Case Study 2: Making Sense of Technology

What You Wish You Understood Presentation

For this assignment, you will be looking up a technology or algorithm of some kind that you wish you understood better! Then, you will do a little bit of research and try to understand the technology a little bit better.

For example: I wish I understood how Spotify guesses my music interests so accurately for my Discover Weekly playlist.

Once you have found your technology / algorithm, you will make a 2 minute presentation that covers the following:

1. What is the technology / algorithm / code that you wish you understood better? Why?
2. How do you interact with this technology? What role does it play in your life?
3. What part of the technology do you now understand more after your research?
4. Can you explain how this works as if you were explaining this to a 5 year old?
5. Which parts of this tech do you still not understand?