



Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

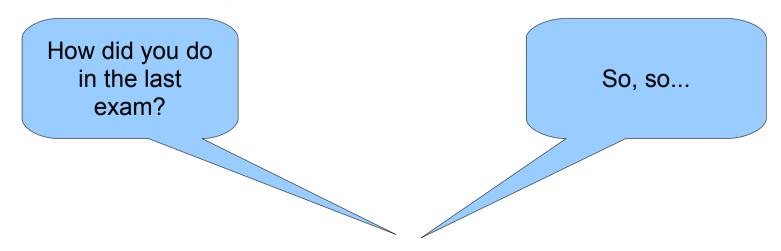
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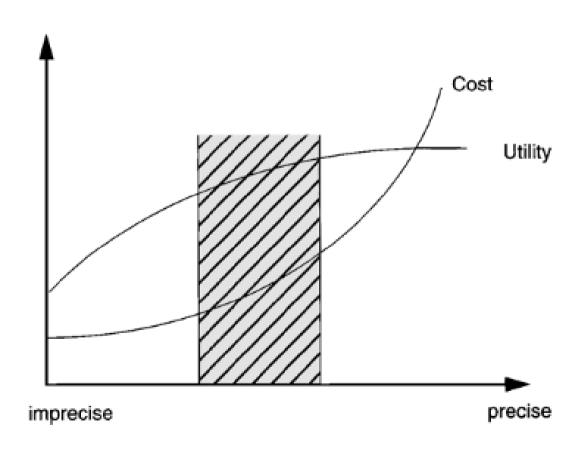
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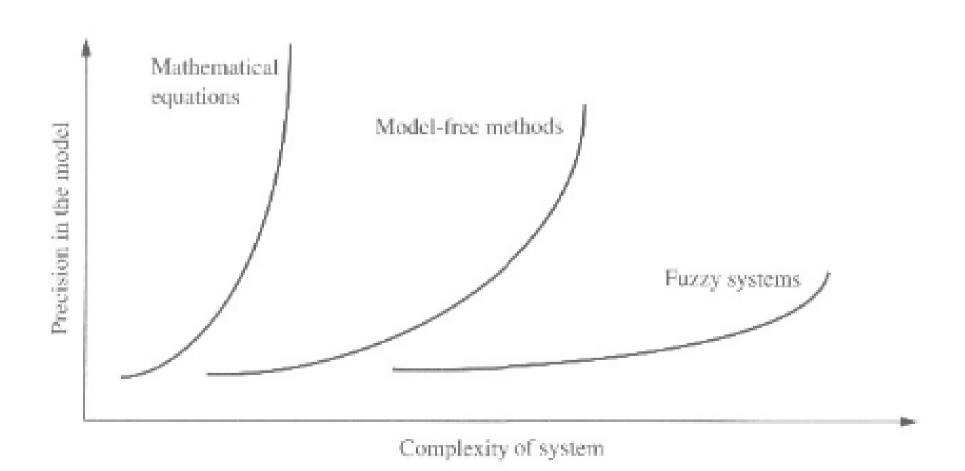
- Alleviate difficulties in developing and analyzing complex systems encountered by conventional mathematical tools
- Observing that human reasoning can utilize concepts and knowledge that do not have welldefined, sharp boundaries













Fuzziness is beneficial for:

- Complex systems that are difficult or impossible to model
- Systems controlled bu human experts or systems that use human observations as inputs
- Systems that are naturally vague
 - Behavioral Science
 - Social Science

History of Fuzzy Logic



1964: Lofti A. Zadeh, UC Berkeley

- Idea of grade of membership was born
- Sharp criticism from academic community
 - Name!
 - Theory's emphasis on imprecision
- Waste of money!

Hey Lofti, what will you name your theory with?

It won't work, boy. It's not precise!



History of Fuzzy Logic



1966-1975: Zadeh continued to broaden the foundation of fuzzy set theory

- Fuzzy multistage decision-making
- Fuzzy similarity relations
- Fuzzy restirctions
- Linguistic hedges

1970s: research groups were formed in Japan

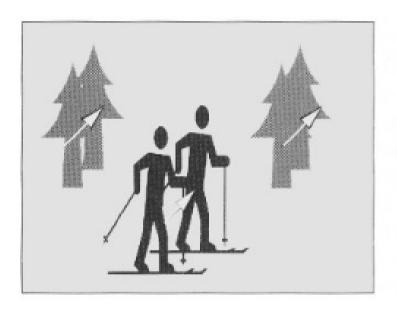
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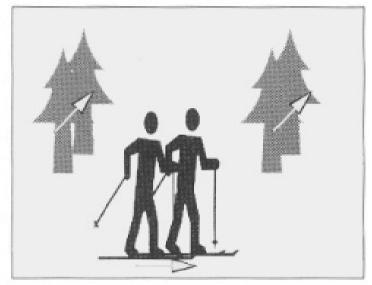


- 1974: Mamdani, UK, developed the first fuzzy logic controller (steam engine control)
- 1982: First commercial control system using fuzzy logic
 - Cement kiln, Holmblad and Ostergaard
- 1976-1987: Industrial application of fuzzy logic in Japan and Europe
- 1987-Present: Fuzzy Boom



Image Stabilization





If all motion vectors are almost parallel and their time differential is small, then the hand jittering is detected and the direction of the hand movement is in the direction of the moving vectors.



- Aerospace
 - Altitude control of spacecraft
 - Satellite altitude control
 - Flow and mixture regulation in aircraft deicing vehicles



Automotive

- Trainable fuzzy systems for idle speed control
- Shift scheduling for automatic transmission
- Intelligent highway systems
- Traffic control
- Improving efficiency of automatic transmissions



Business

- Decision-making support systems
- Personnel evaluation in a large company
- Data mining systems



- Chemical industry
 - Control of pH
 - Drying
 - Chemical distillation processes
 - Polymer extrusion production
 - Coke oven gas cooling plant



Defense

- Underwater target recognition
- Automatic target recognition of thermal infrared images
- Naval decision support aids
- Control of a hypervelocity interceptor
- Fuzzy modeling of infantry decision making (war games)



Electronics

- Control of automatic exposure in video cameras
- Humidity in a clean room
- Air conditioning systems
- Washing machine timing
- Microwave ovens
- Vacuum cleaners



- Finance
 - Banknote transfer control
 - Fund management
 - Stock market predictions



- Industrial
 - Cement kiln controls
 - Heat exchanger control
 - Activate sludge wastewater treatment process control
 - Water purification plant control
 - Control of water purification plants



Marine

- Autopilot for ships
- Optimal route selection
- Control of autonomous underwater vehicles
- Ship steering



Medical

- Medical diagnostic support system
- Control of arterial pressure during anesthesia
- Multivariable control of anesthesia
- Modeling of neuropathological findings in Alzheimer's patients
- Radiology diagnosis
- Fuzzy inference diagnosis of diabetes and prostate cancer



- Mining and Metal Processing
 - Sinter plant control
 - Decision making in metal forming
- Robotics
 - Fuzzy control for flexible-link manipulators
 - Robot arm control
- Securities
 - Decision systems for securities trading



- Signal Processing and Telecommunications
 - Adaptive filter for nonlinear channel equalization control of broadband noise
- Transportation
 - Automatic underground train operation
 - Train schedule control
 - Railway acceleration
 - Braking and stopping