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Suggested Page

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Data: Past, Present, and Future

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Search business  Data: Past, Present, and Future 3 Help ?

Discard Changes Review Draft Items Settings

Search Filters Add filters to narrow the data you are seeing. This month: Jan 1, 2018 – Jan 16, 2018

Account Overview Campaigns 1 selected Ad Sets for 1 Campaign Ads for 1 Campaign

+ Create Ad Set Duplicate Edit Columns: Performance Breakdown Export

	Ad Set Name	livery	Results	Reach	Impressions	Cost per Result	Budget	Amount Spent
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ad Set - 1st PPF ad	Recently Completed	7 Link Clicks	258	399	\$0.57 Per Link Click	\$4.00 Lifetime	\$3.40
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ad Set - Ad B	Recently Completed	8 Link Clicks	259	381	\$0.50 Per Link Click	\$4.00 Lifetime	\$4.00
▶ Results from 2 ad sets ⓘ			15 Link Clicks	517 People	780 Total	\$0.53 Per Link Click		\$7.93 Total Spent

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Creating Ad Set: test T-1 ad set

Detailed Targeting i INCLUDE people who match at least ONE of the following i

Demographics > Education > Schools  
Columbia University

Interests > Additional Interests  
Flat Earth

Add demographics, interests or behaviors | Suggestions | Browse

Audience Definition

Your audience selection is fairly broad.

Potential Reach: 810,000 people i

Estimated Daily Results

Reach  
2,300 - 6,500

Link Clicks  
28 - 110

⚠ Your results are likely to differ from estimates  
We have limited data available to calculate this estimate, so estimates may be less accurate.

No Results Found

Connections i

Placement

Saving to draft

2 items to review, including 1 new campaign Close



## Ads Manager

Search business



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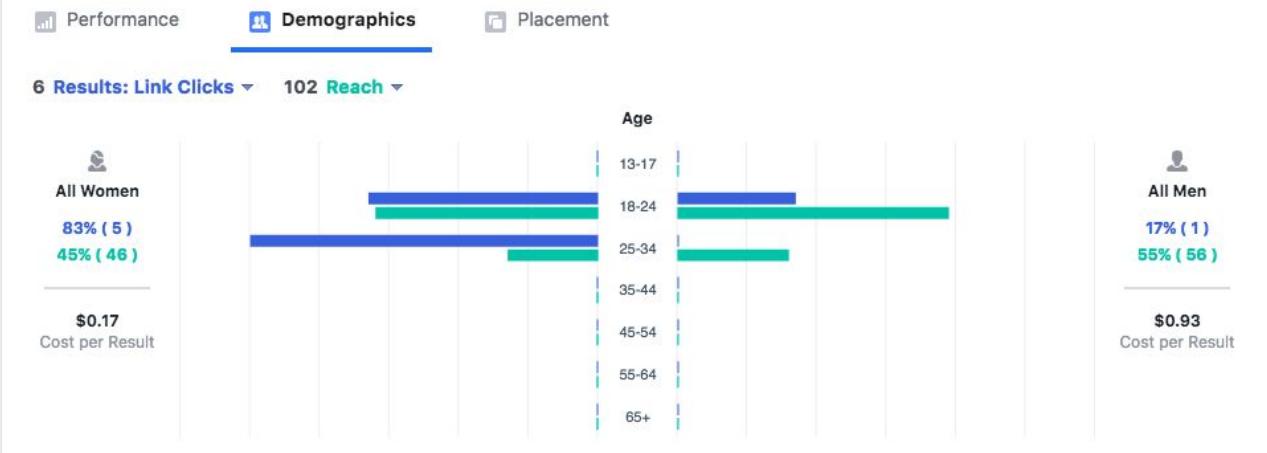
 Search 🔍

Traffic-20190121T14h54 &gt; 2 Ad Sets &gt; 2 Ads

Active  
In Split Test toggle

- Traffic-20190121T14h54 ...
- Ad Set for Ad B ...
  - Ad B ...
- Ad Set for Ad A ...
  - Ad A ...

This month: Jan 1, 2019 – Jan 22, 2019



Split Test: Traffic-20190121T14h54 | Active

TEST SCHEDULE: Jan 21, 2019 – Jan 22, 2019

View By Cost per Result ▾

No Winner Yet

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Ad Set for Ad B

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Ad B

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Ad A

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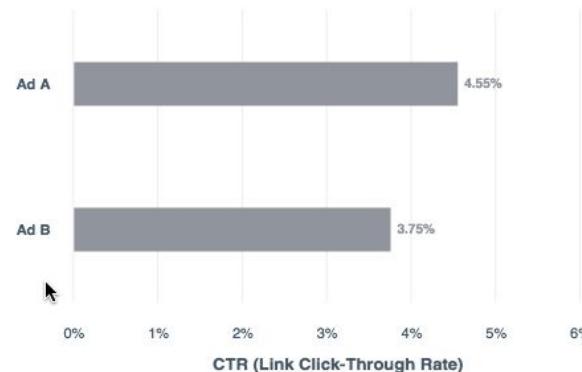
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## View By CTR (Link Click-Through Rate) ▾

Ad A had the highest link click-through rate with 4.55%.

View by Cost per Result to find out if there was a winner from the test.



Variable: Creative | Versions: 2 Ads | Total Budget: \$10.00, Even Split (50/50) | Objective: Traffic

Give Feedback

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Traffic-20190121T14h54



Ad Set for Ad B



Ad B

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new class on history and ethics of data, with Python



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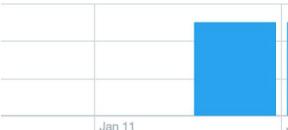
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2018



Objective: All X Status: All X C

Spend  
**\$25.00**



Campaigns | Ad Groups | /

Name

Summary for 1 item

On Twitter

On Twitter Audience Platform

data:PPF spring 2018  
Website clicks or conversions

On Twitter

On Twitter Audience Platform

Location ? ▾

Location	Impressions	Spend	Results
Total for account	12,940	\$25.00	-
Brazil	38	\$0.06	-
Indonesia	5,638	\$3.38	-
Bosnia and Herzegovina	3	\$0.01	-
Ukraine	2	\$0.01	-
Trinidad and Tobago	1	\$0.00	-
Greece	2	\$0.00	-
Kuwait	18	\$0.00	-

Filters: Default ▼ Save filters

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Twitter bird icon

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Objective: All Status: All

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3 Amplify your message by promoting your Tweets

When you promote your Tweets, Twitter will prominently display your most engaging Tweets to your followers and those with interests similar to your followers.

Spend no more than: \$ [ ] per day ?

You will be charged between: \$0.01 and \$0.75 for each click.

We recommend a maximum bid of at least \$0.75. ?

How do you want to select Tweets?

Automatically refresh to include your newest, most engaging Tweets. [More info](#)

Manually select your Tweets

Promote a new Tweet

Start promoting your Tweets Skip for now

Preview your 5 Promoted Tweets

Click ? below to stop any Tweet from being promoted.

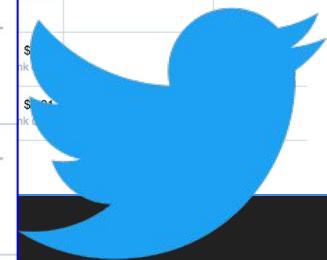
result	Daily budget	Re campaign
\$0.03 k click	\$5.00	
\$1.07 k click	-	
\$0.01 k click	-	
\$0.03 k click	\$5.00	
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AUDIENCE



ACQUISITION



BEHAVIOR



CONVERSIONS



DISCOVER



ADMIN

## Google Analytics Home



INTELLIGENCE

## Users

**476**

↑833.3%

vs last 7 days

## Sessions

**505**

↑770.7%

## Bounce Rate

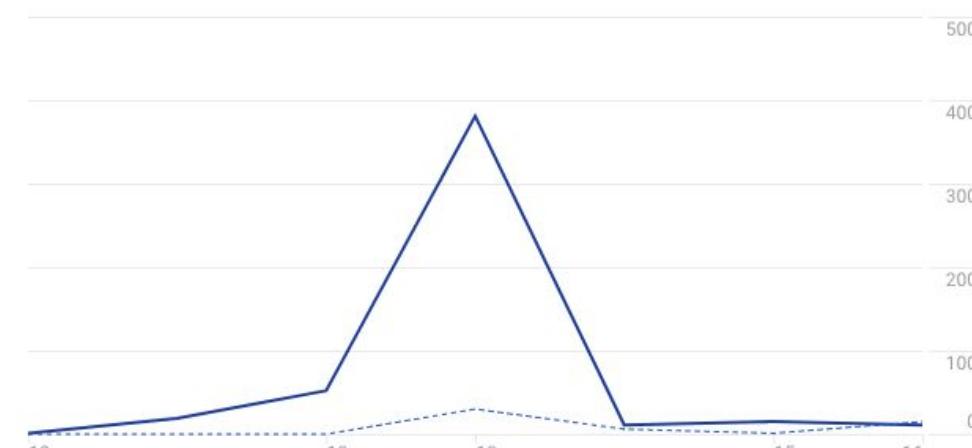
**87.92%**

↑6.2%

## Session Duration

**0m 13s**

↓91.5%



Last 7 days ▾

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Analytics

Country	Acquisition			Behavior			Conversions		
	Sessions	% New Sessions	New Users	Bounce Rate	Pages / Session	Avg. Session Duration	Goal Conversion Rate	Goal Completions	Goal Value
	563 % of Total: 100.00% (563)	93.43% Avg for View: 93.43% (0.00%)	526 % of Total: 100.00% (526)	87.39% Avg for View: 87.39% (0.00%)	1.24 Avg for View: 1.24 (0.00%)	00:00:29 Avg for View: 00:00:29 (0.00%)	0.00% Avg for View: 0.00% (0.00%)	0 % of Total: 0.00% (0)	\$0.00 % of Total: 0.00% (\$0.00)
1. Indonesia	271 (48.13%)	95.20%	258 (49.05%)	92.99%	1.17	00:00:06	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
2. United States	149 (26.47%)	85.23%	127 (24.14%)	80.54%	1.40	00:01:33	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
3. Malaysia	81 (14.39%)	98.77%	80 (15.21%)	87.65%	1.17	<00:00:01	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
4. Thailand	9 (1.60%)	100.00%	9 (1.71%)	100.00%	1.00	00:00:00	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
5. Australia	7 (1.24%)	85.71%	6 (1.14%)	42.86%	2.00	00:00:04	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
6. United Kingdom	7 (1.24%)	100.00%	7 (1.33%)	100.00%	1.00	00:00:00	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
7. India	6 (1.07%)	100.00%	6 (1.14%)	50.00%	1.50	00:00:53	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
8. Switzerland	4 (0.71%)	100.00%	4 (0.76%)	100.00%	1.00	00:00:00	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
9. Peru	4 (0.71%)	100.00%	4 (0.76%)	75.00%	1.25	00:00:17			
10. Turkey	4 (0.71%)	100.00%	4 (0.76%)	50.00%	1.75	00:00:06			



Source / Medium	Acquisition			Behavior			Conversions		
	Sessions	% New Sessions	New Users	Bounce Rate	Pages / Session	Avg. Session Duration	Goal Conversion Rate	Goal Completions	Goal Value
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1. (direct) / (none)	<b>393</b> (69.80%)	95.93%	377 (71.67%)	89.31%	1.21	00:00:17	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
2. t.co / referral	<b>85</b> (15.10%)	91.76%	78 (14.83%)	77.65%	1.36	00:00:33	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
3. ads-bidder-api.twitter.com / referral	<b>34</b> (6.04%)	82.35%	28 (5.32%)	88.24%	1.18	00:00:28	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
4. m.facebook.com / referral	<b>20</b> (3.55%)	100.00%	20 (3.80%)	95.00%	1.05	00:00:08	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
5. l.facebook.com / referral	<b>15</b> (2.66%)	93.33%	14 (2.66%)	80.00%	1.80	00:04:34	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
6. datascience.columbia.edu / referral	<b>5</b> (0.89%)	20.00%	1 (0.19%)	100.00%	1.00	00:00:00	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
7. google / organic	<b>4</b> (0.71%)	25.00%	1 (0.19%)	50.00%	1.75	00:06:15	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
8. facebook.com / referral	<b>3</b> (0.53%)	100.00%	3 (0.57%)	100.00%	1.00	00:00:00	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
9. ad-review-tool.twitter.biz / referral	<b>1</b> (0.18%)	100.00%	1 (0.19%)	100.00%	1.00	00:00:00			
10. adwords.google.com / referral	<b>1</b> (0.18%)	100.00%	1 (0.19%)	100.00%	1.00	00:00:00			



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1.	indonesia / direct	271 (48.19%)	271 % of New Users: 100.00% Avg. New User:	how did this end up in my news feed?			0.00% (0.00%)	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
2.	t.co / referral United States	149 (26.47%)	149 % of New Users: 100.00% Avg. New User:				0.00% (0.00%)	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
3.	ads-bidder-api.twitter.com / referral Malaysia	81 (14.39%)	81 % of New Users: 100.00% Avg. New User:				0.00% (0.00%)	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
4.	m.facebook.com / referral Thailand	8 (1.46%)	8 % of New Users: 100.00% Avg. New User:				0.00% (0.00%)	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
5.	i.facebook.com / referral Australia	7 (1.24%)	7 % of New Users: 100.00% Avg. New User:				0.00% (0.00%)	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
6.	datascience.columbia.edu / referral United Kingdom	7 (1.24%)	7 % of New Users: 100.00% Avg. New User:	this was not possible 20 years ago. - why? - what did people do instead?			0.00% (0.00%)	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
7.	google / organic India	6 (1.07%)	6 % of New Users: 100.00% Avg. New User:				0.00% (0.00%)	0 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)	\$0.00 (0.00%)
8.	facebook.com / referral Switzerland	4 (0.71%)	100.00% % of New Sessions: 100.00% Avg. New Session:	100.00% % of Bounce Rate: 100.00% Avg. Bounce Rate:	1.00 % of Pages / Session: 100.00% Avg. Pages / Session:	00:00:00 % of Avg. Session Duration: 100.00% Avg. Session Duration:	0.00% Avg. Goal Conversion Rate: 0.00% (0.00%)	0 % of Goal Completions: 100.00% Avg. Goal Completions:	\$0.00 % of Goal Value: 100.00% Avg. Goal Value:	\$0.00 % of Goal Value: 100.00% Avg. Goal Value:
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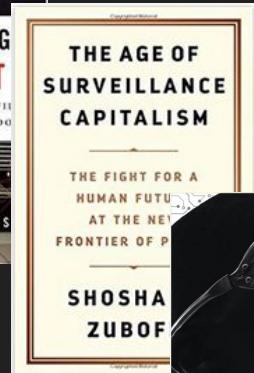
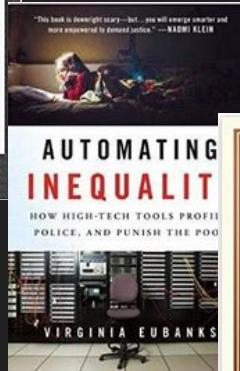
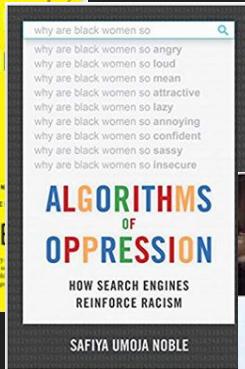
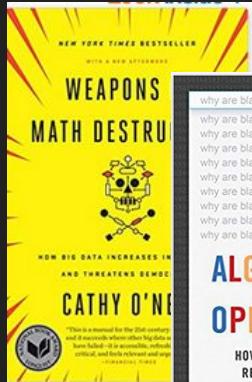
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**Artificial intelligence  
(AI)**

# New AI can guess whether you're gay or straight from a photograph

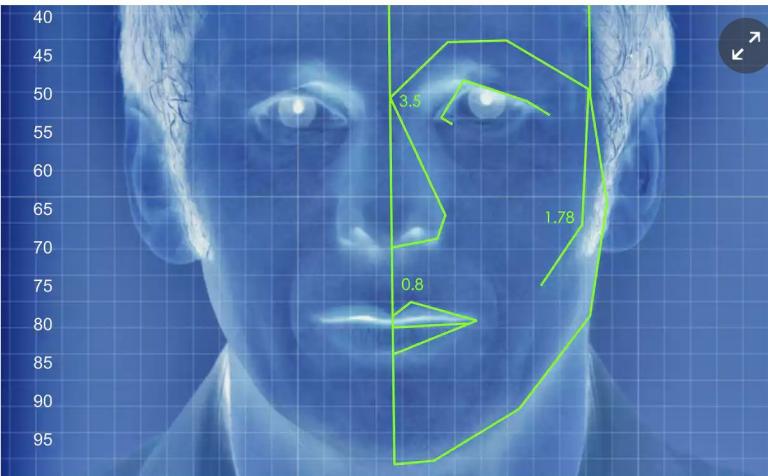
An algorithm deduced the sexuality of people on a dating site with up to 91% accuracy, raising tricky ethical questions

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 An illustrated depiction of facial analysis technology similar to that used in the experiment. Illustration: Alamy

Artificial intelligence can accurately guess whether people are gay or straight based on photos of their faces, according to new research that suggests machines can have significantly better “gaydar” than humans.

# Deep neural networks are more accurate than humans at detecting sexual orientation from facial images.

Contributors: Yilun Wang, Michal Kosinski

Date created: 2017-02-15 08:37 AM | Last Updated: 2017-10-16 09:17 AM

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Description: We show that faces contain much more information about sexual orientation than can be perceived and interpreted by the human brain. We used deep neural networks to extract features from 35,326 facial images. These features were entered into a logistic regression aimed at classifying sexual orientation. Given a single facial image, a classifier could correctly distinguish between gay and heterosexual men in 81% of cases, and in 74% of cases for women. Human judges achieved much lower accuracy: 61% for men and 54% for women. The accuracy of the algorithm increased to 91% and 83%, respectively, given five facial images per person. Facial features employed by the classifier included both fixed (e.g., nose shape) and transient facial features (e.g., grooming style). Consistent with the prenatal hormone theory of sexual orientation, gay men and women tended to have gender-atypical facial morphology, expression, and grooming styles. Prediction models aimed at gender alone allowed for detecting gay males with 57% accuracy and gay females with 58% accuracy. Those findings advance our understanding of the origins of sexual orientation and the limits of human perception. Additionally, given that companies and governments are increasingly using computer vision algorithms to detect people's intimate traits, our findings expose a threat to the privacy and safety of gay men and women.

# The Secretive Company That Might End Privacy as We Know It

A little-known start-up helps law enforcement match photos of unknown people to their online images — and “might lead to a dystopian future or something,” a backer says.

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# Machine Bias

There's software used across the country to predict future criminals. And it's biased against blacks.

by Julia Angwin, Jeff Larson, Surya Mattu and Lauren Kirchner, ProPublica

May 23, 2016

**O**N A SPRING AFTERNOON IN 2014, Brisha Borden was running late to pick up her god-sister from school when she spotted an unlocked kid's blue Huffy bicycle and a silver Razor scooter. Borden and a friend grabbed the bike and scooter and tried to ride them down the street in the Fort Lauderdale suburb of Coral Springs.

Just as the 18-year-old girls were realizing they were too big for the tiny conveyances — which belonged to a 6-year-old boy — a woman came running after them saying, "That's my kid's stuff." Borden and her friend immediately dropped the bike and scooter and walked away.

But it was too late — a neighbor who witnessed the heist had already called the police. Borden and her friend were arrested and charged with burglary and petty theft for the items, which were valued at a total of \$80.

# Gendershades project : Bu o

The screenshot shows a web browser displaying the [gendershades.org](https://gendershades.org) website. The page title is "Gender Shades". The main content is an abstract for a research paper titled "Gender Shades: Intersectional Accuracy Disparities in Commercial Gender Classification\*". The abstract includes authors Joy Buolamwini and Timnit Gebru, their institutions (MIT Media Lab and Microsoft Research), and editors Sorelle A. Friedler and Christo Wilson. It also mentions the source of the research (Proceedings of Machine Learning Research 81:1–15, 2018) and the conference it was presented at (Conference on Fairness, Accountability, and Transparency). On the right side, there is a video player interface with "Watch later" and "Share" buttons.

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How well do IBM, Microsoft, and Face++ AI services guess the gender of a face?

Proceedings of Machine Learning Research 81:1–15, 2018

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# Automated Inference on Criminality using Face Images

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## Abstract

*We study, for the first time, automated inference on criminality based solely on still face images, which is free of any biases of subjective judgments of human observers.*

management science, criminology, etc.

In all cultures and all periods of recorded human history, people share the belief that the face alone suffices to reveal innate traits of a person. Aristotle in his famous work *Prior Analytics* asserted, "It is possible to infer character

" In all cultures recorded human beings share the belief suffices to reveal person. "



(a) Three samples in criminal ID photo set  $S_c$ .



(b) Three samples in non-criminal ID photo set  $S_n$

Figure 1. Sample ID photos in our data set.

## 2. Data preparation

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## Facial recognition technology can expose political orientation from naturalistic facial images

Michał Kosinski 

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### Abstract

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Ubiquitous facial recognition technology can expose individuals' political orientation, as faces of liberals and conservatives consistently differ. A facial recognition algorithm was applied to naturalistic images of 1,085,795 individuals to predict their political orientation by comparing

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# Historians Politely Remind Nation To Check What's Happened In Past Before Making Any Big Decisions

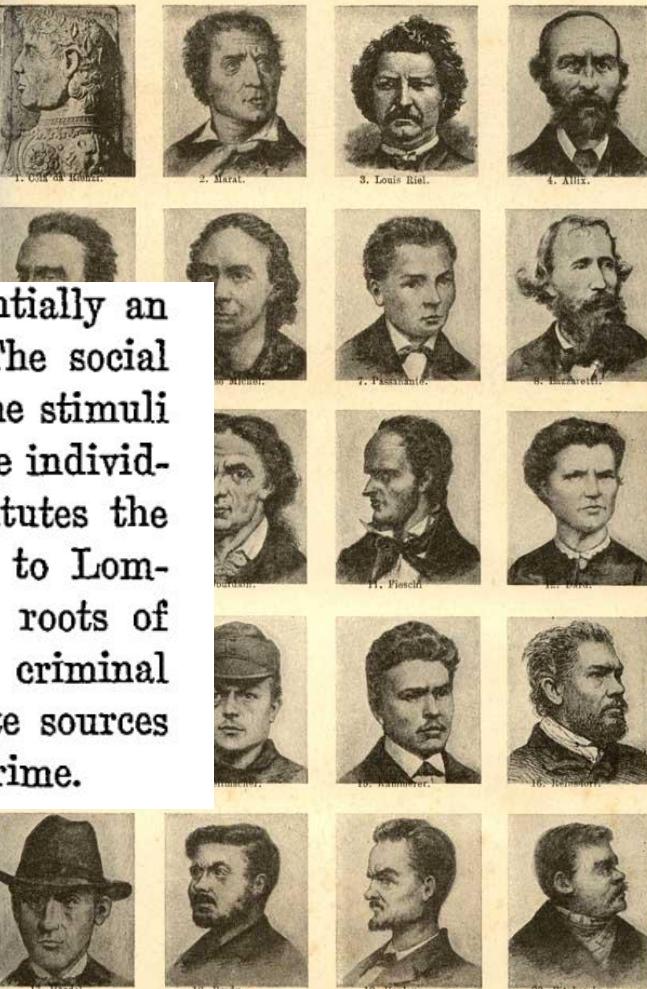
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Trying to avoid repeating bad things we did in the past is a good idea, historians say.

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Lombroso believed, in other words, that the criminal was essentially an organic anomaly, partly pathological and partly atavistic. The social causes of crime were at most, according to Lombroso, simply the stimuli which called forth the organic and psychical abnormalities of the individual. While the removal of the social causes of crime constitutes the immediate practical problem before criminologists, according to Lombroso, because they are the exciting causes, yet the ultimate roots of crime lie in the atavistic and degenerate heredity of the born criminal and the criminaloid, and only the extirpation of these ultimate sources of criminality can afford a final solution of the problem of crime.



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## Do algorithms reveal sexual orientation or just expose our stereotypes?

by Blaise Aguera y Arcas, [Alexander Todorov](#) and [Margaret Mitchell](#)

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This doesn't negate the privacy concerns the authors and various commentators have raised, but it emphasizes that such concerns relate less to AI per se than to mass surveillance, which is troubling regardless of the technologies used (even when, as in the days of the Stasi in East Germany, these were nothing but paper files and audiotapes). Like computers or the internal combustion engine, AI is a general-purpose technology that can be used to automate a great many tasks, including ones that should not be undertaken in the first place.

We are hopeful about the confluence of new, powerful AI technologies with social science, but not because we believe in reviving the 19th century research program of inferring people's inner character from their outer appearance. Rather, we believe AI is an essential tool for understanding

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Central to development of...  
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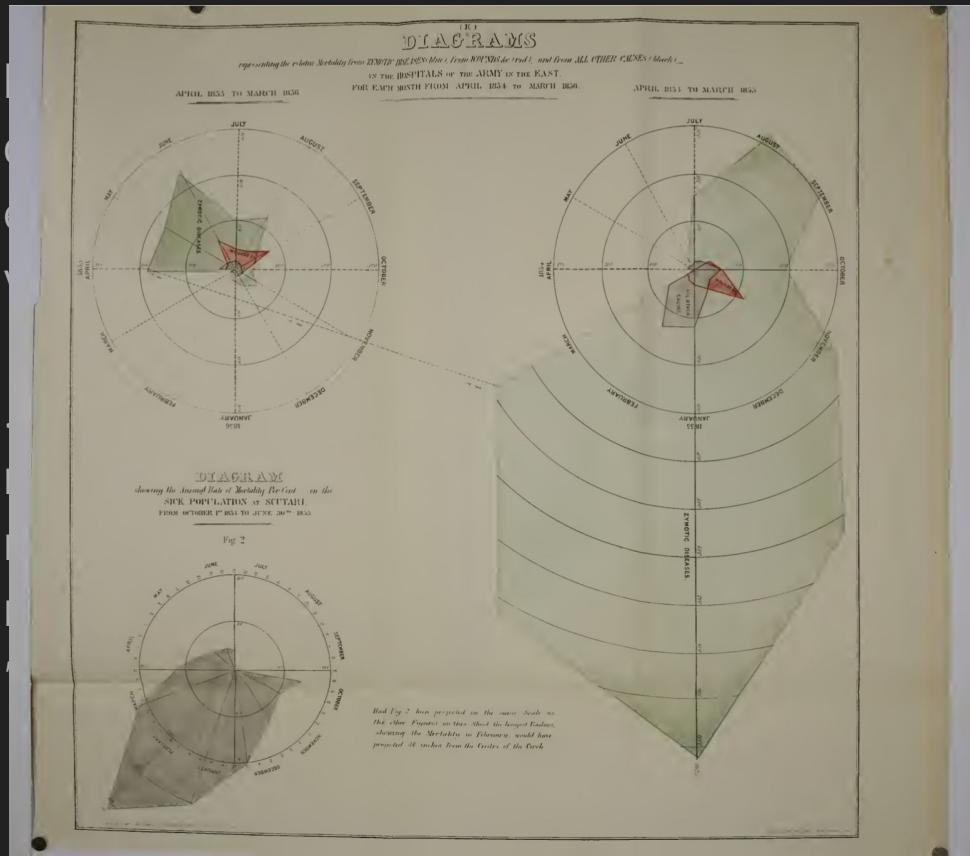
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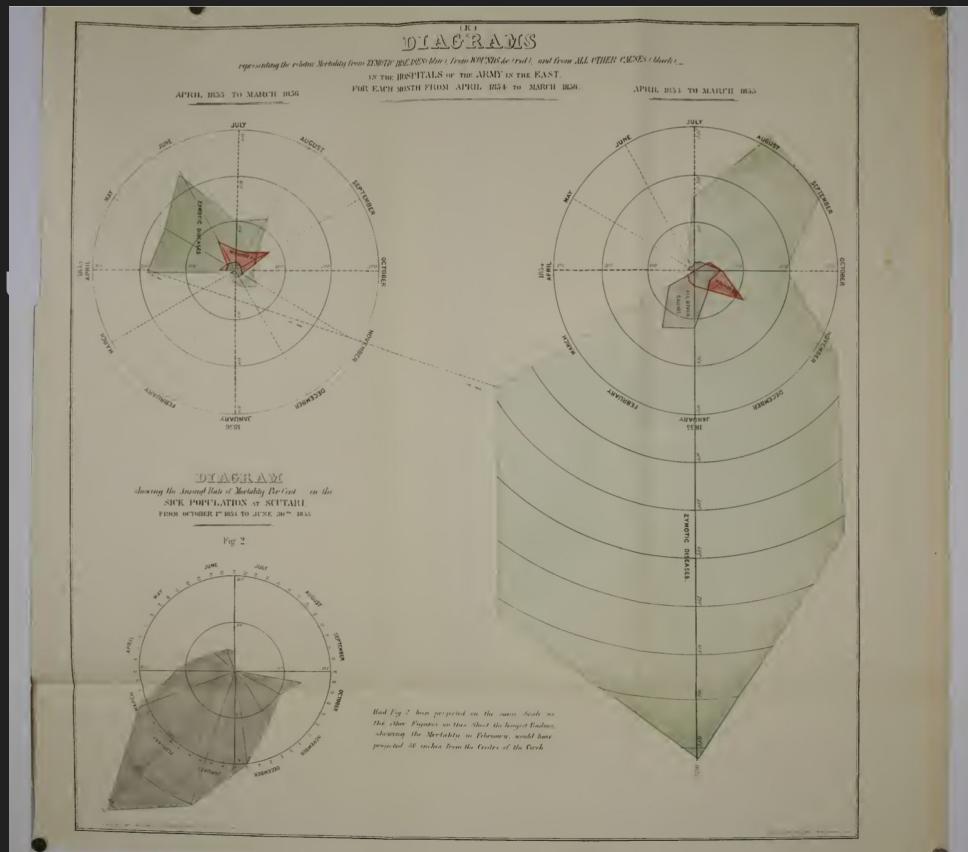
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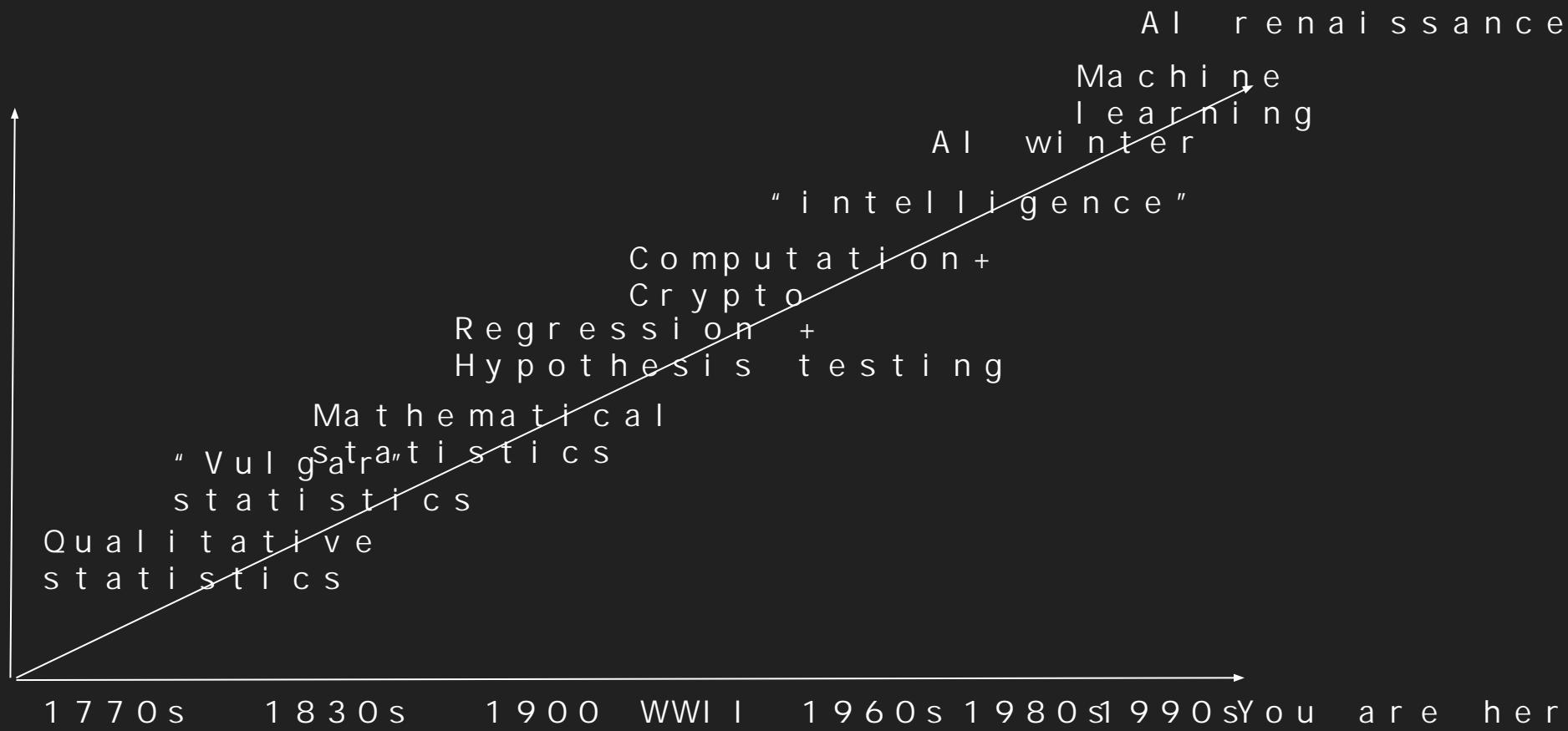
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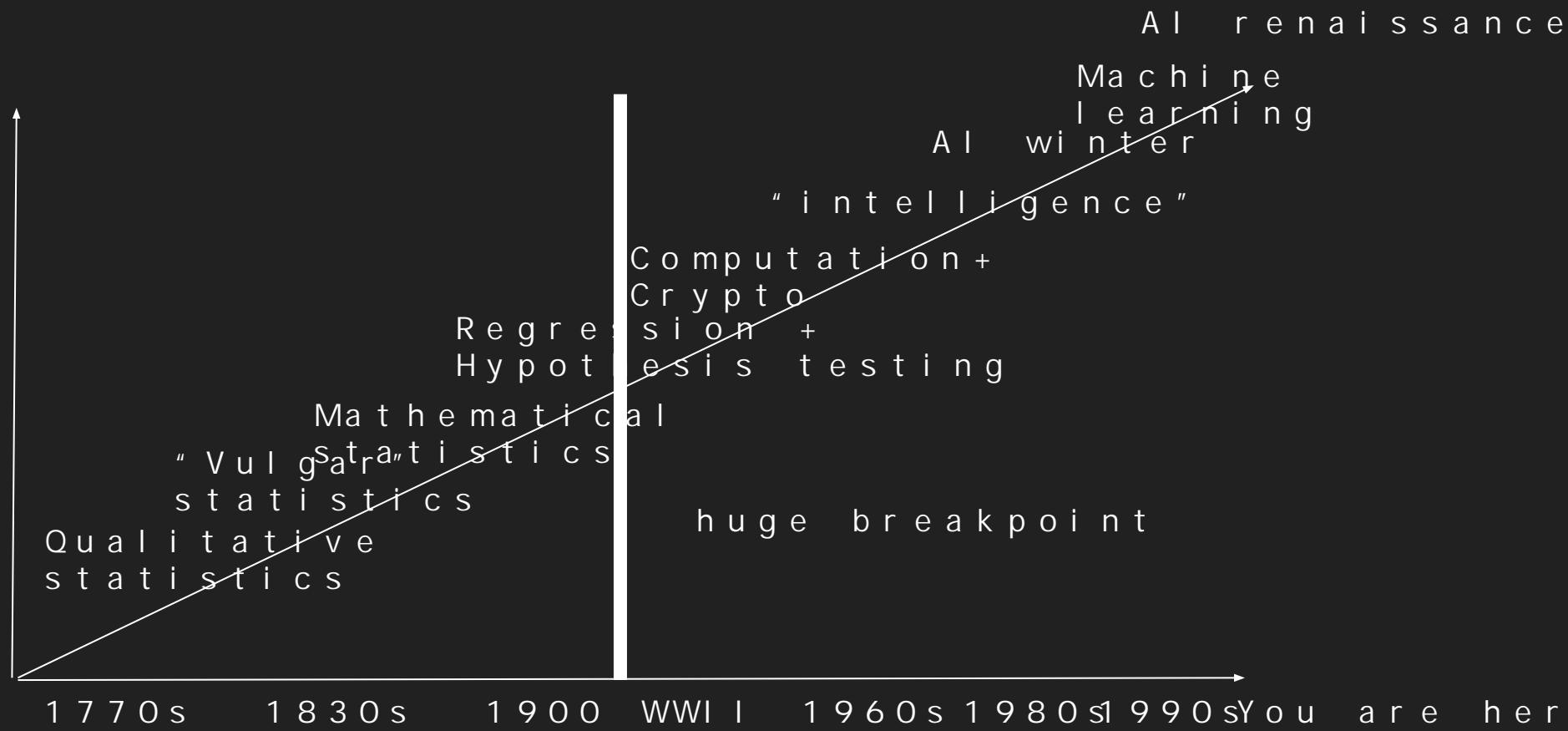
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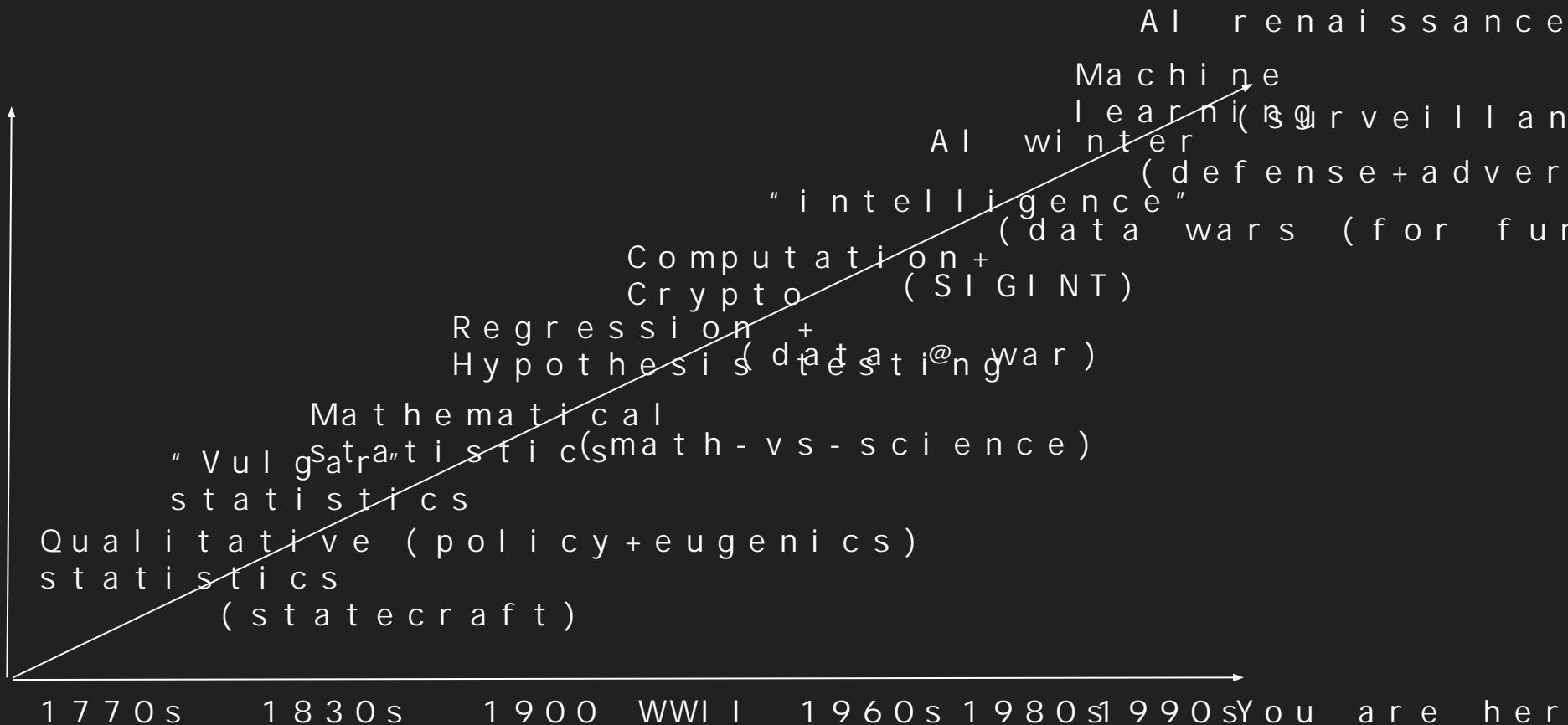
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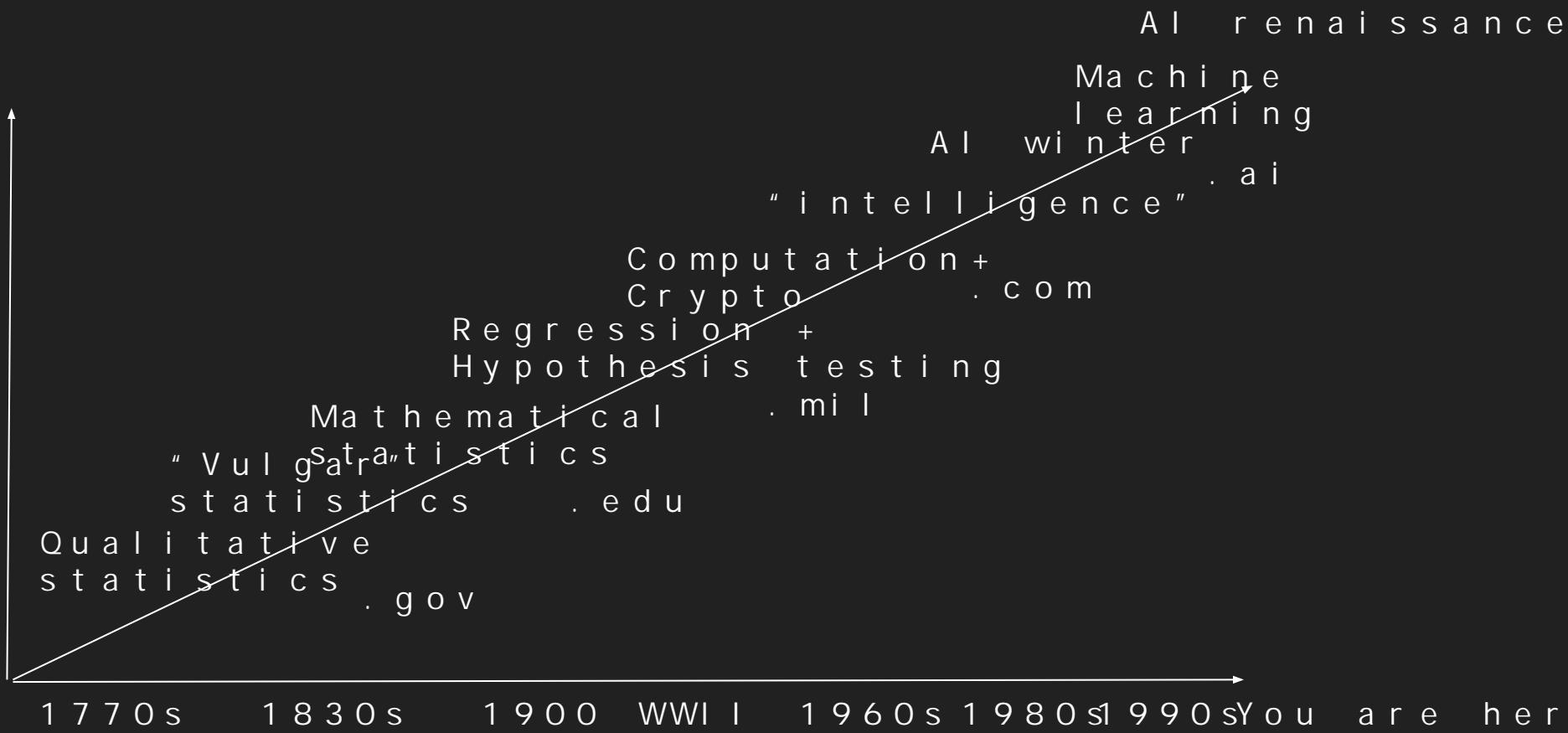
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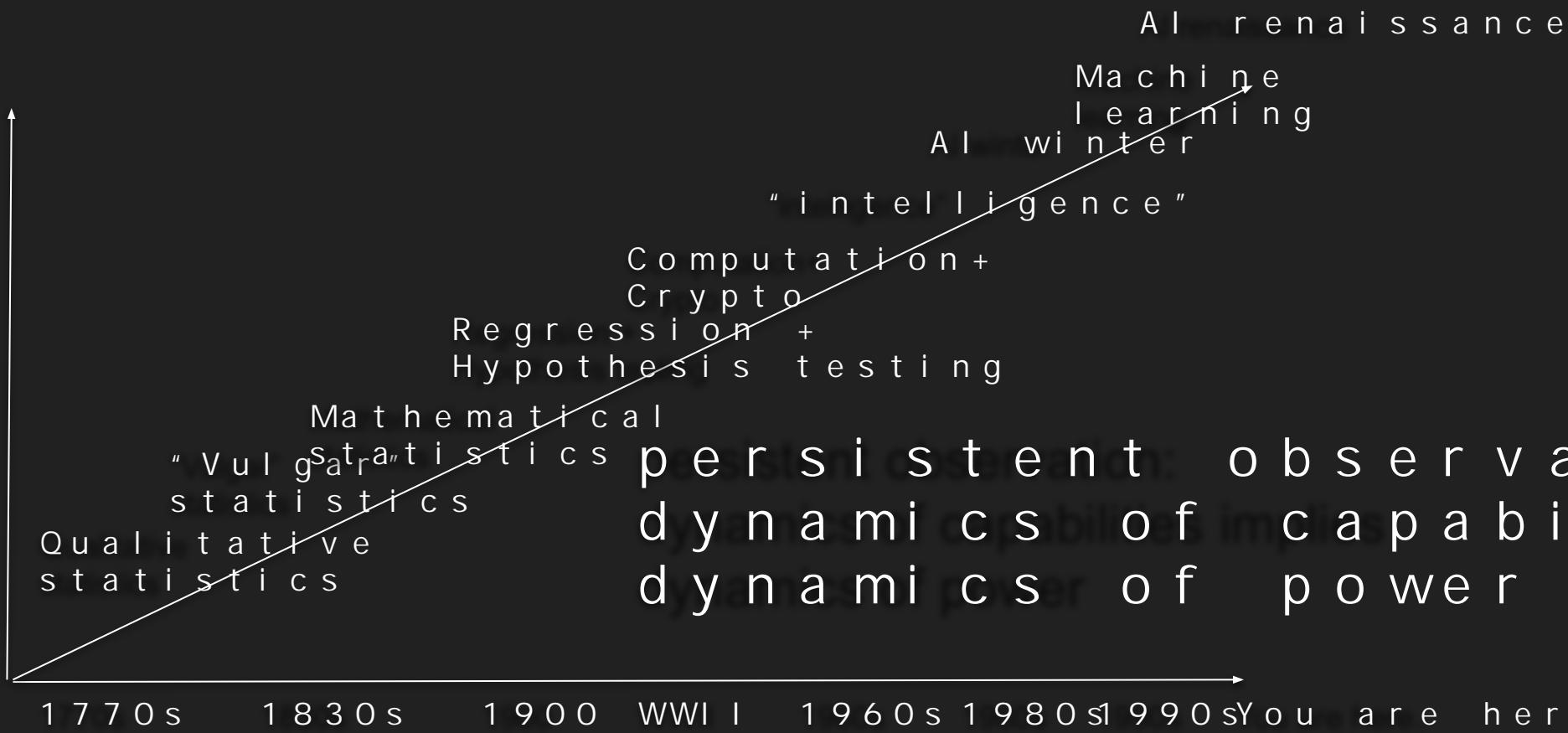
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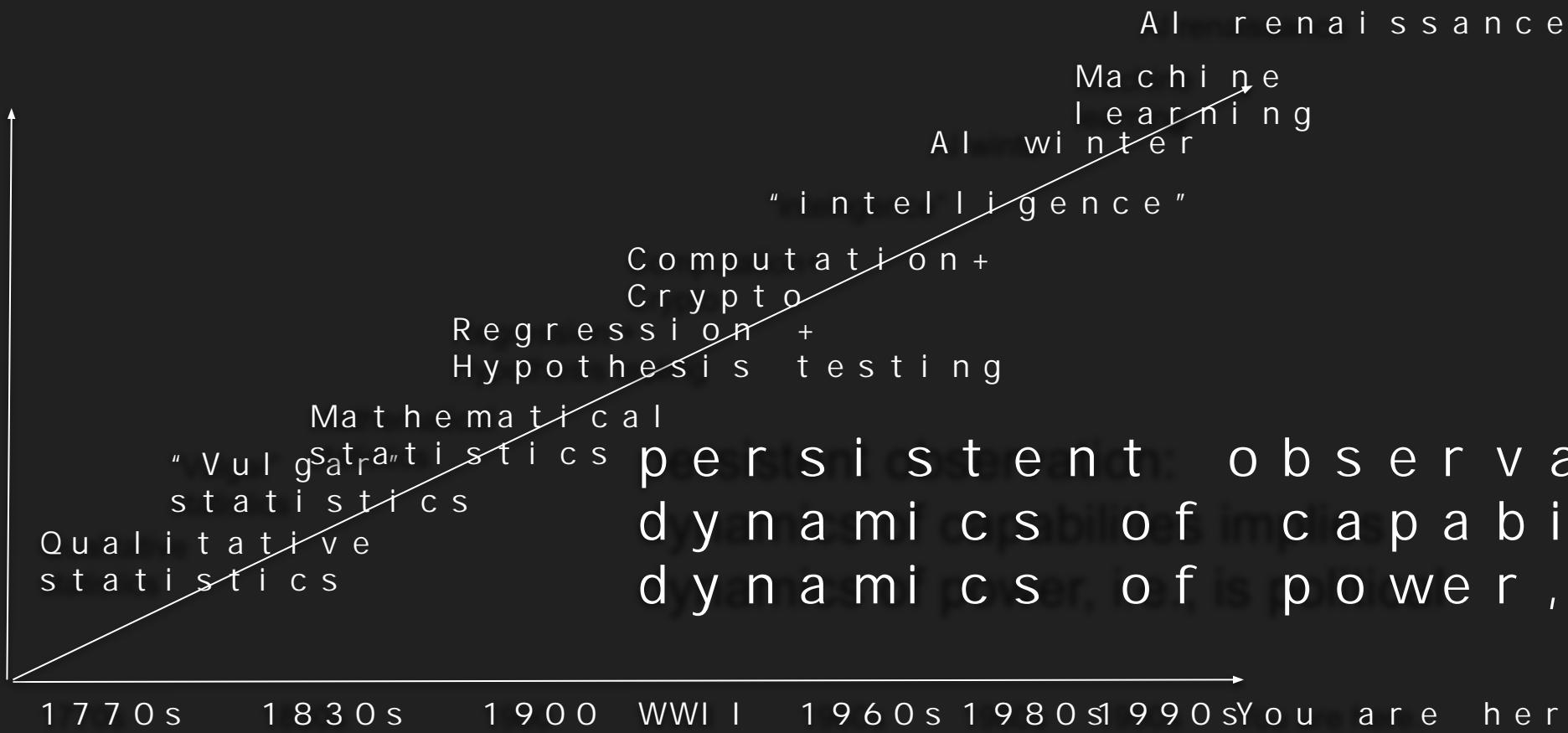
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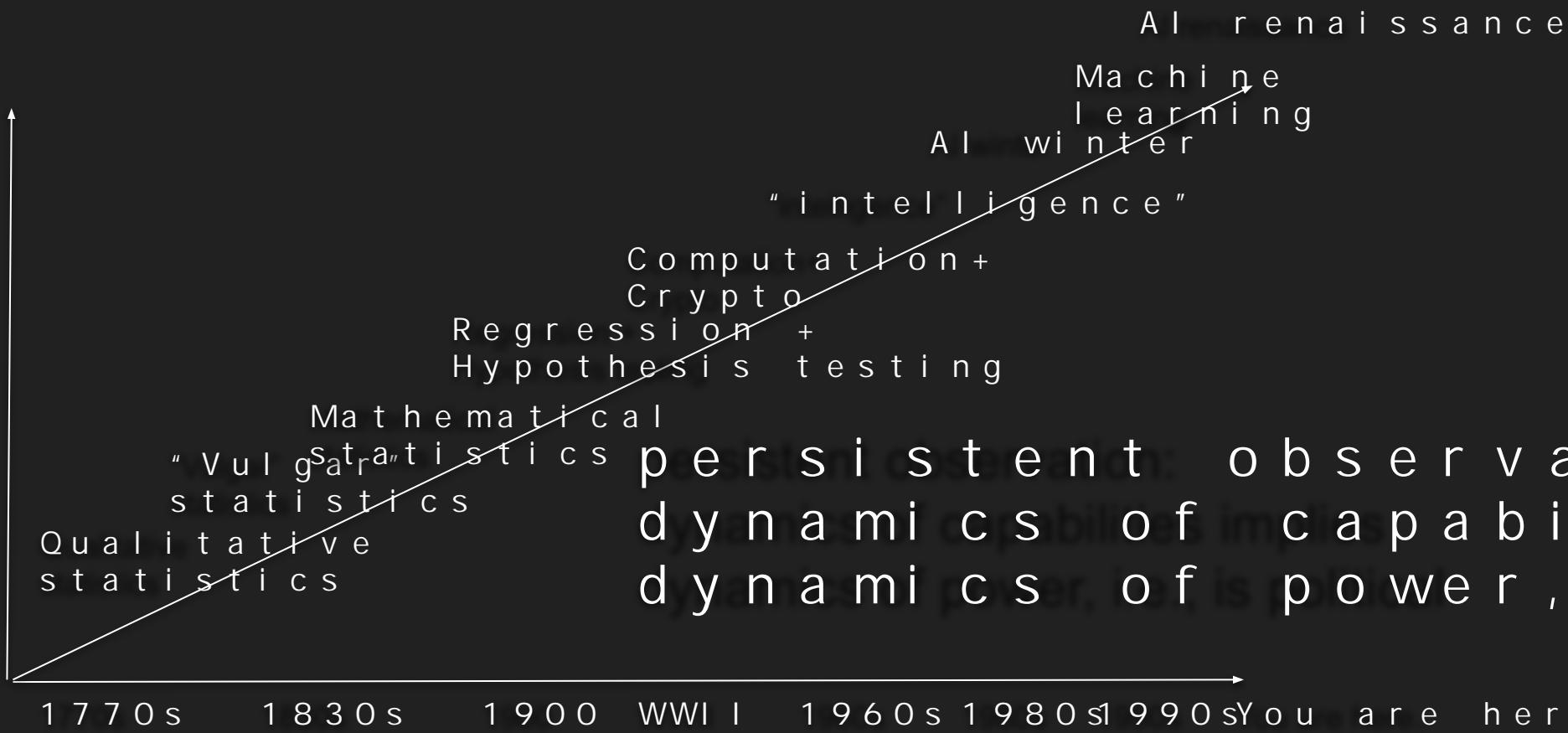
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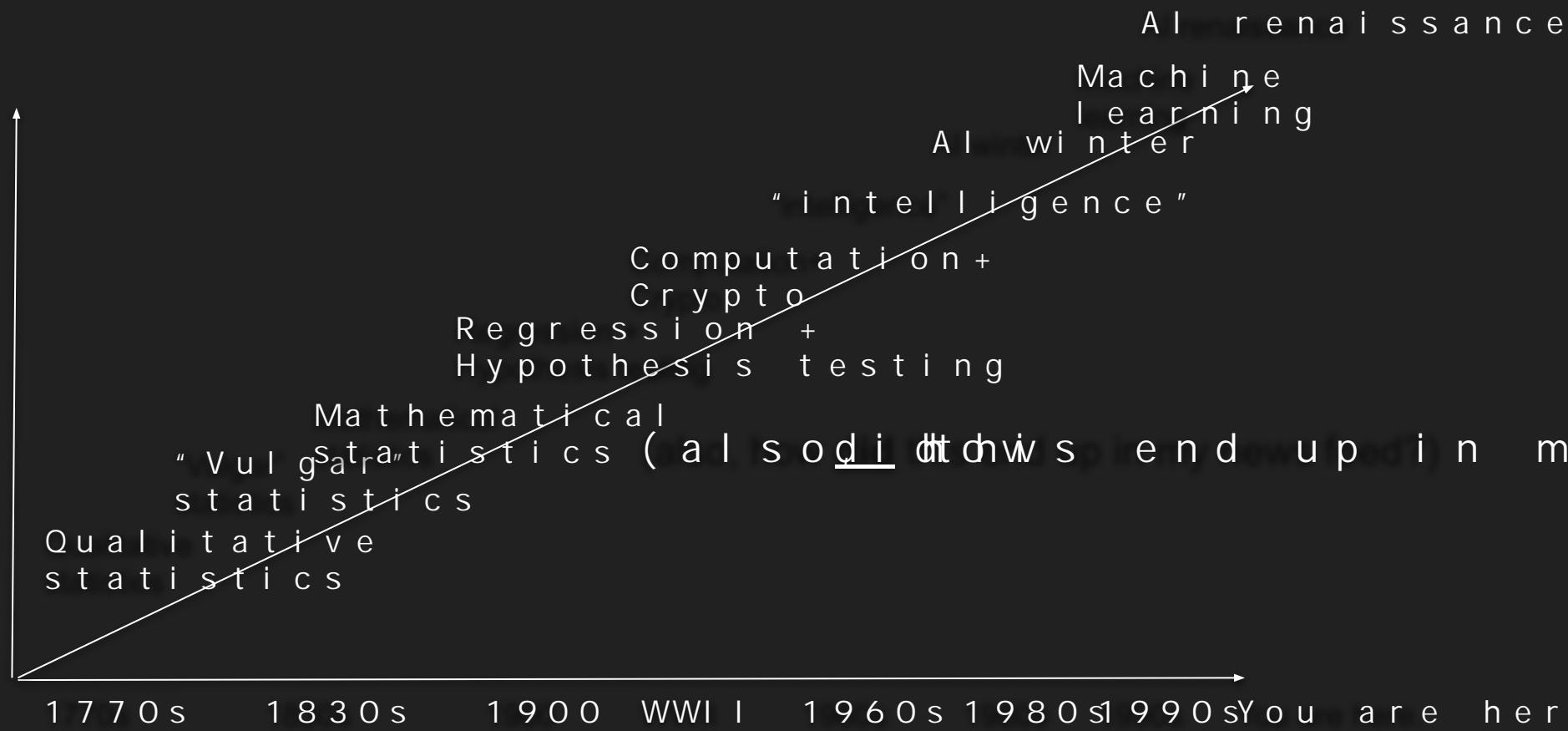
Philip Rogaway, "The Moral Work," December 2015

**Abstract.** Cryptography rearranges power: it configures who can do what, from what. This makes cryptography an inherently *political* tool, and it confers on the field an intrinsically *moral* dimension. The Snowden revelations motivate a reassessment of the political and moral positioning of cryptography. They lead one to ask if our inability to effectively address mass surveillance constitutes a failure of our field. I believe that it does. I call for a community-wide effort to develop more effective means

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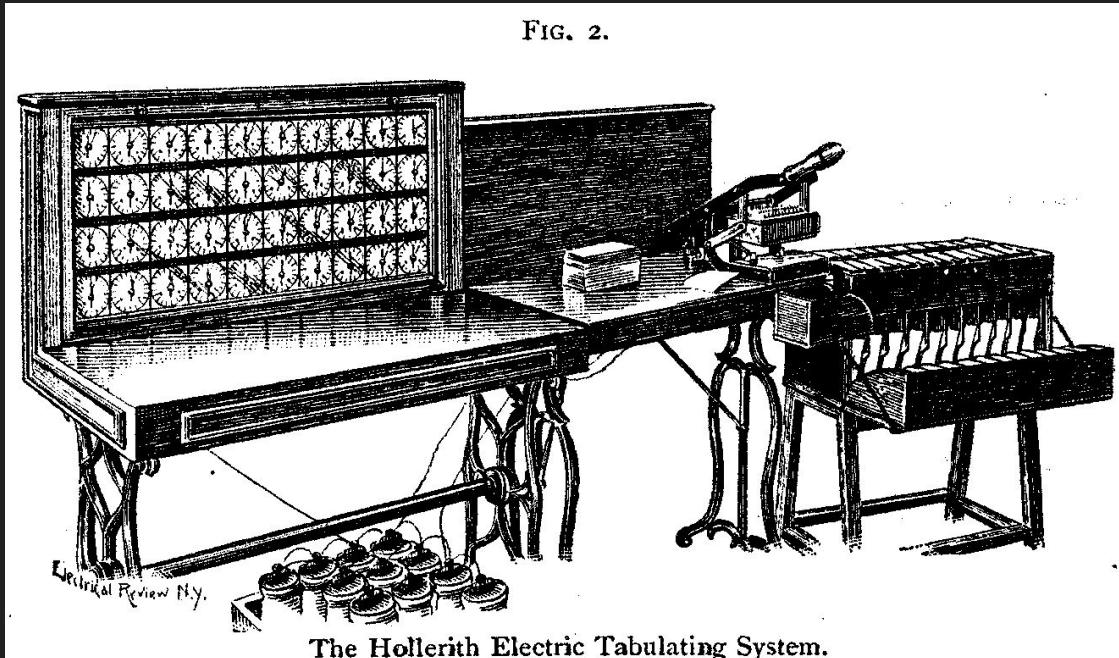
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Zusammen im Jahr 1887.

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	26 - 30 . . .	111	118	229
	31 - 35 . . .	123	128	251
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	41 - 45 . . .	199	198	397
	46 - 50 . . .	222	234	456
	51 - 55 . . .	193	220	413
	56 - 60 . . .	258	301	559
	61 - 65 . . .	321	396	697
	66 - 70 . . .	298	354	652
	71 - 75 . . .	293	273	566
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Zusammenfassung 1. Wenn keine Ziffer in einer Spalte von ganz geschweinete Grunde und die für Männlein und Weiblein nicht gegeben, von Zahl als gesetzlich. Zusammenfassung 2. Ein Zeichenmann ist von Zahl als gesetzlich, während kein völliges Erfordernis einer Platz-Ziffer ist um eine Zahl zu erhalten. Dergleichen Zusammenfassungen geben die Zahl selbst an die Hand.

FIG. 2.



The Hollerith Electric Tabulating System.

# Regression, correlation and

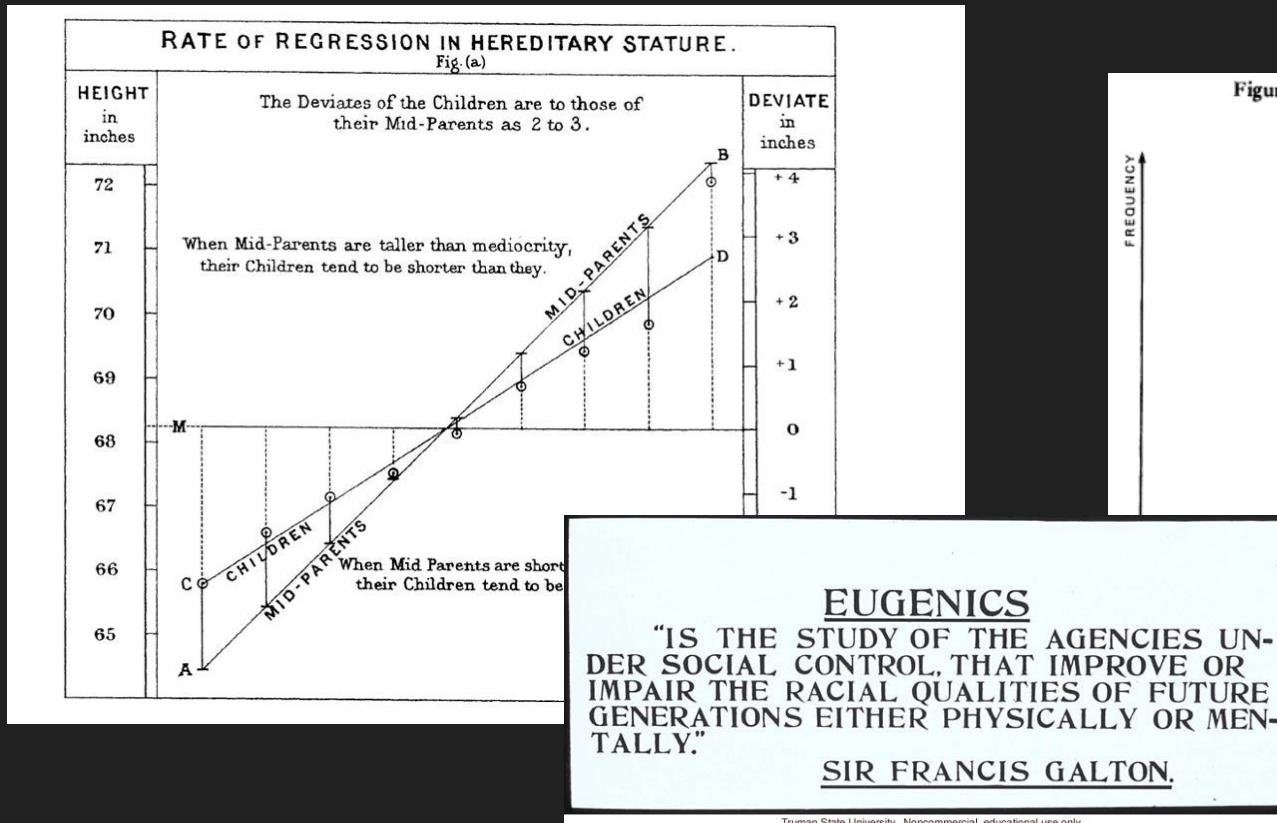
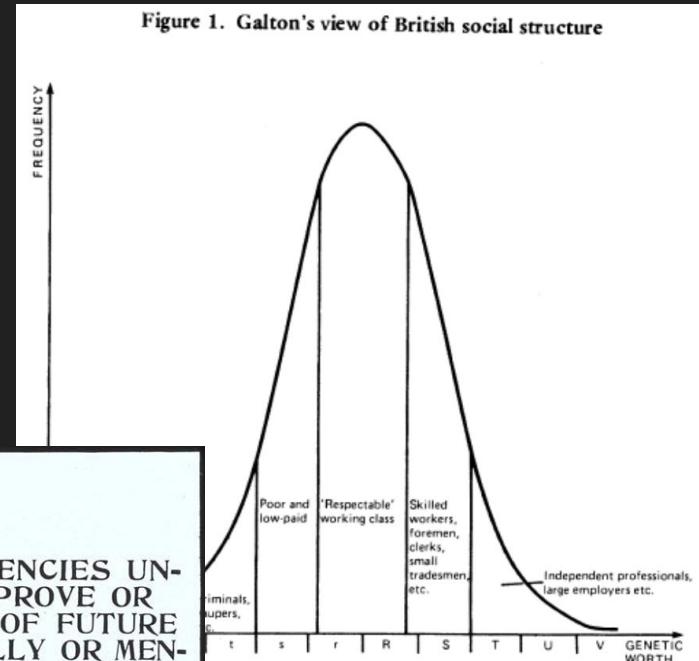
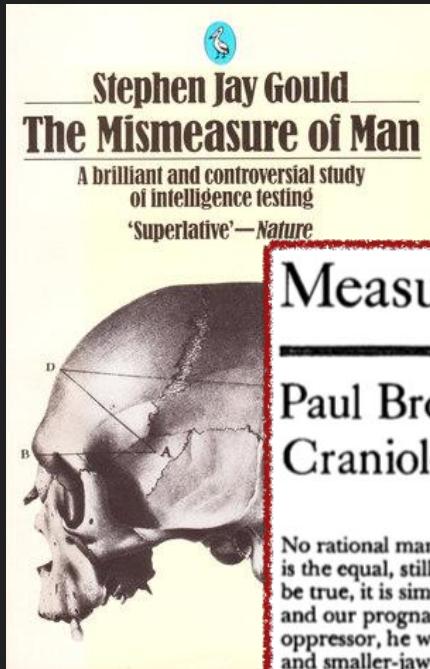


Figure 1. Galton's view of British social structure



e . g . , week 4 regression & quant



## Measuring Heads

### Paul Broca and the Heyday of Craniology

No rational man, cognisant of the equality of all men, can believe that one race is the equal, still less the superior of another. If such a belief could be true, it is simply incredible that the negro, and our prognathous relative the orangutan, should be the oppressor, he will be able to control his smaller-jawed rival, in a conflict, not by force of arms, but by bites. —

### SIR FRANCIS GALTON AND THE BIRTH OF EUGENICS

Nicholas W. Gillham

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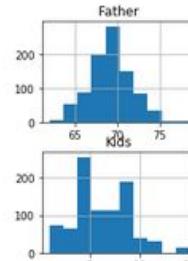
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describing and predicting: Galton, regression, inventing error, sum

## Galton and regression

Galton's analysis "gives the num  
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*Now it's your turn!*

can you the regression for

1. everybody and his/her mother?
2. males and fathers

# Experimental design, hypotheses

To play this game with the greatest chance of success, the experimenter cannot afford to exclude the possibility of any possible arrangement of soil fertilities, and his strategy is to equalize the chance that a treatment shall fall on a plot by chance himself.

- R. A. Fisher

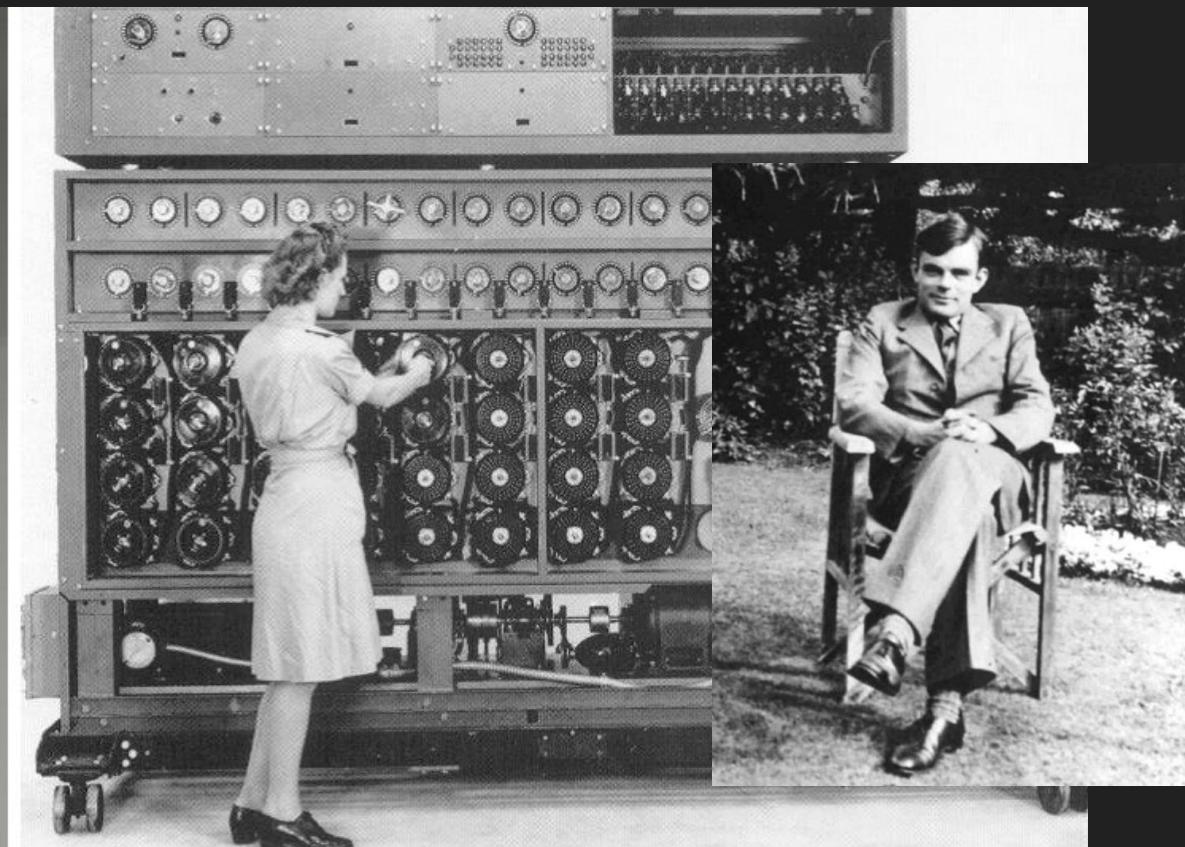


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Diagram 1. Plan of experiment. Farmyard manure series.

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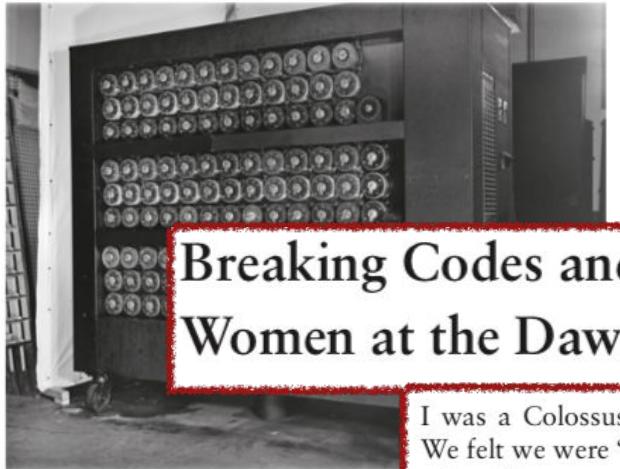
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Alan Turing and Gordon We

## Breaking Codes and Finding Trajectories: Women at the Dawn of the Digital Age

I was a Colossus operator, which we considered to be the crème de la crème. We felt we were “at the sharp end,” where there was a great tension and flow of adrenaline . . . operating those incredible machines.

—Jean Beech, Colossus operator<sup>1</sup>

I don't know if you can picture how exciting the ENIAC was to all of us. And we didn't talk socially or any other time about anything else. It was—we discussed it almost all the time.

—Jean Jennings, ENIAC programmer<sup>2</sup>

# AI and its many winters

## The Turing Test

1950: Alan Turing's "Computing Machinery and Intelligence"  
(the "Turing Test")

A. M. Turing (1950) Computing Machinery and Intelligence. *Mind* 49: 433–460.

### COMPUTING MACHINERY AND INTELLIGENCE

By A. M. Turing

#### 1. The Imitation Game



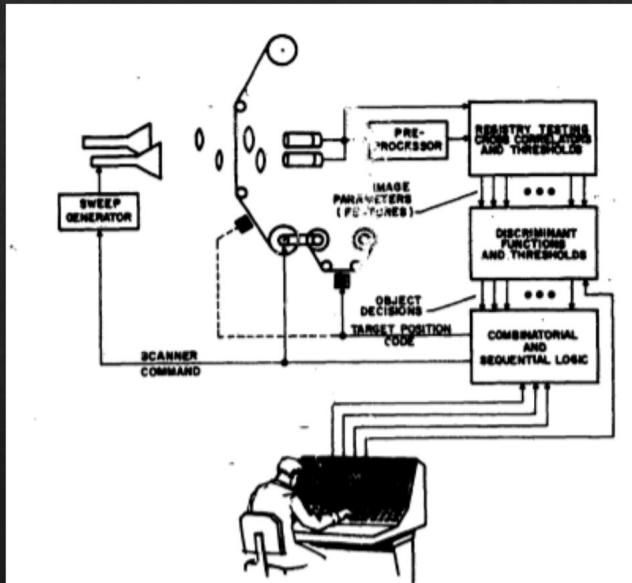
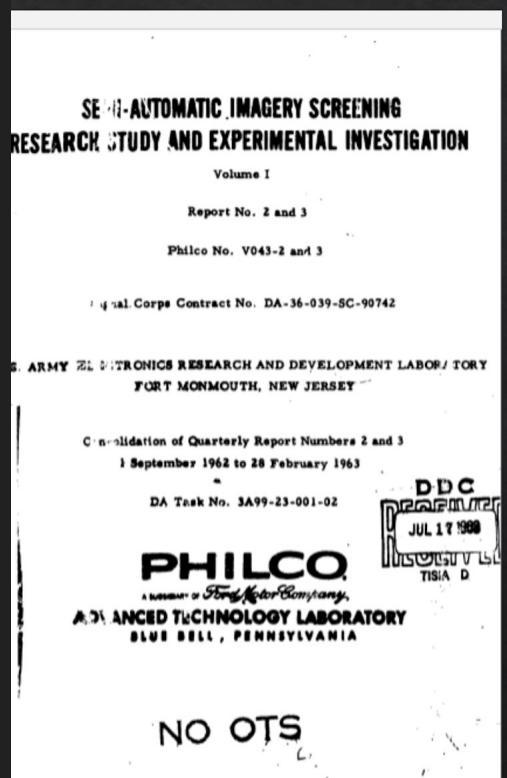
#### *Can machines think?*

I propose to consider the question, "Can machines think?" This should begin with definitions of the meaning of the terms "machine" and "think." The definitions might be framed so as to reflect so far as possible the normal use of the words, but this attitude is dangerous. If the meaning of the words "machine" and "think" are to be found by examining how they are commonly used it is difficult to escape the conclusion that the meaning and the answer to the question, "Can machines think?" is to be sought in a statistical survey such as a Gallup poll. But this is absurd. Instead of attempting such a definition I shall replace the question by another, which is closely related to it and is expressed in relatively unambiguous words.

# BRACE YOURSELF!



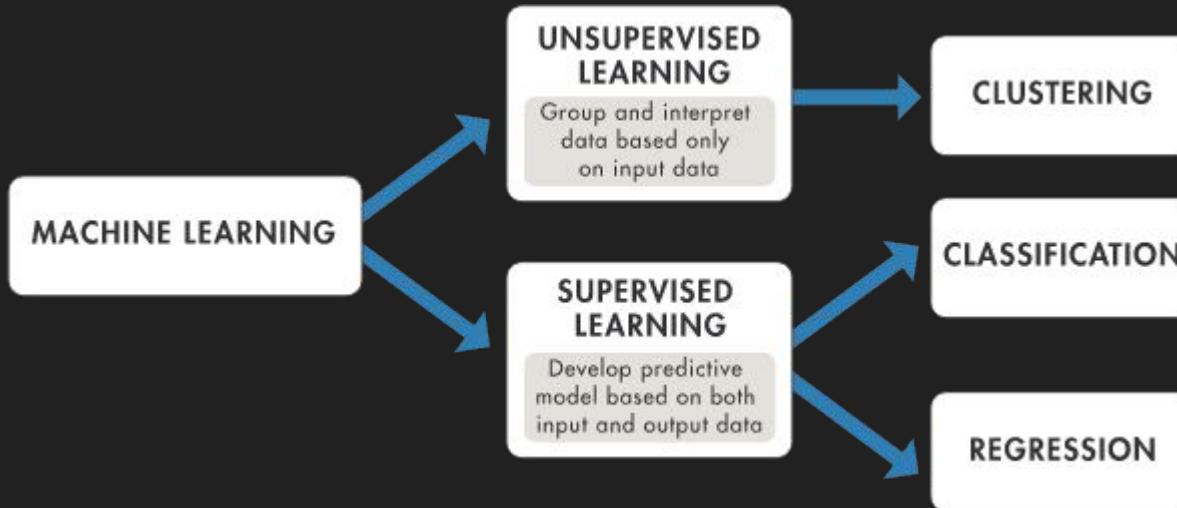
# Pattern Recognition to .



Conceptual Block Diagram of Image Screening System



# ... Machine Learning



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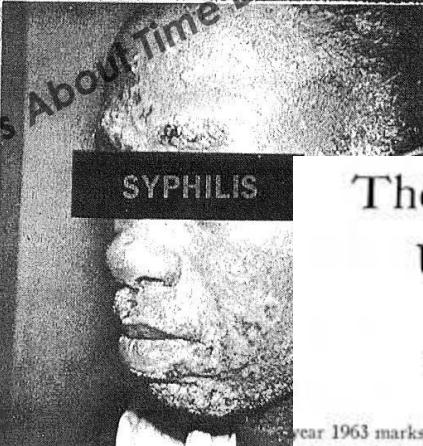
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HUNDREDS OF  
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IN SYPHILIS  
"EXPERIMENT".

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*Reprinted from the front page of the New York Times, July 26, 1963.*



**SYphilis**

## The Tuskegee Study of Untreated Syphilis

*The 30th Year of Observation*

DONALD H. ROCKWELL, MD; ANNE ROOF YOUNG, MD;  
AND M. BRITTAINE MOORE, JR., MD, ATLANTA

year 1963 marks the 30th year of the evaluation of the effect of untreated syphilis in the male Negro conducted

tion such as this offered an opportunity to follow and study the disease over a long period of time. In 1932, a total

## The New York Times

**Syphilis Victims in U.S. Study Went Untreated for 40 Years**

By JEAN HELLER  
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, July 25—For 40 years the United States Public Health Service has conducted a study in which human beings with syphilis, who were induced to serve as guinea pigs, have gone without medical treatment for the disease and a few have died of its effects, even though an effective therapy was eventually developed.

The study was conducted to determine from autopsies what disease does to the human body.

Officials of the health service, who initiated the experiment, have long since retired. Recent officials, who say they

have serious doubts about the morality of the study, also say that it is too late to treat the syphilis in any surviving participants.

Doctors in the service say they are now rendering whatever other medical services they can give to the survivors while the study of the disease's effects continues.

Dr. Merlin K. DuVal, Assistant Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare for Health and Scientific Affairs, expressed shock on learning of the study. He said that he was making an immediate investigation.

The experiment, called the Tuskegee Study, began in 1932 with about 600 black men,

# Research ethics (and the



**"I was going to write an angry post about Facebook's emotional manipulation study, but then I got distracted by all the happy cat pictures they showed me."**

## Experimental evidence of massive-scale emotional contagion through social networks

Adam D. I. Kramer<sup>a,1</sup>, Jamie E. Guillory<sup>b,2</sup>, and Jeffrey T. Hancock<sup>b,c</sup>

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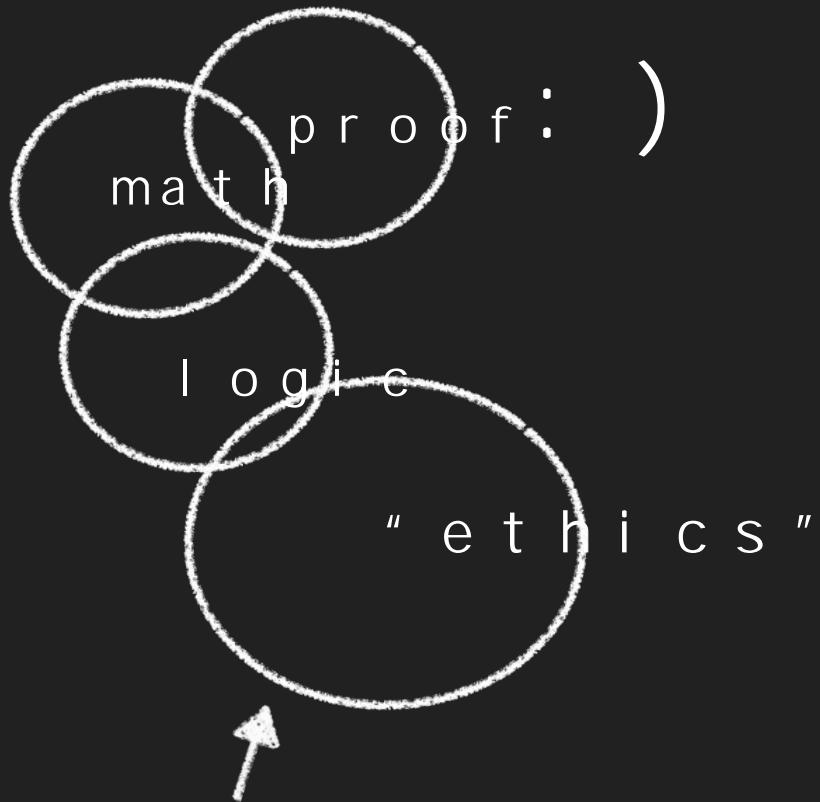
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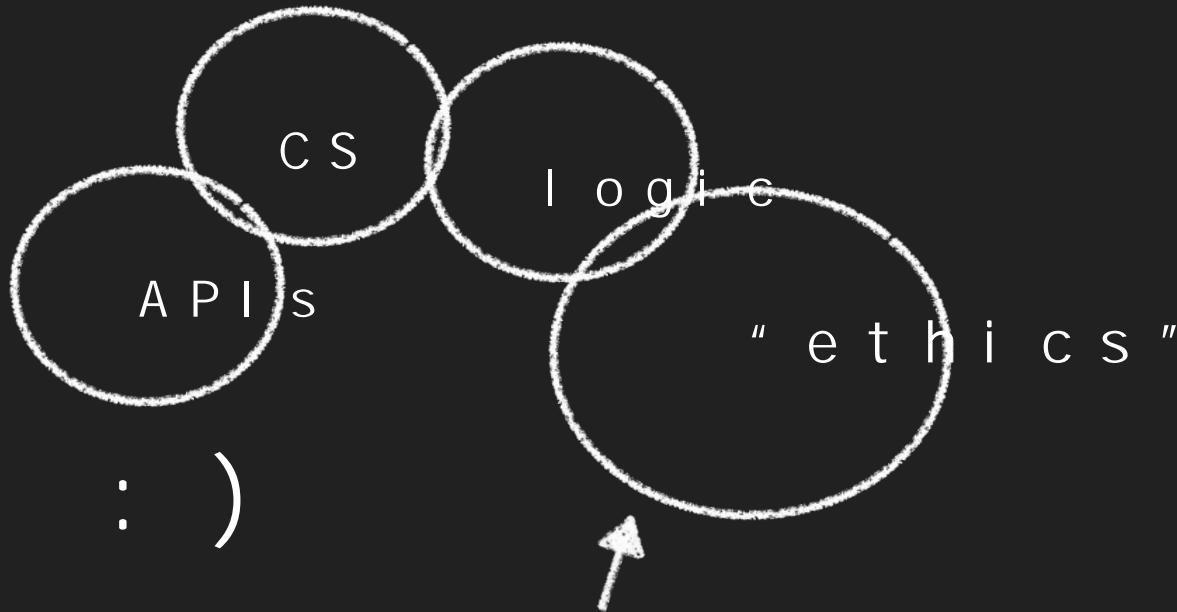
### Significance

We show, via a massive ( $N = 689,003$ ) experiment on Facebook, that emotional states can be transferred to others via emotional contagion, leading people to experience the same emotions without their awareness. We provide experimental evidence that emotional contagion occurs without direct interaction between people (exposure to a friend expressing an emotion is sufficient), and in the complete absence of nonverbal cues.



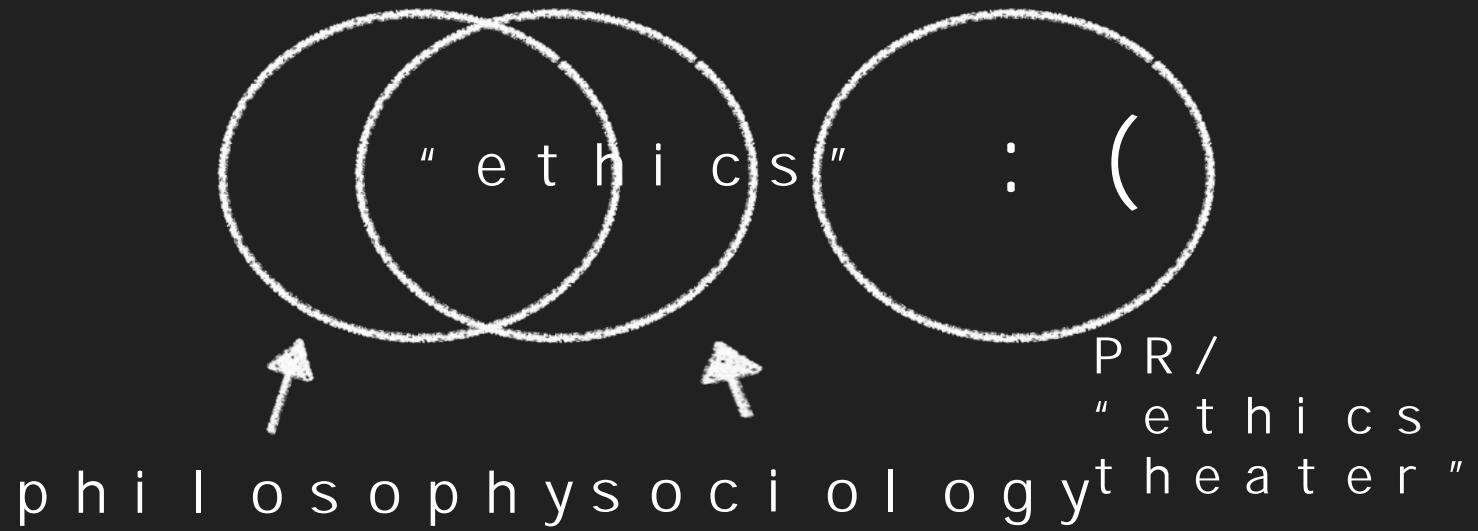
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Belmont principles (1978)

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~~informed consent~~ autonomy

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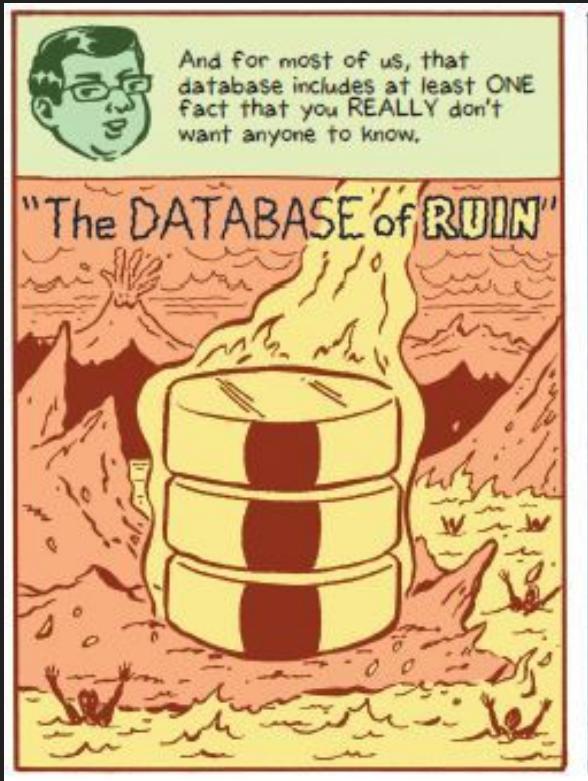
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# De-anonymization



## Example of Re-identification

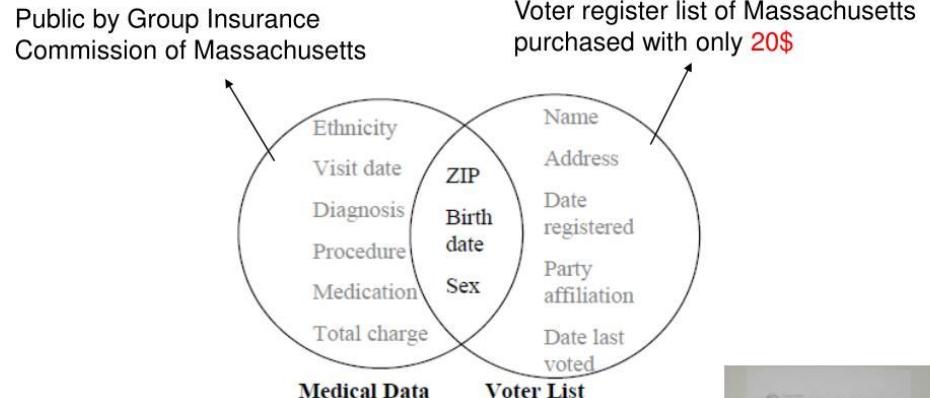


Figure 1 Linking to re-identify data

87% of Population in 1990. US are likely to be uniquely identified based on only on Zip, Birth and Sex



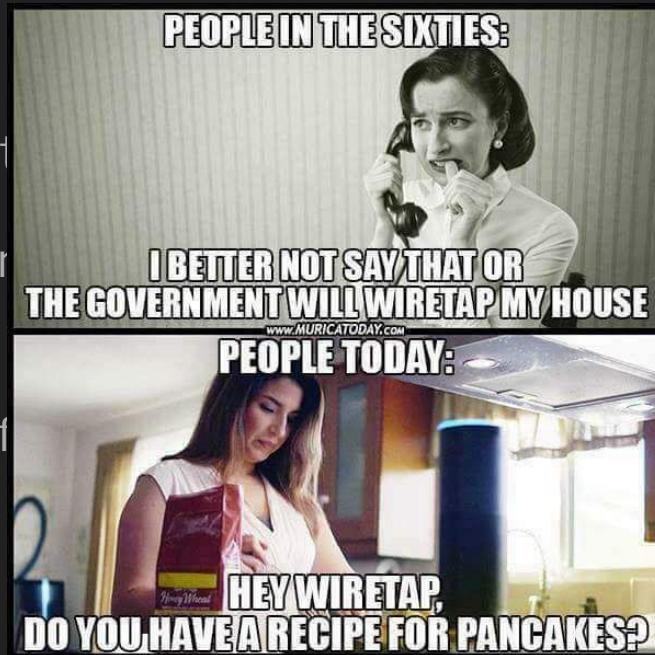
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Census and government

Information processing  
digital computers

Always on network info



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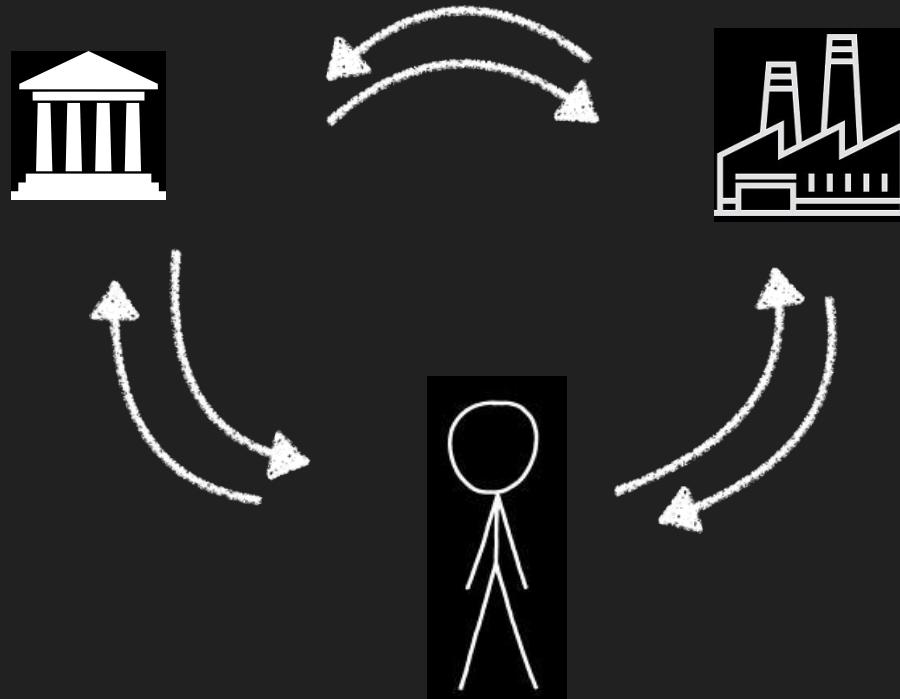


Don't make the mistake of thinking you're Facebook's customer, you're not - you're the product,

— Bruce Schneier —

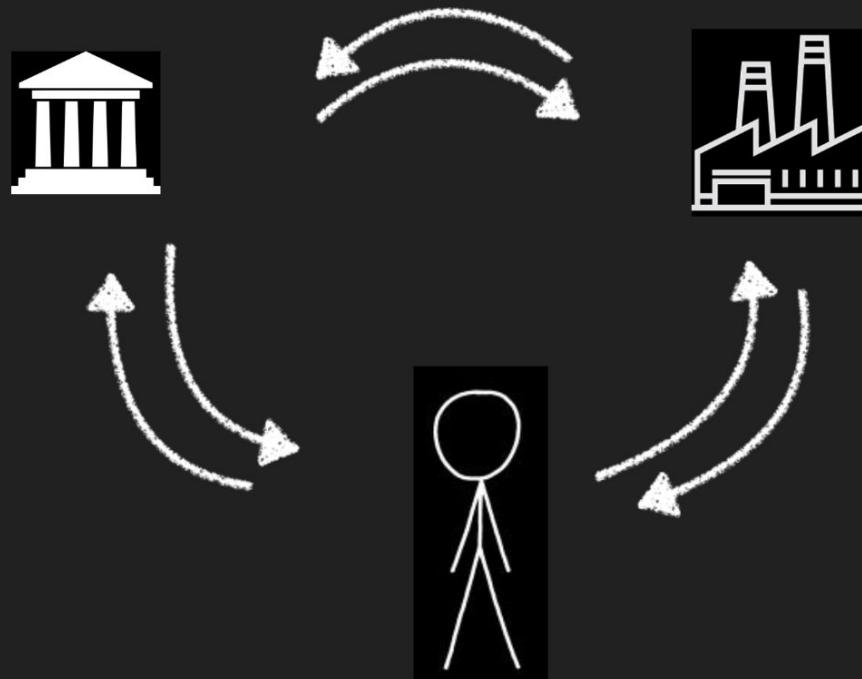
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e.g., week 14 (future) solutions



3-player unstable game (adapted from Janeway)



**Amazon Employees For Climate Justice** @AMZNforClim... · Jan 9

by Lawmakers

Enough is enough. Amazon hosts Parler on [@awscloud](#).

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# ***Hundreds of Google Employees Unionize, Culminating Years of Activism***

The creation of the union, a rarity in Silicon Valley, follows years of increasing outspokenness by Google workers. Executives have struggled to handle the change.

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# Power and politics \*

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- of capability, and  
- of reinforcing or distributing

\* here meaning the dynamics of power, not to be

# Power and politics \*

**POLITICS | How Trump Consultants Exploited the Facebook Data o...**

**Iowa Caucus**

A man in a dark suit and tie stands on a stage, gesturing towards a large screen behind him. The screen displays a variety of data visualizations under the heading "Iowa Caucus". These include several pie charts showing demographic segments like "Demographic Segments", "Party Preference", "Turnout Targets", "Rep/Lean", "Rep/Lean Republicans", and "Dem/Lean Republicans". There is also a "State Map" showing county-level election results in red and blue, a "Voters with known Age/Gender" pyramid, a "Voter 1st Intent" bar chart, and a "Voter 2nd Intent" bar chart. The overall theme is the analysis of voter data for the 2016 Iowa Caucus.

Both Congress and the British Parliament have questioned Alexander Nix, chief executive of Cambridge Analytica, about the firm's activities. Bryan Bedder/Getty Images

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- Lessons from Slack Laboratory
  - "political" precondition
  - intellectual advance . . . motivated by reading
    - secondary readings . . . and presaging homework
    - primary readings
  - "political" postcondition Expectation
  - what is contemporary analogue?
    - incapability arrive with laptop ready
    - in politics
    - in data . . .
- "political" means magnifying impacts, costs and benefits on

# Jupyter notebooks: code without

USING JUPYTER

Using  
platform

With everything you'll

## Data: Past, Present, Future

### Lab 6: Gould 2.0: IQ and Brains, again

In this lab, you will work with some data sets concerning physical attributes of brains. You will undertake a series of statistical examinations AND you will also reflect critically on the nature of these data sets, the validity of them, and the licitness of different computational operations on data sets.

```
In [ 1]: # usual preliminaries
%matplotlib inline

import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np
plt.style.use('fivethirtyeight')
plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (15, 5)
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Let's start with some data. This data set is used in boatloads of intro stats courses. It's a bit messy, so we'll do a mechanical sort.

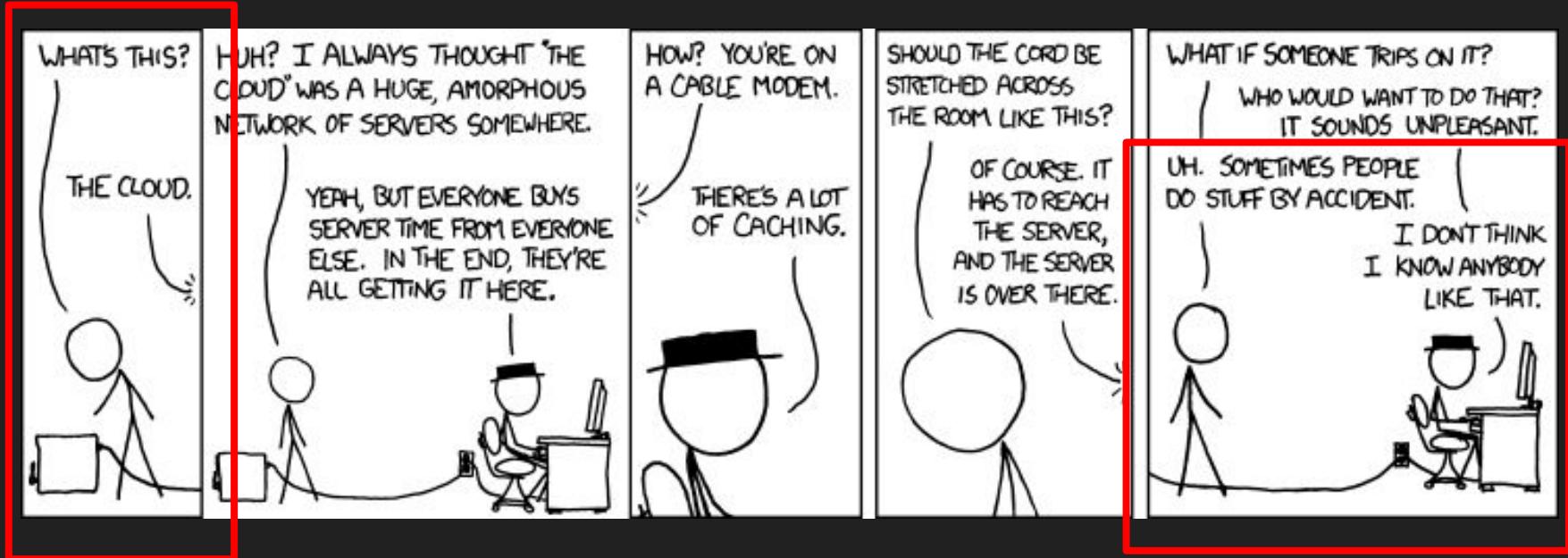
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In [ 1]: data = pd.read_csv('http://www.scipy-lectures.org/_downloads/gould.csv')
```

Using standard pandas and scipy functions, start describing this data set. Examples? Outliers? What and where are the outliers?

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In [ 1]:
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Now try doing some comparisons of male and female brains. Divide and conquer.

# Colab: computing without computers



# Colab: computing computers

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Lab08b-20200402-perceptron.ipynb

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Later, the psychologist Frank Rosenblatt proposed a model to instantiate this in a mechanical computer – not as "software" but as a specialized piece of electronics in the same way Claude Shannon's Theseus mouse was a special purpose computer.



**Figure 4.8** Illustration of the Mark 1 perceptron hardware. The photograph on the left shows how the inputs were obtained using a simple camera system in which an input scene, in this case a printed character, was illuminated by powerful lights, and an image focussed onto a  $20 \times 20$  array of cadmium sulphide photocells, giving a primitive 400 pixel image. The perceptron also had a patch board, shown in the middle photograph, which allowed different configurations of input features to be tried. Often these were wired up at random to demonstrate the ability of the perceptron to learn without the need for precise wiring, in contrast to a modern digital computer. The photograph on the right shows one of the racks of adaptive weights. Each weight was implemented using a rotary variable resistor, also called a potentiometer, driven by an electric motor thereby allowing the value of the weight to be adjusted automatically by the learning algorithm.

Check out his short paper <https://psycnet.apa.org/fulltext/1959-09865-001.pdf> or <http://www.dtic.mil/docs/citations/AD0256582> for a detailed (>28MB) report.

Rosenblatt considered one output that took many signals as input.

## A note on our 2 platforms (we'll re

- You'll use # discussion and # labs (we'll use "#general" and "#read"
- You'll use Graderes to grade your assignments graders

## Please ignore else

- No Canvas,
- no Courseworks
- Github/course site is for people where canonical information is (and please let me know if it n

## A note on grade distribution:

30% Homework (Gradescope)

30% Final Paper (Gradescope)

20% Op-Ed (Gradescope)

15% Discussion Participation (in)

05% Lab Participation (in Slack)

# Slack-dom

#discussion

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Saturday, March 17th

researcher using data to predict ~~gains in humans, but~~ failing to address the consequences and biases that are involved in trying to "predict" the future or origins of a person. However, since nowadays most people care about fame and buzz, many of the bold claims and breakthroughs fail to address ethics or even fall within a similar scope, making it hard to understand what exactly AI is. In terms of this class, I think it'd be important for us to begin formally defining how we want to define these growing fields that rely on data (ie. artificial intelligence, machine learning, block chain) and the ethics of them. I know here at Columbia, someone this semester has started an AI Ethics course; it'd be interesting to see what topics they're discussing and also consider them in the context of datasets we've learned and debated in class and during the labs.

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concerned parent: if all your friends jumped off a bridge would you follow them?  
machine learning algorithm: yes.

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Thread

Estelle Danilo, Audrey Amsellem, and you

had a very low probability to be done by a human, and therefore was very unexpected by its human opponent.

My main point is that behind the idea of creativity is randomness, and behind randomness lies the idea of low probability of occurrence, which is computable.

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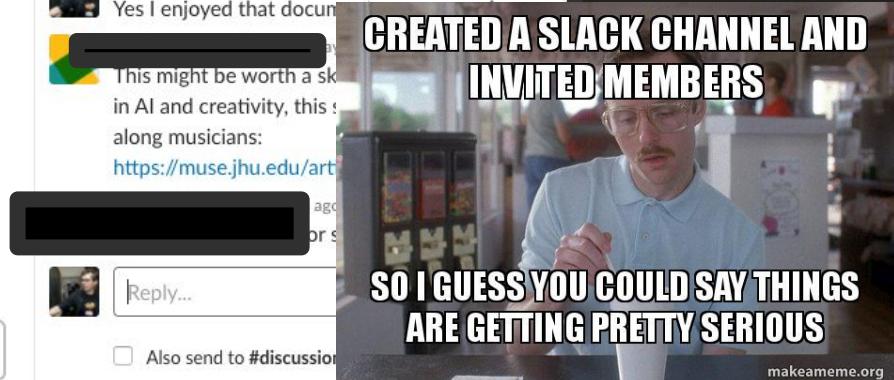
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chris wiggins 19 days ago  
Yes I enjoyed that docu

This might be worth a sk in AI and creativity, this along musicians:  
<https://muse.jhu.edu/art>

Reply...

Also send to #discussion



# Required work

Postings on readings in Slack each week

Op-Ed (short but tight 750 words)

Participate in laboratory hours including

Problem sets (extensions of lab work)

Final paper

# Two tracks

more technical background material (mainly static background)

pursue a semester long project topic  
culminating in a paper and any choice  
associated code

comprehensive problem sets, the  
comprehensive problem sets (the assets will involve both  
5 problem sets) and writing work

Two roads diverged in a wood, and I —  
I took the less traveled by  
And that has made all the difference.

# Two tracks / "Two Culture

"Two polar groups:  
at one pole we have the litter  
at the other scientists, ...  
Between the two a gulf of mutual  
incomprehension."

- C. P. Snow, "the two culture

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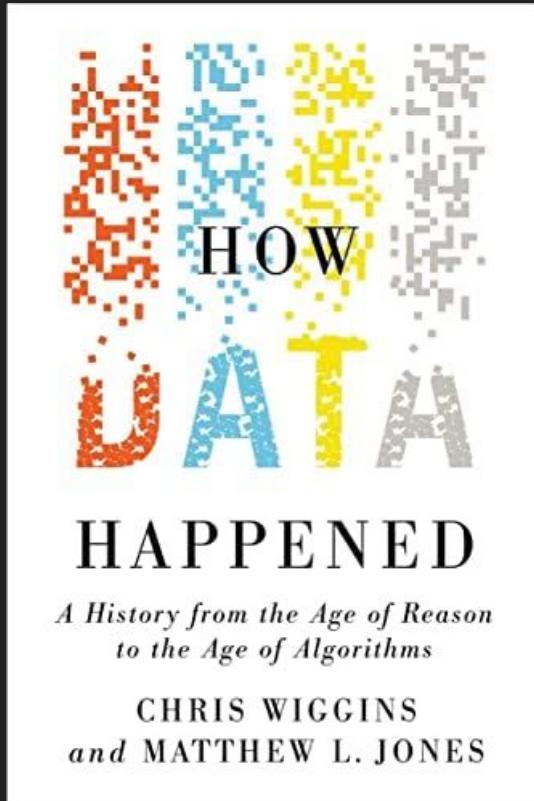
This course satisfies Barnard's T&D goal  
of Barnard thinking with historical content.

This course counts as a history course.

NO PREREQUISITES AND NO PROGRAMMING EXPERIENCE REQUIRED!

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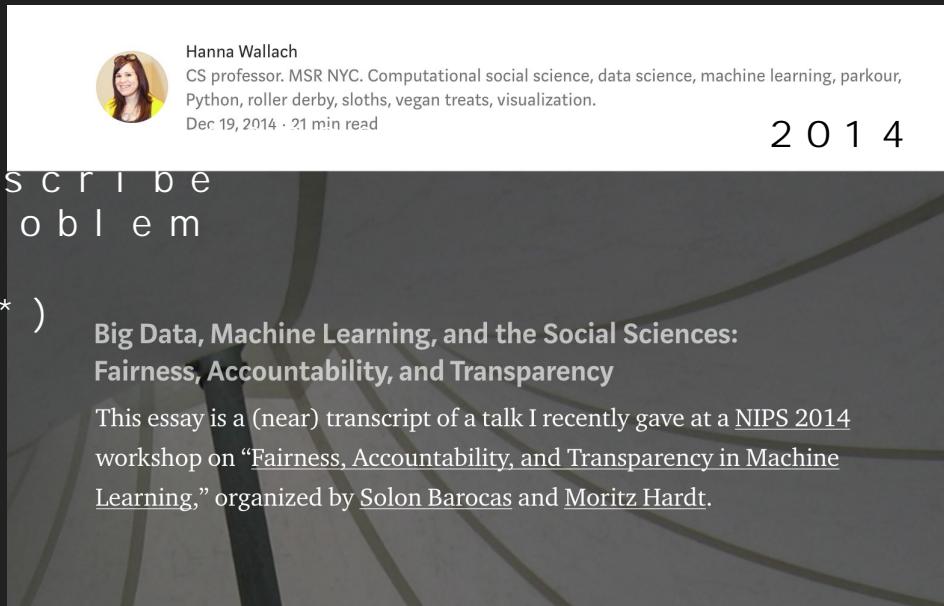
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1. Big Data changes the definition of data
2. Claims to objectivity are often unfounded
3. Bigger data are not always better
4. Taken out of context, Big Data can be misleading
5. Just because it is accessible does not mean it is useful
6. Limited access to Big Data creates a new form of inequality

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- Different ways of making predictions
- Not just a tech problem
- birth of "FATML"
  - (later ACM's "FAT")
  - (now ACM's FAccT)





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