to their growing infrastructure and real estate demand.
- **Lower Prices:**
 - **Delhi** shows one of the lowest average house prices, contrary to expectations for a metropolitan area.
 - Other cities like **Kolkata**, **Ahmedabad**, **Jaipur**, and **Chandigarh** also have relatively lower average prices, making them more affordable.

Feature Engineering

- Creating a new feature: **Price per Square Foot**

Price_Per_SqFt :

- This feature will give us an idea about which city is costliest and which is affordable.

Feature Engineering

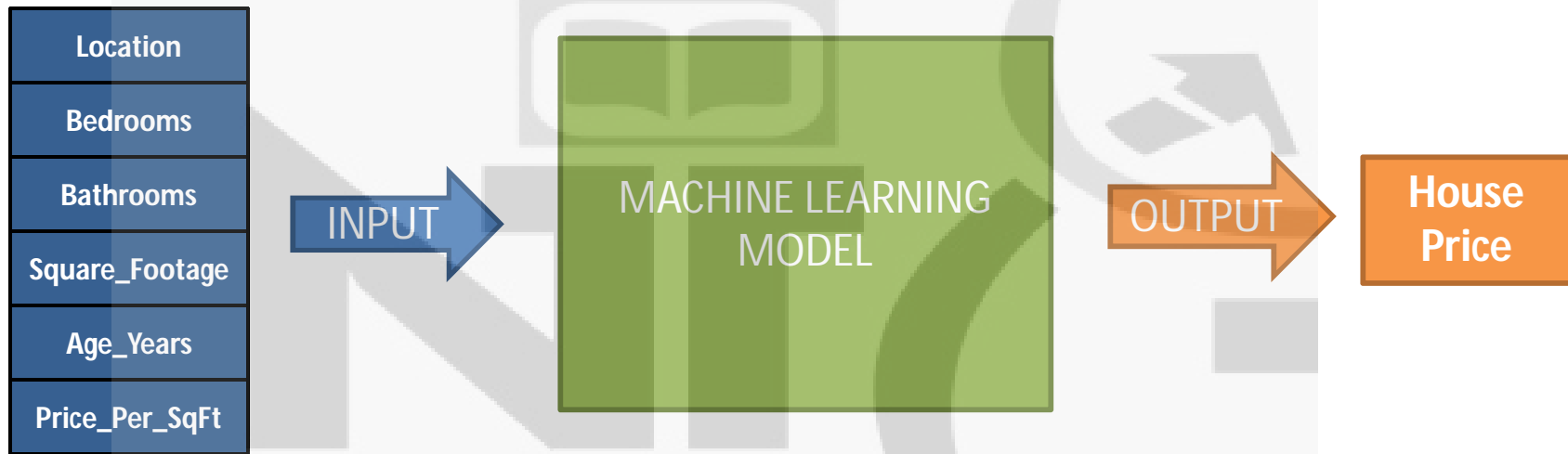
- Updated Dataset

ID	Location	Bedrooms	Bathrooms	Square_Footage	Age_Years	Price_INR	Price_Per_SqFt
1	Mumbai	3	2	1200	10	15000000	12500
2	Bengaluru	4	3	2500	5	30000000	12000
3	Delhi	2	1	800	20	9000000	11250
4	Hyderabad	5	4	3000	8	24000000	8000
5	Pune	3	2	1500	12	12000000	8000
6	Chennai	4	3	1800	7	22500000	12500
7	Kolkata	2	1	1000	15	11000000	11000
8	Ahmedabad	3	2	2000	6	17500000	8750
9	Jaipur	4	3	2200	9	15000000	6818.181818
10	Chandigarh	3	2	1400	11	13000000	9285.714286

Insights from the new feature

- **Mumbai ,Delhi** and **Banglore** have the highest price per square foot, making them less affordable for large families.
- **Jaipur** offer more cost-efficient options for homebuyers.

Model Building



Model Deployment

- Once the mode is Evaluated and is performing as per requirement its deployed in pipeline and made available to users via app

Communication & Visualization

- **Communication:**
In data science, communication involves effectively conveying findings, insights, and recommendations to stakeholders using clear language and context.
- **Visualization:**
Visualization is the process of creating graphical representations of data and results to make complex patterns and insights easier to understand and interpret.

Maintenance

- Maintenance ensures the model stays accurate and reliable by updating it with new data, monitoring performance, and addressing any drift or inconsistencies over time.

Real-Life Applications

- Healthcare (predicting diseases)
- E-commerce (recommendation systems)
- Social Media (sentiment analysis)
- Finance (fraud detection)
- Transportation

Netflix Example



Netflix Example

Problem Statement:

- Netflix has millions of users watching movies and shows every day.
- Each user has different tastes.
- Netflix wants to recommend shows or movies so that each user will likely enjoy, keeping them engaged.

How Data Science Helps Netflix

- **Collecting Data:** Netflix gathers data about what each user watches, rates, searches, and how long they watch.

UserID	Name	Age	Gender	Movie/TV Show Watched	Rating	Search Queries	Watch Time (minutes)
1	Alice	28	Female	Inception, Breaking Bad	4.5	Sci-fi, Thriller, Action	120
2	Bob	35	Male	The Witcher, Stranger Things	5	Fantasy, Horror	180
3	Charlie	22	Male	The Crown, The Office	3	Drama, Comedy	90
4	Diana	40	Female	Friends, The Queen's Gambit	4.7	Comedy, Drama	150

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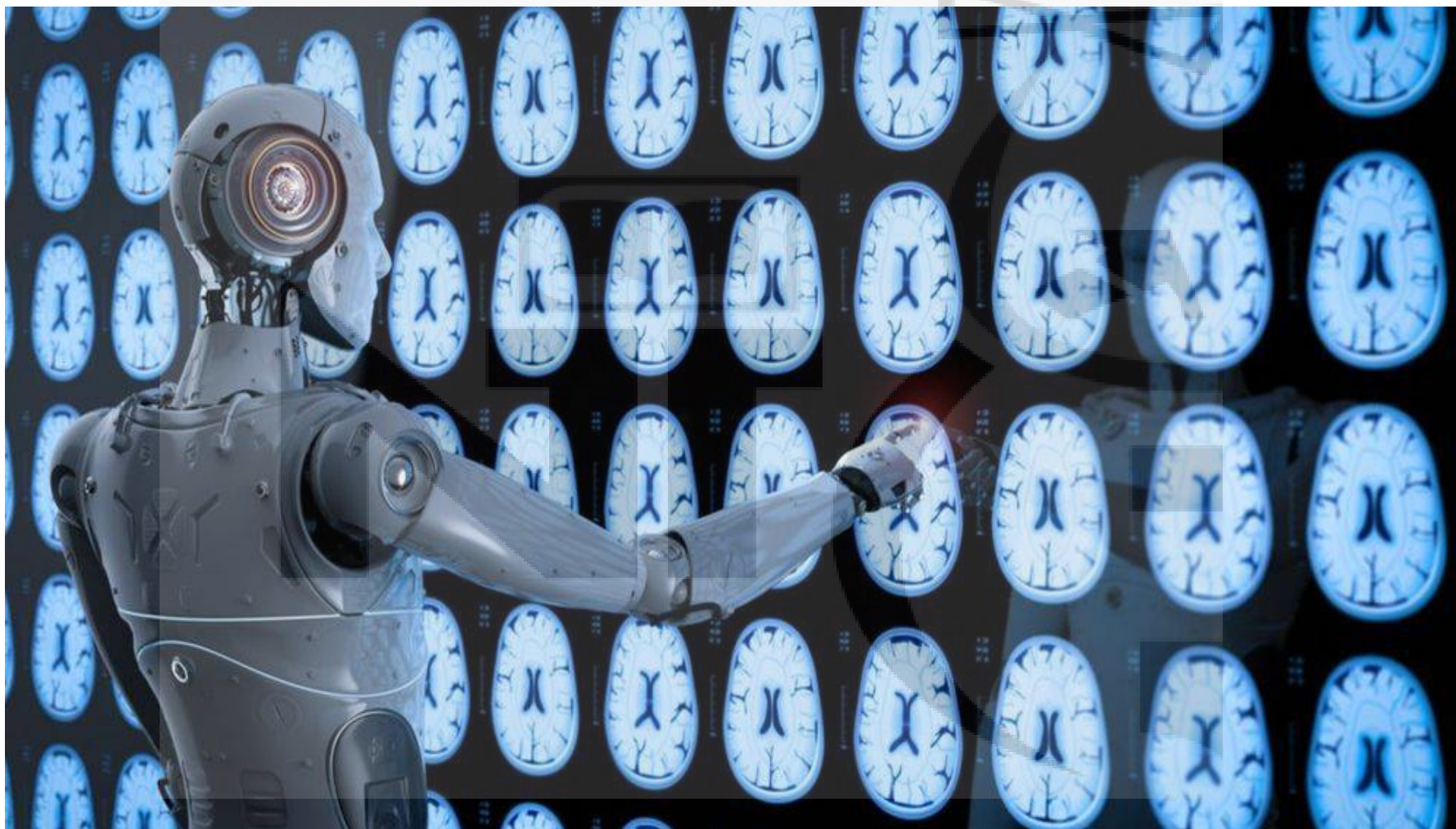
Processing Data:

- Data scientists organize this huge volume of data and identify patterns, like which types of shows are popular with specific groups of users.

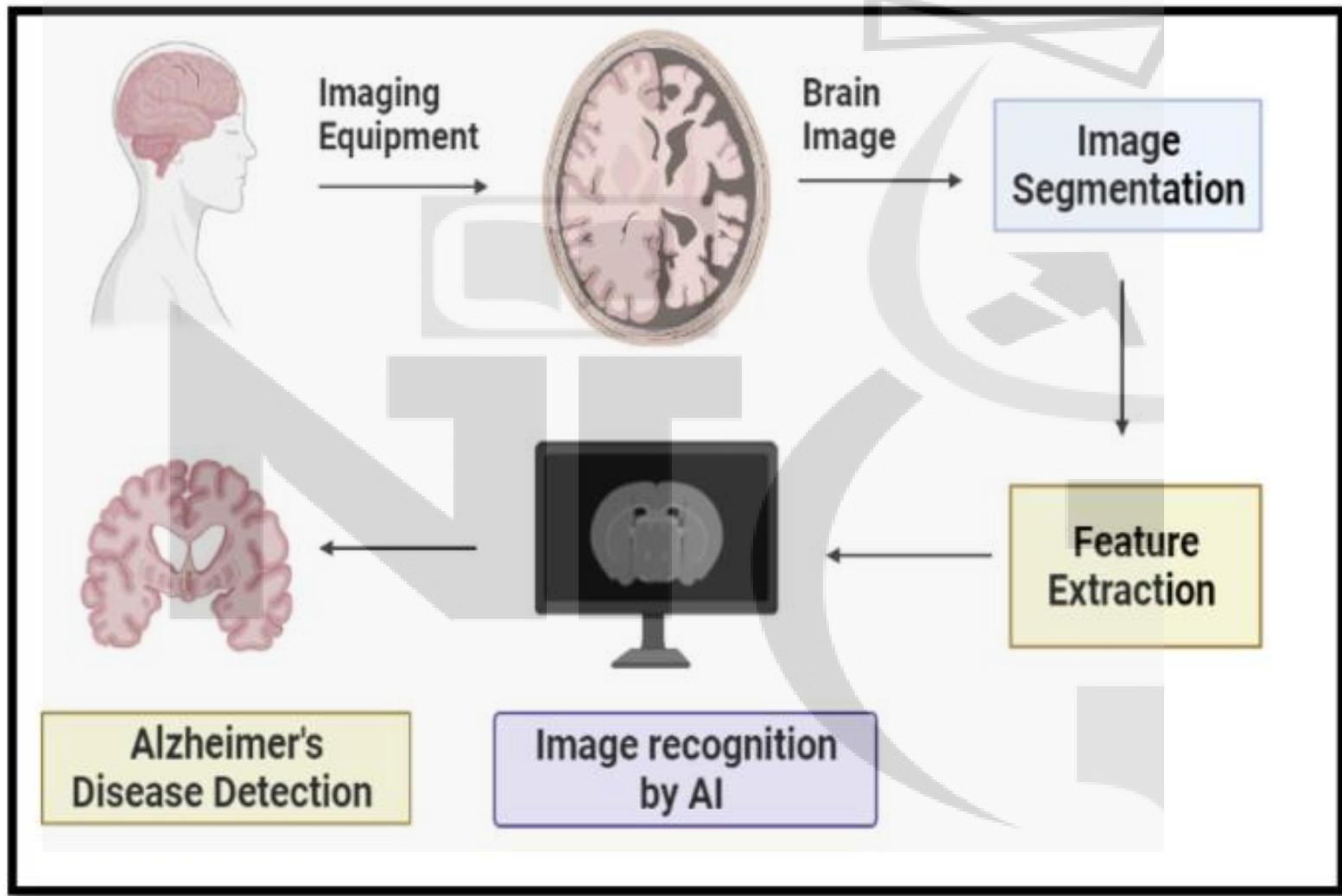
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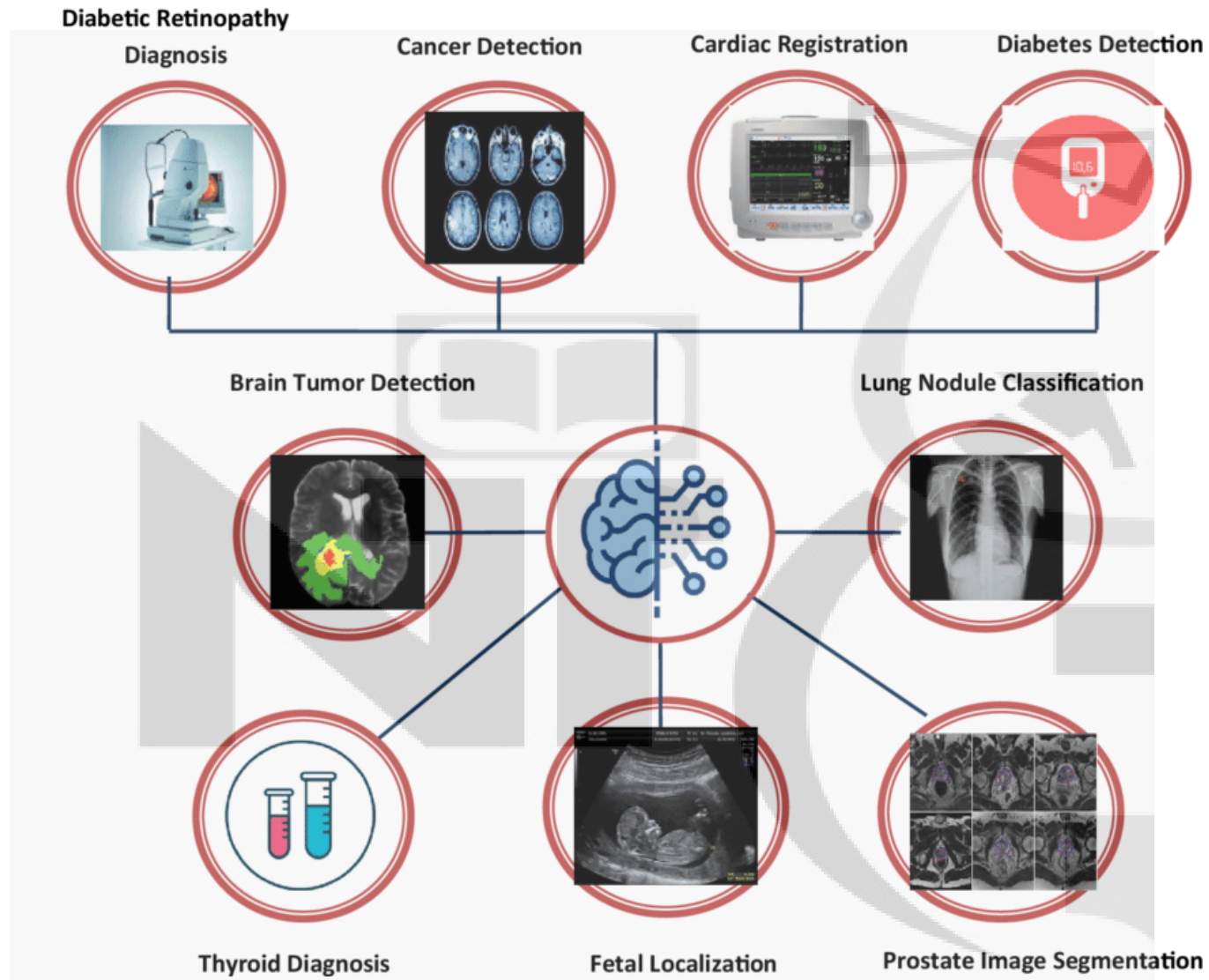
- **Building a Model:** Using machine learning, they create algorithms that predict what you might like based on your viewing history and similar users' preferences.
- **Delivering Insights:** The system suggests "Top Picks for You" on your Netflix homepage, making your experience personalized.

HealthCare

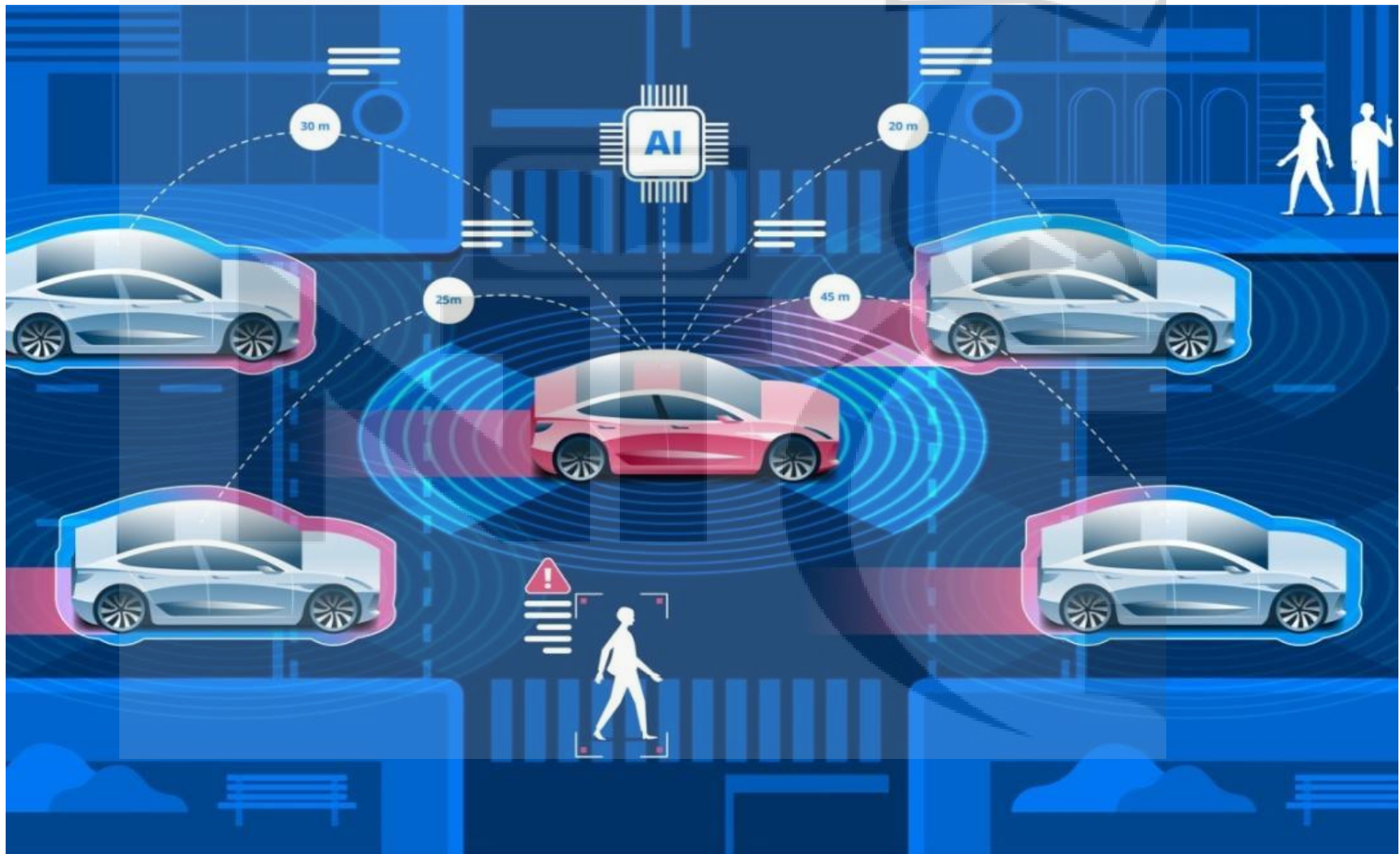


Alzheimer Disease Predictor

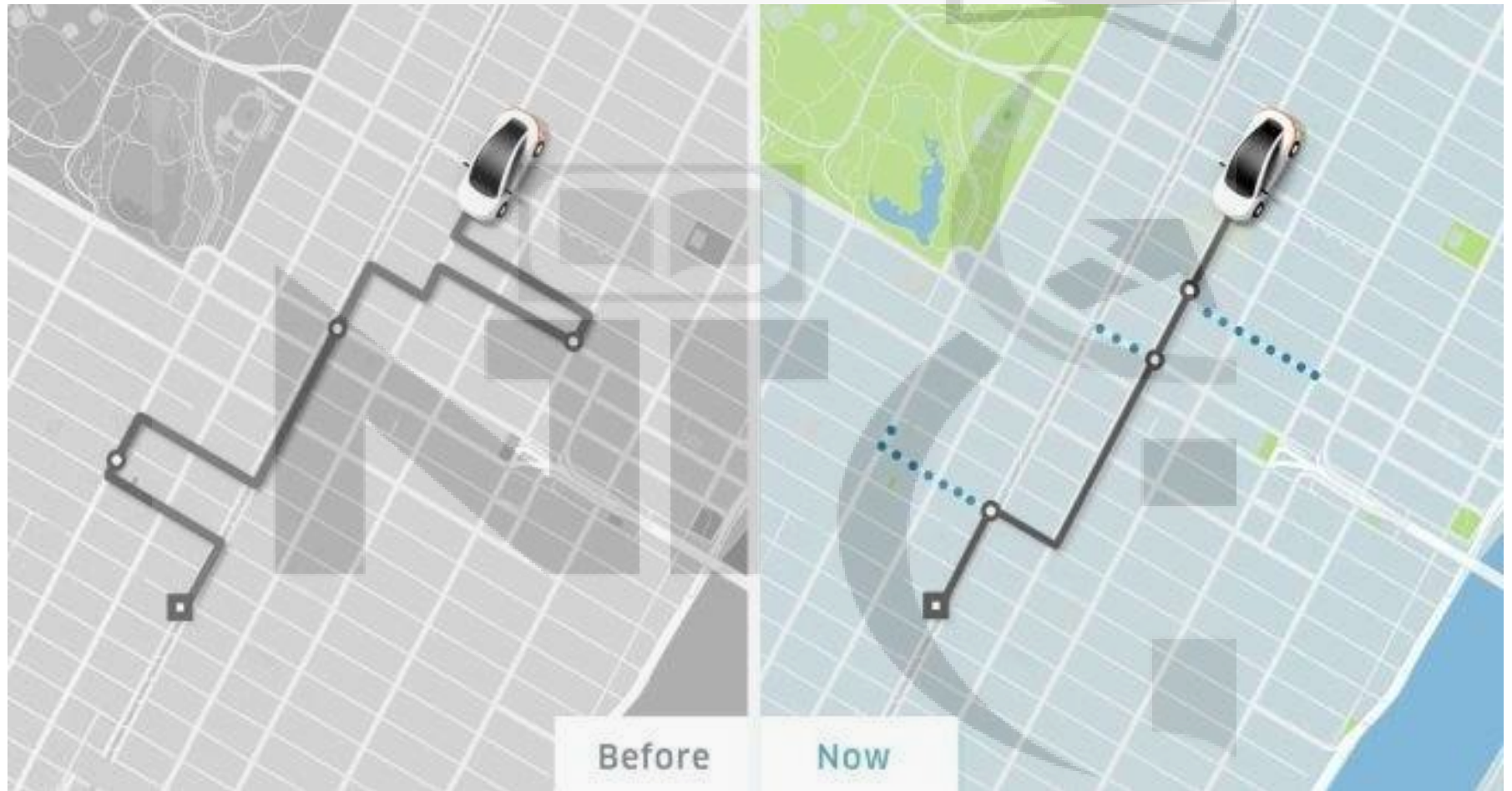




Transportation



Optimizing Rides and Routes



Advantages

- Improved Operational Efficiency
- Enhanced Customer Satisfaction
- Dynamic Pricing (Revenue Maximization)

Improved Operational Efficiency

- **How Data Science Helps:**
 - Predicts demand in specific areas using historical data, weather patterns, and events.
 - Optimizes routes in real-time to minimize delays and fuel consumption.
- **Business Impact:**
 - Reduces operational costs (e.g., fuel, vehicle maintenance).
 - Increases fleet utilization, ensuring more rides or deliveries per vehicle.
- **Example:**
 - **Uber** uses predictive analytics to dispatch drivers to high-demand areas, reducing idle time.

Enhanced Customer Satisfaction

- **How Data Science Helps:**
 - Reduces wait times for passengers or delivery customers.
 - Suggests accurate arrival times by analyzing traffic conditions and driver locations.
- **Business Impact:**
 - Higher customer retention and loyalty due to better service experiences.
 - Positive reviews and increased recommendations.
- **Example:**
 - **DoorDash** uses data science to optimize delivery routes, ensuring food arrives hot and fresh.

Dynamic Pricing

- **How Data Science Helps:**
 - Uses algorithms to adjust pricing based on supply and demand (e.g., surge pricing during peak hours or bad weather).
- **Business Impact:**
 - Maximizes revenue during high-demand periods while balancing driver supply.
 - Encourages more drivers to participate during peak times, improving availability.
- **Example:**
 - **Uber and Lyft** increase fares during concerts, sporting events, or bad weather to match demand.