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What is intelligent machine?

- A machine is considered intelligent if it equipped with artificial intelligence (AI) and can perform tasks that typically require human intelligence.

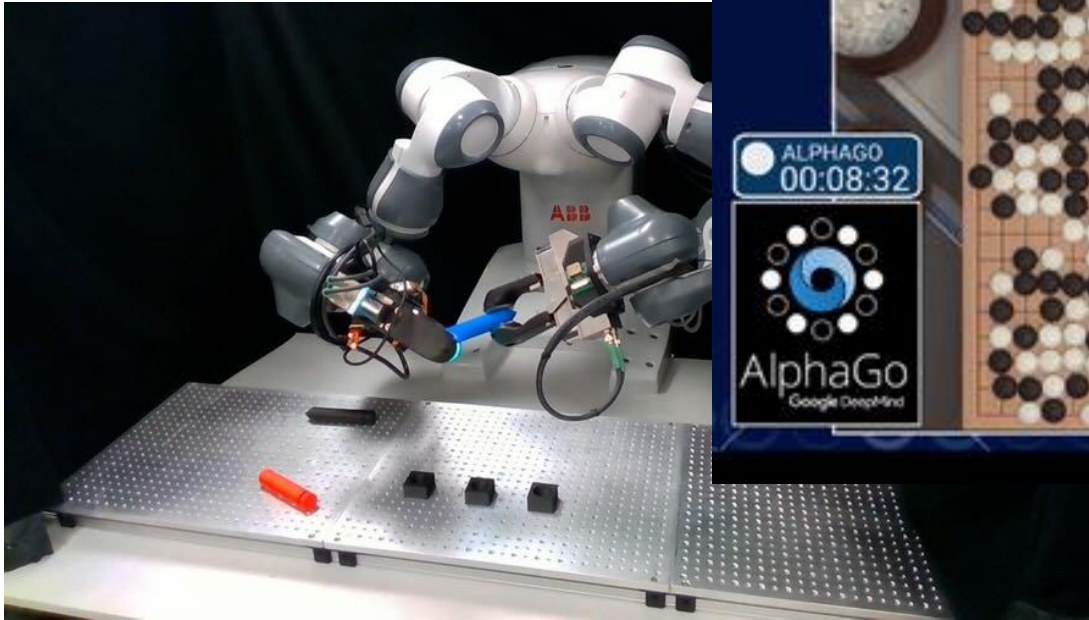
Intelligent machines are developed through technologies such as **machine learning, deep learning, natural language processing, and computer vision**, etc.

- **Adaptability :**

These machines continuously learn and adapt, improving their performance over time based on the data they collect and their interactions with the world. This adaptability is a hallmark of AI and is what makes machines "intelligent."

State-of-the-art AI / ML

- Robot → interact with complex objects
- Computer → play complex games
- Autonomous vehicles

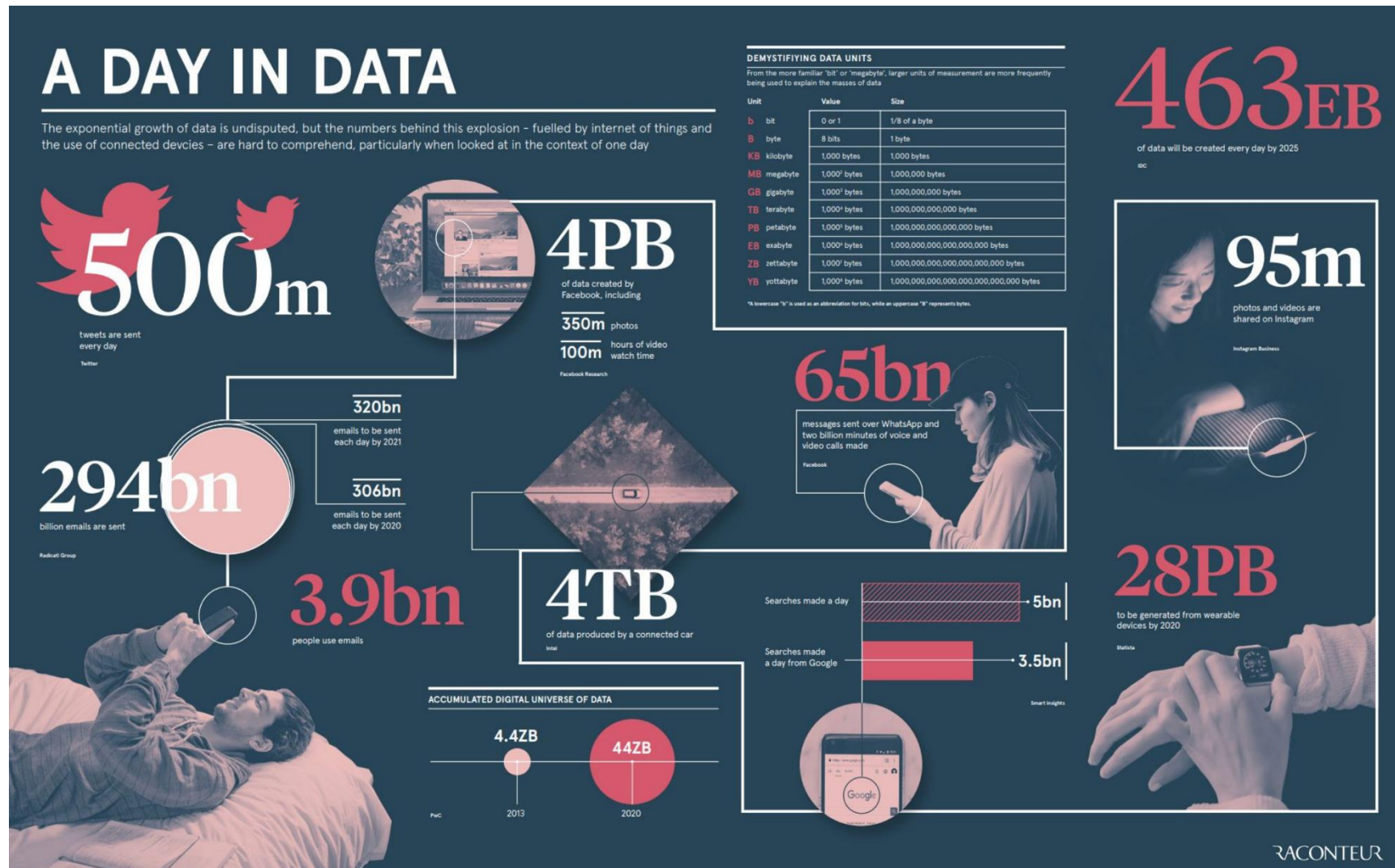


- Can you name more?

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More computational power

- The fundamental concepts of artificial intelligence and deep neural networks have been around since 1940.
- The development of powerful computer processing units (CPUs) and the leveraging of the graphical processing units (GPUs) for computation allowed the training of deep and complex algorithms in “human time”.
- Technology has been challenging human performance.

Impact / Concerns

- Economy:
Innovation, product development, productivity, job displacement, ...
- Political systems
Policy making, public engagement, privacy and security, ...
- Legal aspects
Transparency, new tech-regulations, liability issues, ...
- Ethical Considerations
Fairness/Bias, accountability, ...



What to expect?

- We use Python:

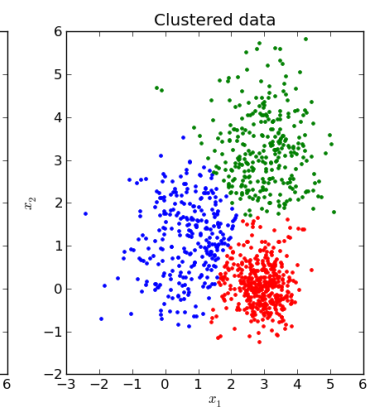
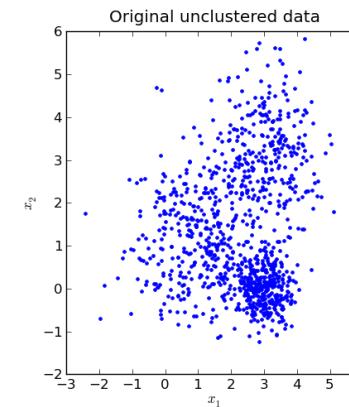
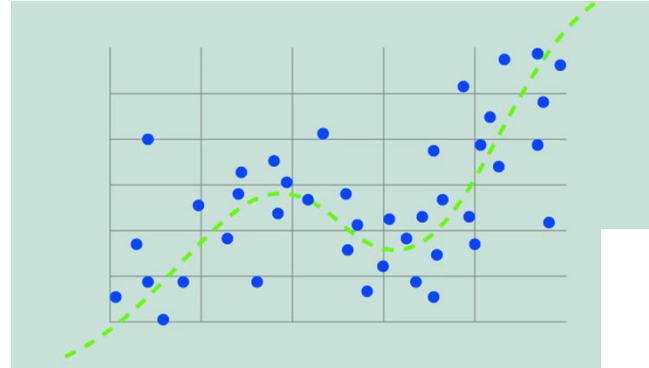
Pandas

Numpy

Sklearn

Keras

Jupyter Notebook



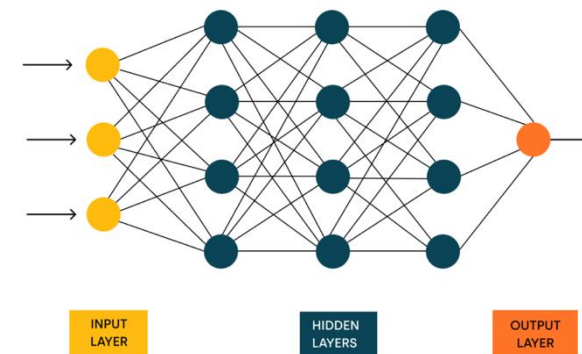
- Topics:

Python basics

Regression models

Clustering and classification

Neural Networks





Python

- Python is designed to be highly readable.
- Python is good for fast prototyping.

We will introduce:

- Variables
- Sequences
- Dictionaries
- Loops
- Functions
- Modules
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Basic Libraries – Pandas/Numpy

- Pandas

Widely used for analyzing, cleaning, exploring and manipulating data.

Read CSV, excel, JSON and other files

Create dataframes

- Numpy

Widely used for scientific computing in Python

Supports large-scale mathematical operations and a wide array of numeric data types

ML Libraries – Ski-learn / Keras

- Sklearn
 - Widely used for implementing machine learning algorithms
 - Simply and strong community support
- Keras
 - Powerful for building neural networks and machine learning models

Sklearn is primarily focused on traditional machine learning, including classification, regression, clustering, and dimensionality reduction.

Keras is specifically designed for constructing and training deep neural networks.