- Defining Al is Complex:
  - Al spans philosophy, science, and engineering.
  - Best defined by its goals, as suggested by Russell & Norvig.
- Two Key Approaches to Al:
  - Human-Based: Al thinks/acts like humans.
  - · Ideal Rationality: Al thinks/acts rationally.
- Al as Intelligent Agents (Russell & Norvig):
  - Al = perceives environment → takes rational actions.
  - Concepts: Perfect Rationality (maximizing utility) & Bounded Optimality (acting optimally under limits).
- Alternative View Al as an Intelligence Test:
  - Al intelligence measured by standardized tests (e.g., Wechsler).
  - Project Aristo & Psychometric AI: AI excelling in human exams.
- Key Takeaway:

Al can be seen as imitating humans, acting rationally, or optimizing decisions—its definition continues to evolve. #