

# Human-Computer Interaction

↳ back to the future and... forward to the past

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# What is Human-Computer Interaction?

# *interaction paradigms*

## **computer as tool**

‘first person’ interface

↳ augmenting the capabilities of users



## **computer as servant**

‘second person’ interface

↳ delegate tasks



## **computer as media**

‘third person’ interface

↳ communication, entertainment



**Human-  
Computer  
Interaction**

**Artificial  
Intelligence**

**Mediated  
Communication  
& Multimedia**

[Verplank & Moggridge], [Beaudouin-Lafon & Mackay]

**understand** the phenomenon

↳ describe, explain, evaluate

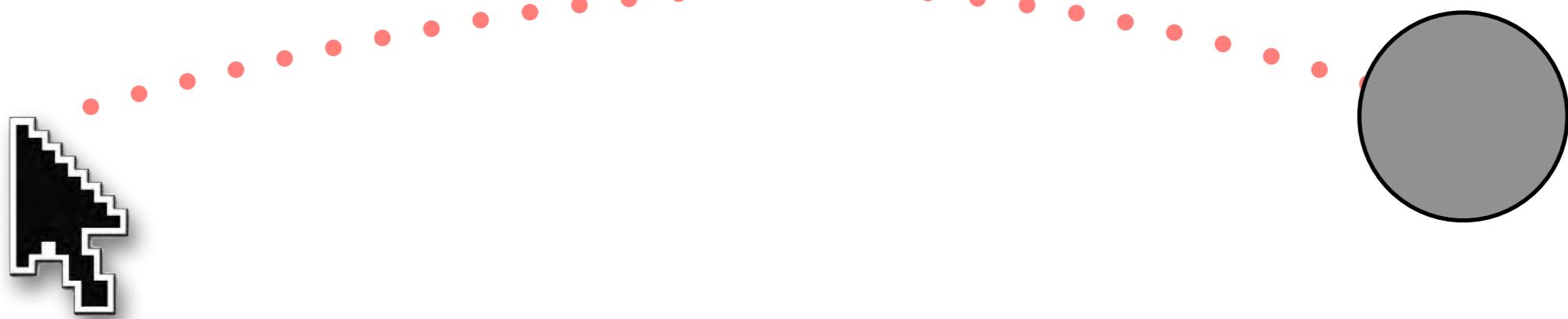
**propose** new forms of interaction

↳ technologies, modalities, contexts

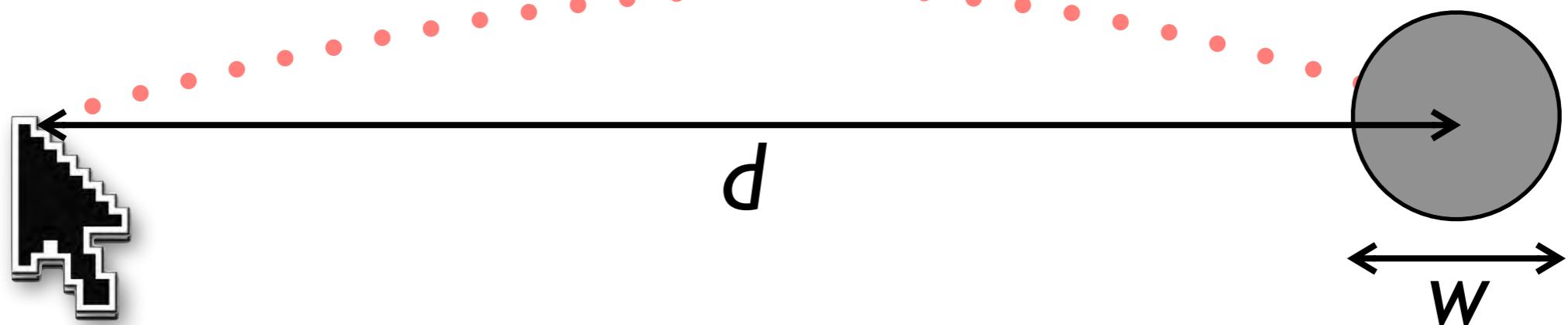
**integrate** knowledge and expertise

↳ theories, methods, tools

*pointing with a mouse*

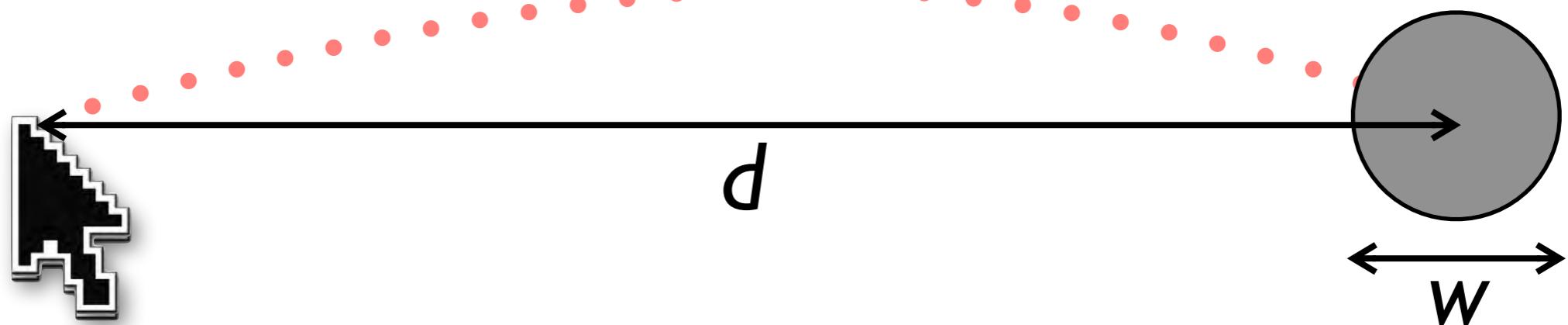


*pointing with a mouse*



$M_{ovement} T_{ime} = ?$

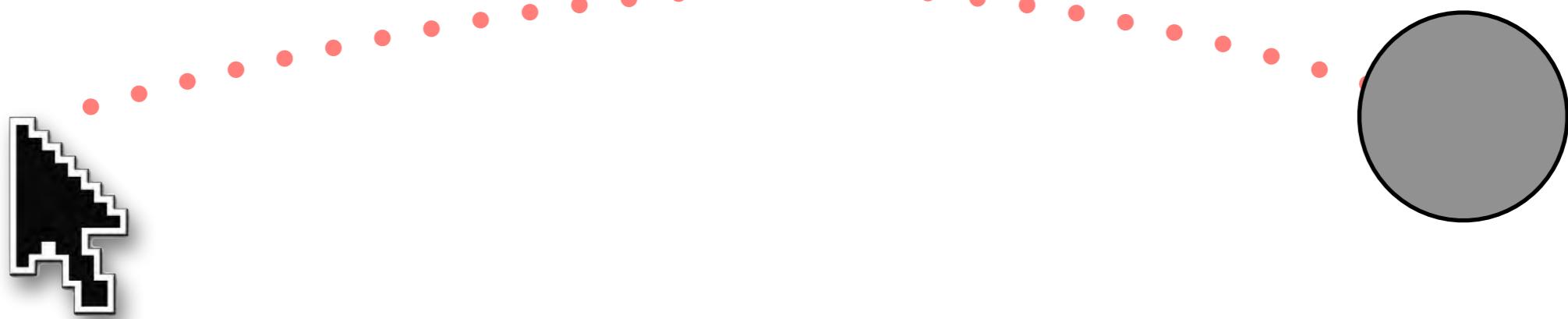
# *Fitts' Law (1954)*



$$MT = a + b \log_2(1 + d/w)$$

# *ease pointing with expanding targets*

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# *why is HCI important?*

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**always at least one user**

↳ interactive systems

**systems should be accessibles and usable**

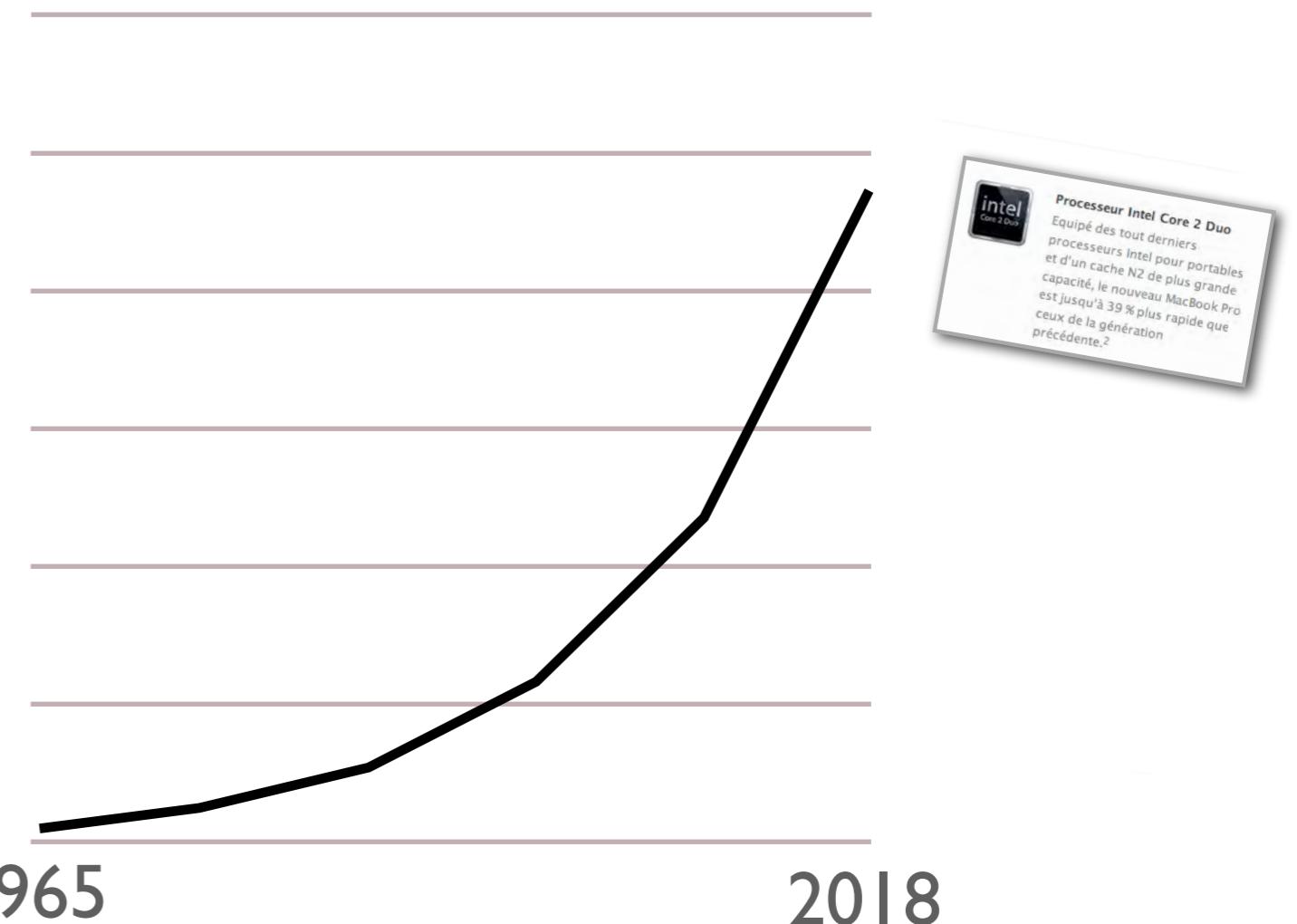
↳ the promises of the digital world

**interaction should be transparent (figuratively)**

↳ technology is a mean, a tool



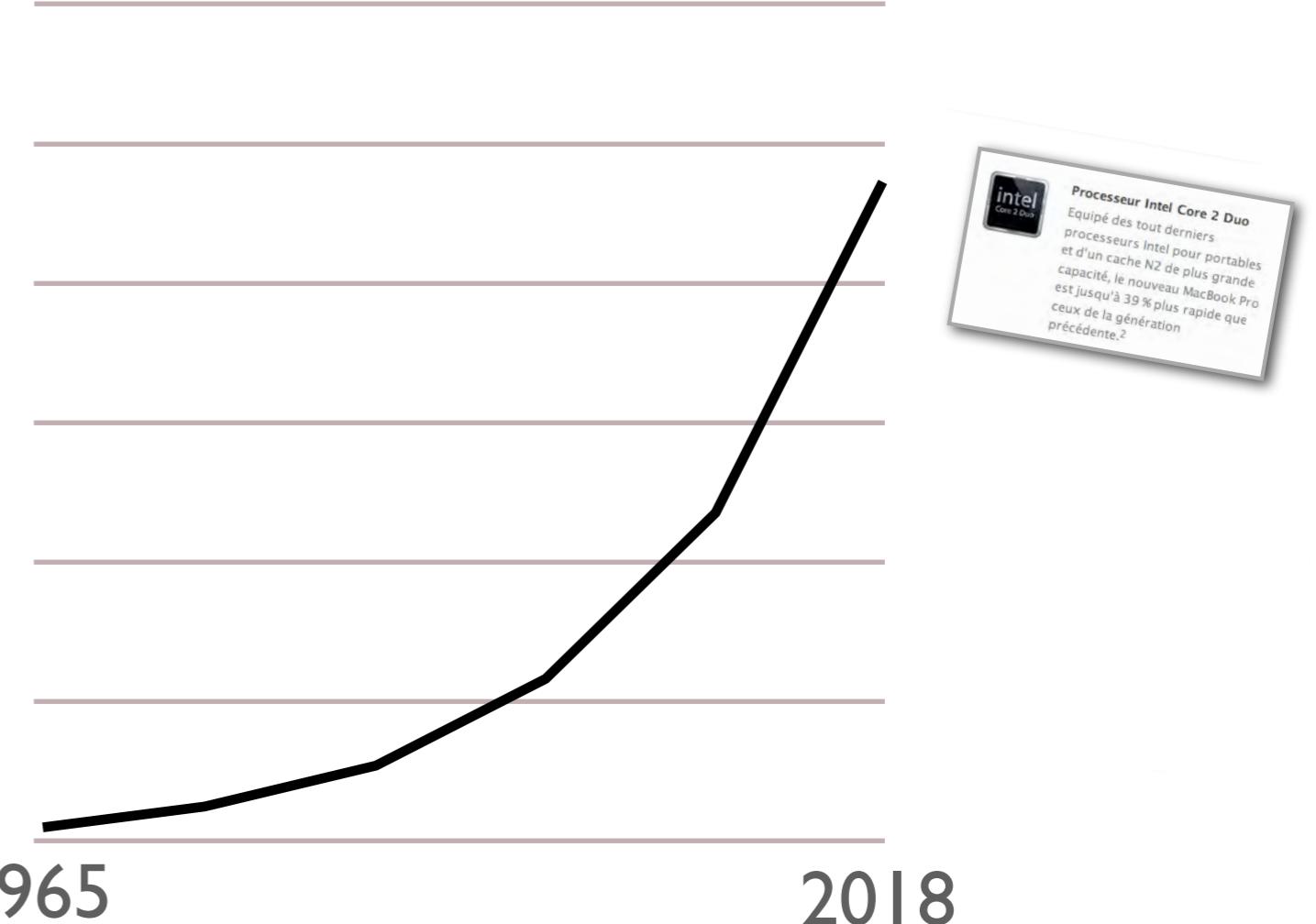
*the hard fact*



'less is more (more or less)'  
[W. Buxton]

*the hard fact*

## MOORE'S LAW

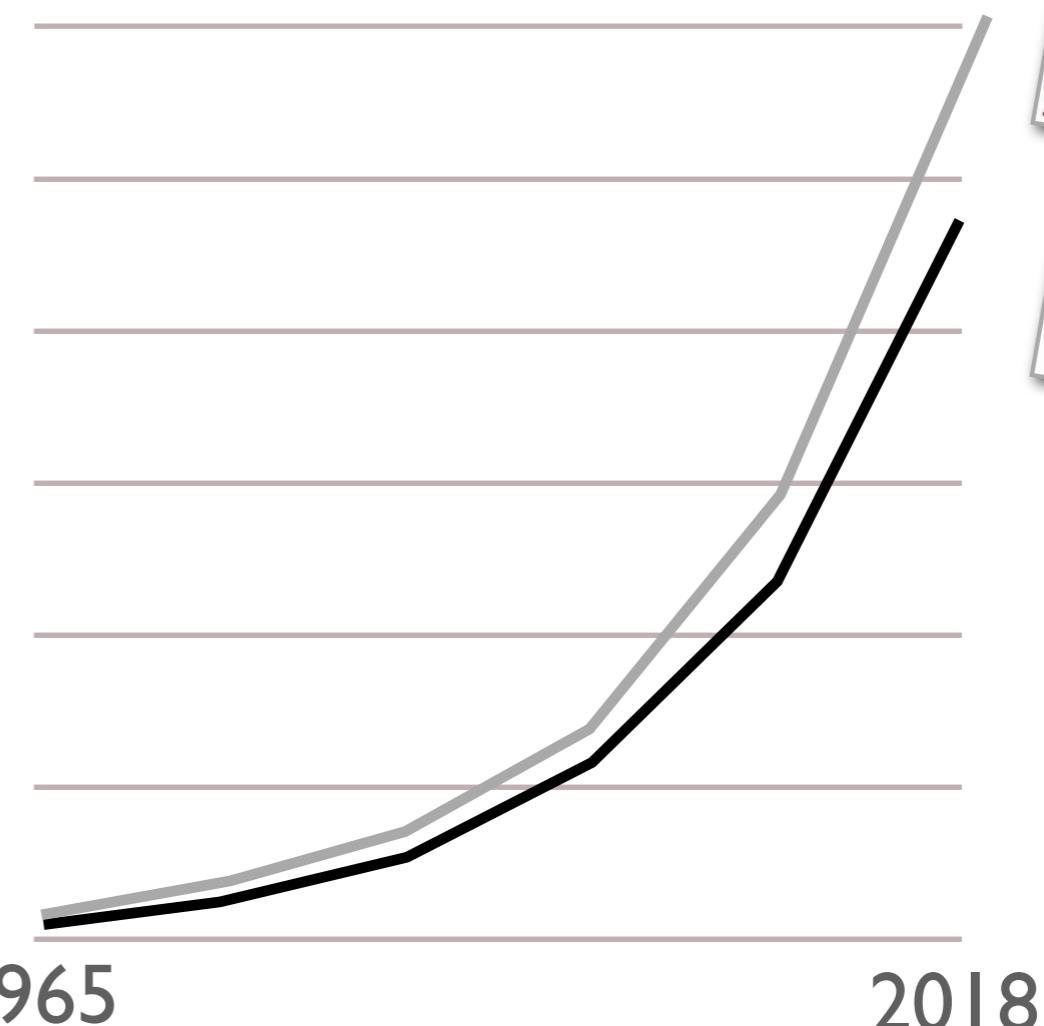


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## MOORE'S LAW BUXTON'S LAW

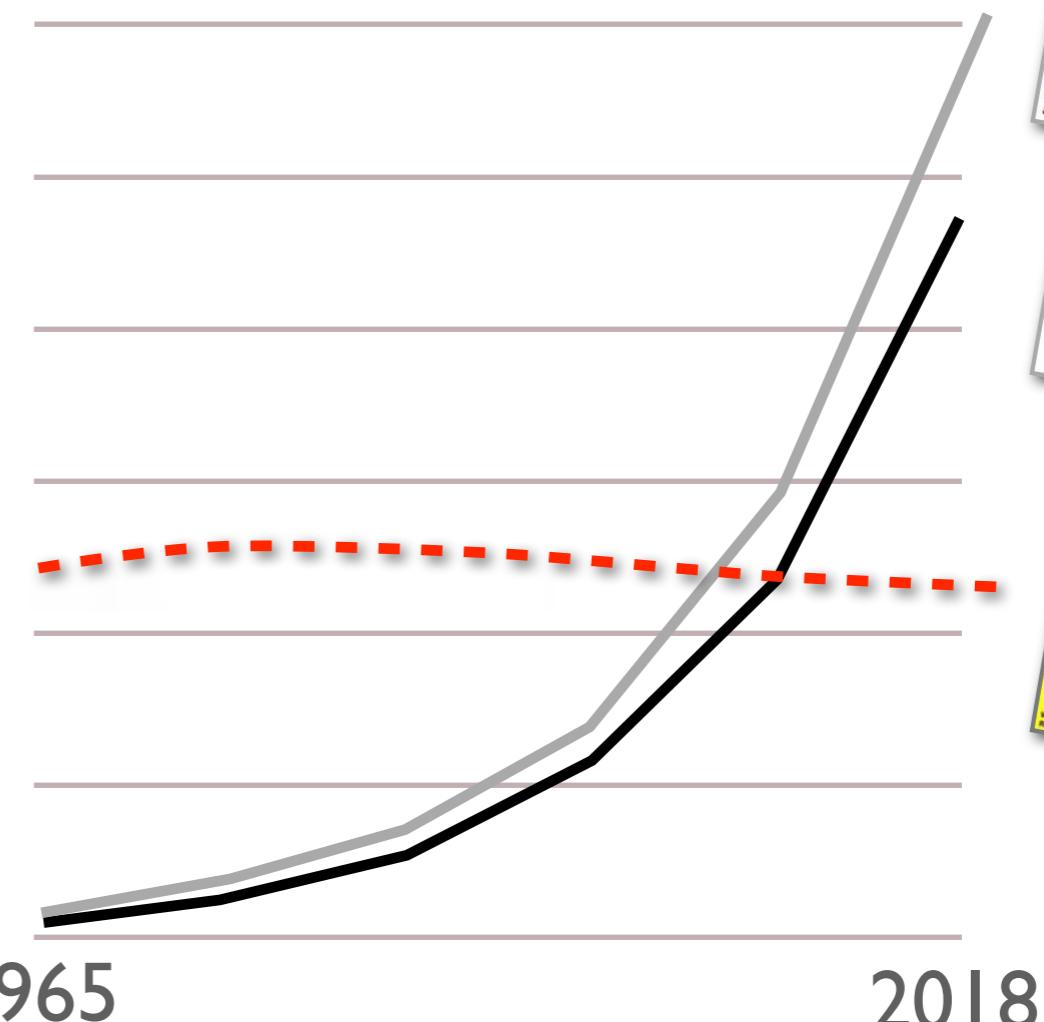
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*the hard fact*

# MOORE'S LAW BUXTON'S LAW AND ... GOD'S LAW (NATURE)

'less is more (more or less)'  
[W. Buxton]



'less is more (more or less)'

[W. Buxton]

# *a matter of compromise...*

power

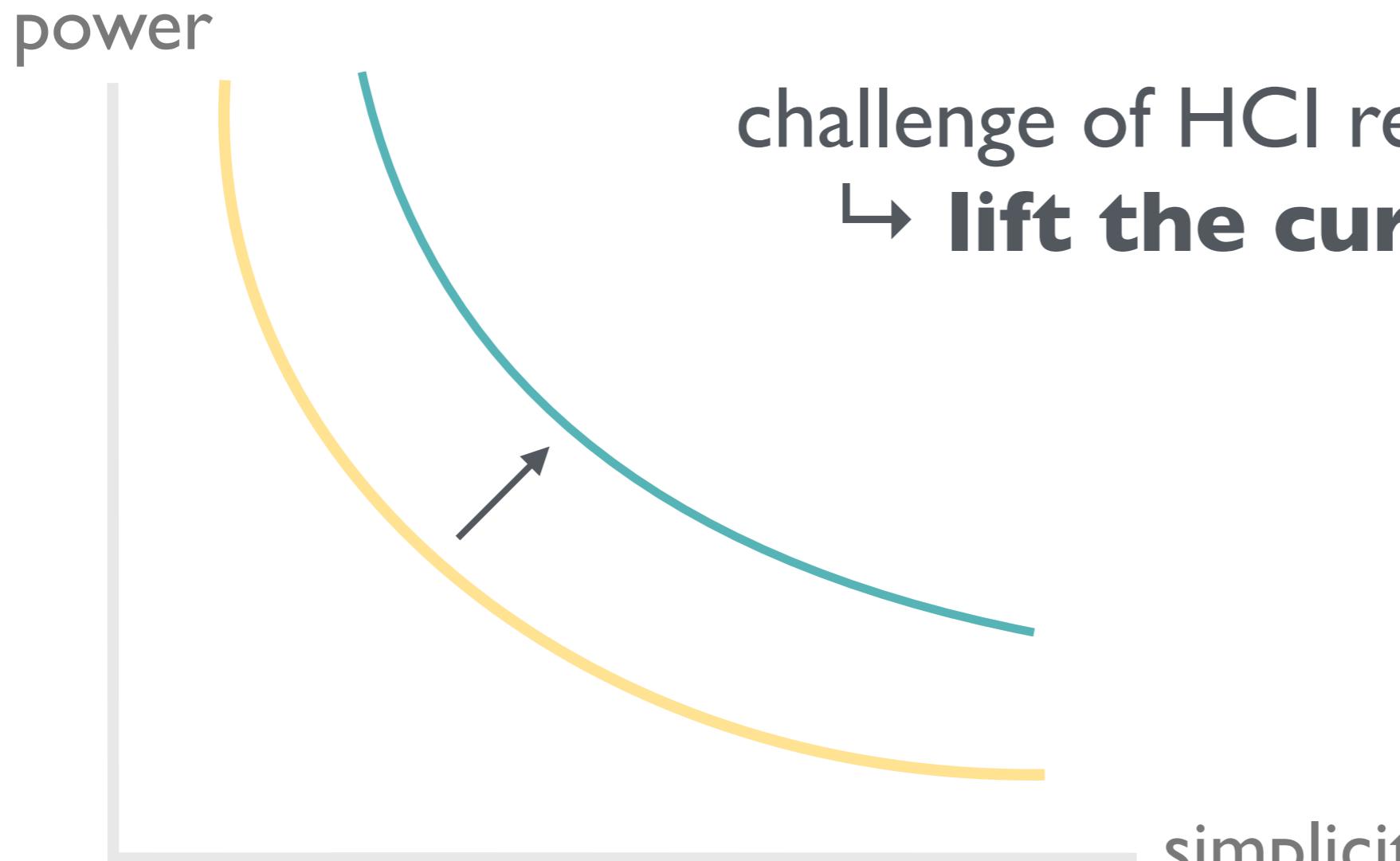


fundamental problem of Interaction design:  
find the good trade-off between  
expressive **power** and  
**simplicity** of use?

*“simple things should be simple, complex things should be possible”*

[A. Kay]

*a matter of compromise...*



[W. E. Mackay]

# *why is it difficult?*

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## model the **user**

- ↳ motivations, behaviors, expectations

## some **theories, models** and empirical **laws**

- ↳ but no unified framework for Interaction in general (yet)

## to study a phenomenon, it has first **to happen**

- ↳ significant implementation efforts
- ↳ ecological approach vs reduction

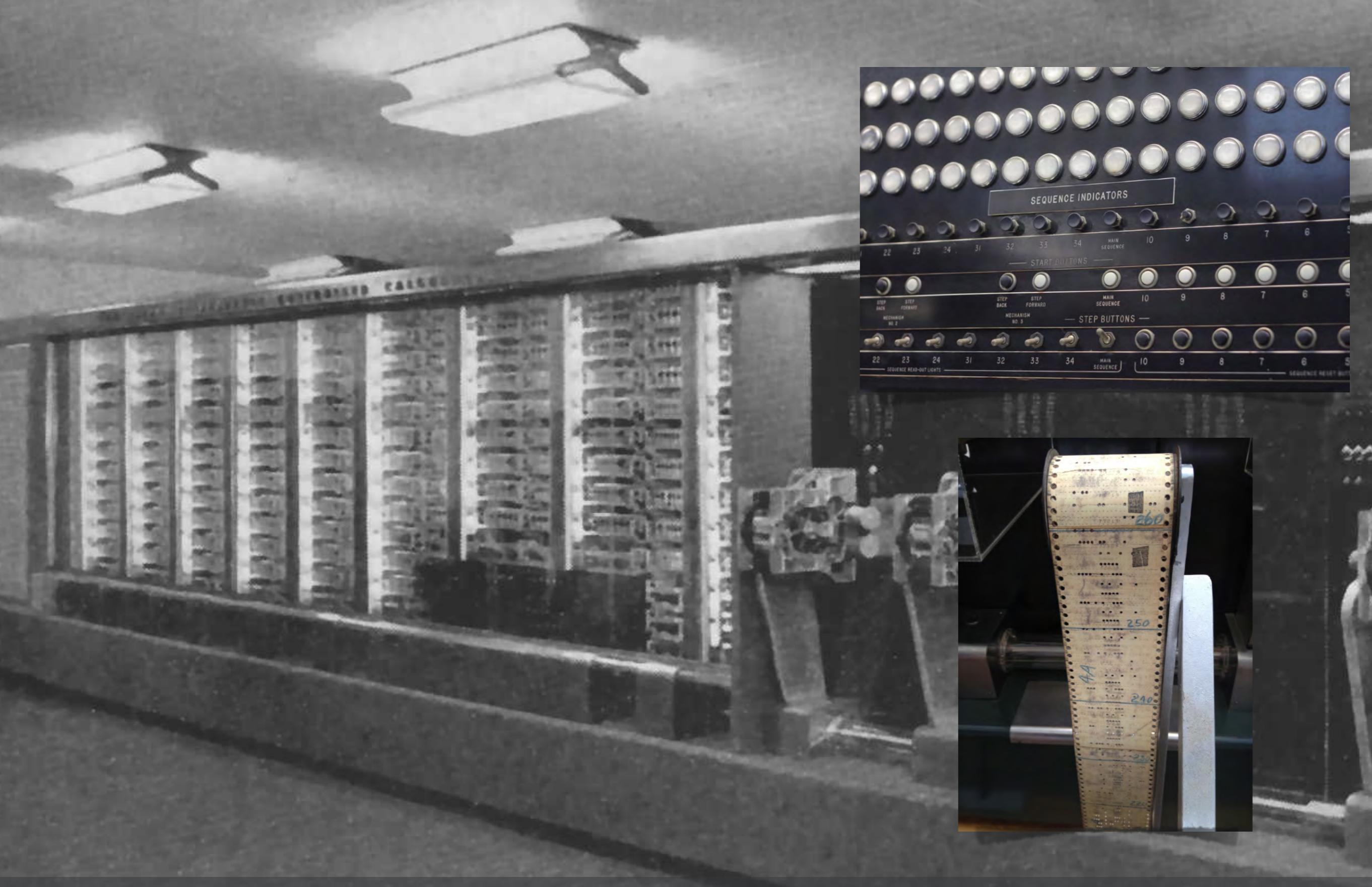
## HCI requires **multidisciplinary skills**

design  
human factors  
computer science  
engineering

**once the goal is reached,  
these difficulties are often invisible**

# **back to the future...**

↳ a short (subjective and disordered) history of interfaces



**Harvard MARK I - 1944**  
↳ switches and punch cards



# terminals - ~60

↳ text



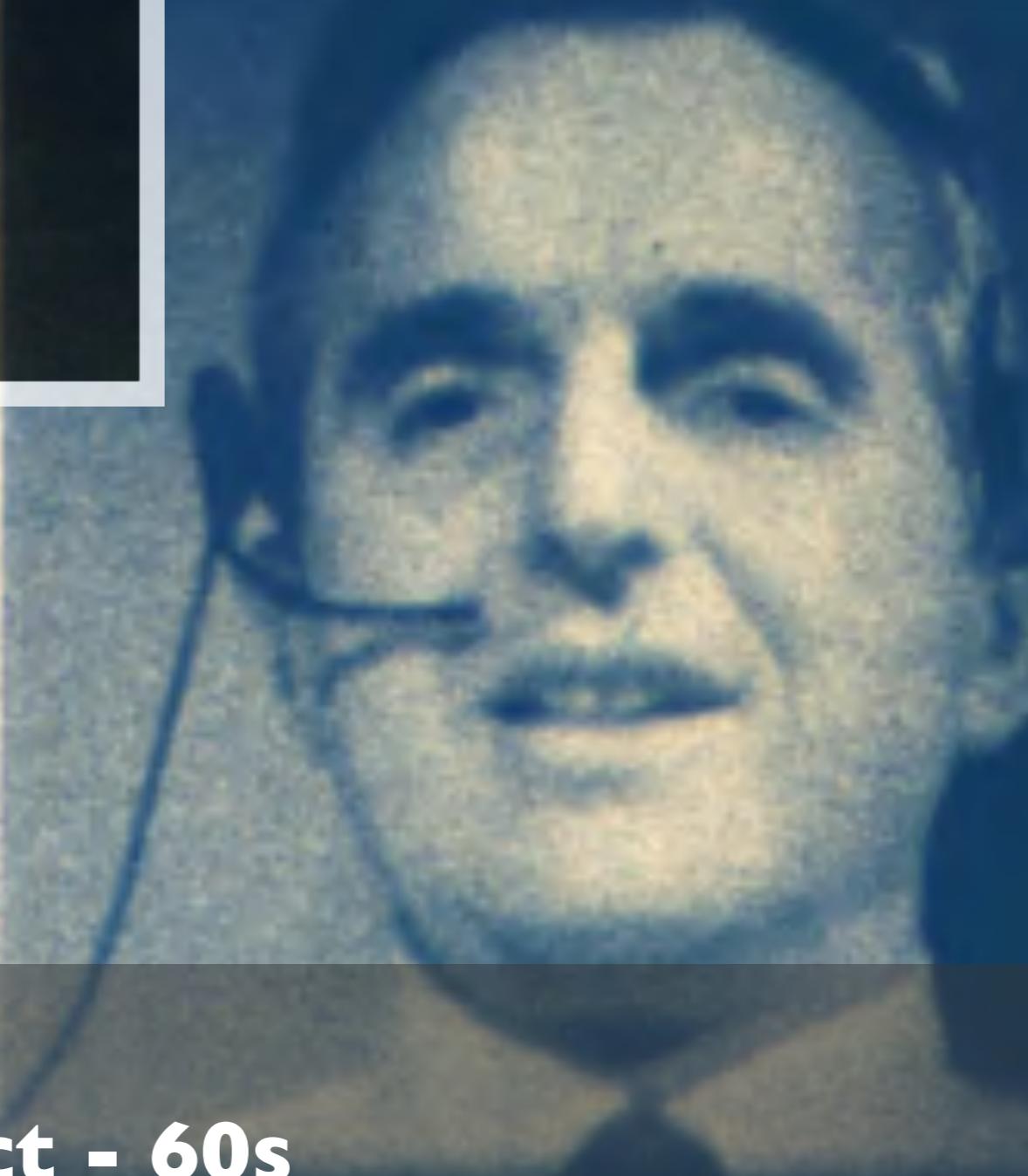
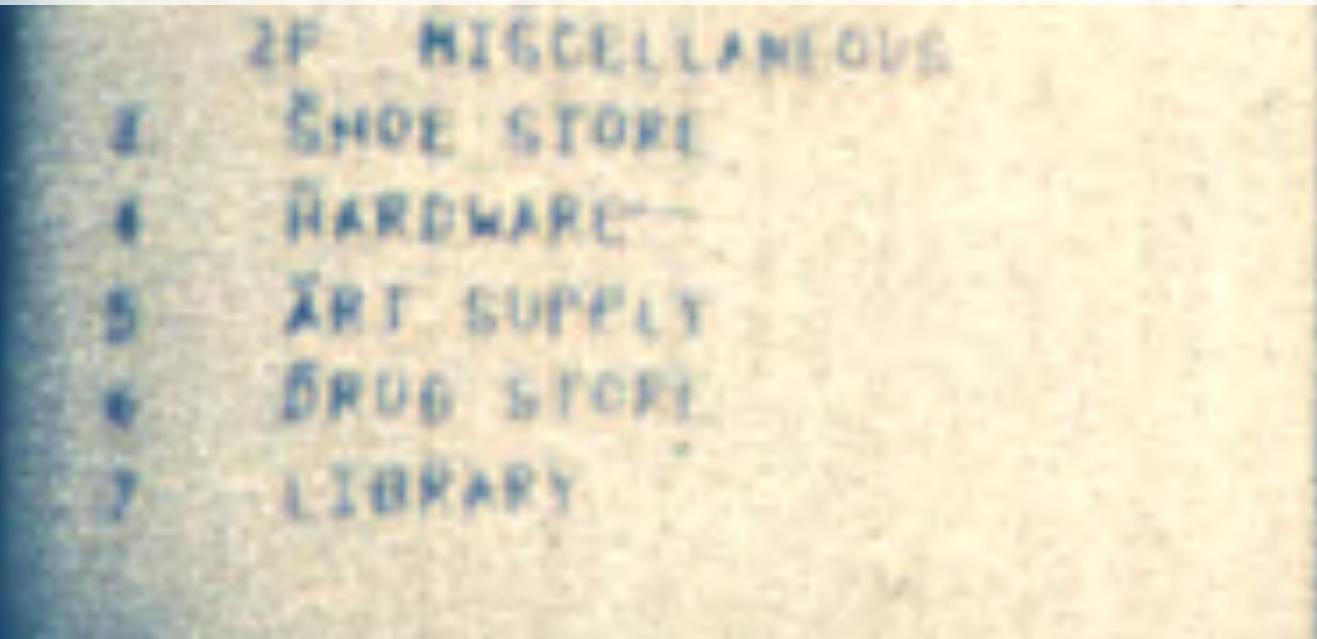
**SketchPad - [I. Sutherland, 63]**

↳ 1st CAD system



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Douglas C. Engelbart

↳ augmenting human intellect - 60s

# *oN-Line System (NLS)*

1968, December 9

↳ The Mother of All Demos

among other “new technologies”

- ↳ mouse
- ↳ teleconference
- ↳ distant collaboration
- ↳ ‘windows’
- ↳ hypertext

do **better** what we already do,  
make **possible** what we do not do **yet**  
even if it requires **training**



monday afternoon

december 9

3:45 p.m. / arena

Chairman:  
**DR. D. C. ENGELBART**  
Stanford Research Institute  
Menlo Park, California

a research center  
for augmenting human  
intellect

This session is entirely devoted to a presentation by Dr. Engelbart on a computer-based, interactive, multiconssole display system which is being developed at Stanford Research Institute under the sponsorship of ARPA, NASA and RADC. The system is being used as an experimental laboratory for investigating principles by which interactive computer aids can augment intellectual capability. The techniques which are being described will, themselves,

“he sat on stage for an hour  
and a half dealing lightning  
with both hands”

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Chuck Thacker



Xerox Alto - 1973

↳ graphical user interface (GUI)



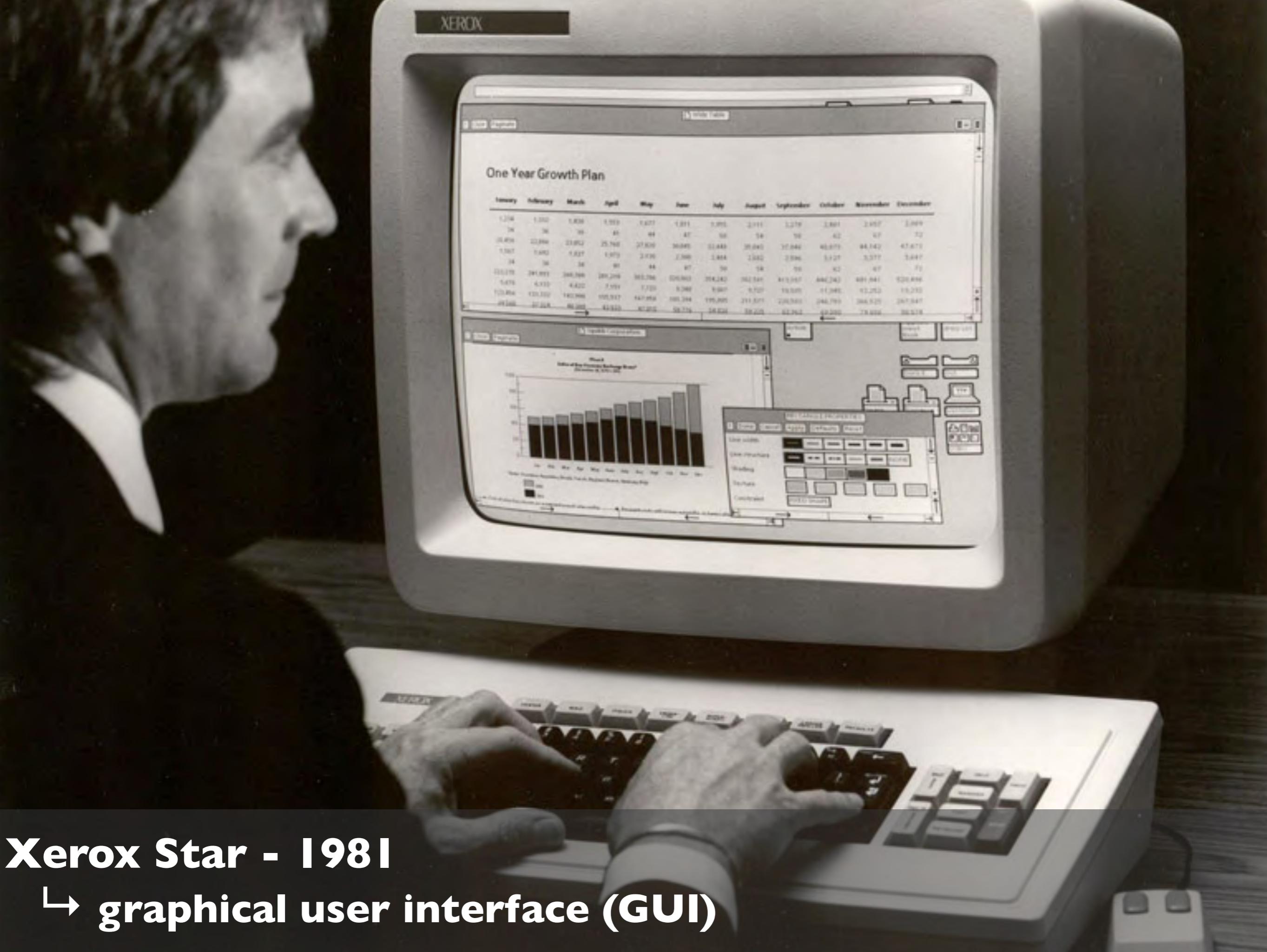
## Dynabook

↳ a personal computer for children of all ages - [Kay, 1972]



## Alan C. Kay

↳ a personal computer for children of all ages - 70s

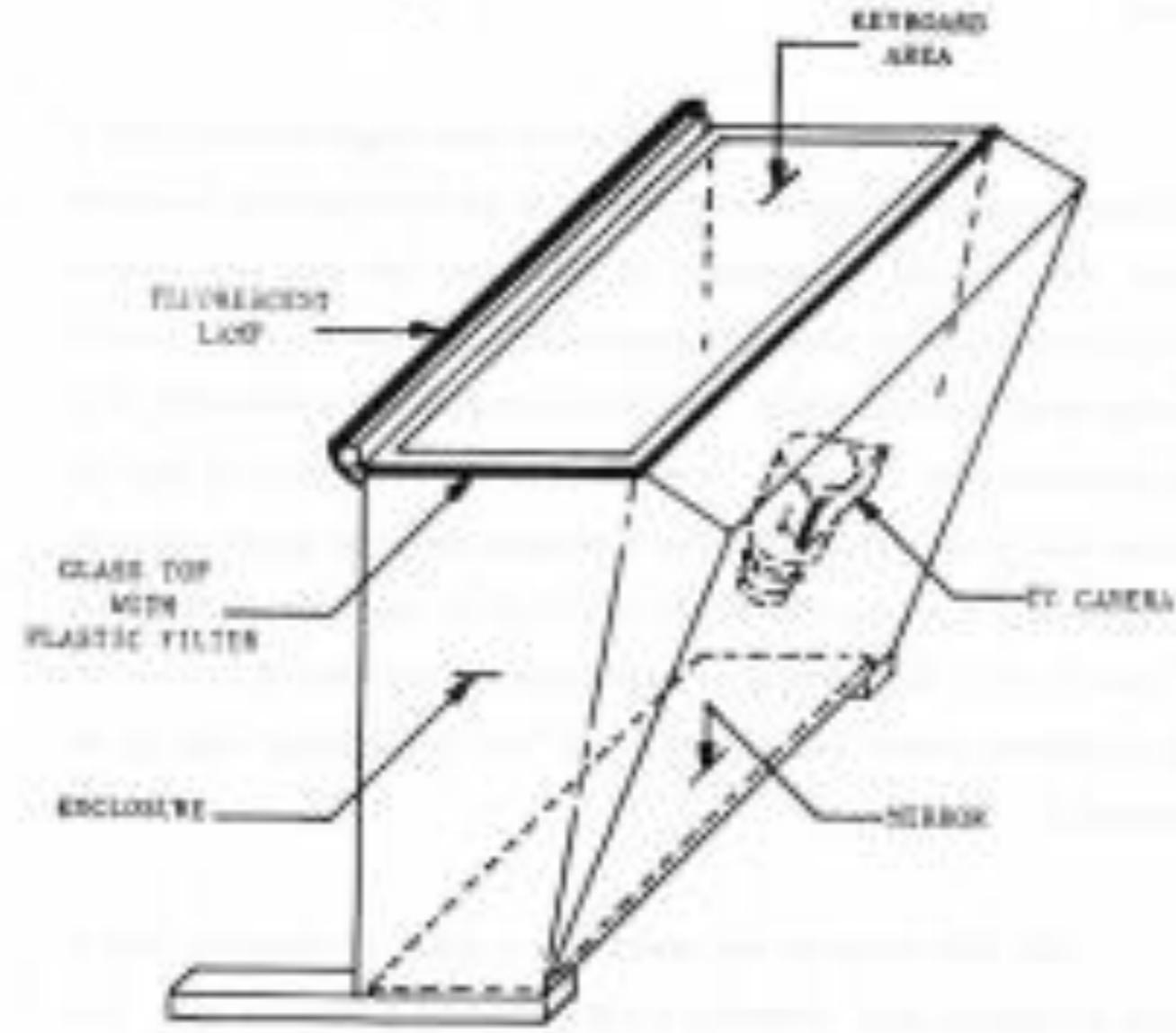


**Xerox Star - 1981**

↳ graphical user interface (GUI)



**Apple iMac - 2012**  
↳ (the same) graphical user interface (GUI)



**‘multi-touch’ - [N. Mehta] 1982**  
↳ A Flexible Machine Interface



**Simon - IBM & Bell South, 1992**

↳ 1st touch ‘smartphone’



interactive tables - ~2000

↳ MERL Diamond Touch, Microsoft Surface 1st Gen.



**iPhone - Apple, 2007**

↳ begins the era of popular multi-touch smartphones

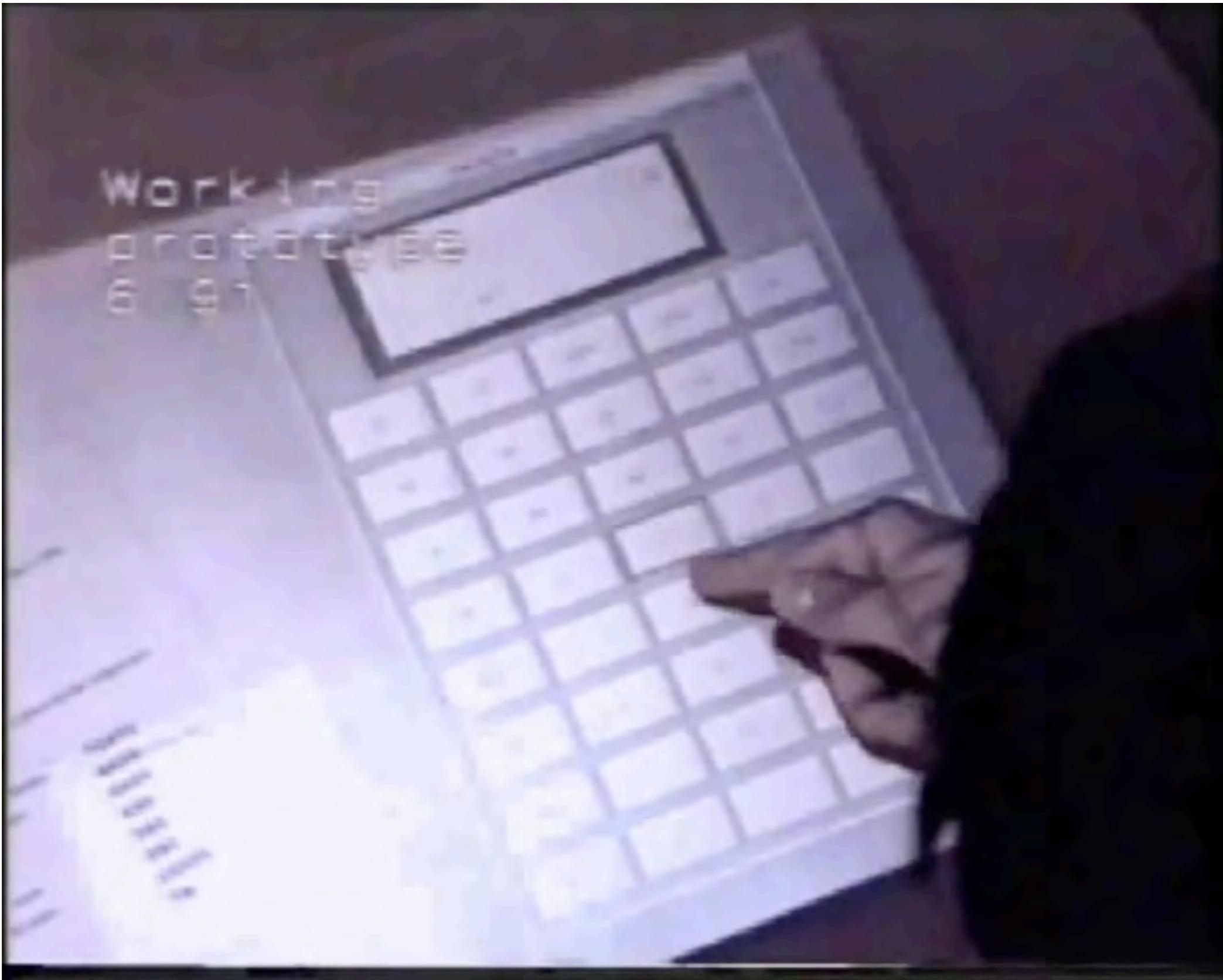


**Video Place / Video Desk - [M. Krueger, 1983]**

↪ gestural interaction



**Kinect - Microsoft, 2010**  
↳ gestural interaction



Digital Desk - [P. Wellner, 1991]

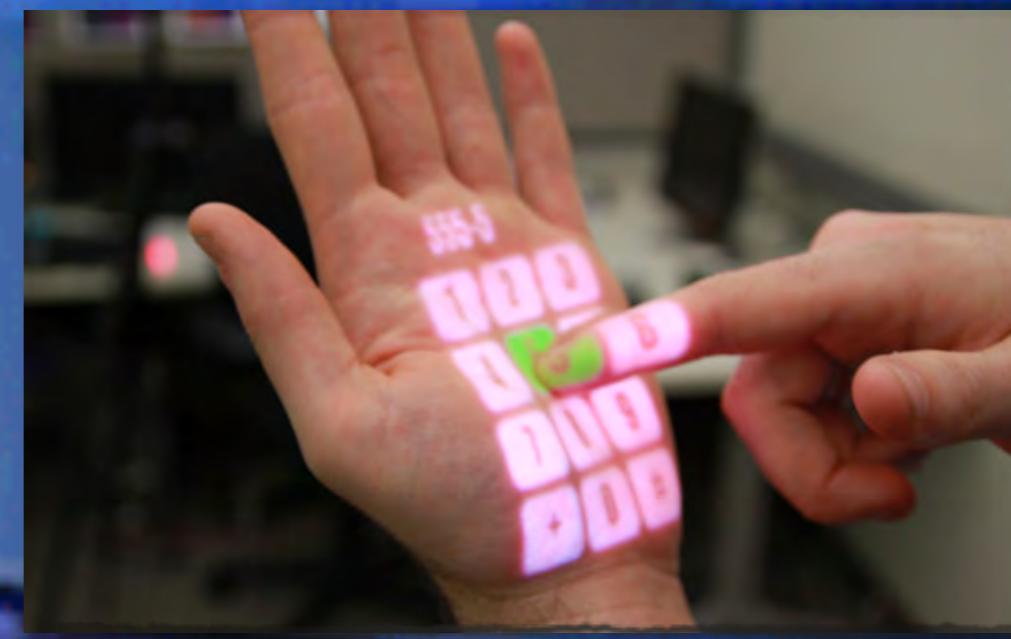
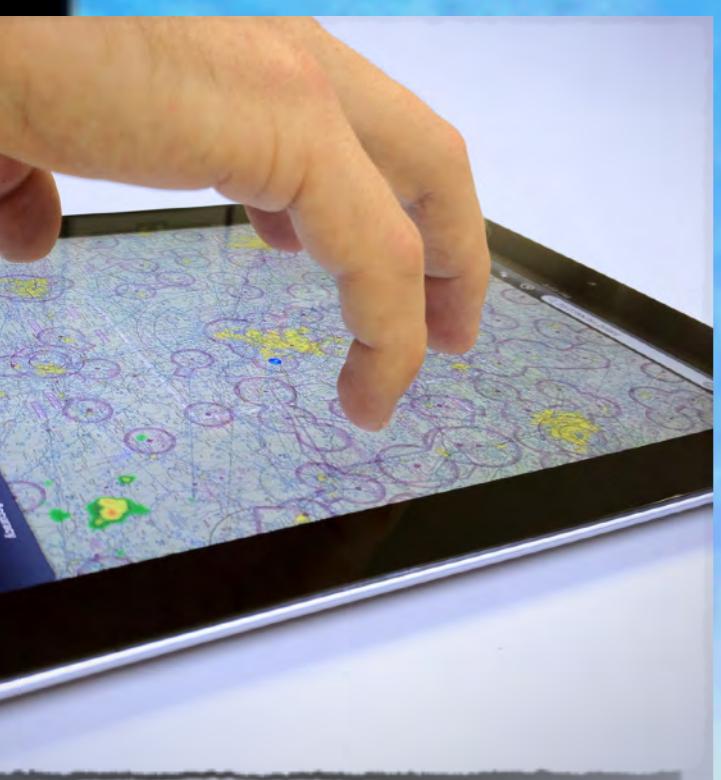
↳ augmented reality and tactile/tangible interaction



**Sample Application:  
Furniture Layout Simulation**

**Augmented Surfaces - [J. Rekimoto, 1999]**

↳ mixed reality and tactile/tangible interaction



**‘Embodied Interaction’ - ~2000**  
↳ tactile, gestural, tangible, ... interaction



**'Ubiquitous Interaction' - ~2000**  
↳ tactile, gestural, tangible, ... interaction



**Mark D. Weiser**

↳ integrating computers seamlessly into the world - ~90s

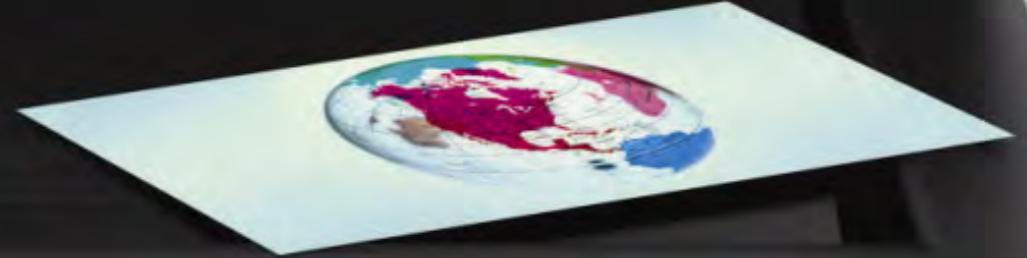
**“Ubiquitous** computing names the third wave in computing, just now beginning. First were mainframes, each shared by lots of people. Now we are in the personal computing era, person and machine staring uneasily at each other across the desktop. Next comes ubiquitous computing, or the age of calm technology, when technology recedes into the background of our lives.”



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EPSON

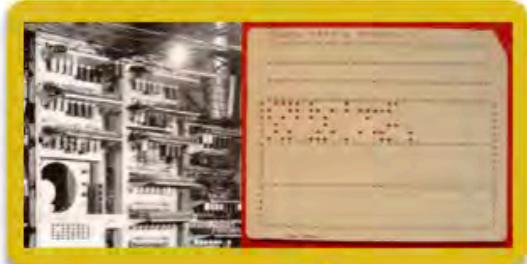


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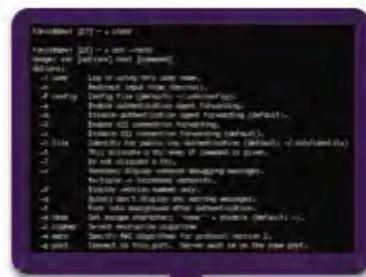


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Ultra<sup>®</sup>  
INK

switches  
punch cards



text



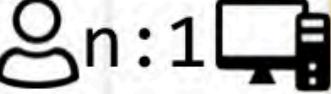
graphical



'embodied'  
& pervasive



n:1



1:1



1:n



n:n



1940

1960

1980

2000

2015

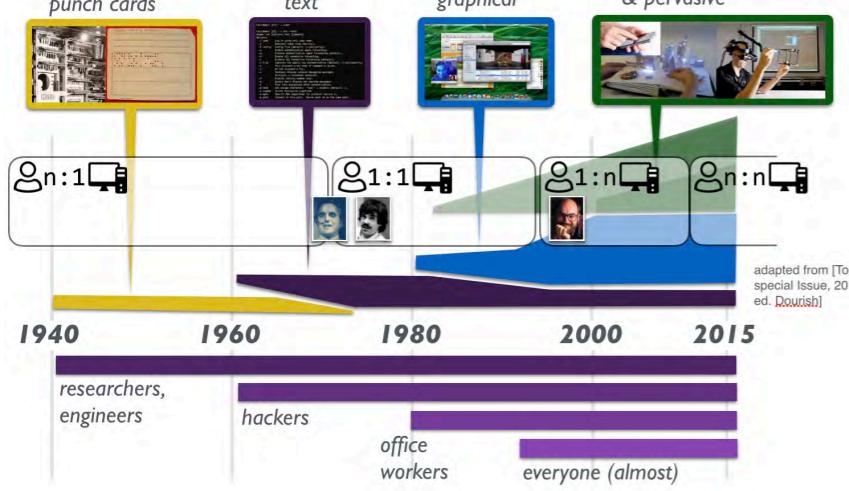
researchers,  
engineers

hackers

office  
workers

everyone (almost)

adapted from [ToCHI  
special Issue, 2011,  
ed. Dourish]



# back to the future...

↳ a short (subjective and disordered) history of interfaces

# ... forward to the past?

↳ challenges for research in HCI (and Computer Science ?)



**the world is complex**

↳ get rid of the myth of “walk-up and use”

# *what is complexity?*

**COMPLEX**, *Adj.* - Involving a lot of different but related parts: a complex molecule; a complex procedure. Difficult to understand or find an answer to because of having many different parts: a very complex issue; the film's plot was so complex that I couldn't follow it. [Cambridge Dictionary]

Living with Complexity  
Donald A. Norman

**COMPLEX** : state of the world  
**COMPLICATED** : mental / psychological state leading to confusion

*“Modern technology can be complex, but complexity by itself is neither good nor bad: it is confusion that is bad.”*

*“The major cause of complicated, confusing, frustrating systems is not complexity: It is poor design.”*

# Bulk Rename Utility

File Actions Display Options Renaming Options Special Help

## Bulk Rename Utility

C:\Temp\BRUTEST\new

Name	New Name	Size	Modified
images	images		11/01/2016 12:24:35 PM
Buy.php	Buy.php	3.61 KB	11/01/2016 2:21:25 PM
buynownew.gif	buynownew.gif	771 B	24/01/2014 3:08:54 PM
ccss.gif	ccss.gif	438 B	24/01/2014 3:57:26 PM
Common.php	Common.php	1.21 KB	11/01/2016 12:58:28 PM
Donate.php	Donate.php	2.09 KB	11/01/2016 1:42:43 PM
Download.htm	Download.htm	7.62 KB	11/01/2016 1:42:43 PM

**RegEx (1)**  R  
Match   
Replace   
 Include Ext.

**Replace (3)**  R  
Replace   
With   
 Match Case

**Remove (5)**  R  
First n  0 Last n  0  
From  0 to  0  
Chars  Words  
Crop  Before  
 Digits  High  
 D/S  Accents  
 Sym.  Lead Dots  
 Non

**Add (7)**  R  
Prefix   
Insert   
at pos.  0  
Suffix   
Trim   
Chars   
Word Space

**Auto Date (8)**  R  
Mode  None  
Type  Creation (Cur)  
Fmt  DMY  
Sep.   
Seg.   
Custom   
 Cent. Off.  0

**Numbering (10)**  R  
Mode  None at  0  
Start  1 Incr.  1  
Pad  Sep.   
Break  Folder  
Type  Base 10 (Decimal)  
Roman Numerals  None

**Move/Copy Parts (6)**  R  
None  1  None  1  Sep.

**Append Folder Name (9)**  R  
Name  None Sep.  Levels  1

**Extension (11)**  R  
Same

**Filters (12)**  
Mask   Folders  Hidden Name Len Min  0 Max  0  
 Match Case  RegEx  Files  Subfolders Path Len Min  0 Max  0  
Condition

**Copy/Move to Location (13)**  
Path    Copy not Move

**Special (14)**  
 Change File Attributes  
 Status: Not Set  
 Change File Timestamps  
 Status: Not Set  
 Character Translations  
 Status: Not Set  
 Javascript Renaming  
 Status: Not Set

Reset  Rename   
Revert

Bulk Rename Utility is free for personal, non-commercial, home use. For use in a commercial environment, a commercial license is required. [More Info](#)

18 Objects (1 Selected)

**Advanced Renamer 3.78**

Refresh Test Batch Auto Test Import Program Folder Panel Help Metadata Undo Previous Batch

**Renaming method list**

Add method Clear Presets

**- 1 : New Name**

New Name: Auto show <Img Year>-<Img Month> - <GPS City> - <GPS>

Default Tags: <Inc Nr> - Incrementing numbers  
<Inc NrDir> - Incrementing numbers per dir  
<Inc Alpha> - Incrementing letters  
<Name> - File name without extension  
<Ext> - Extension  
<DirName> - Name of the directory  
<Num Files> - Total number of files in the dir  
<Num Dirs> - Total number of subdirs in the dir  
<Num Items> - Total number of items in this list  
<Word> Indexed word of the file name

Tag documentation

Apply to: Name

**Add batch method**

New Name New Case Move Remove Remove pattern  
Renumber Replace Add List List replace Swap Trim  
Attributes Timestamp Script

10 Items 0 Errors Status: OK Registered to Kim Jensen (Personal use)

**Rename Files** Rename Folders

Batch mode: Rename

Start batch

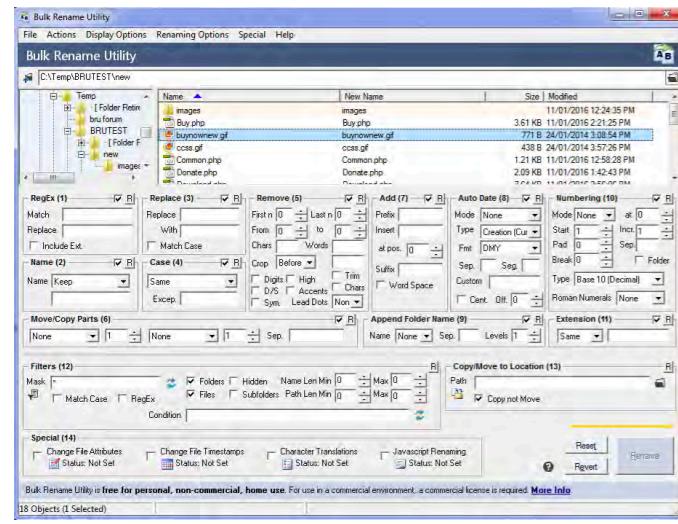
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GPS Values Name collision rule: Append number Separator:

ExifTool...

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# *where does complexity come from?*

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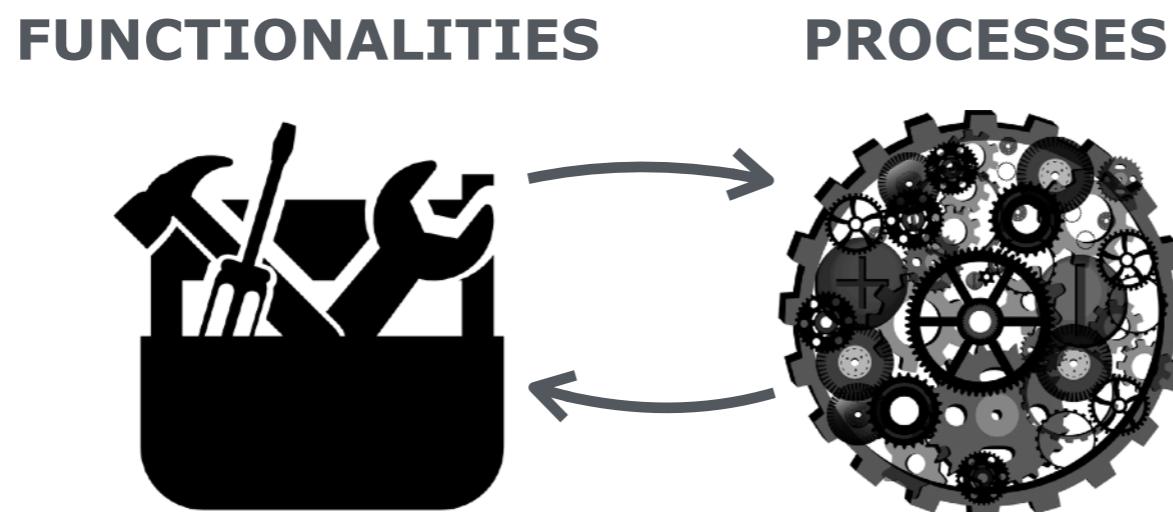
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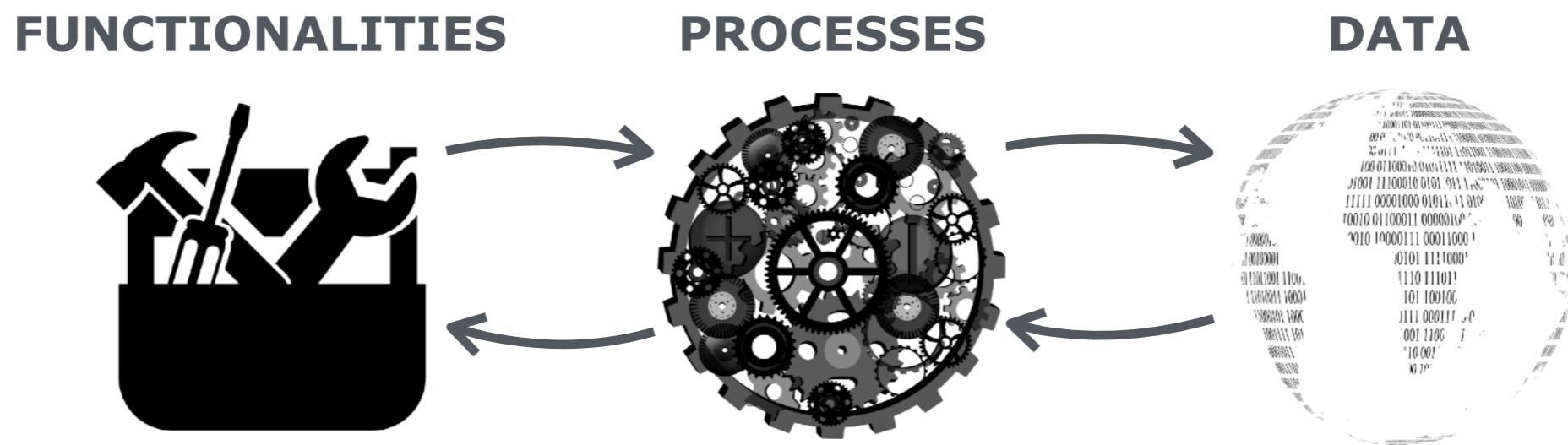
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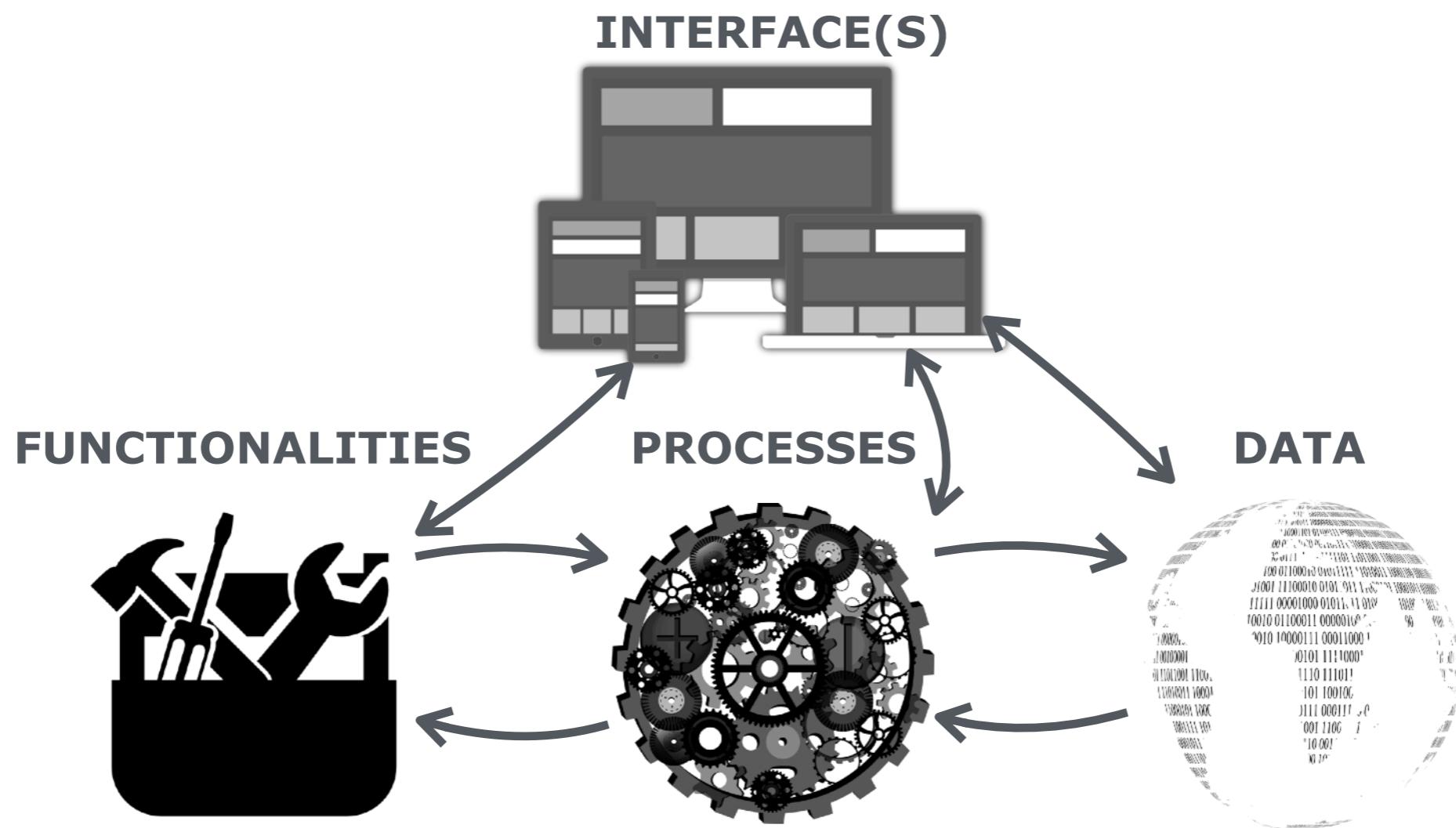
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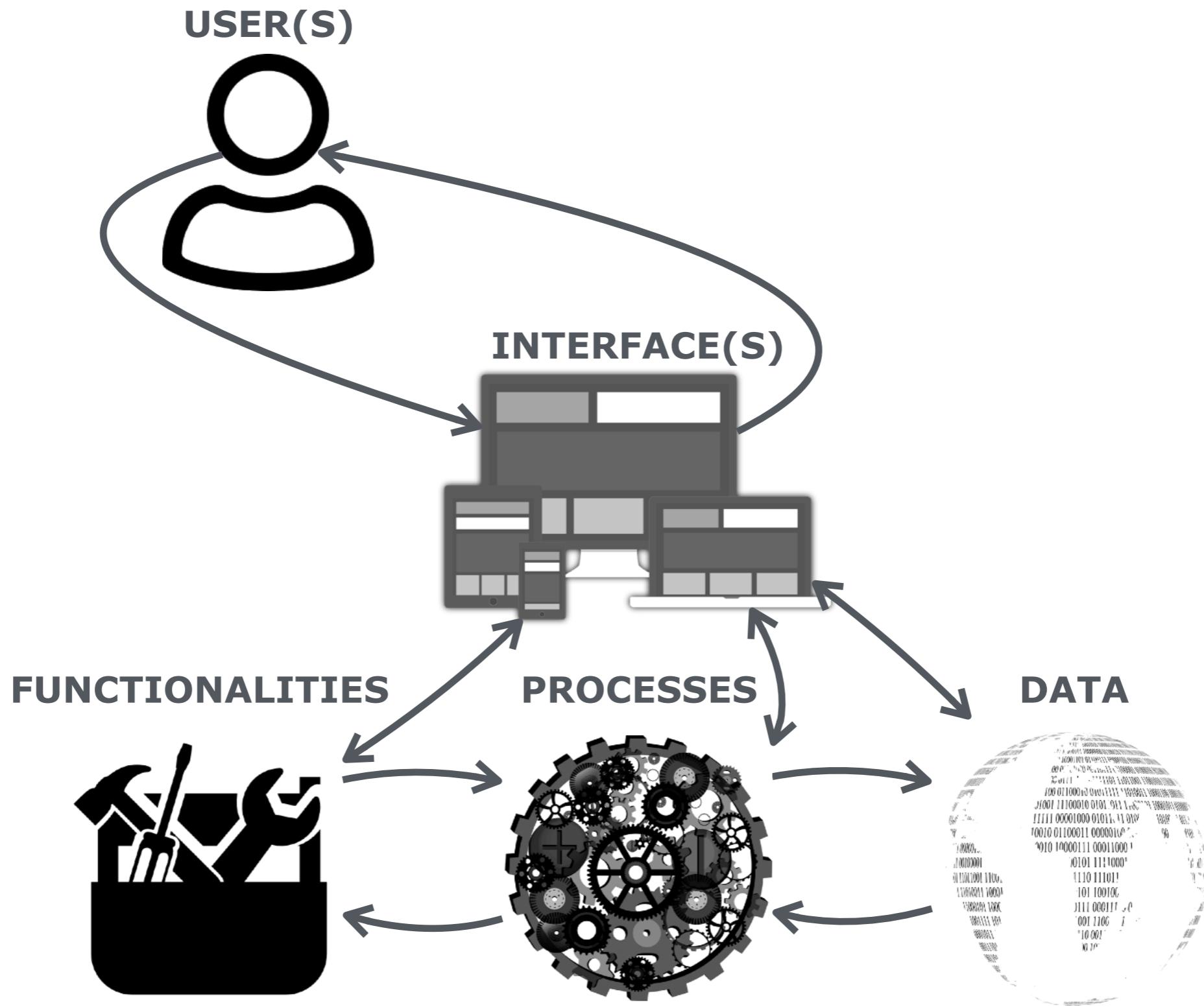
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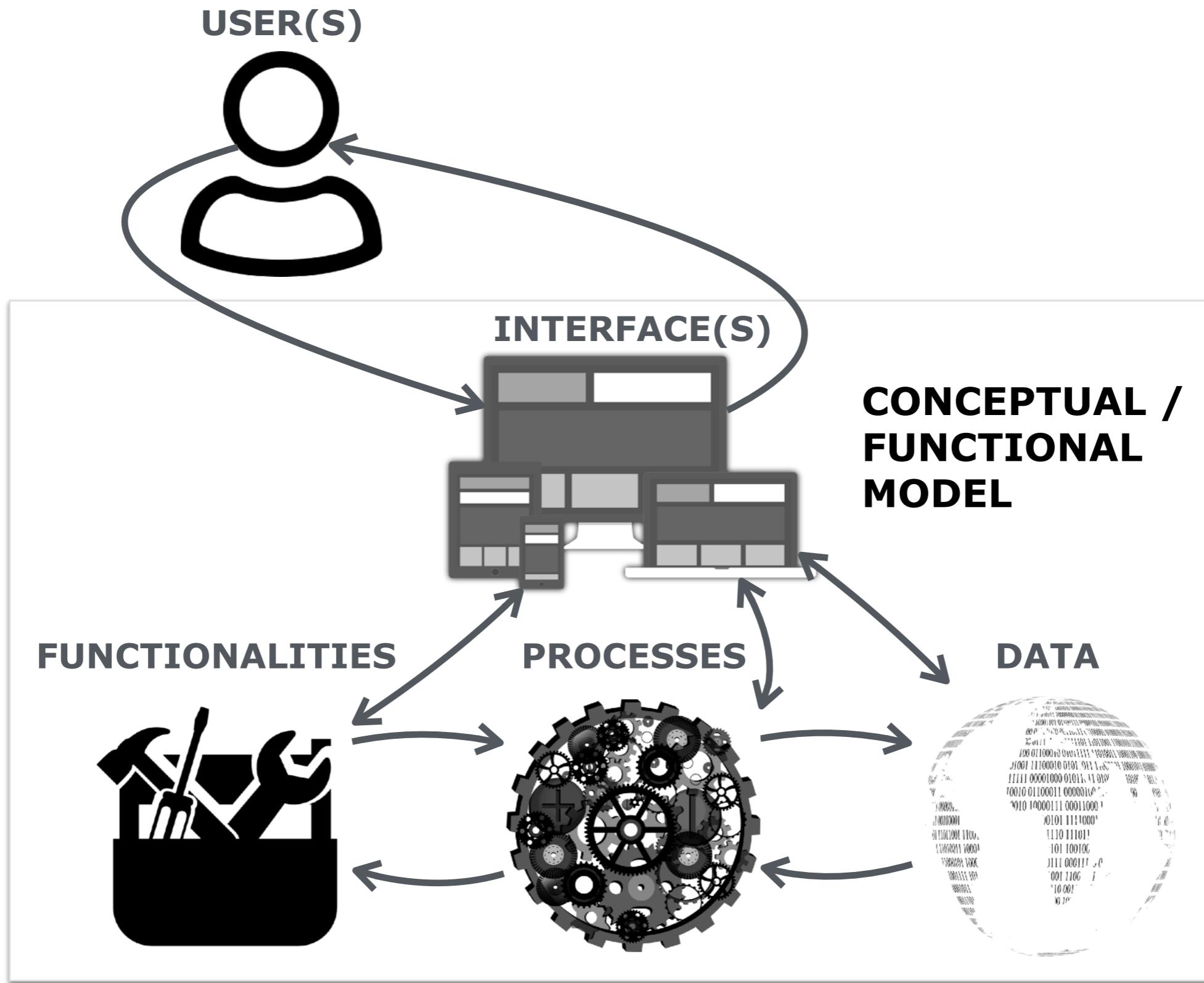
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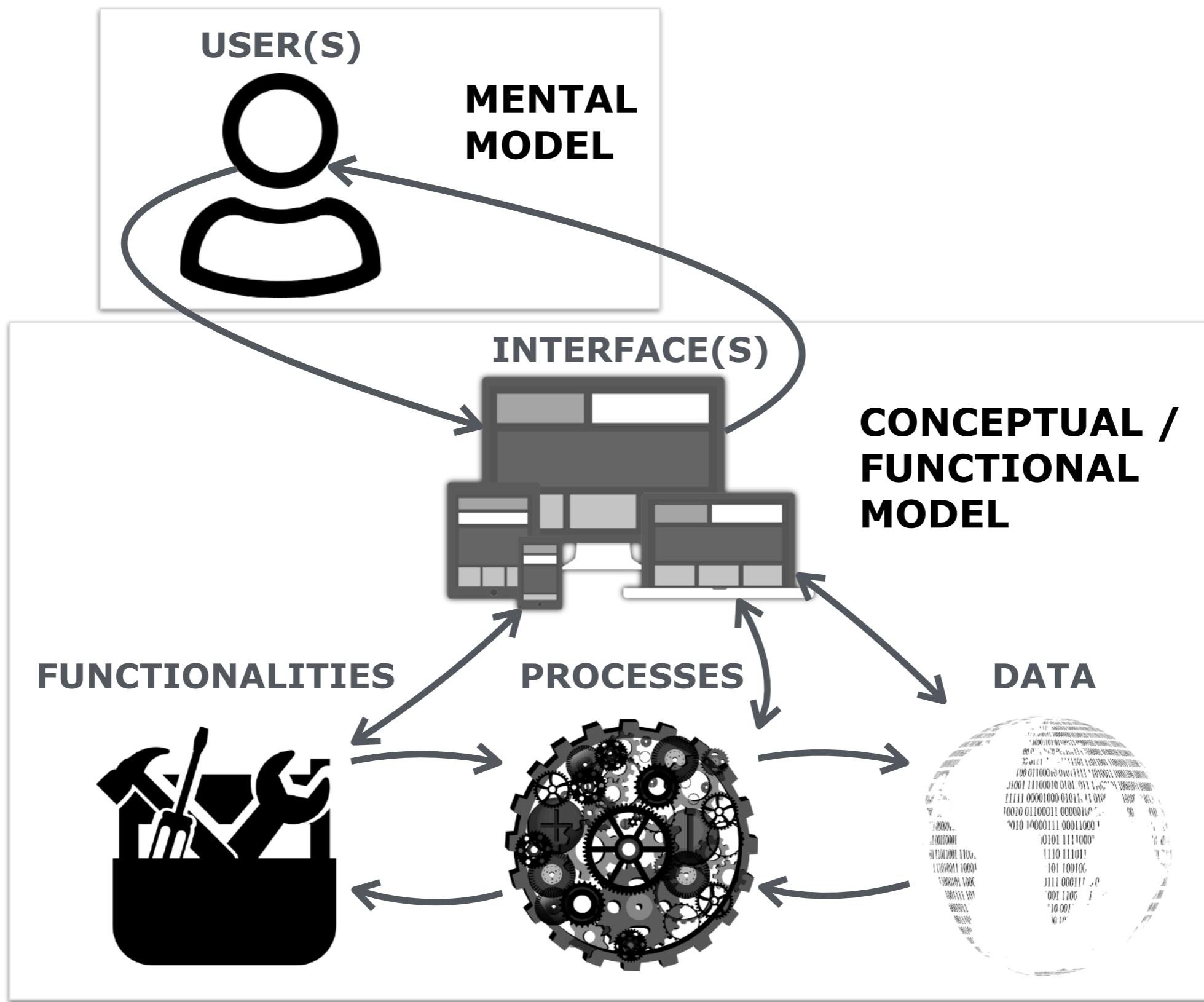
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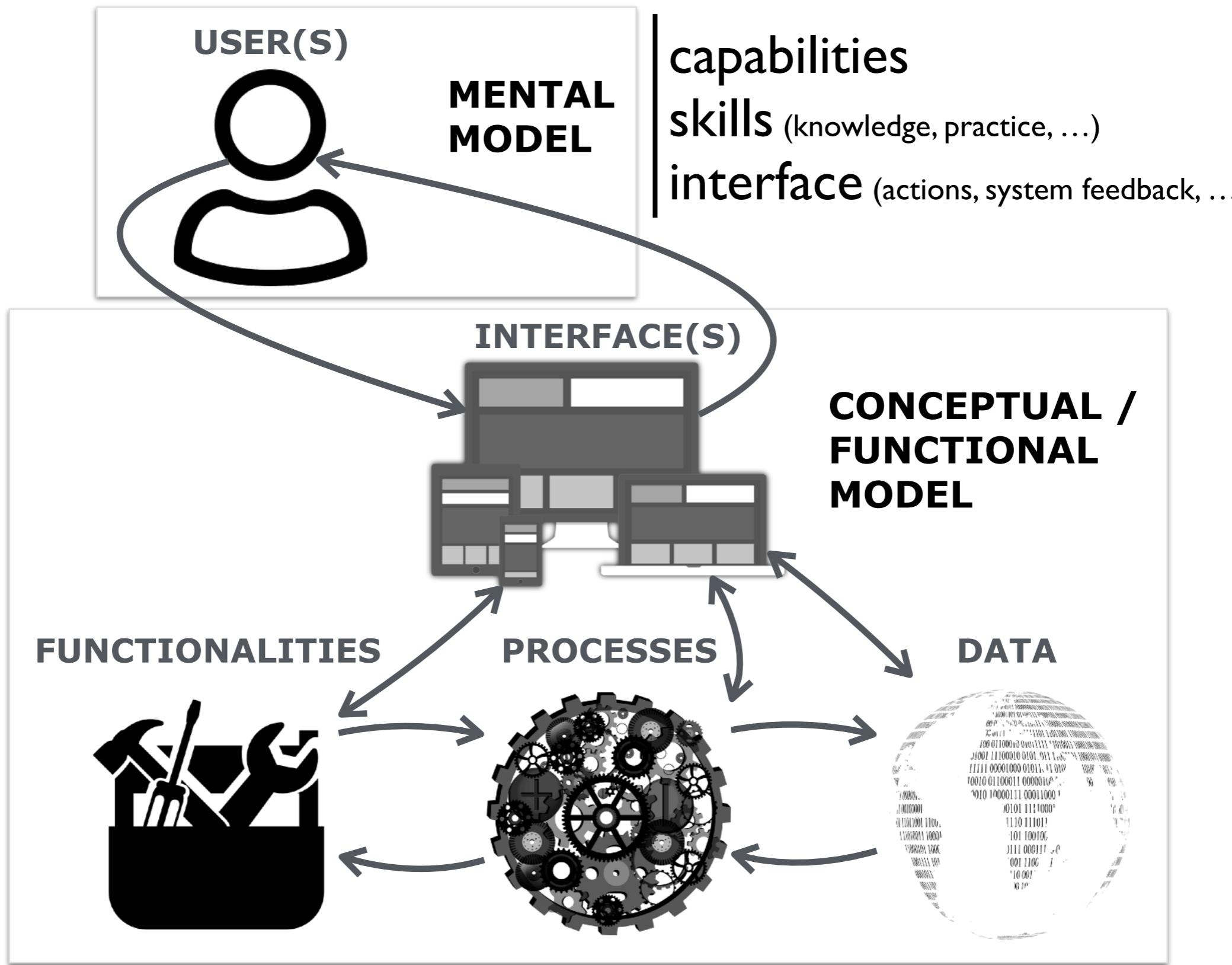
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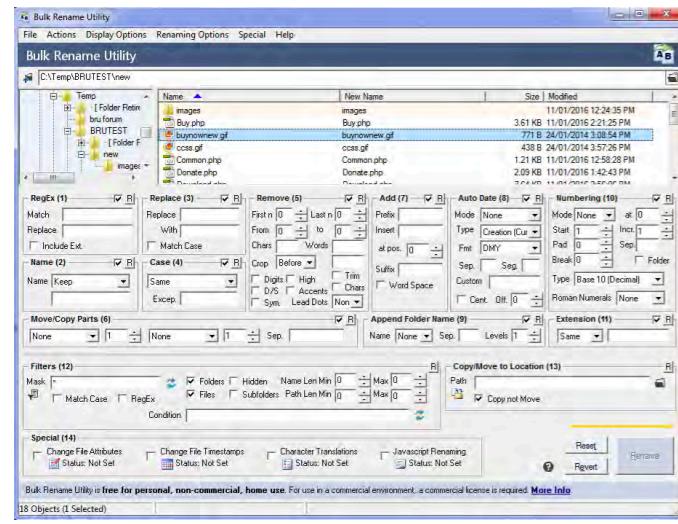


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for renaming files



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*reduce the complexity*

## by **design**

↳ avoid Swiss army knives



otherwise, focus on what is needed when it is needed

↳ known and proven design rules & guidelines

*reduce the complexity*







*master the complexity*

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## discovery and mastery of **functionalities**

↳ *what do I want to do? what can I do?*

## discovery and mastery of **interactions**

↳ *how can I do it?*

## improving **skills**

↳ *would it be profitable to do it another way?*

# OctoPocus

A Dynamic Guide for Learning  
Gesture-Based Command Sets

Olivier Bau & Wendy E. Mackay  
In Situ, INRIA Saclay - LRI

UIST 2008

Octopocus [Bau & Mackay, 08]

# **Skillometers: Reflective Widgets that Motivate and Help Users to Improve Performance**

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# Using Rhythmic patterns as an Input Method

CHI 2012

Emilien Ghomi  
Guillaume Faure  
Stéphane Huot  
Olivier Chapuis  
Michel Beaudouin-Lafon

Univ. Paris-Sud (LRI)  
CNRS  
INRIA

presentation of the design



**“If ease of use was the only valid criterion, people would stick to tricycles and never try bicycles.”**

↳ D. C. Engelbart





**the world is not flat (I hope)**

↳ some physicality in interaction



# HANDS FEEL THINGS

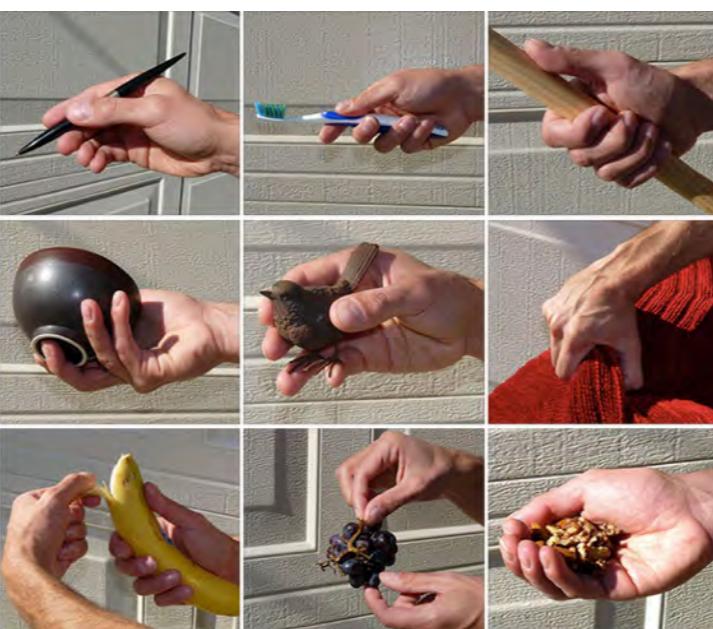


# HANDS MANIPULATE THINGS



from [B. Victor, 11]

<http://worrydream.com/ABriefRantOnTheFutureOfInteractionDesign/>



Power grip, fingers vs palm



Precision grip, fingers vs thumb



Hook grip, between phalanges



Scissor grip, between fingers



Power grip to loosen the lid



Precision grip to unscrew it

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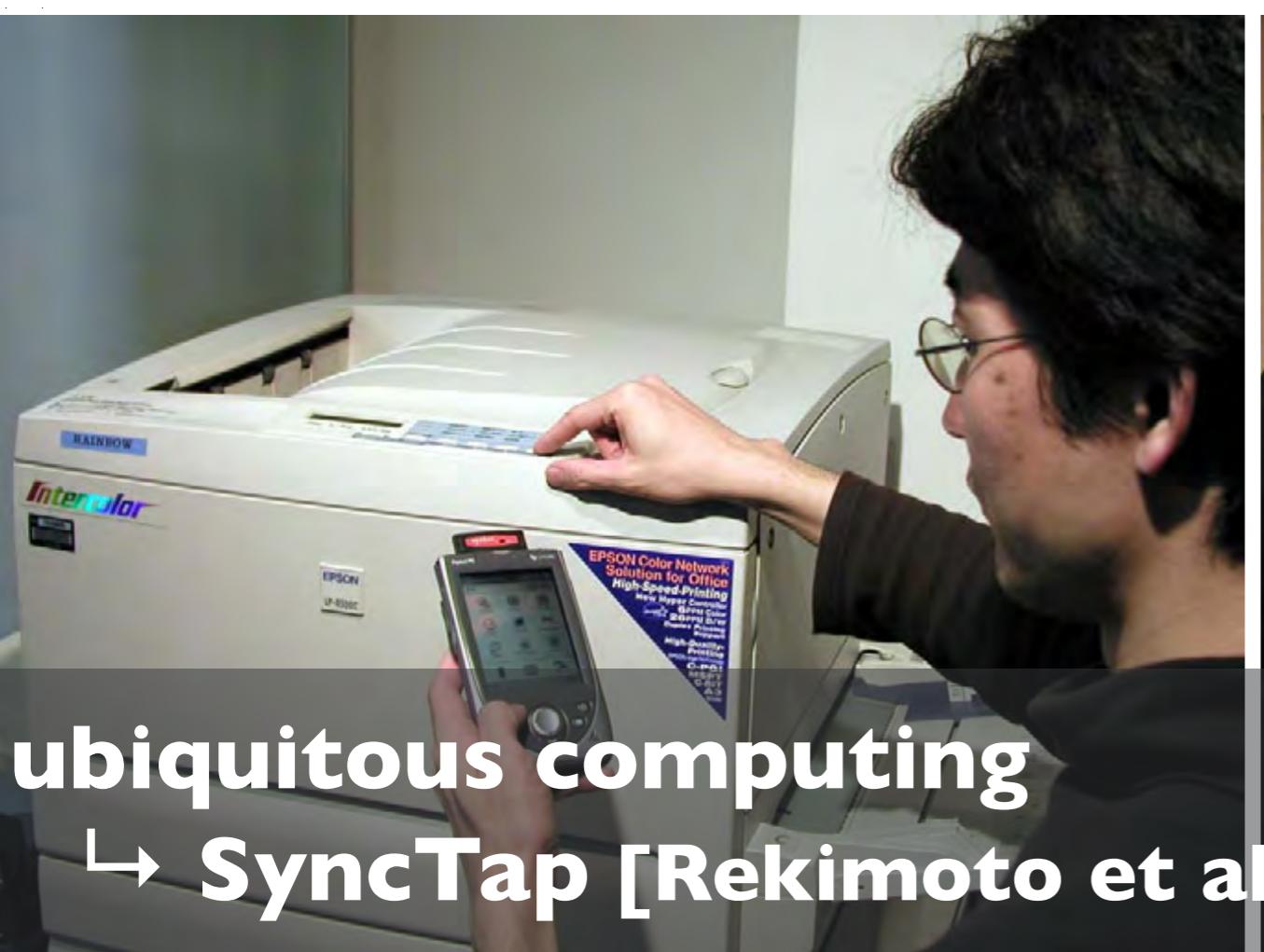


Reactable [Jorda et al., 05]

*REVEL*  
Programming the sense of touch

# inFORM

Interacting with a dynamic shape display



**ubiquitous computing**  
↳ SyncTap [Rekimoto et al., 03]



**“There is more information available at our fingertips during a walk in the woods than in any computer system, yet people find a walk among trees relaxing and computers frustrating. Machines that fit the human environment, instead of forcing humans to enter theirs, will make using a computer as refreshing as taking a walk in the woods.”**

↳ M. D. Weiser





# the world is not frozen (yet)

↳ make interactive system truly adaptable ‘tools’

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Slide Layout

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Devices

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pendant sa thèse et refuse plusieurs offres d'emploi qu'il juge trop liées à l'électronique analogique. En

le monde n'est pas figé

↳ faire des systèmes interactifs de vrais 'outils'

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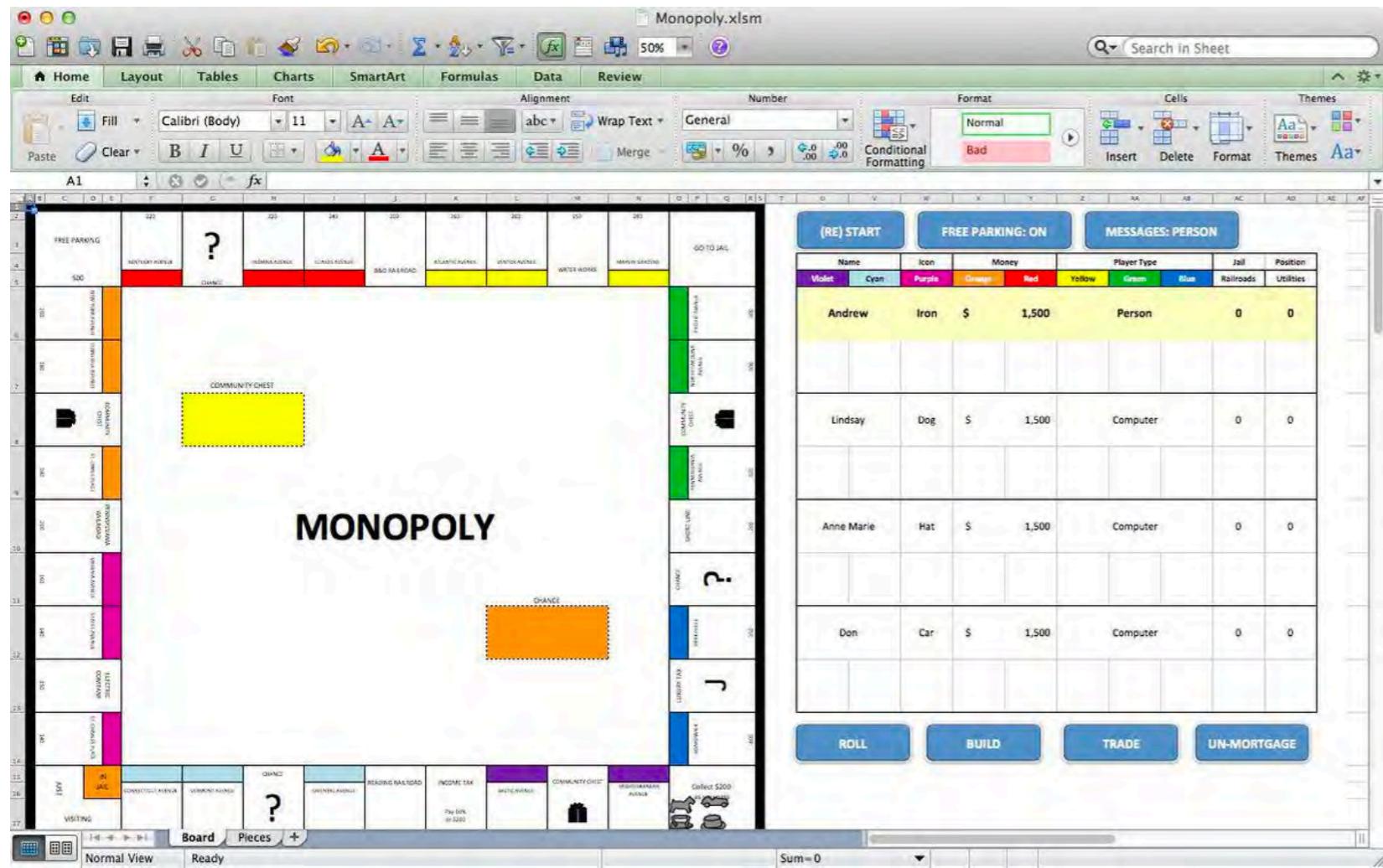
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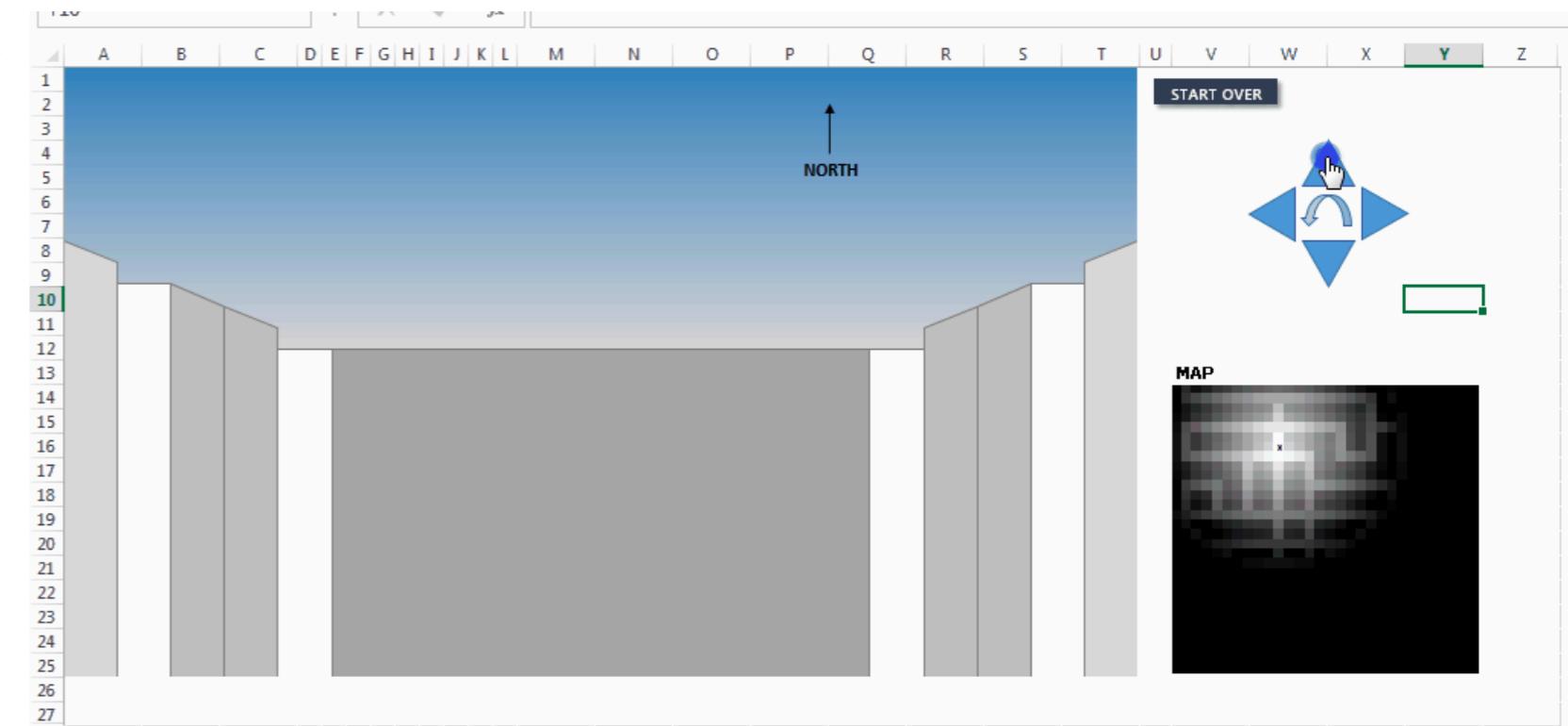
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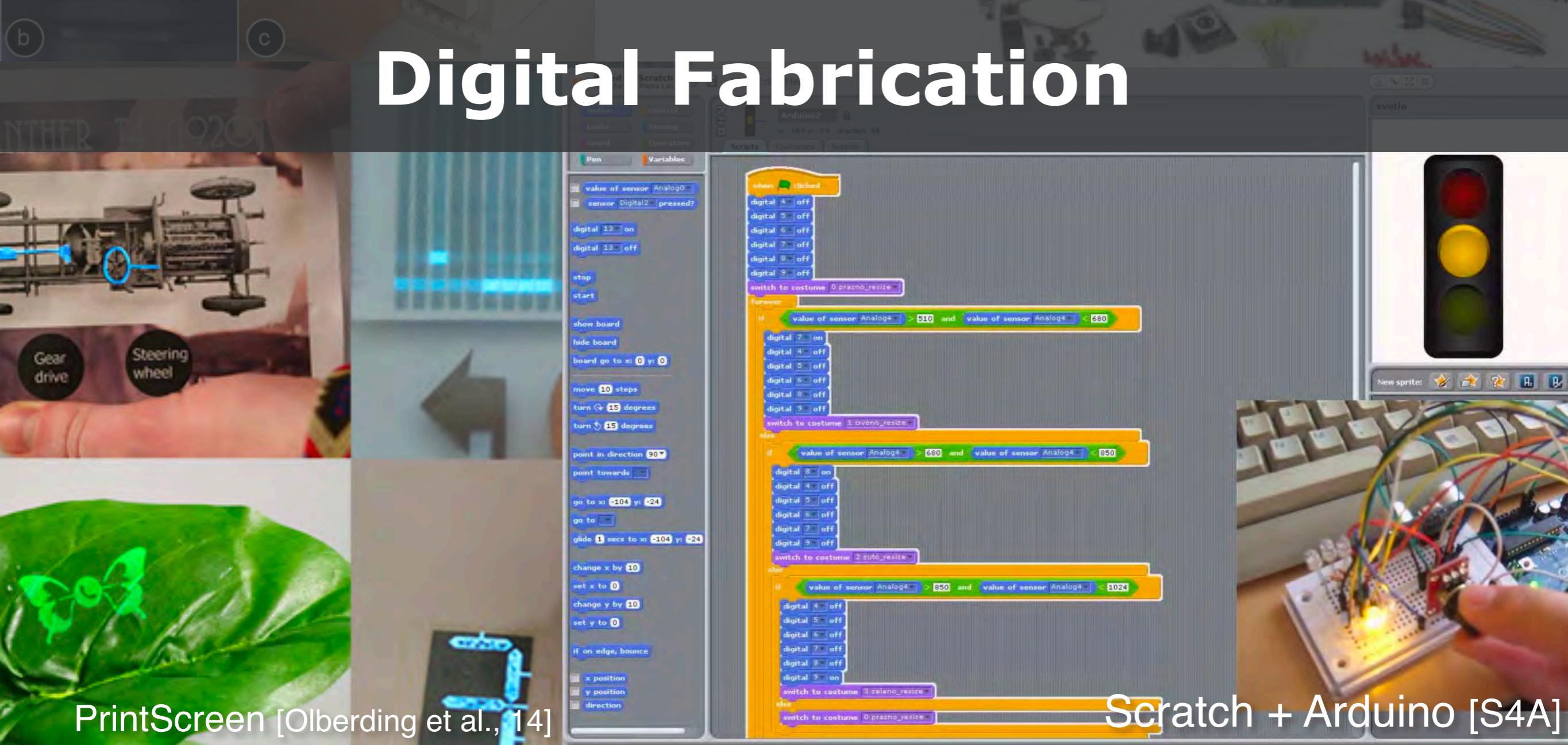
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**“One can imagine one of the first programs  
an owner will write is a filter to eliminate advertising!”**

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# **the future is not so simple...**

↳ transparency and control

# *transparency and control*

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*“If people don’t understand what these systems are doing, how do we expect people to challenge them?” [dana boyd, 15]*  
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## **mastering complexity**

↳ better understanding and control

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Par Morgane Kergoat le 11.05.2016 à 19h09, mis à jour le 11.05.2016 à 19h09

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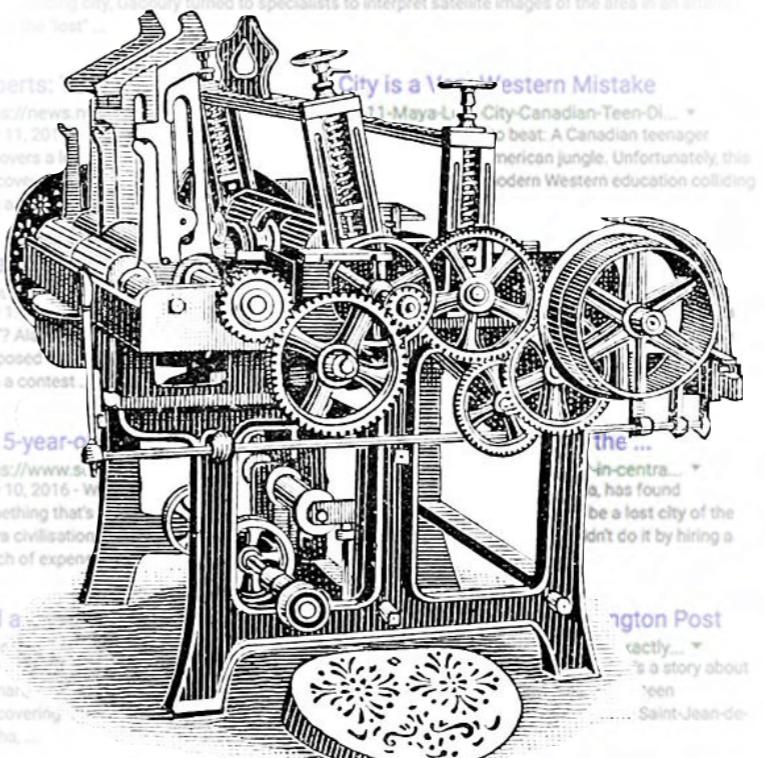
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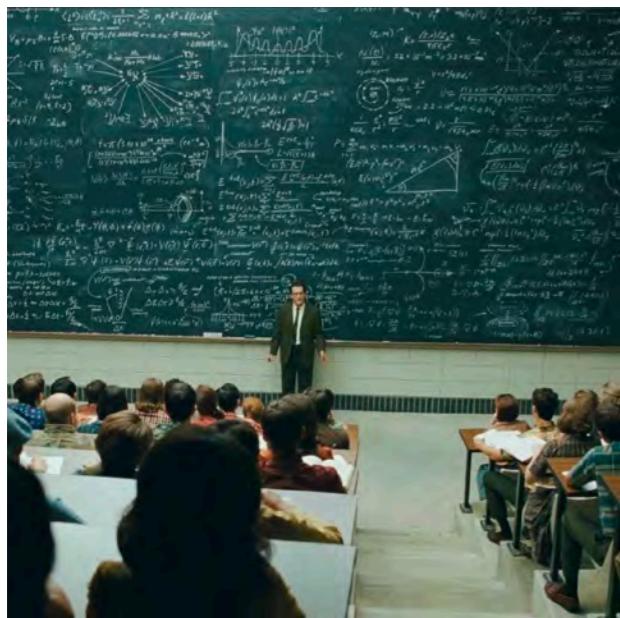
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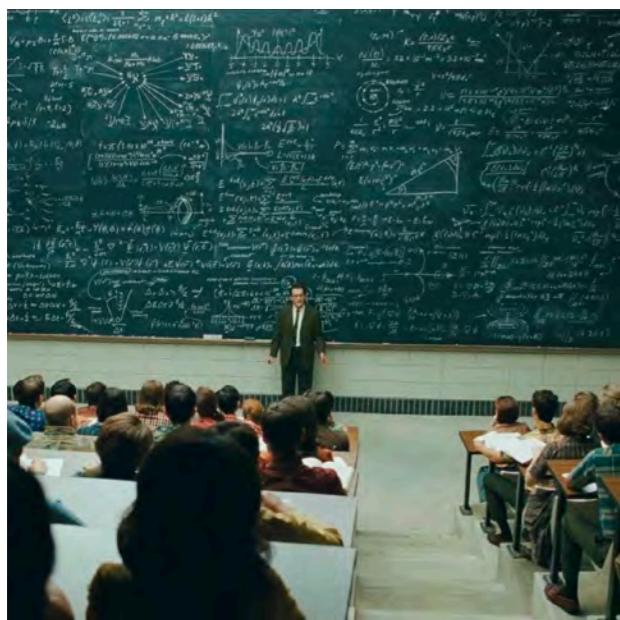
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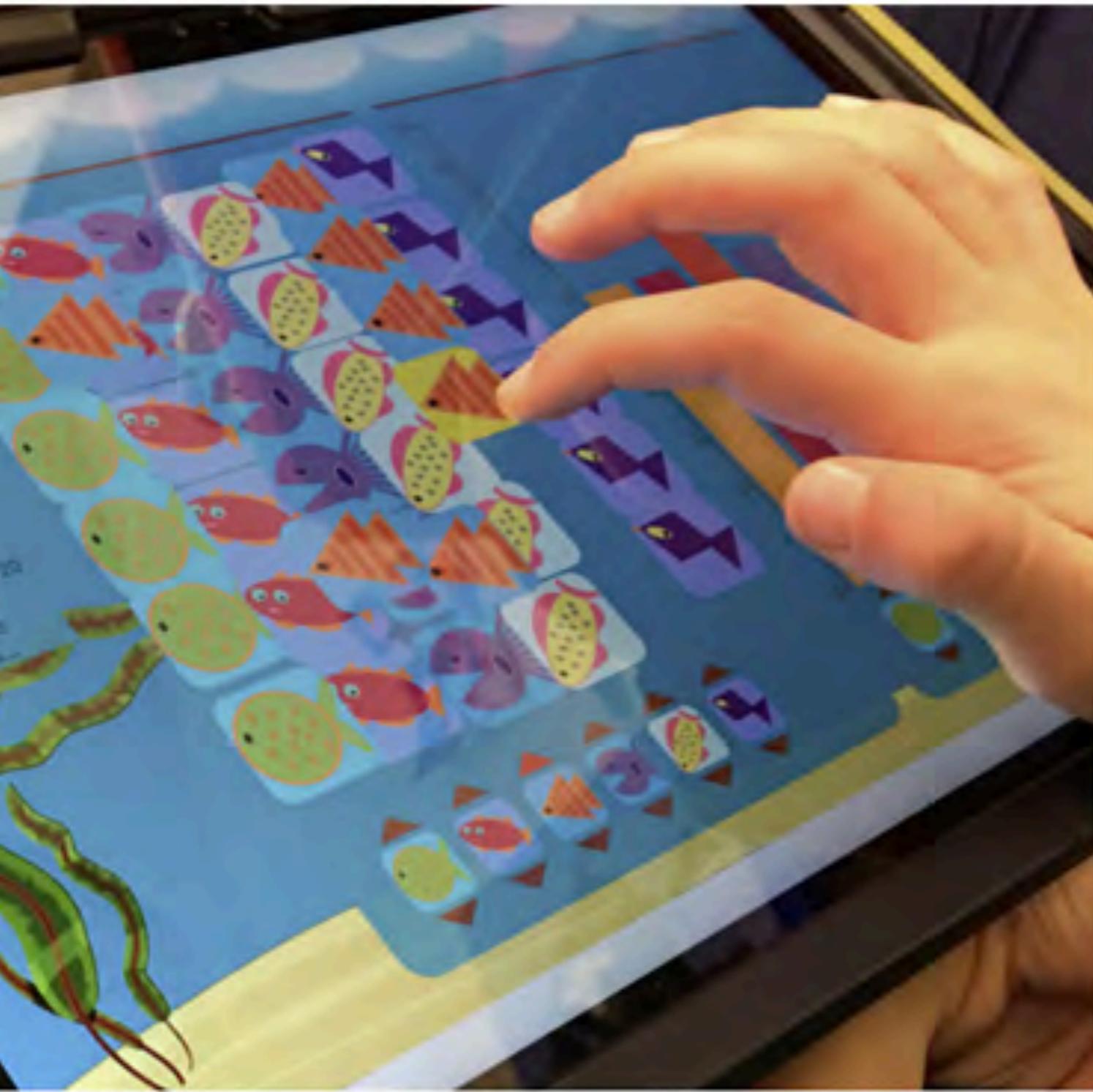
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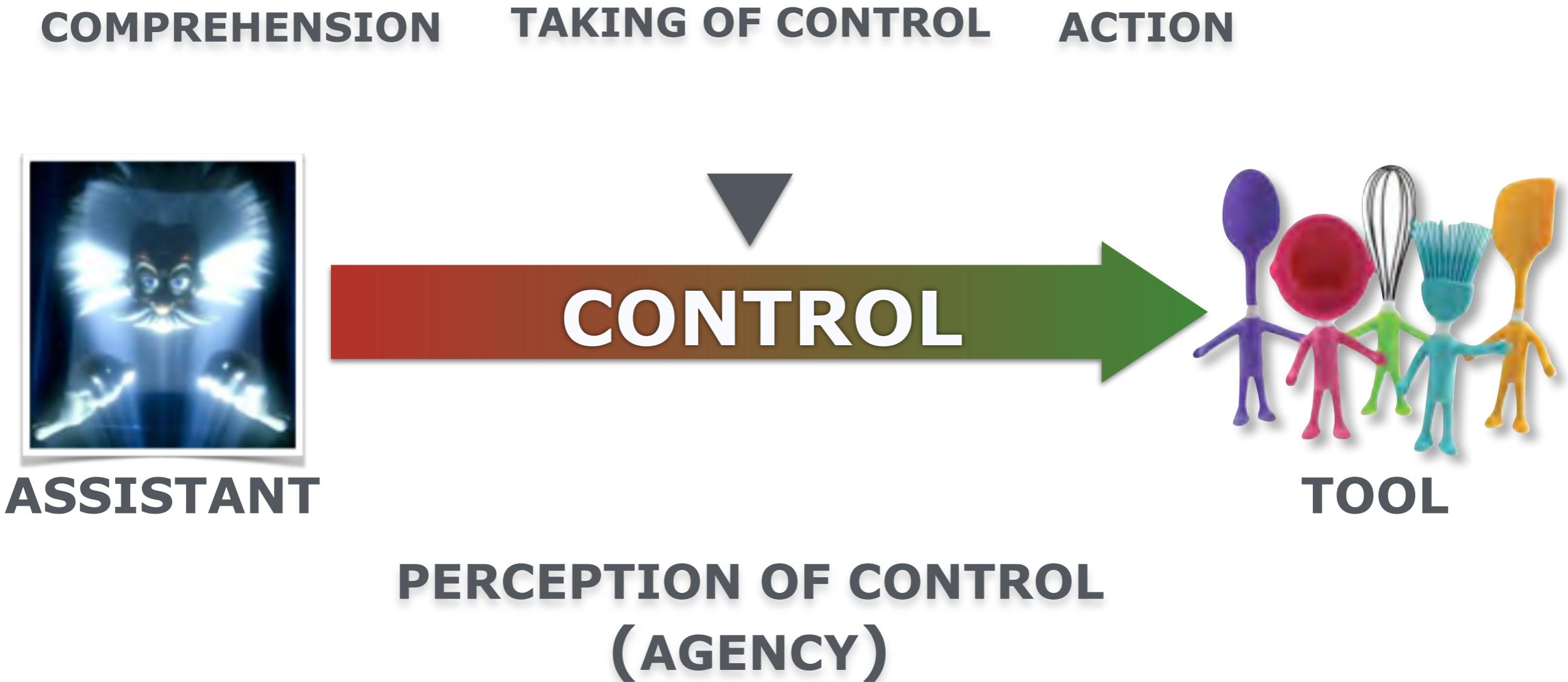


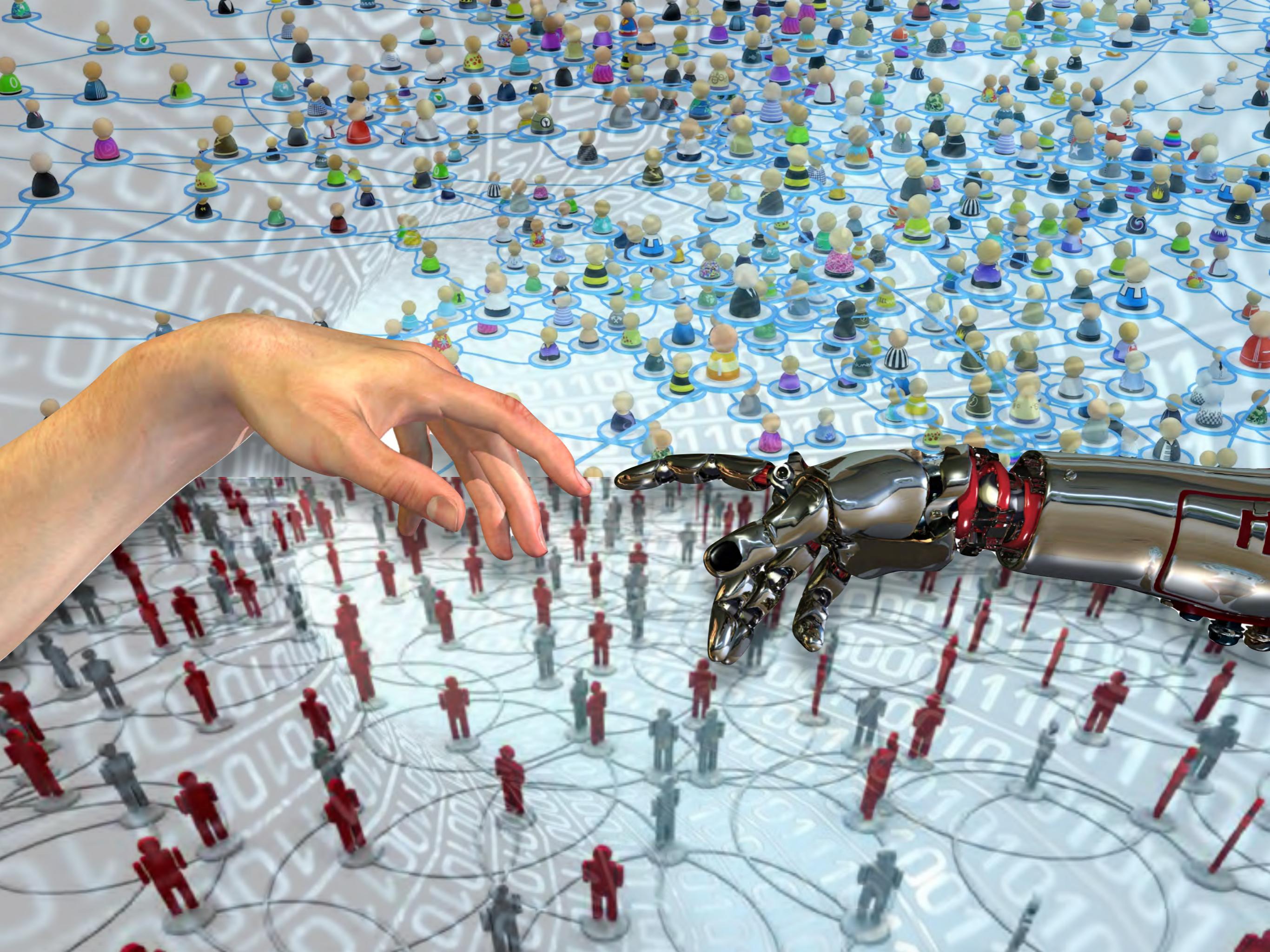
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