Inverse methods in the era of machine learning and deep learning (Part I)

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Outline

Part 1

- A bit about myself (before and after 2006 accident)
  - Awaken & new outlook on life
- Quality of Life Technology and Computational Sciences Programs at SNU
  - Data Science and Numerical Analysis
- How programming has changed as an old school
  - Stack, Heap, Pointers, Objects
- Computer is God's gift for people with disability (voice coding)
- JEDI and raising skilled program developers among people with disability

Part 2

- Earth Science is about data and observation (new era of global open ocean research)
- Geophysical Inverse Theory in the era of ML and DL
  - New perspectives but are limited in their application
  - Neural Network is like a black box and we never have enough data
- Planet A as part of SNU's 10-10 Initiative
  - Using global data hubs to address societally important issues
- SK E&S (producing startups in global environment and energy sectors)
- Data Science Hackathon and Advanced Instrumentation Competition

Before and after the Accident

Having earned PhD from US, I was appalled by the use of the state-of-the-art research vessel on survey of Mn nodules in the Pacific as opposed to exiting basic science (e.g. mid-ocean ridges and deepsea discoveries).

Things have changed over 20 years but one that remains is understanding of the importance of science by public and government.

Science Policy & Policy for Science

InterRidge Update

Rifts. Rifted Margins.
Spreading Ridges.
Planning Committee

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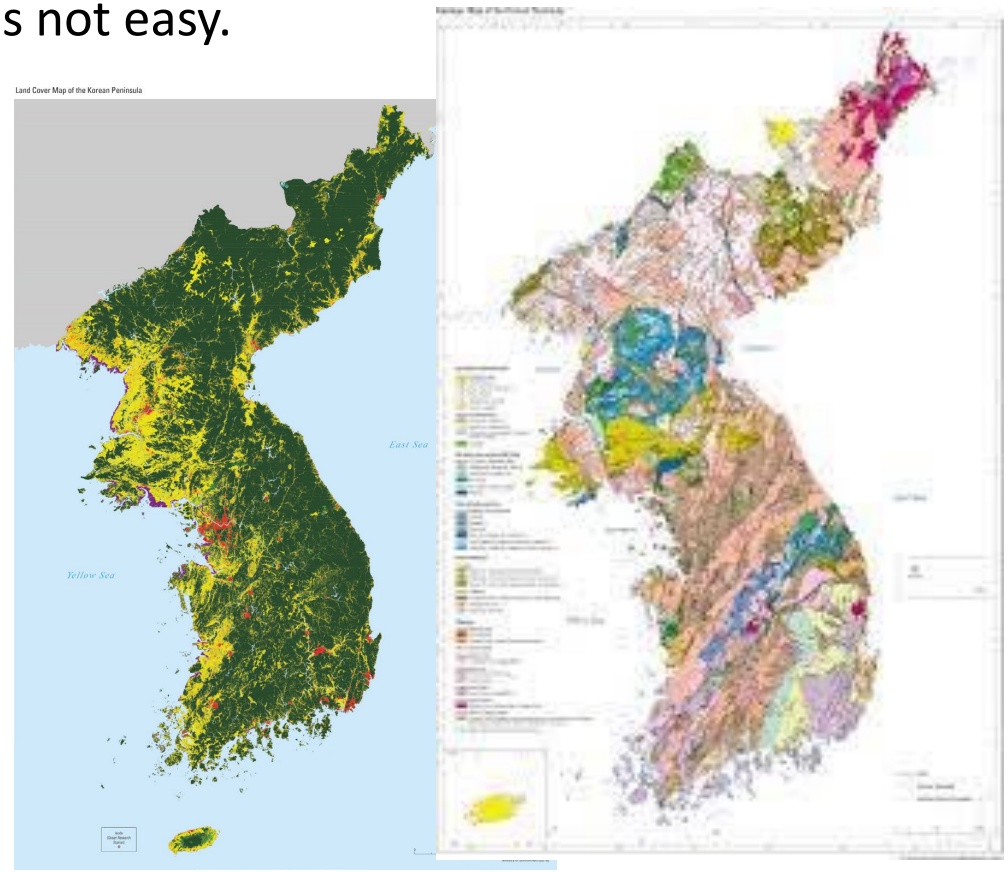
After 12 years abroad and 7 years at Korea Ocean Research and Development Institute running global ocean open operations, I returned to my alma mater (Seoul National University) in late 2003.

But teaching active geology in Korea was not easy.

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During geological field trip in California, 2006

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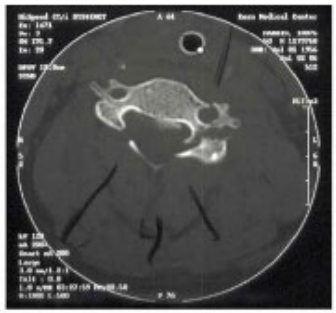
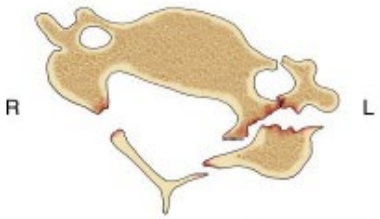
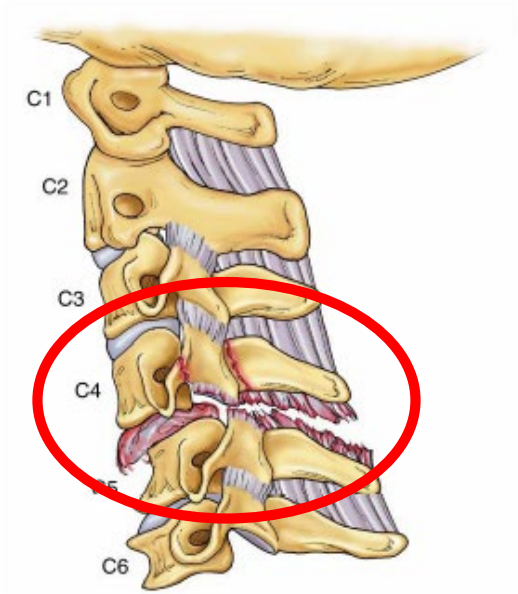
SCI “Neck fusion”

Detail of Cervical Injuries - Professor Lee





Transverse section of C4 from below

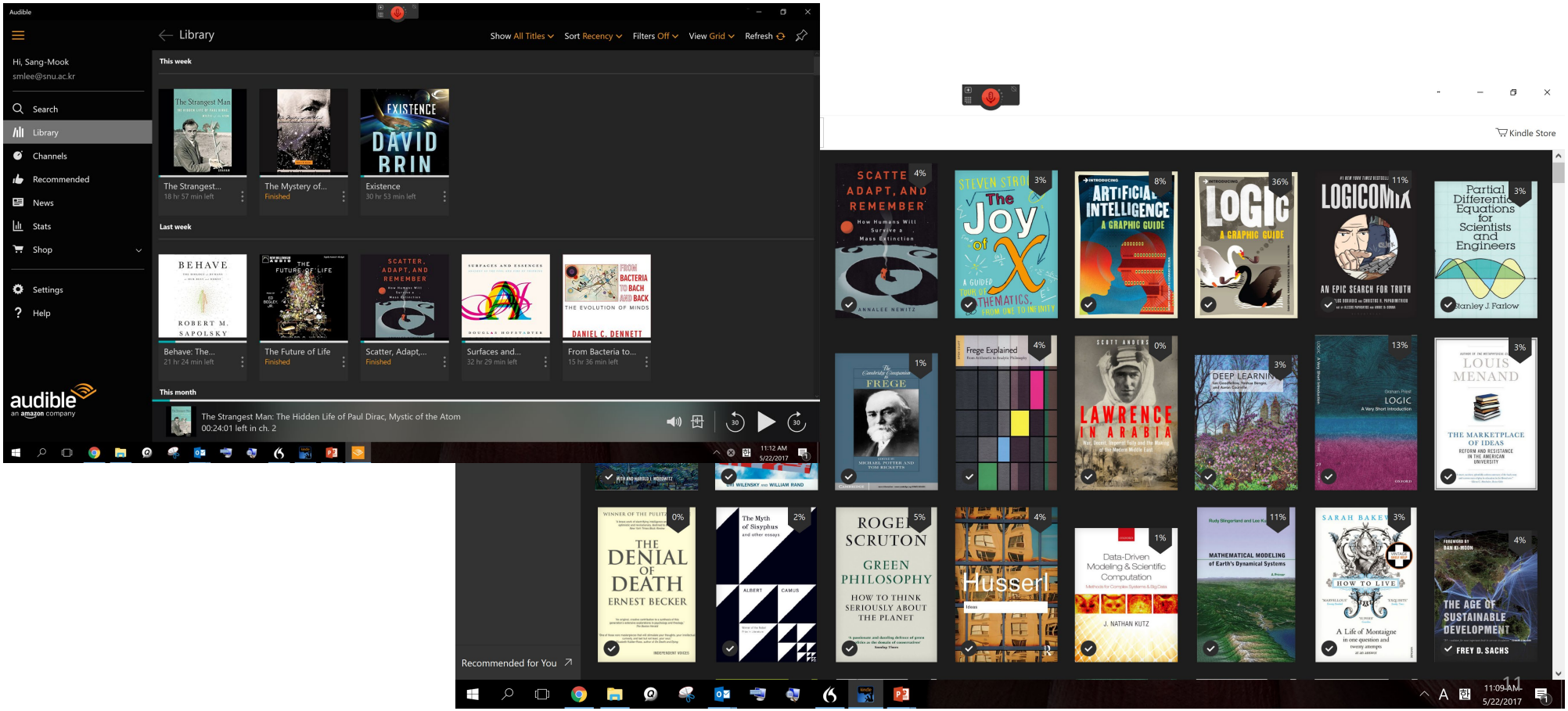


C4-C5 fracture subluxation

- Less than 25% subluxation
- C4-5 disc space significantly widened
- Complete ligamentous disruption at C4-5 level of facet joints
- Interspinous ligament completely torn
- Longus colli muscles “hemorrhagic, edematous, and badly contused”
- C4 laminar fractures, posteriorly
- C4 spinous process “free-floating,” attached to free-floating laminar section bilaterally
- Visible spinal cord superiorly
- Disc disruption, C4-5


What would I have missed by dying early?
I don't want to believe. I want to know.
- Carl Sagan

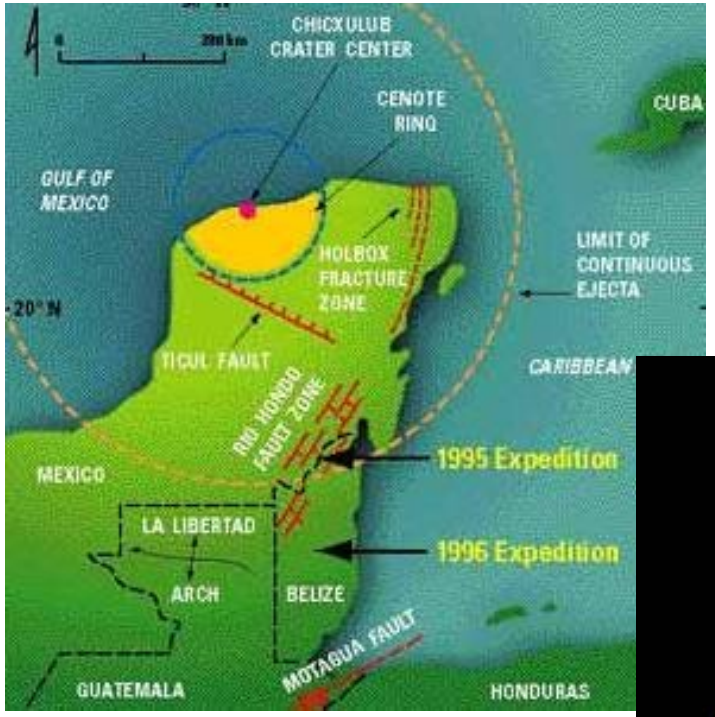
I cannot flip a page but with special assistive device I can read books and listen to audio books. You have all the knowledge you want there. It is in life amazing?



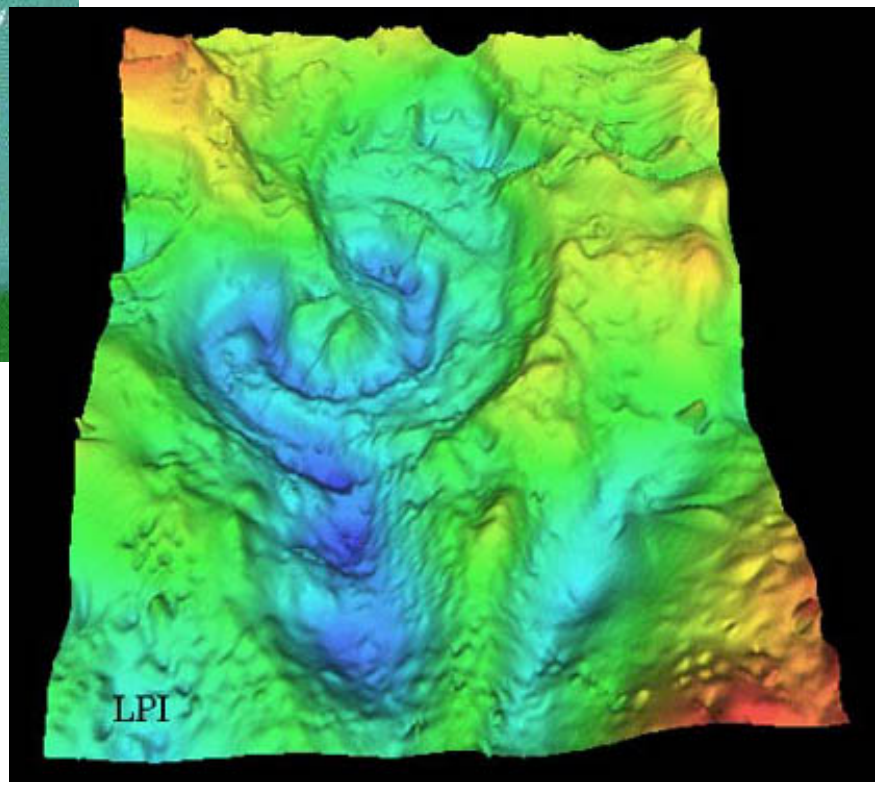
40 days across United States – Now or Never

Paris

Berlin



Chicxulub, Mexico



2013 Merida Mexico

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International Association
of Geomagnetism and Aeronomy


Mayan
Heritage

Developing assistive technology apps for people with disability sponsored by LG Electronics and Her Highness Jameela Al Qasimi

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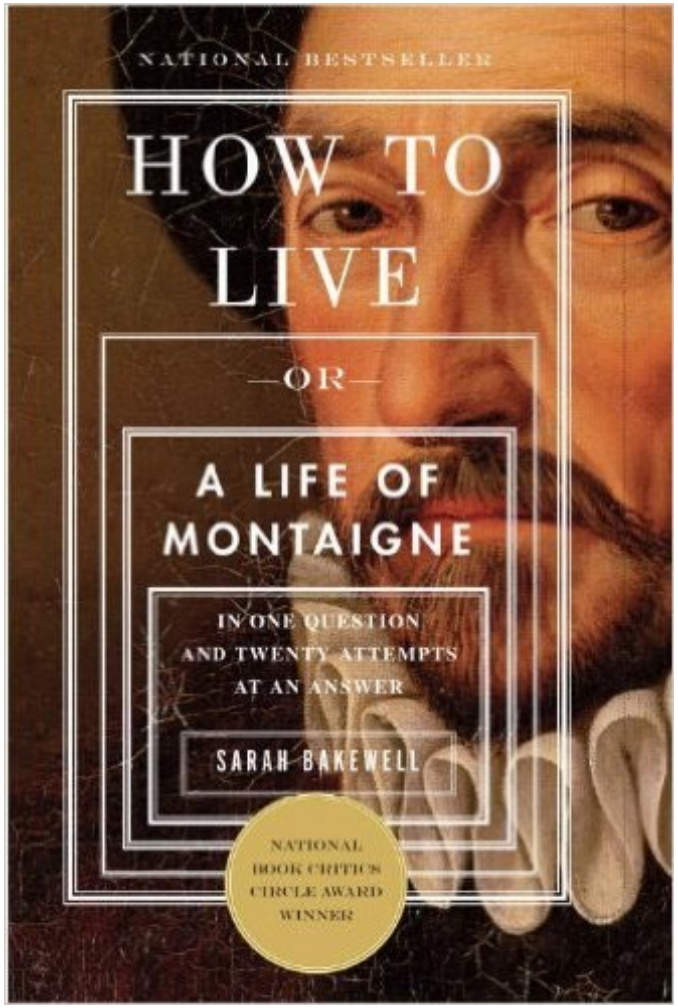
At the Limit of Our Knowledge, Staring into the Future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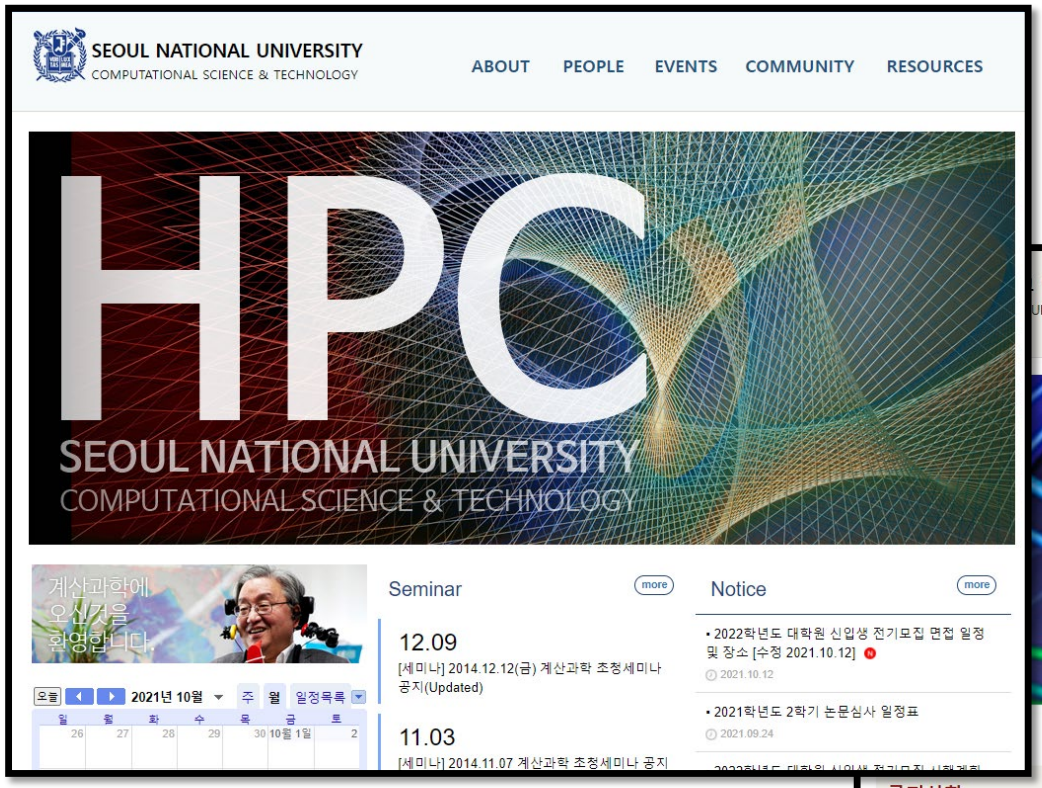
Interdisciplinary Program of Computational Science and Technology (Graduate)



Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Program in Computational Sciences

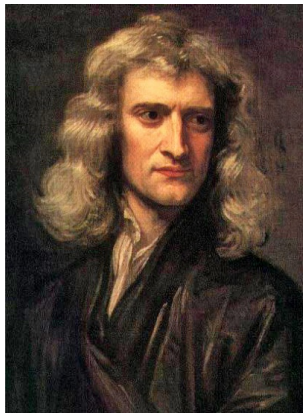
Quality of Life Technology - US$35 million project funded by the Ministry of Knowledge Economy for people with disability

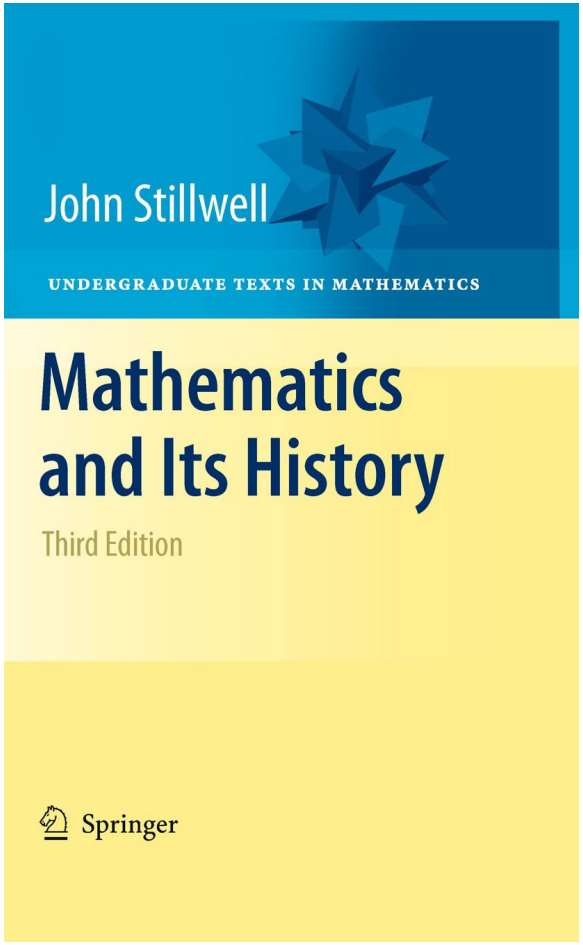
Undergraduate Curriculum

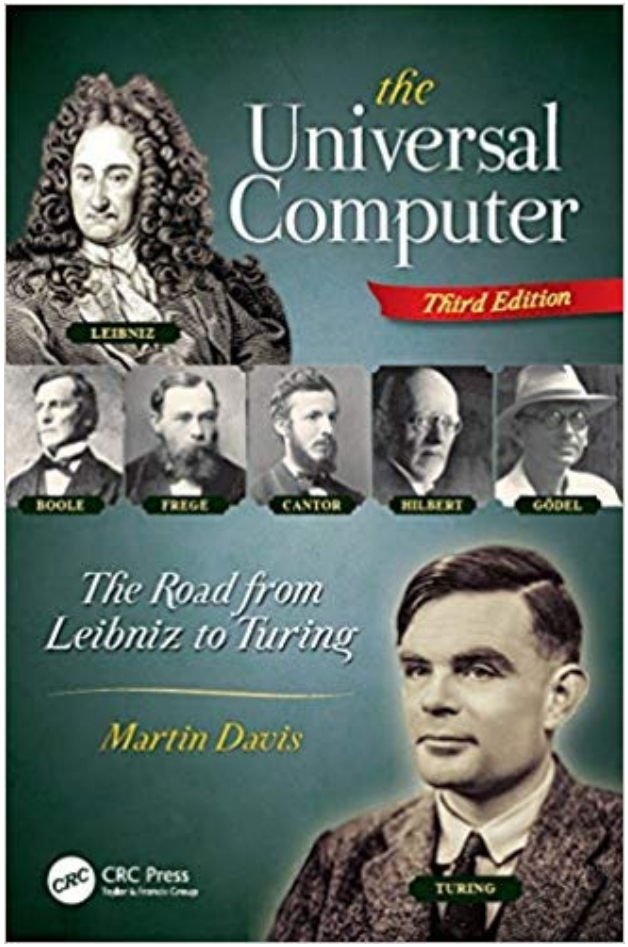
학년	1학기 교과목 및 학점	2학기 교과목 및 학점
2학년	• 계산과학의 이해 (Understanding Computational Sciences) • 계산과학의 기초와 역사 (History and Foundation of Computational Sciences) • 계산과학이론 및 실습 1 (Theory and Practices of Computational Sciences 1)	• 계산과학이론 및 실습 2 (Theory and Practices of Computational Sciences 1)
3학년	• 데이터과학 (Data Sciences)	• 과학계산개론 (Introduction to Scientific Computing)
4학년		• 계산과학 주제연구 (Special Topics On Computational Sciences) • 계산과학 종합설계 (Capstone Research on Computational Sciences)

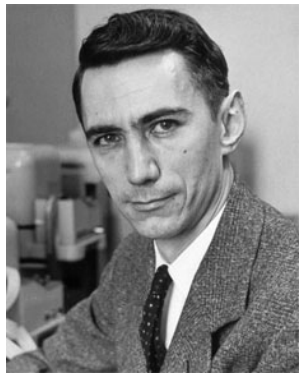
6 Prerequisites and 2 Electives

Foundation and History of Computational Sciences









Leibniz
Boole
Frege
Cantor
Russell
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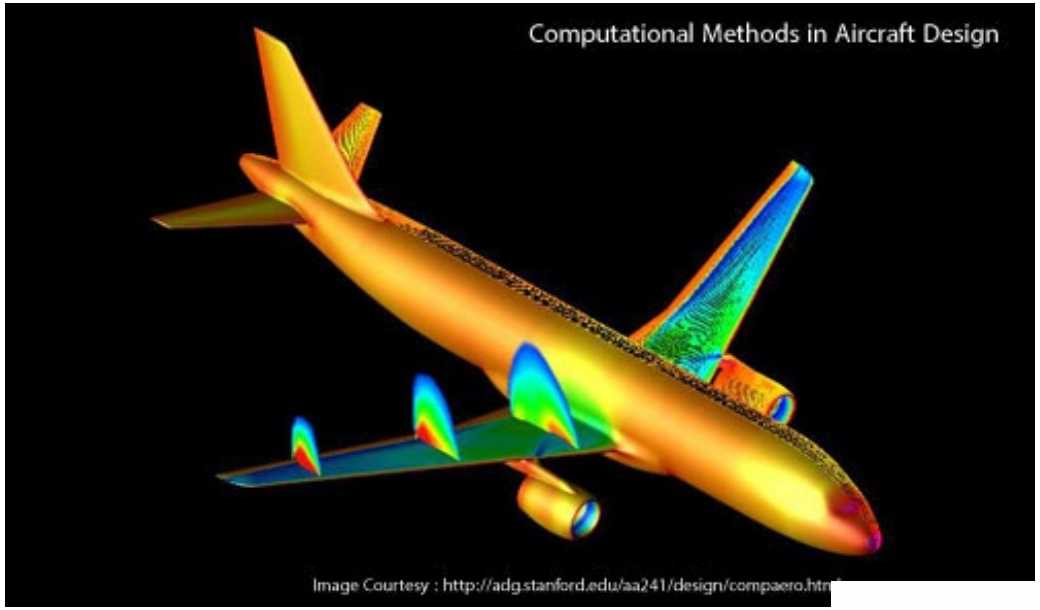
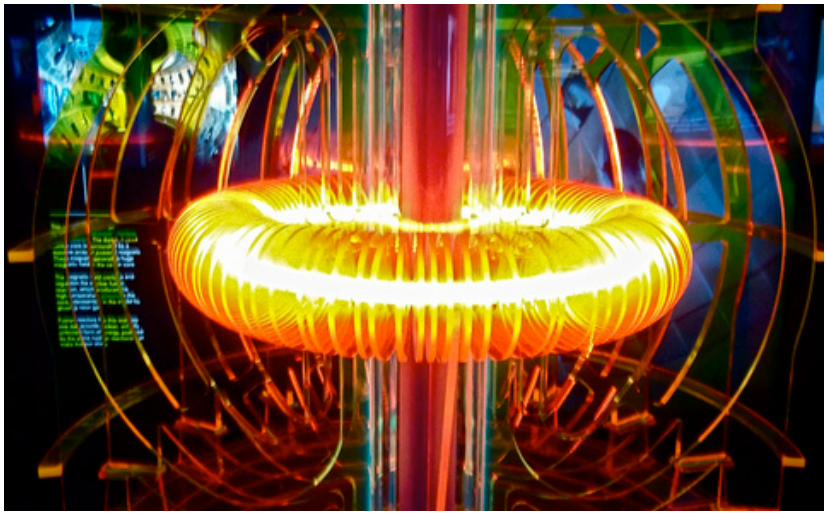
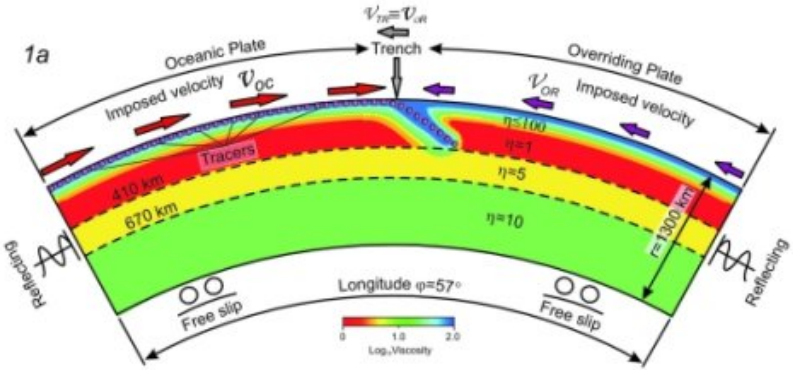
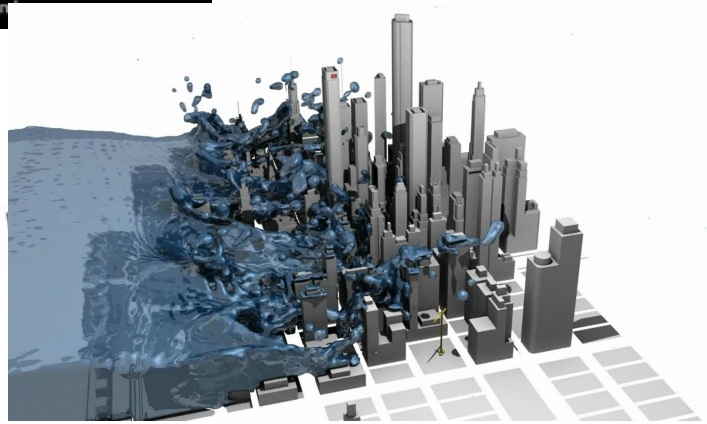
Gödel
Turing
Shannon

Numerical Analysis





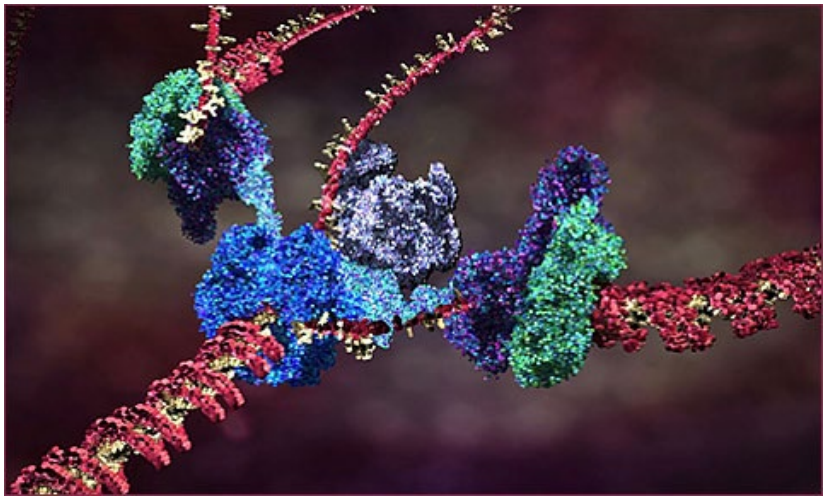




C/C++

Fortran 95

Scientific Visualization

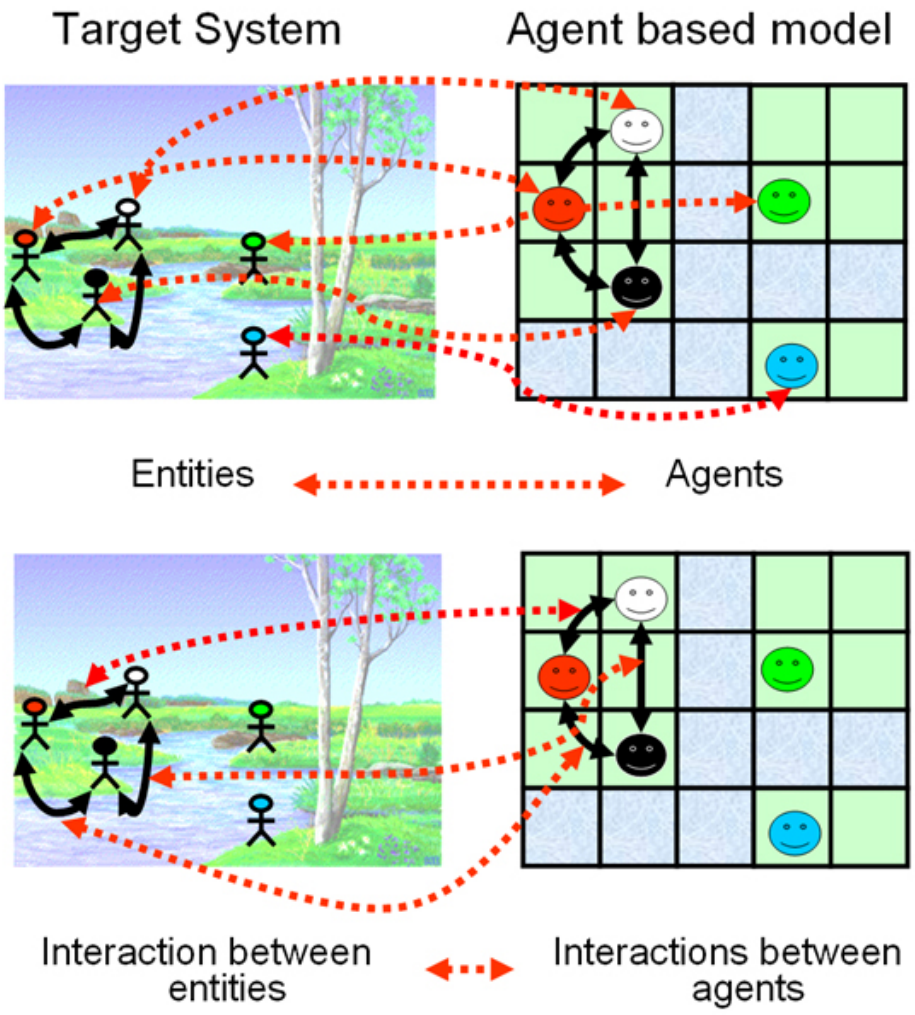


OpenGL

MAYA

machine learning in Python

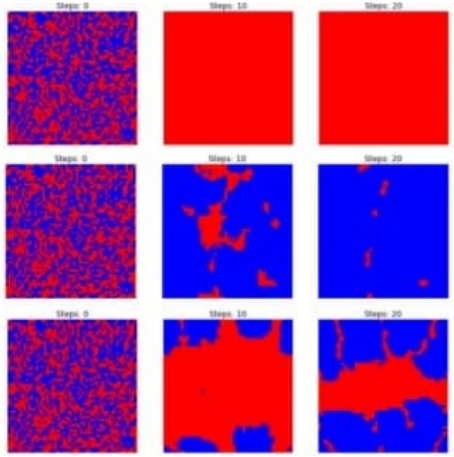
PyTorch



Complex phenomena

Mesa's Scheduling Feature

Notebook example & source: Prisoner's dilemma



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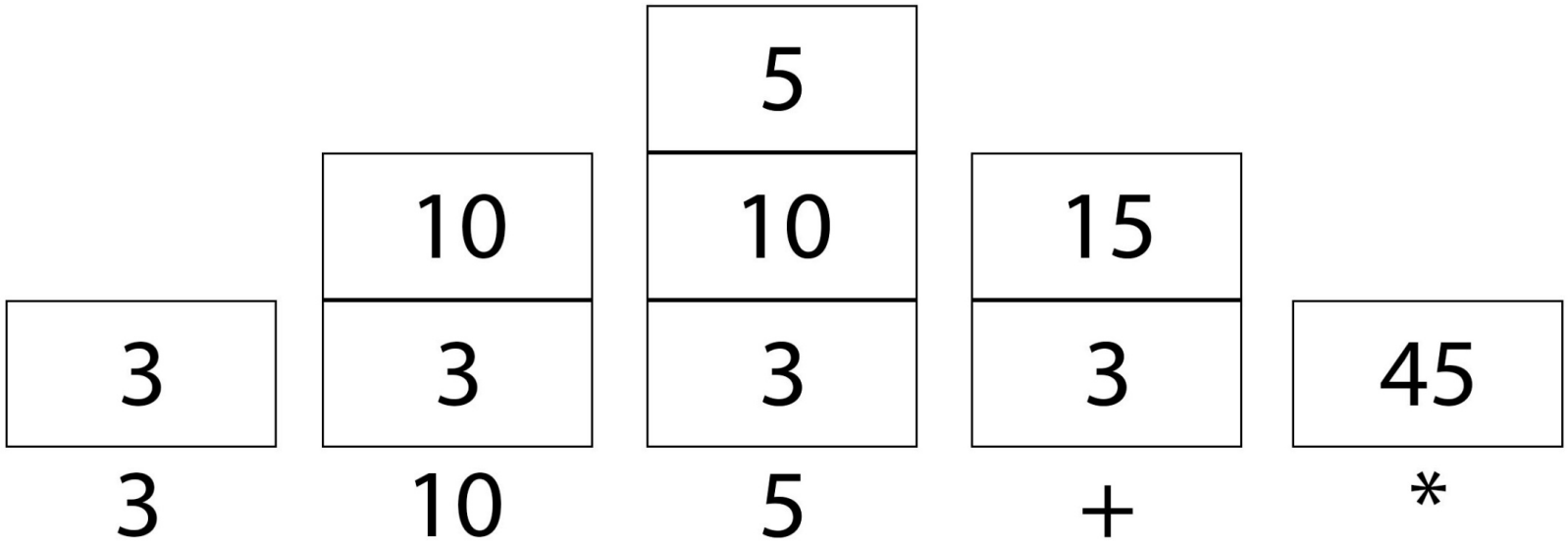
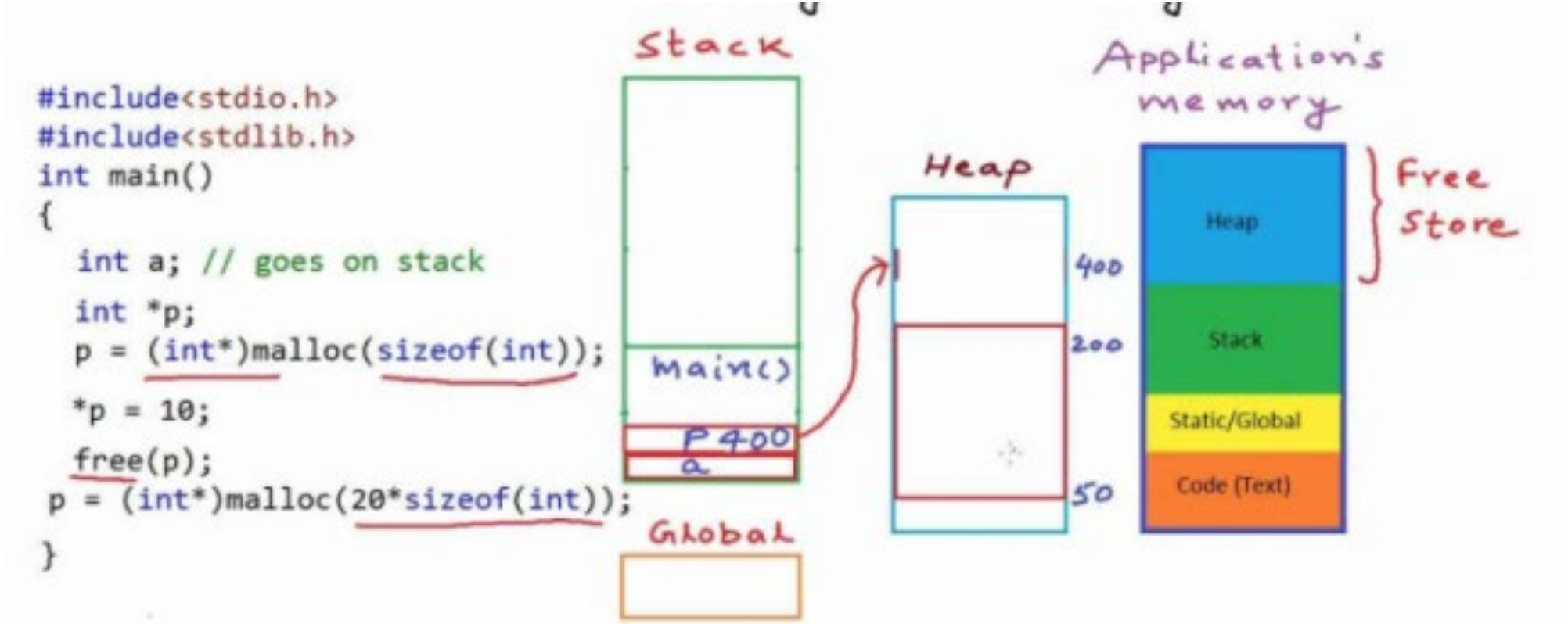
I'm an old-school and had to reinvent myself.

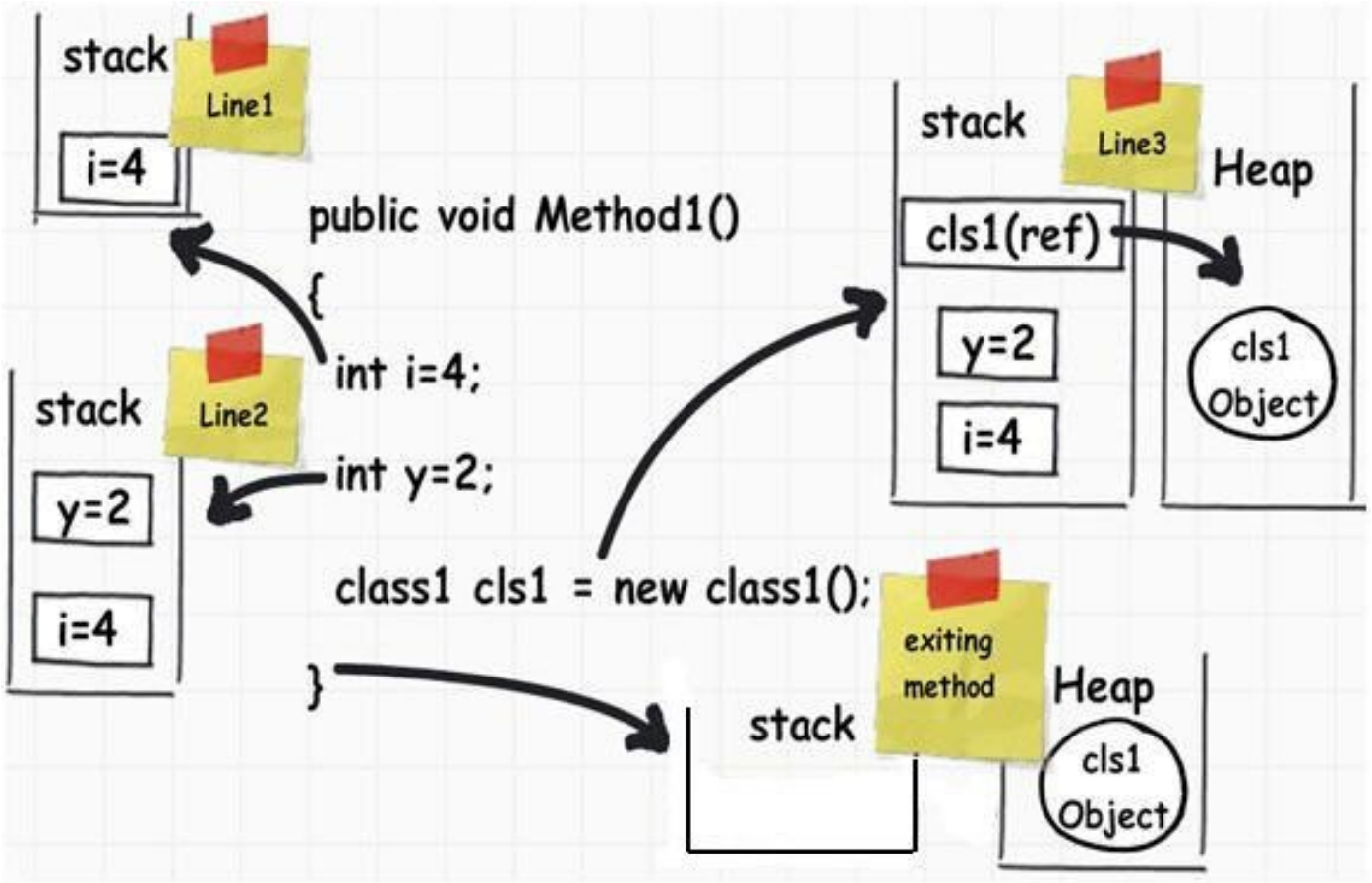
Stack and Heap

Pointer and Objects (custom defined data type)

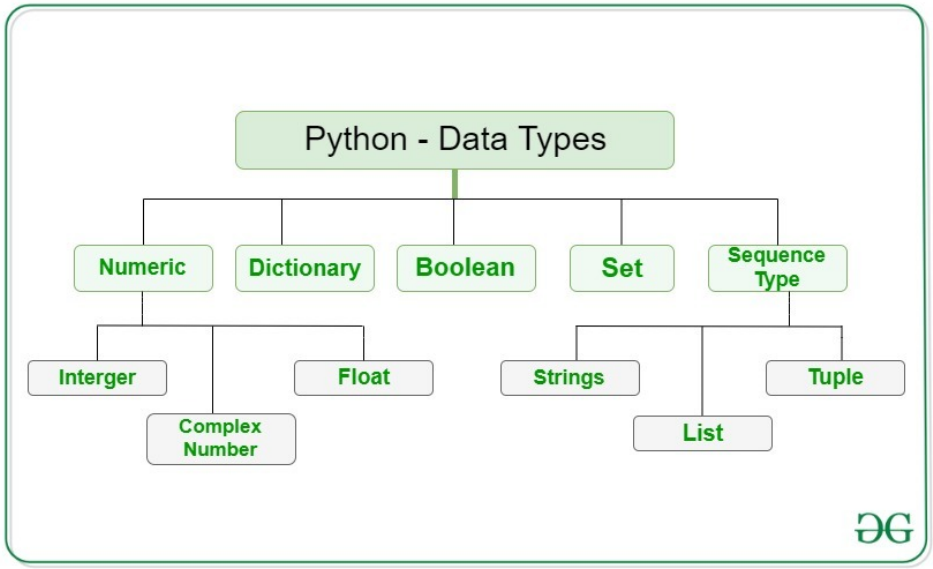
Equation: 3 10 5 + *




#include<stdio.h>
#include<stdlib.h>
int main()
{
int a; // goes on stack
int *p;
p = (int*)malloc(sizeof(int));
*p = 10;
free(p);
p = (int*)malloc(20*sizeof(int));
}
Stack
main()
P 400
a
Global
Heap
400
200
50
Application's memory
Heap
Stack
Static/Global
Code (Text)
Free Store


stack
Line1
i=4
public void Method1()
{
int i=4;
int y=2;
class1 cls1 = new class1();
}
stack
Line2
y=2
i=4
stack
Line3
Heap
cls1(ref)
y=2
i=4
cls1
Object
exiting
method
stack
Heap
cls1
Object

Computers did not appear suddenly; there is a rich long history.



Example 1

```
class Square:
      def __init__(self, l):
        self.length = l
      def Area(self):
        return self.length**2
class Triangle:
    def __init__(self, b, h):
        self.base = b
        self.height = h
    def Area(self):
        return 0.5*self.base*self.height
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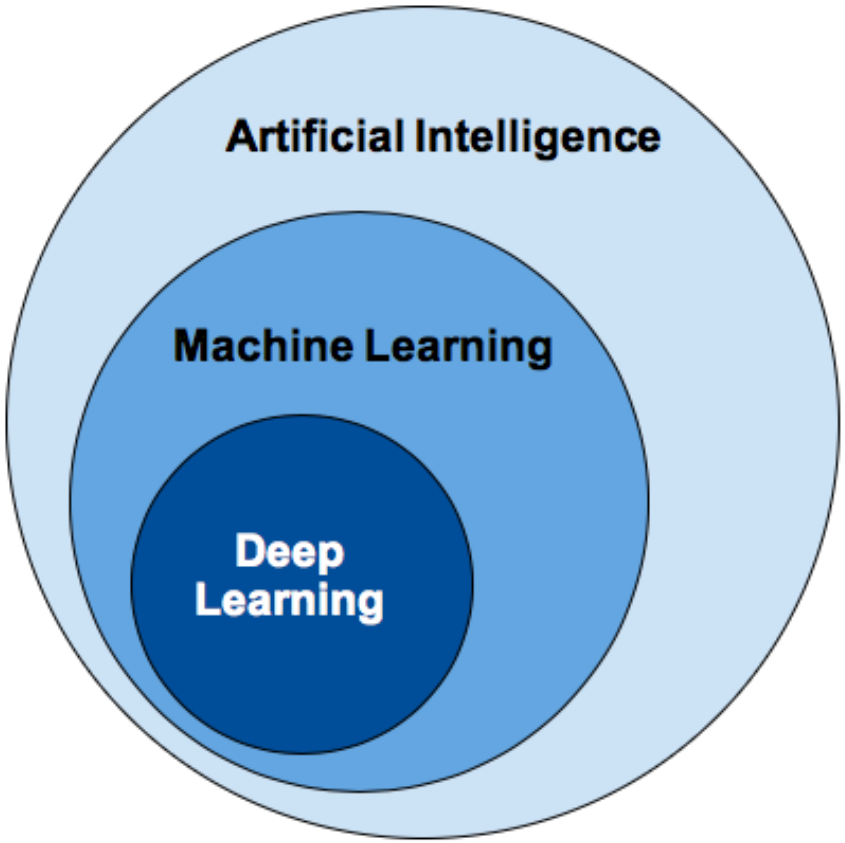
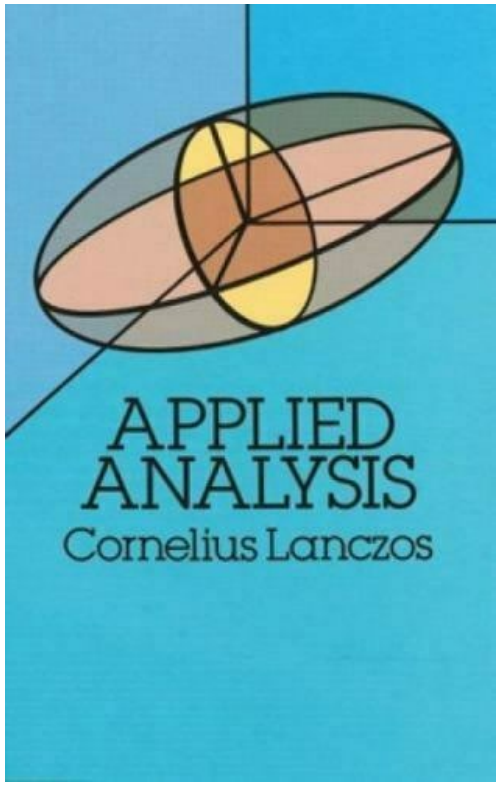


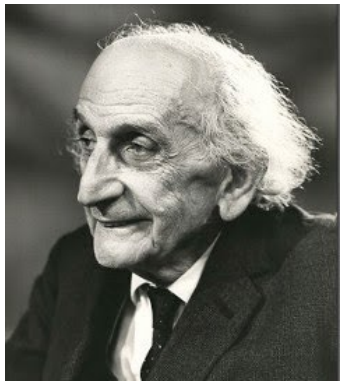
Enterprise Computing versus Scientific Computing

What about Inverse Theory?

- In Science, there is not enough Data.
- Well it works on images but how about other form of data?

If you understand Singular Value Decomposition(SVD), then you understand Invert Theory and all the linear algebra behind it.





First published in 1956

Over determined problems
Under determined problems
Ill pose problems

How does one update once information

Generalized Nonlinear Inverse Problems Solved Using the Least Squares Criterion

Albert Tarantola and Bernard Valette
Institut de Physique du Globe de Paris, 75005 Paris, France

Reviews of Geophysics and Space Physics, Vol. 20, No. 2, pages 219–232, May 1982

We attempt to give a general definition of the nonlinear least squares inverse problem. First, we examine the discrete problem (finite number of data and unknowns), setting the problem in its fully nonlinear form. Second, we examine the general case where some data and/or unknowns may be functions of a continuous variable and where the form of the theoretical relationship between data and unknowns may be general (in particular, nonlinear integrodifferential equations). As particular cases of our nonlinear algorithm we find linear solutions well known in geophysics, like Jackson's (1979) solution for discrete problems or Backus and Gilbert's (1970) a solution for continuous problems.

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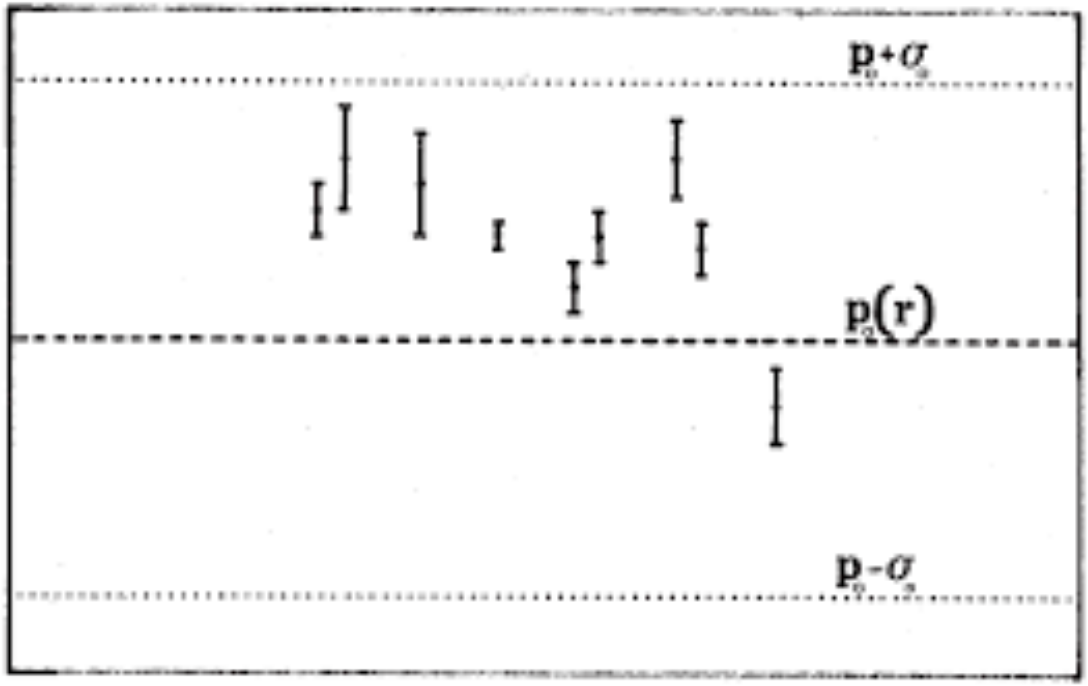
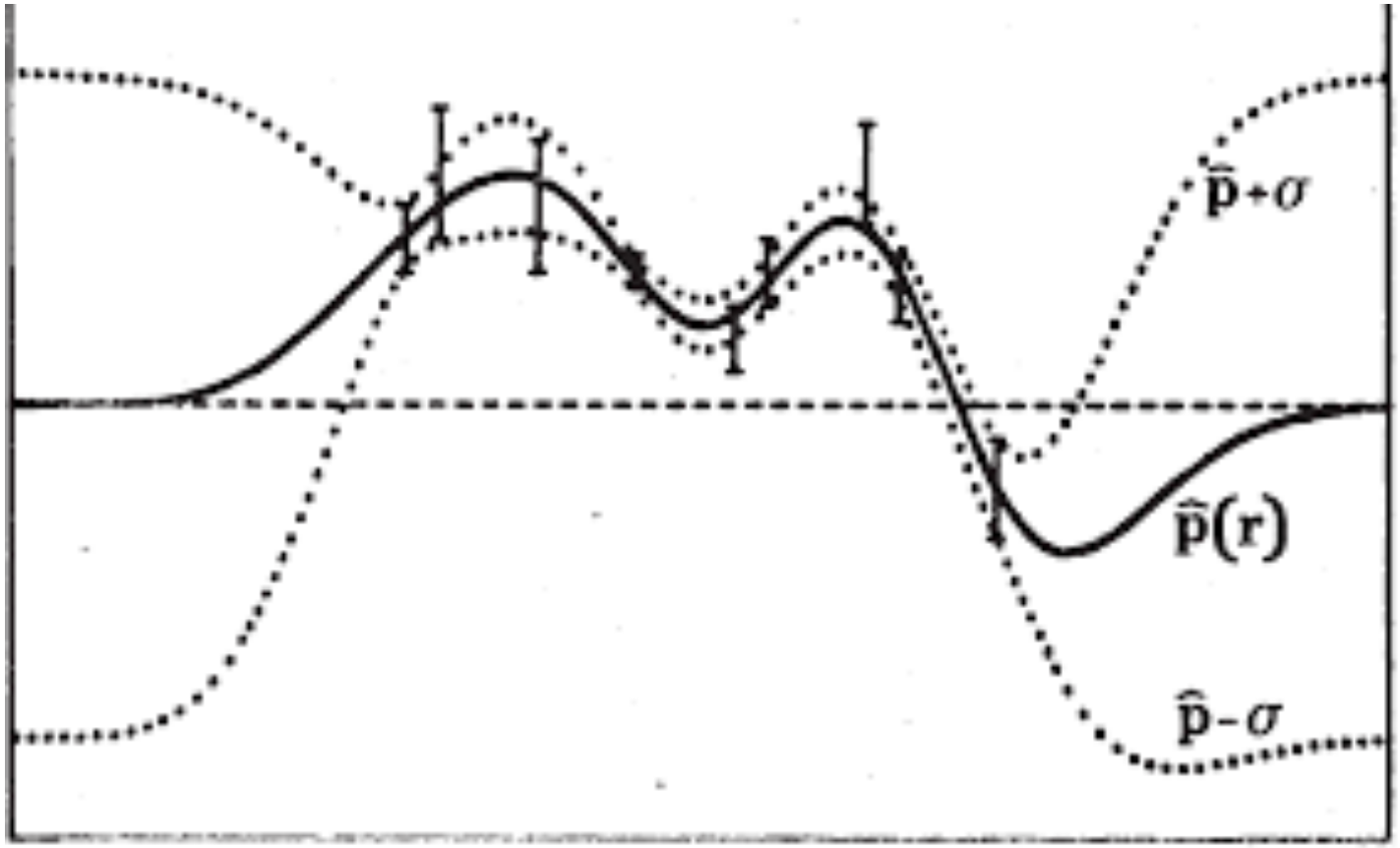
1 INTRODUCTION

The aim of physical sciences is to discover the minimal set of parameters which completely describe physical systems and the laws relating the values of these parameters to the results of any set of measurements on the system. A coherent set of such laws is named a physical theory. To the extent that the values of the parameters can only be obtained as a results of measurements, one may equivalently consider that physical theories impose some relationships between the results of some measurements.

Theoretical relationships are often functional relationships, exactly relating the values of the parameters to the results of the measurements. Sometimes, theoretical relationships are probabilistic, as in geophysics when some property of the earth is statistically described, or as in quantum mechanics, where the probabilistic description of the results of the measurements



The solid line will be the updated your information and everything has uncertainty.



"Computer Is God's Gift to People with Disability"

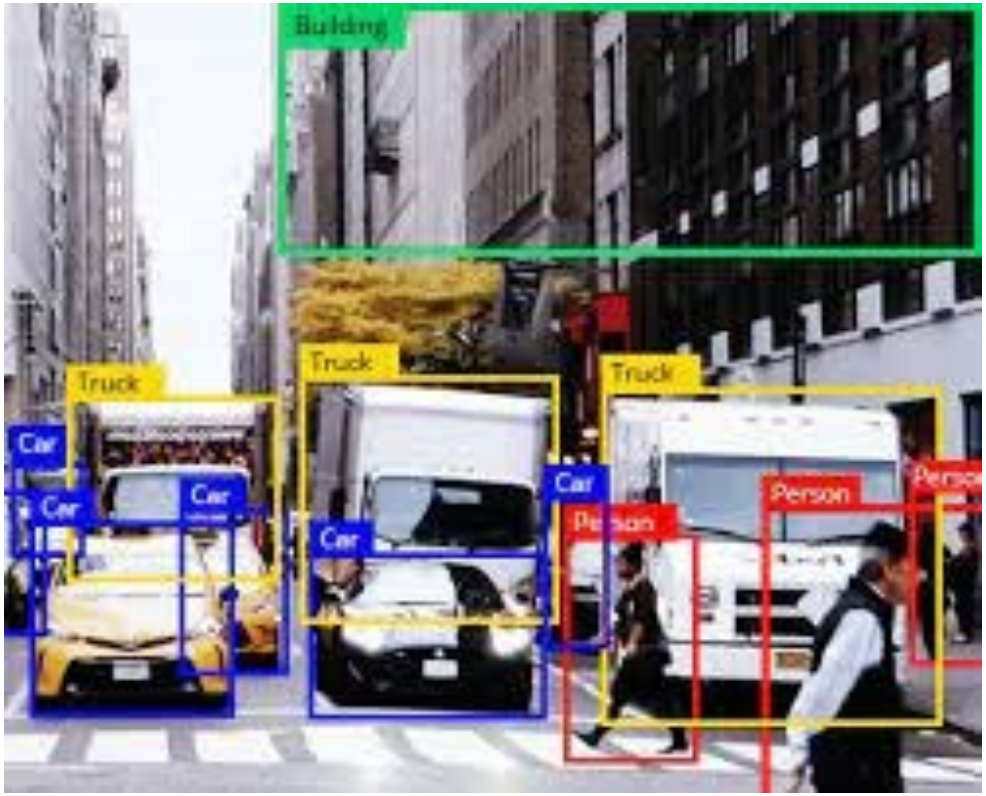
- The three difficulties: economic, social and family.

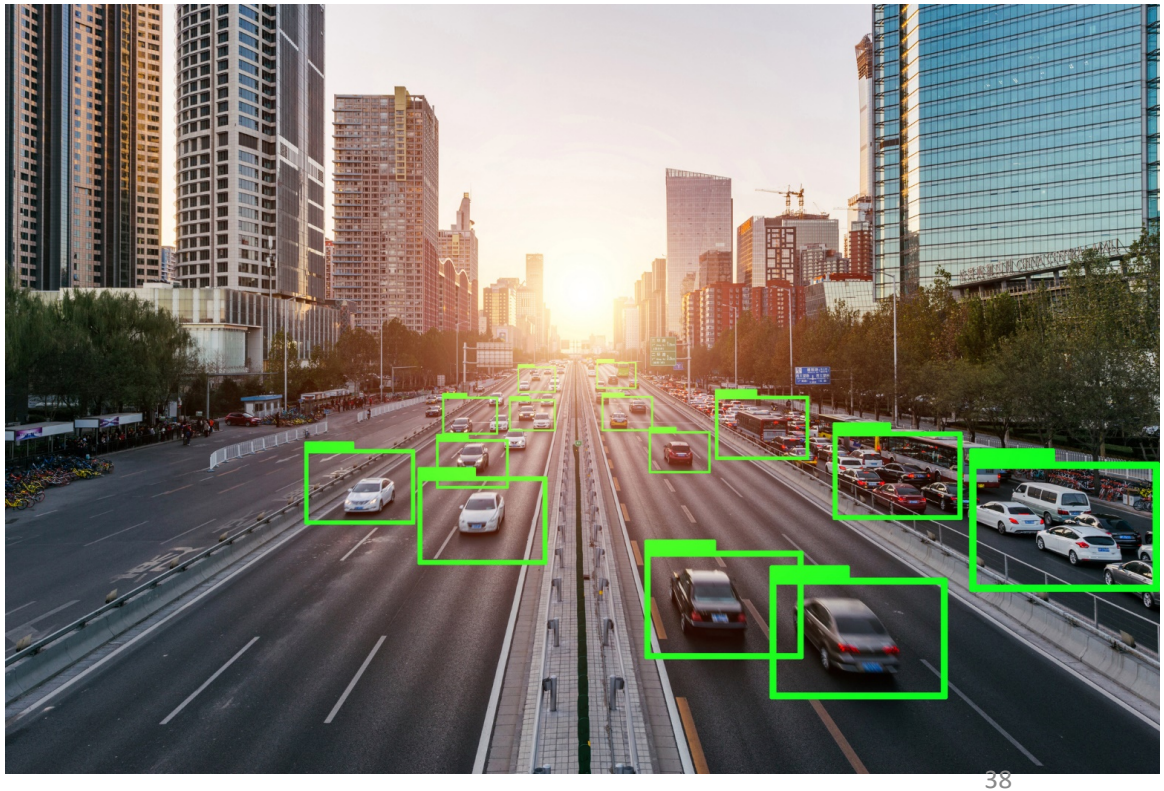
- By providing decent job, the three difficulties can be mitigated.
- But to do so, training and education is the most fundamental task.

- JEDI (justice, equality diversity and inclusion)

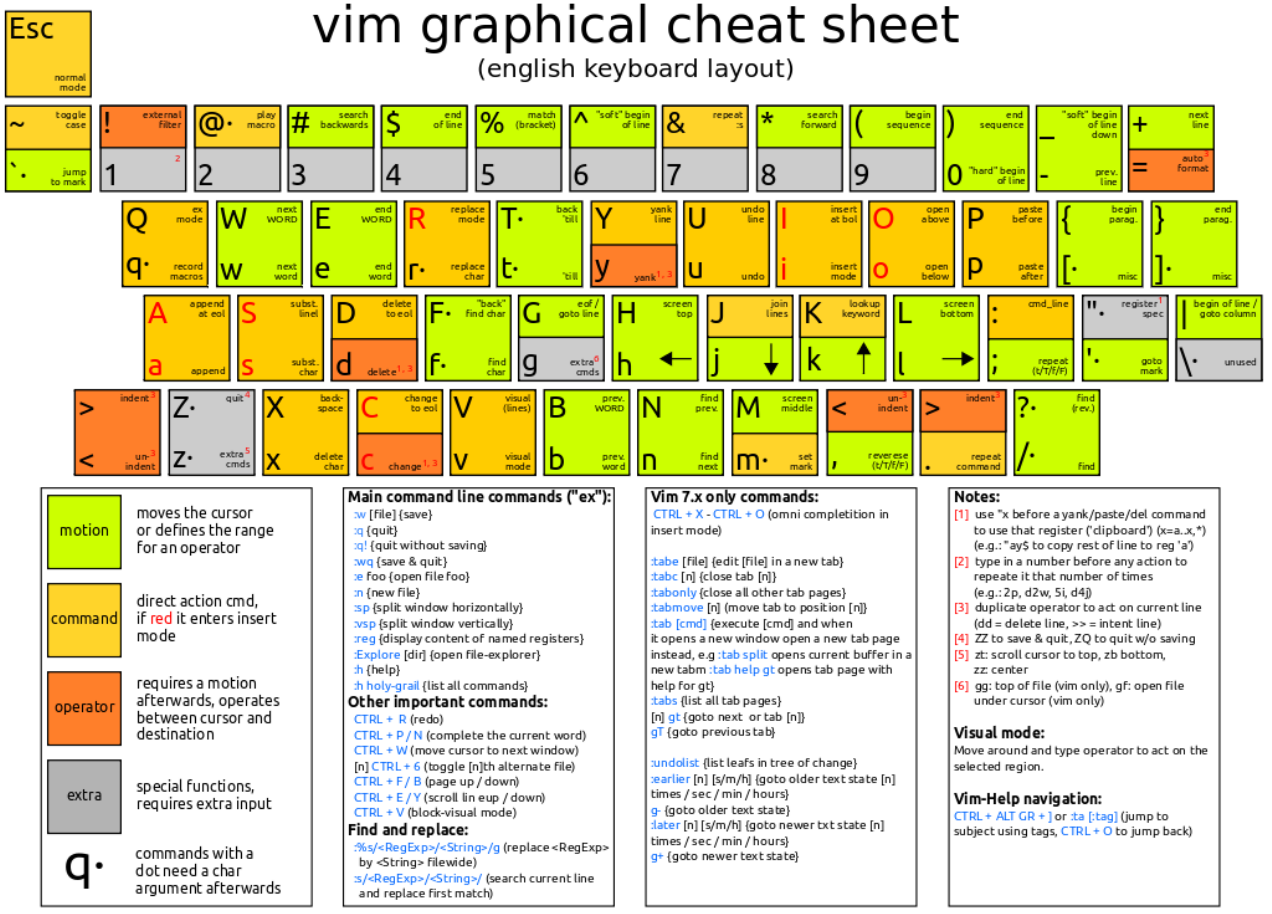
Menial and basic tasks. Obviously very low wages

Data Labeling in the era of AI. But still very boring and not inspiring.





Professional programmers don't use mouse. This was supposed to be more efficient for them but not so for people like me with difficult in hand mobility.



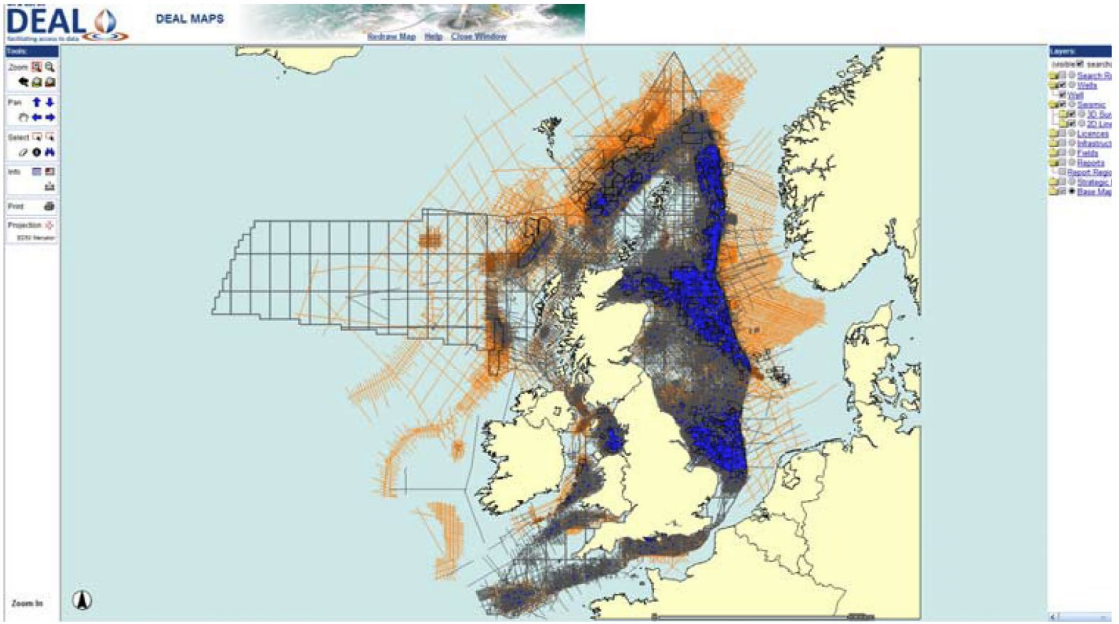
Repetitive Strain Injury (RSI) is common among professional developers, and since 2013 following the presentation of Tavis Rudd, several solutions have been made to overcome this problem.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8SkdfdXWYaI

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YRyYIIFKsdU

Comparison between hand typed and voice coding

Cloud computing and remote working have become a new norm as a result of coronavirus. People with a high level of disability find their home most comforting.



Here is an example of public data. Shown here are national database of UK as part of offshore petroleum survey. My goal is to set up an organization such that people with disability who has high-level of computer knowledge and skills would participate in this global issue of environment and energy.

At the moment, I am testing this idea with nine people with disability.


Thank You Very Much for Your Attention
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