

Alignment Difficulty of Scaling Swarm-AI

- What is the Next Wave after The 3rd AI Boom? -

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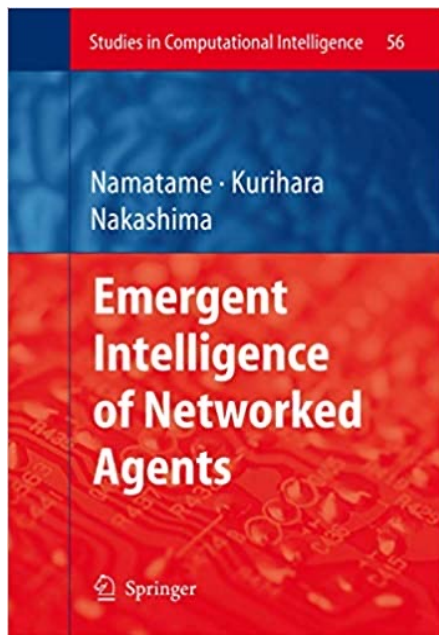
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multi-agents, swarm intelligence and computational social science.

One of my recent work includes developing interactive AI to utilize generative AI for innovation.



This cartoon was created by the creators using our developed AI.





History of AI (What we have learned from the History)

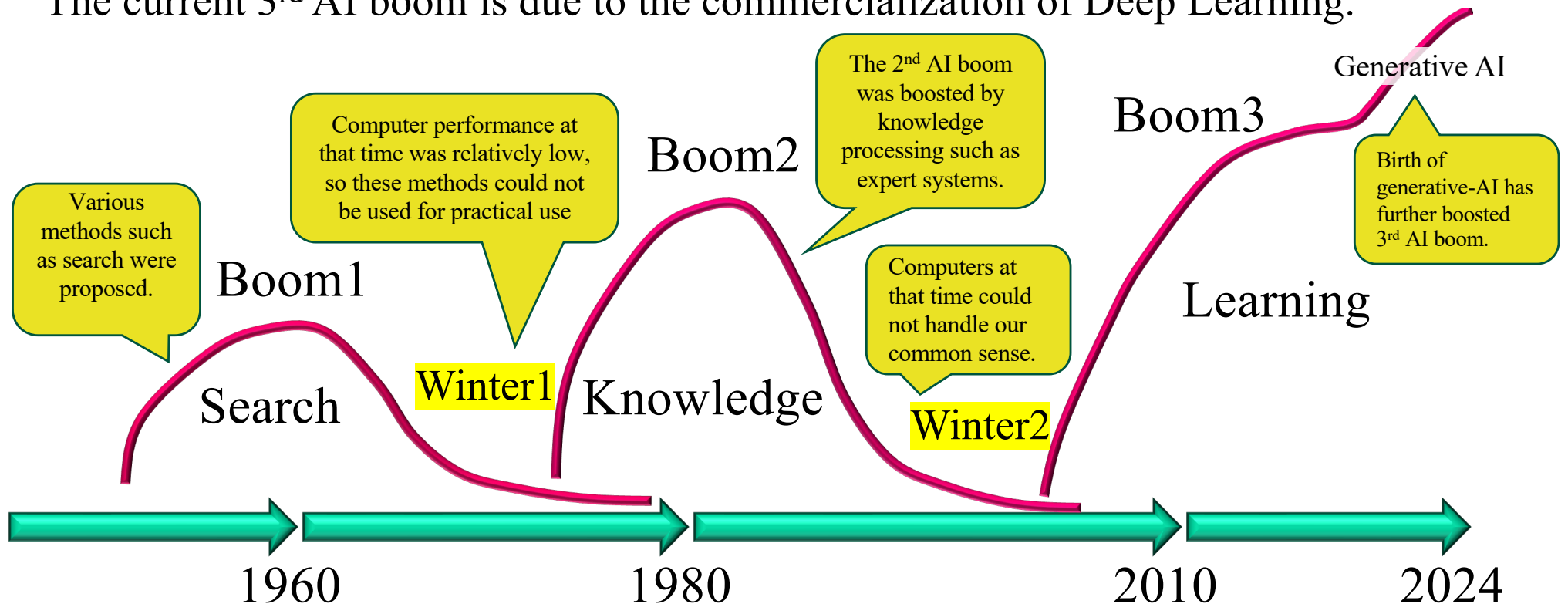
The 1st AI Boom

- The latest ideas and methods are not always immediately put into practice.
- That is, the infrastructure for practical application must be in place.

The 2nd AI Boom

- The amount of knowledge, like our common sense and tacit knowledge, is enormous.

The current 3rd AI boom is due to the commercialization of Deep Learning.

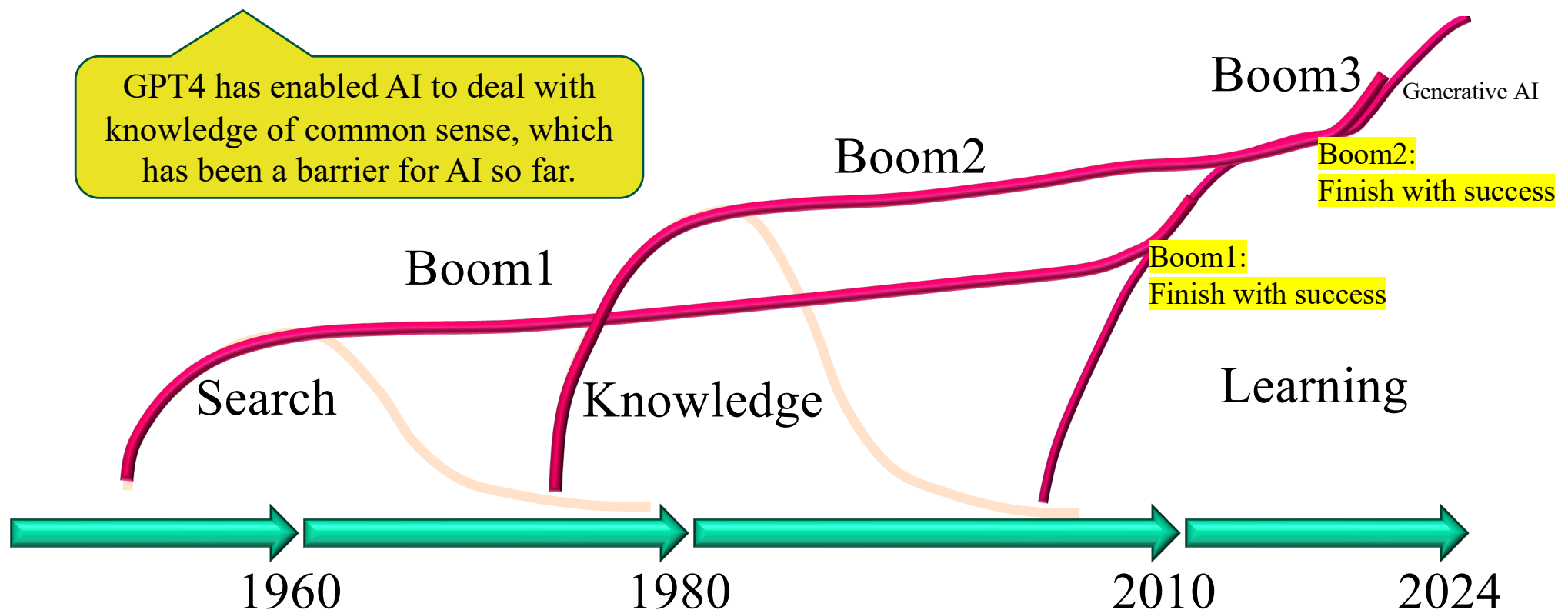




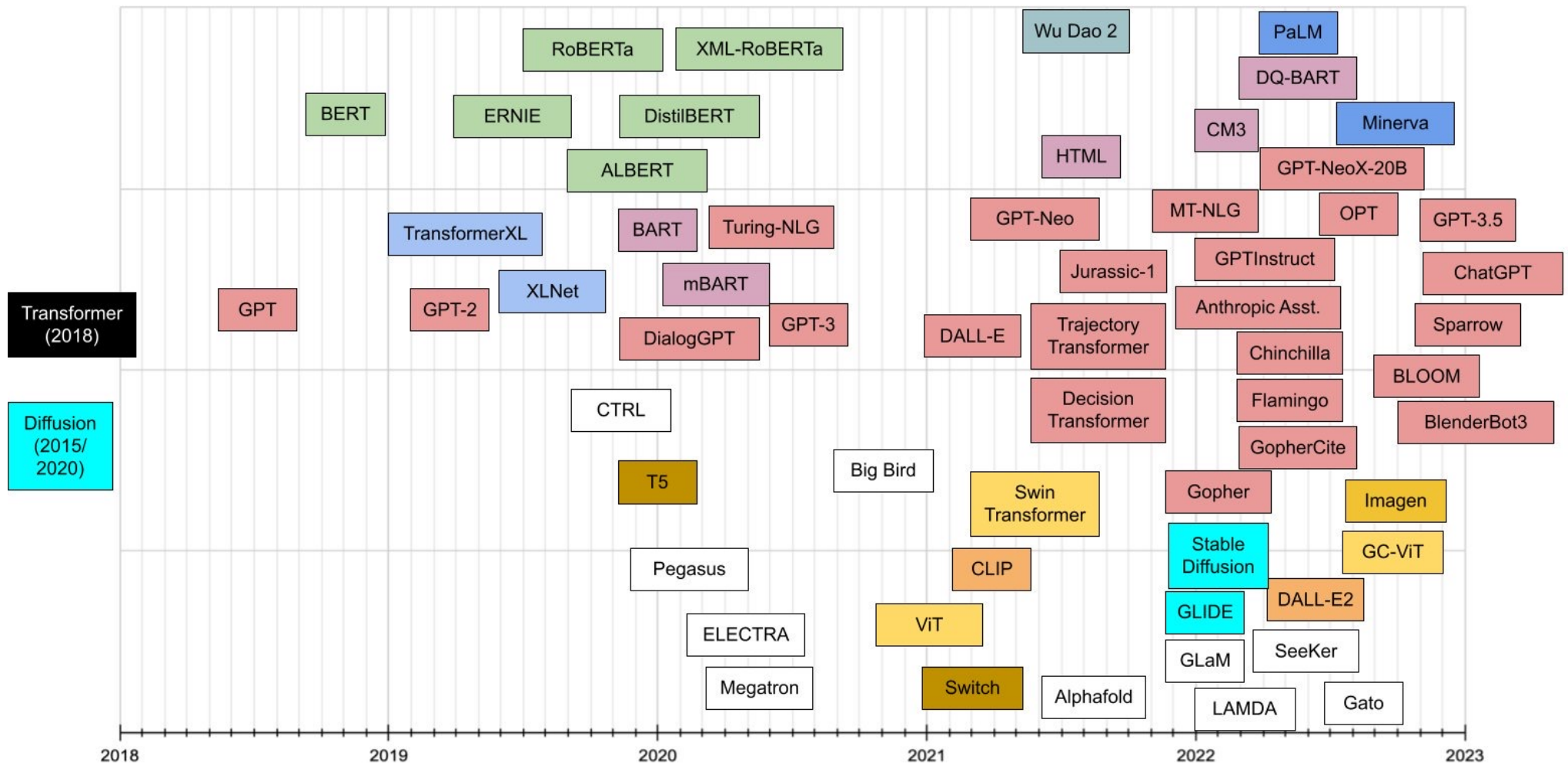
Have the 1st and 2nd AI Booms really failed?

Meaning of 3rd AI Boom is,

- ▶ The 1st AI boom was completed successfully, by the infrastructure in place to make Deep Learning practical.
- ▶ The 2nd AI boom was completed successfully, thanks to the successful development of GPT4-level LLMs.



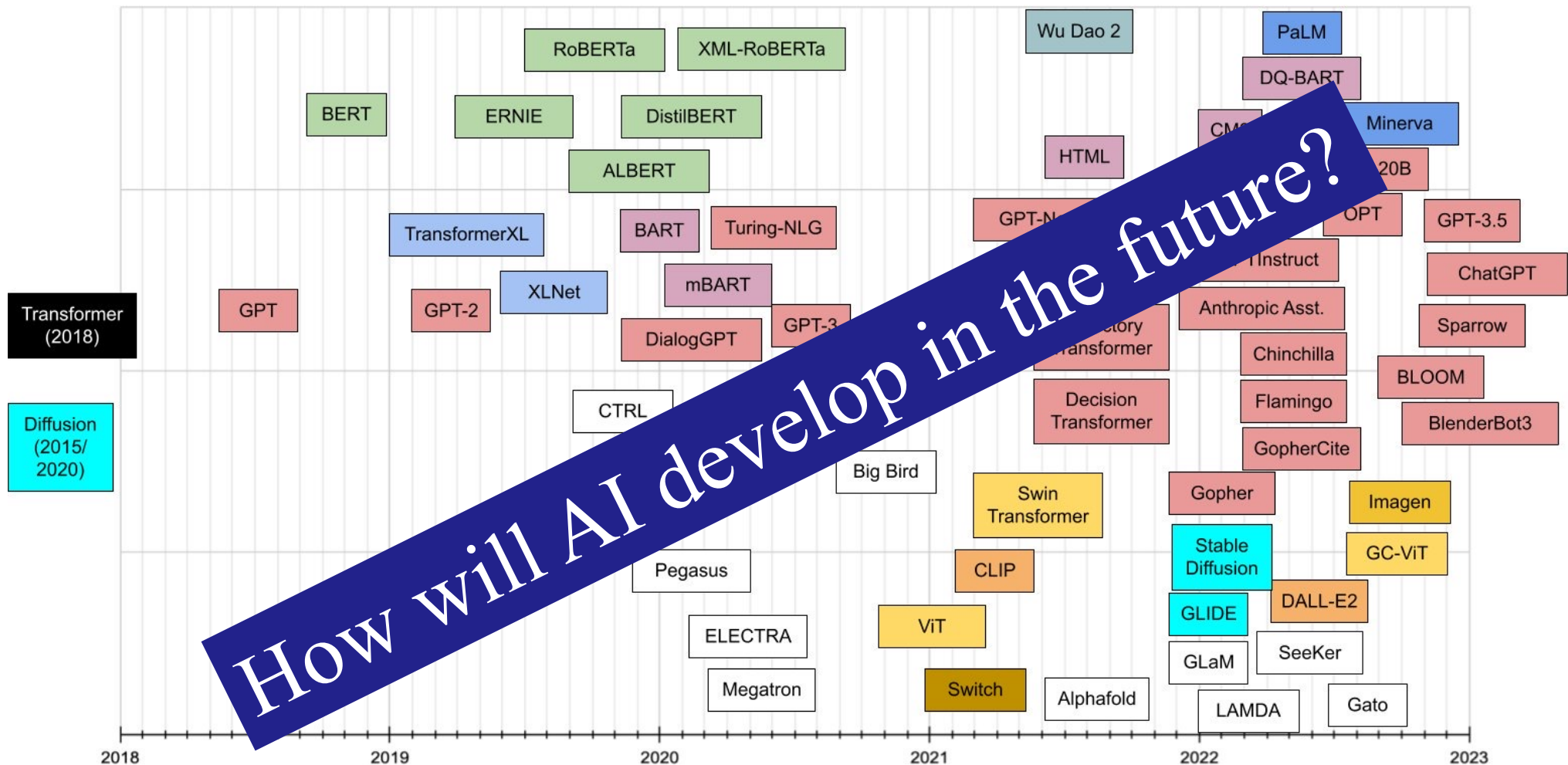
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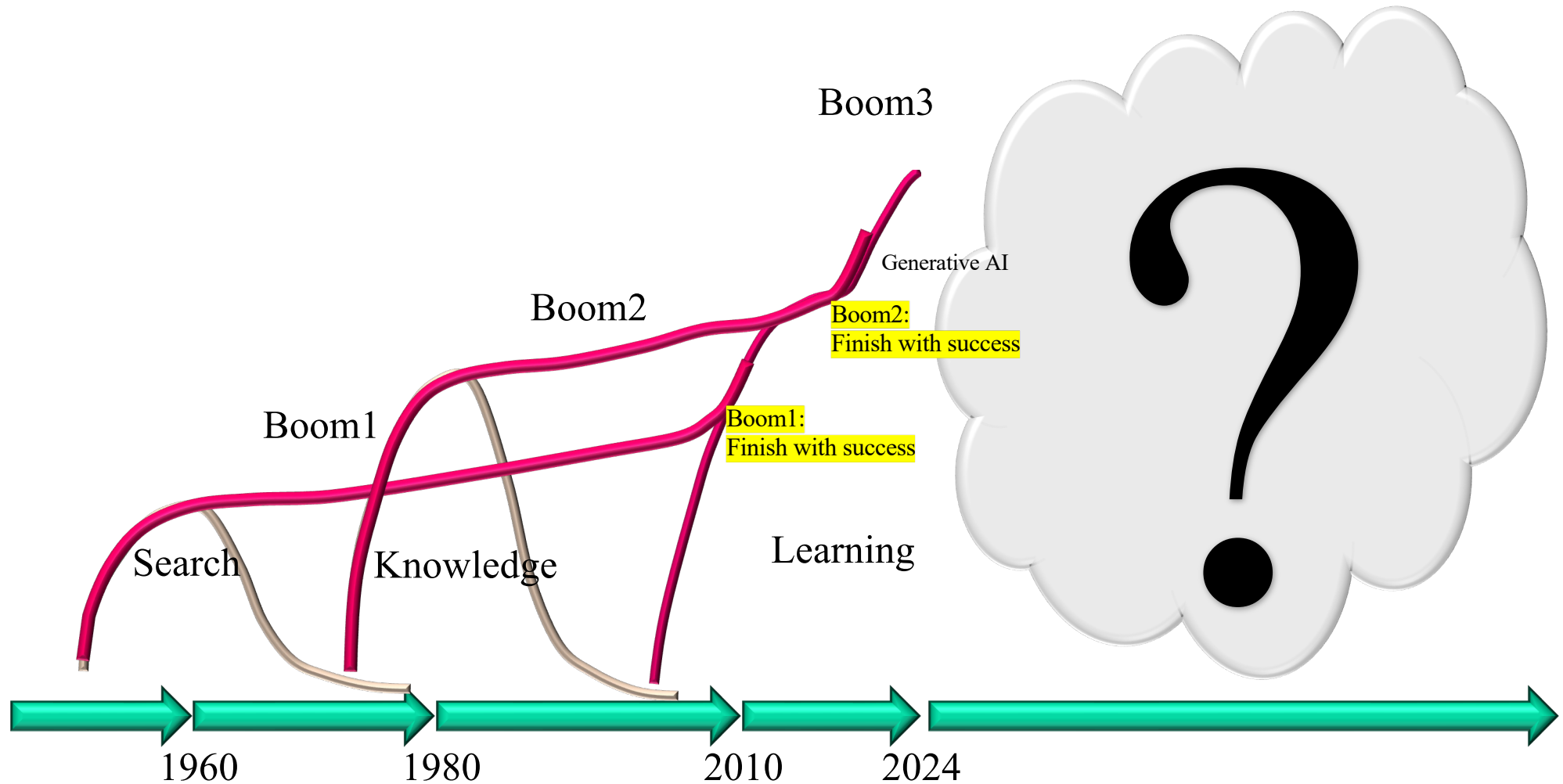
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What will be the next wave after the third AI boom?



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Cooperative robots are also advanced tool-type AI.

They are System 1-type AI that reacts conditionally to inputs.

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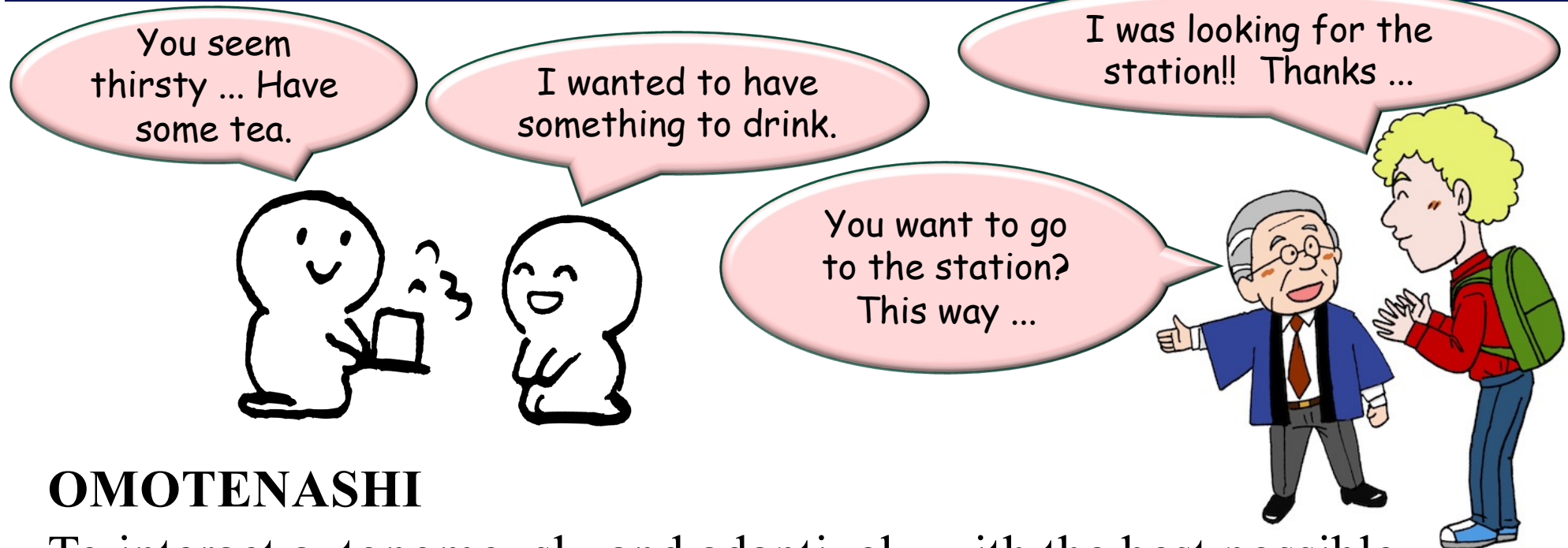
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In order to be able to understand the situation and act proactively, robots need a high degree of autonomy.



OMOTENASHI (Hospitality, Welcome, Entertain)



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To interact autonomously and adaptively with the best possible interaction through understanding the other person's situation proactively and real-timely.

Only an autonomous AI can perform OMOTENASHI.



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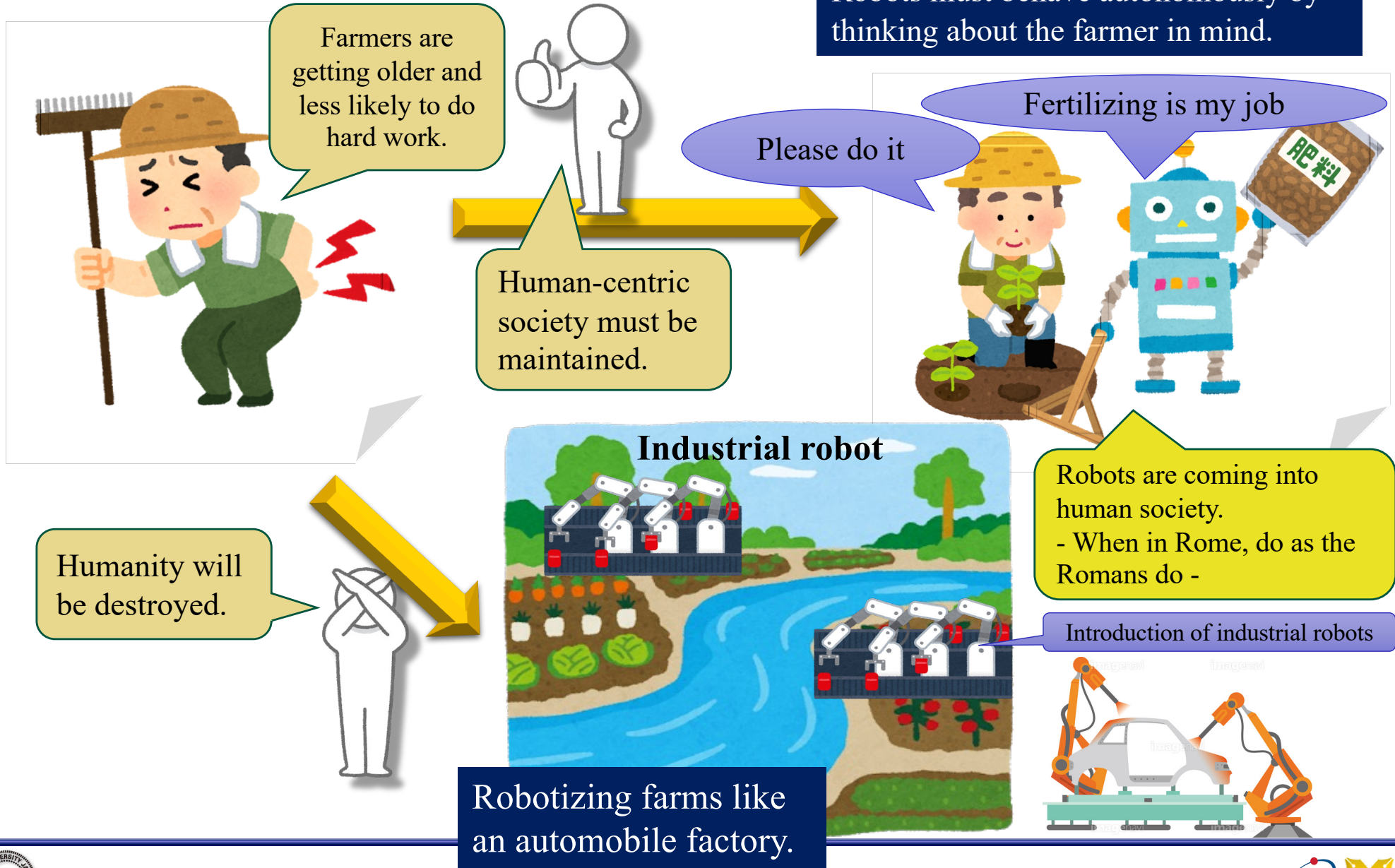
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The 2040 Problem - The Near Future of Japan's Aging -

Situation of agriculture.

Robots must behave autonomously by thinking about the farmer in mind.



The Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence Ethical Guidelines

Heading of the article in Code of Ethics of JSAI



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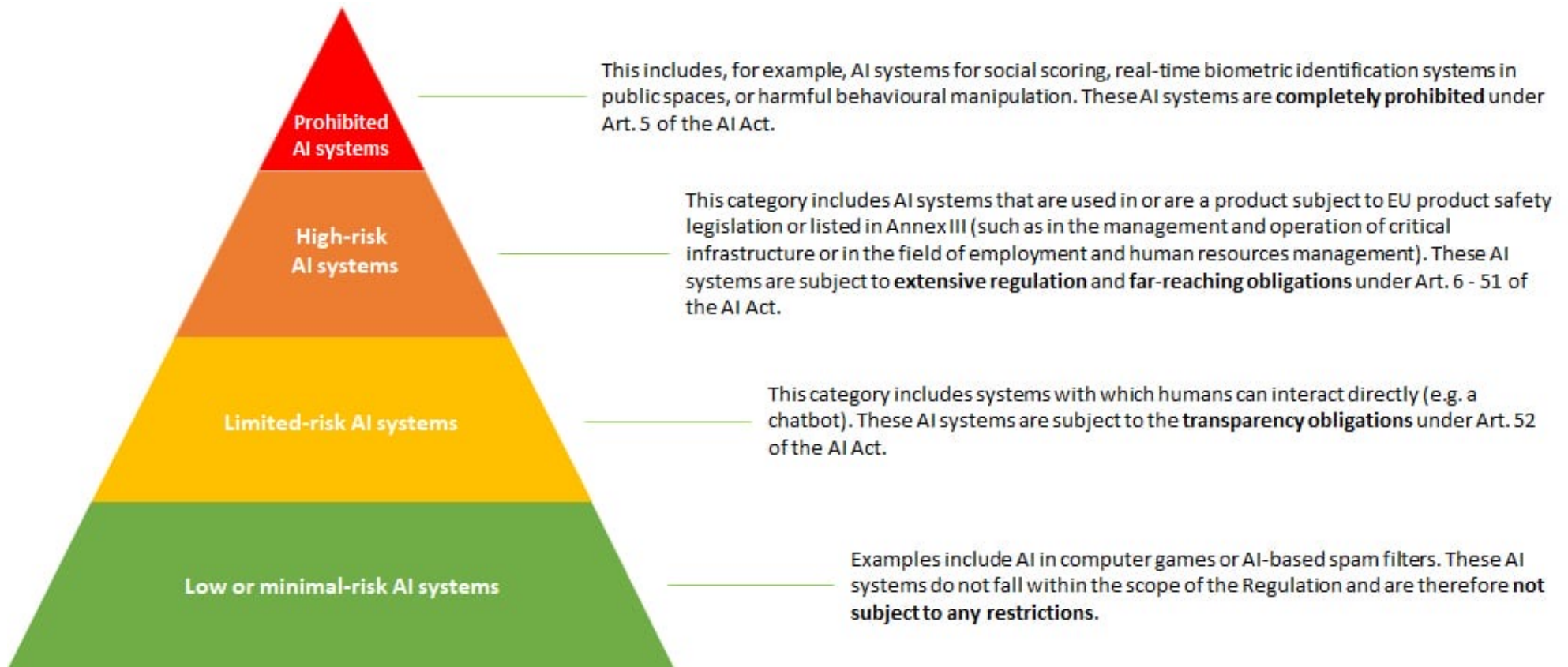
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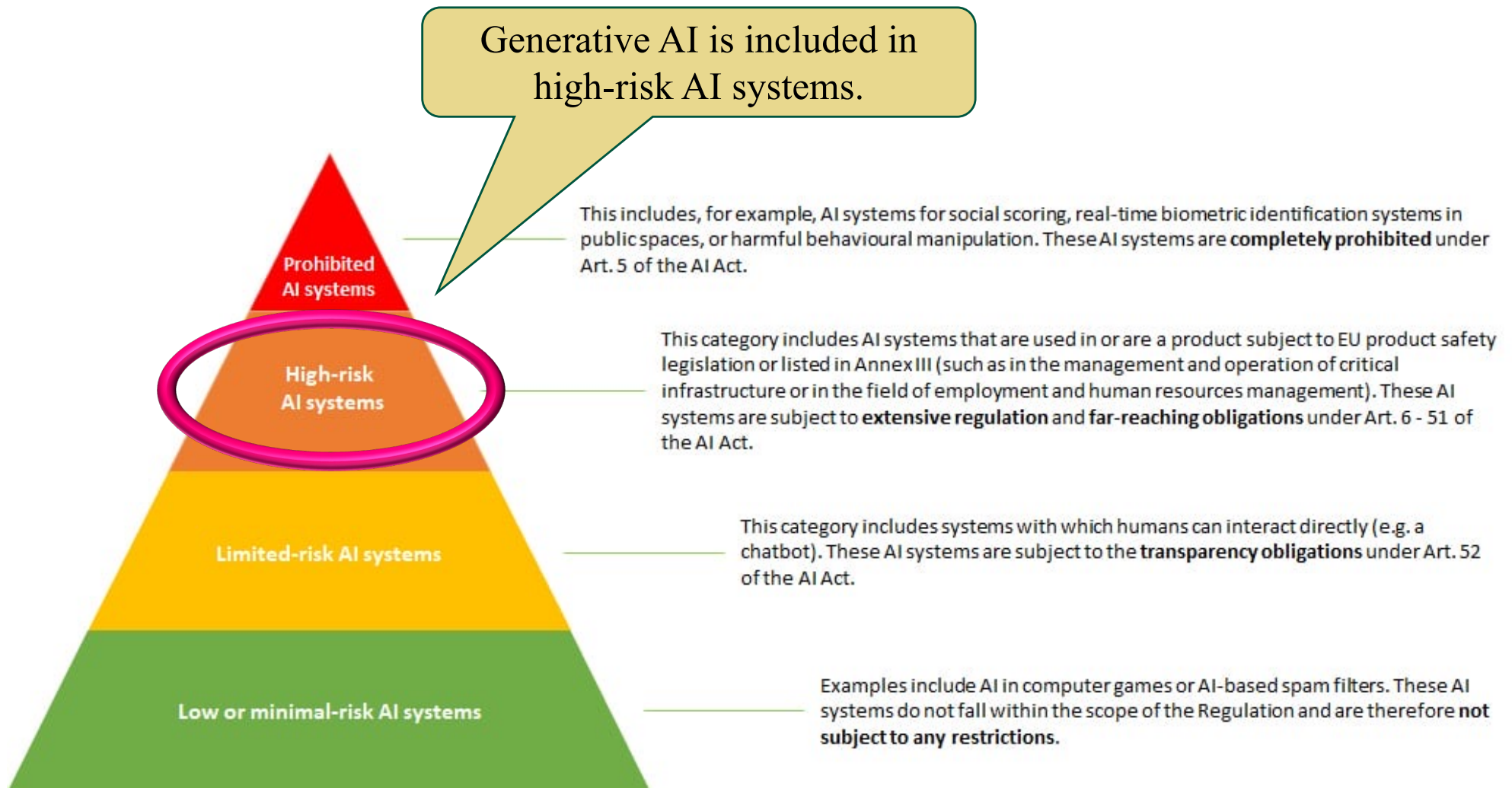
In Japan, caution against autonomous AI is not so high, as evidenced by the fact that autonomous AI has long appeared as characters in manga and anime.

AI regulation of EU



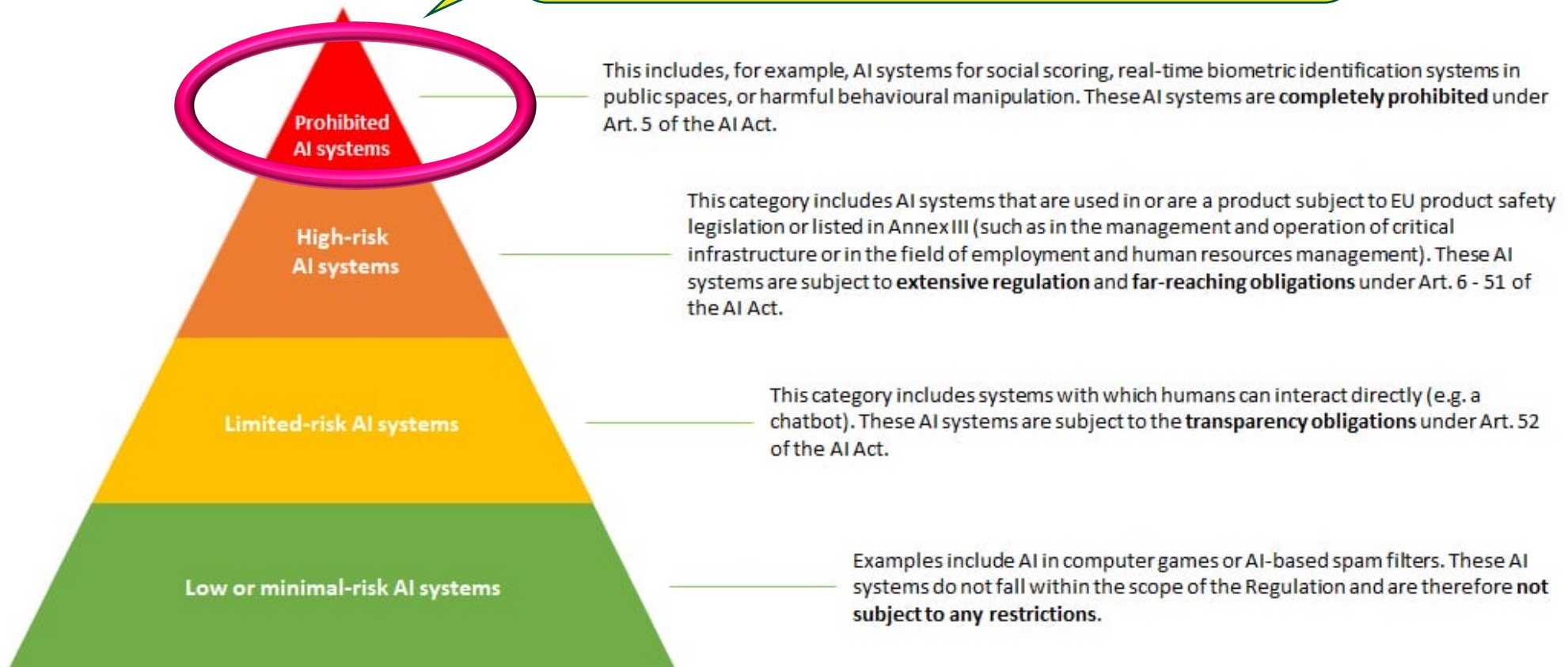
The four categories of AI hazards in the EU AI Regulation Act.

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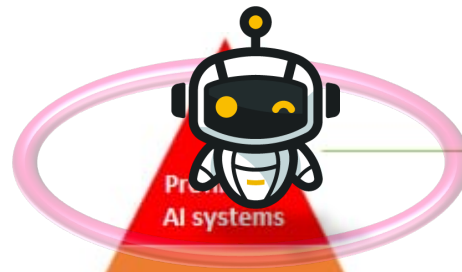


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Autonomous AI is assumed to be classified as the highest-risk AI, as it will interact actively with humans and be strongly involved in human thinking.



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This includes, for example, AI systems for social scoring, real-time biometric identification systems in public spaces, or harmful behavioural manipulation. These AI systems are **completely prohibited** under Art. 5 of the AI Act.

High-risk

This category includes AI systems that are used in or are a product subject to EU product safety legislation or listed in Annex III (such as in the management and operation of critical infrastructure or in the field of employment and human resources management). These AI systems are subject to **enhanced obligations** of

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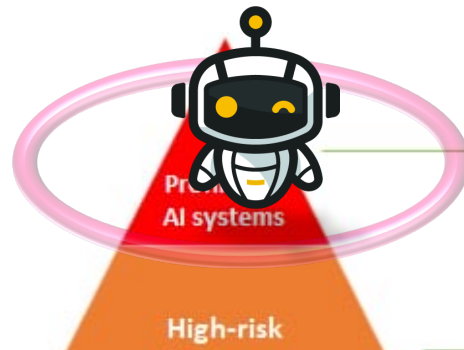
Limited-risk AI systems

This category includes systems with which humans can interact directly (e.g. a chatbot). These AI systems are subject to the **transparency obligations** under Art. 52 of the AI Act.

Low or minimal-risk AI systems

Examples include AI in computer games or AI-based spam filters. These AI systems do not fall within the scope of the Regulation and are therefore **not subject to any restrictions**.

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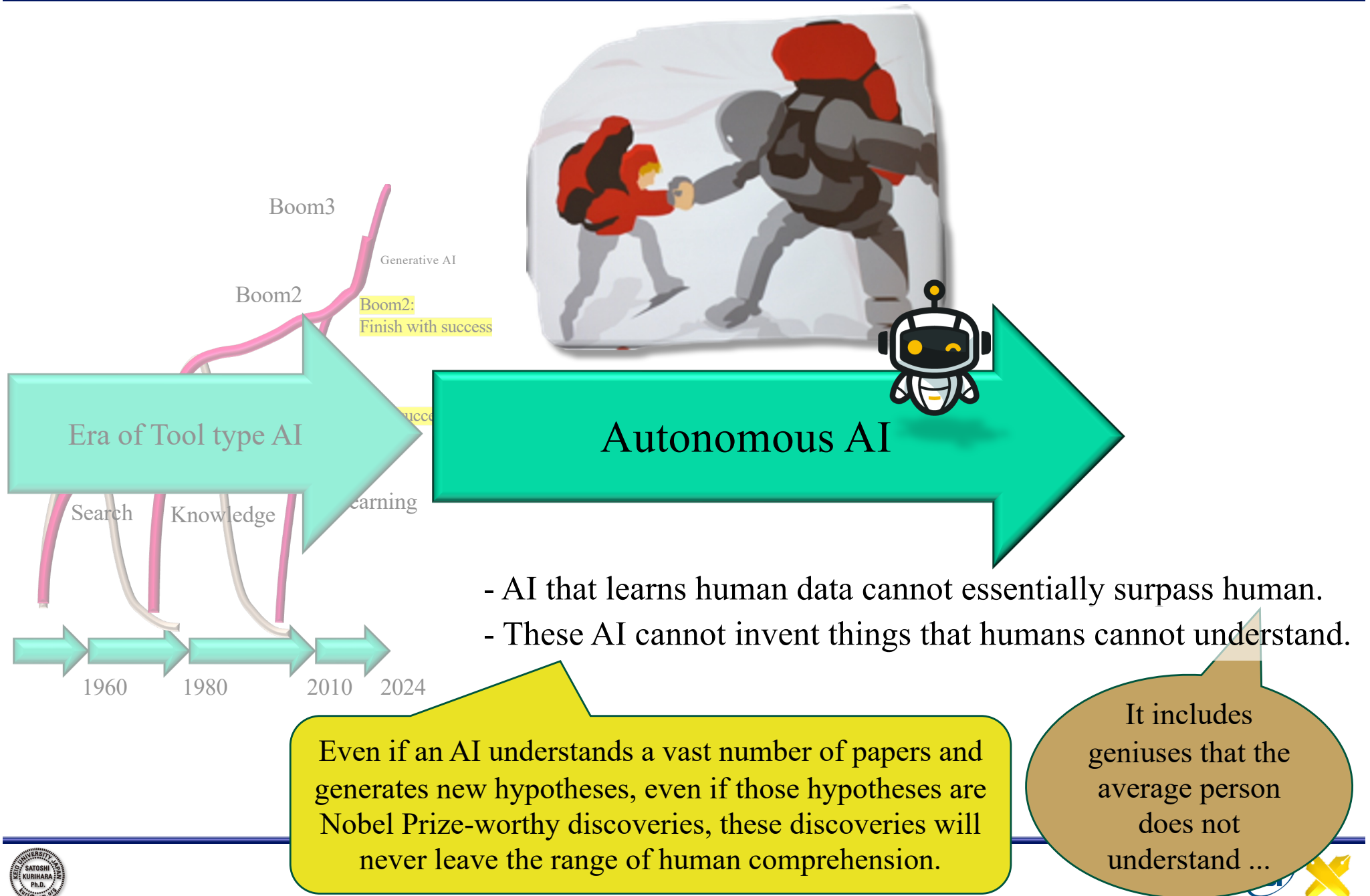
Development of Japanese-style AI with a high degree of autonomy and generality that can perform OMOTENASHI.

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Ability of Autonomous AI is basically same as Tool type AI

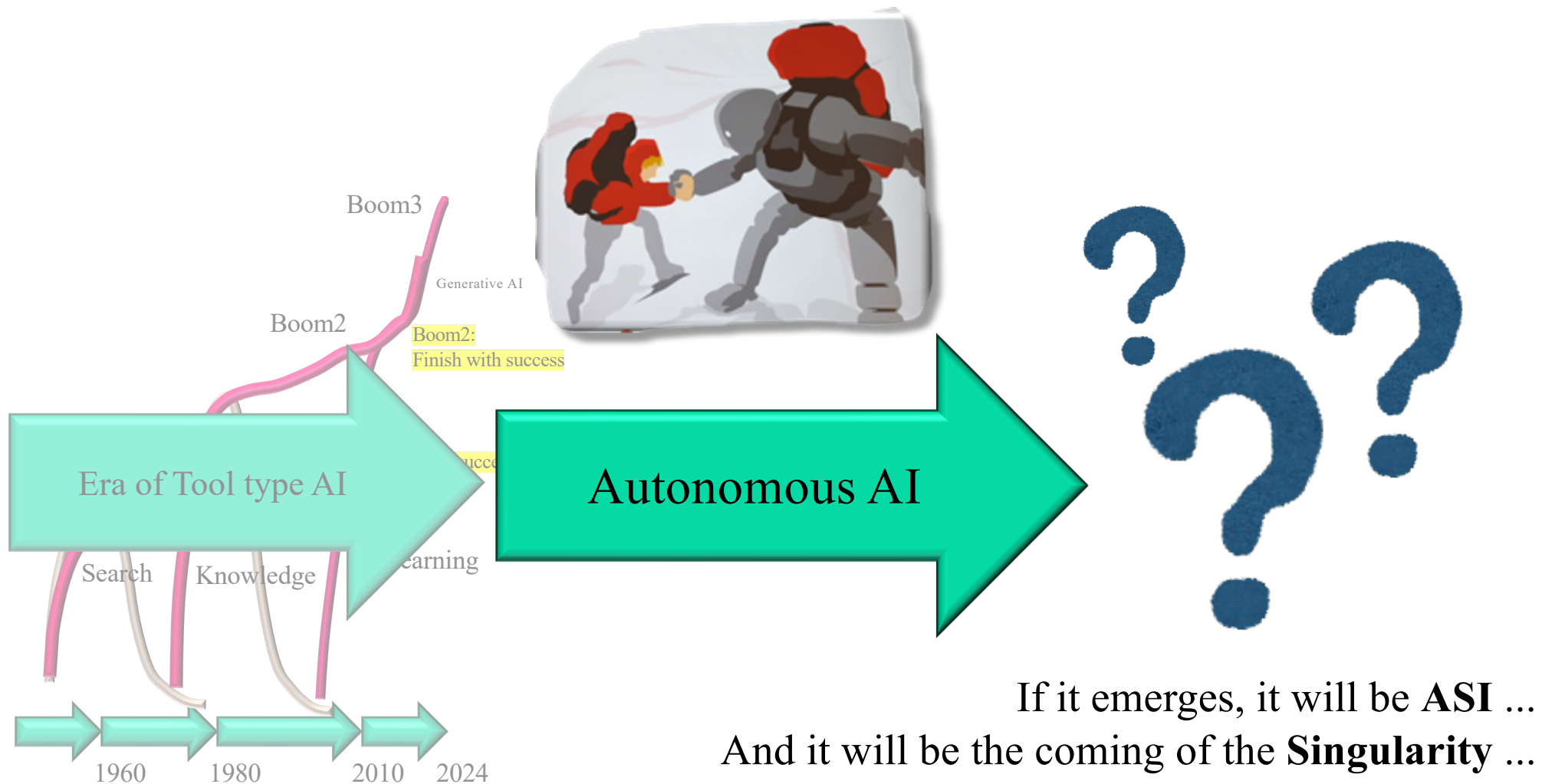


- AI that learns human data cannot essentially surpass human.
- These AI cannot invent things that humans cannot understand.

Even if an AI understands a vast number of papers and generates new hypotheses, even if those hypotheses are Nobel Prize-worthy discoveries, these discoveries will never leave the range of human comprehension.

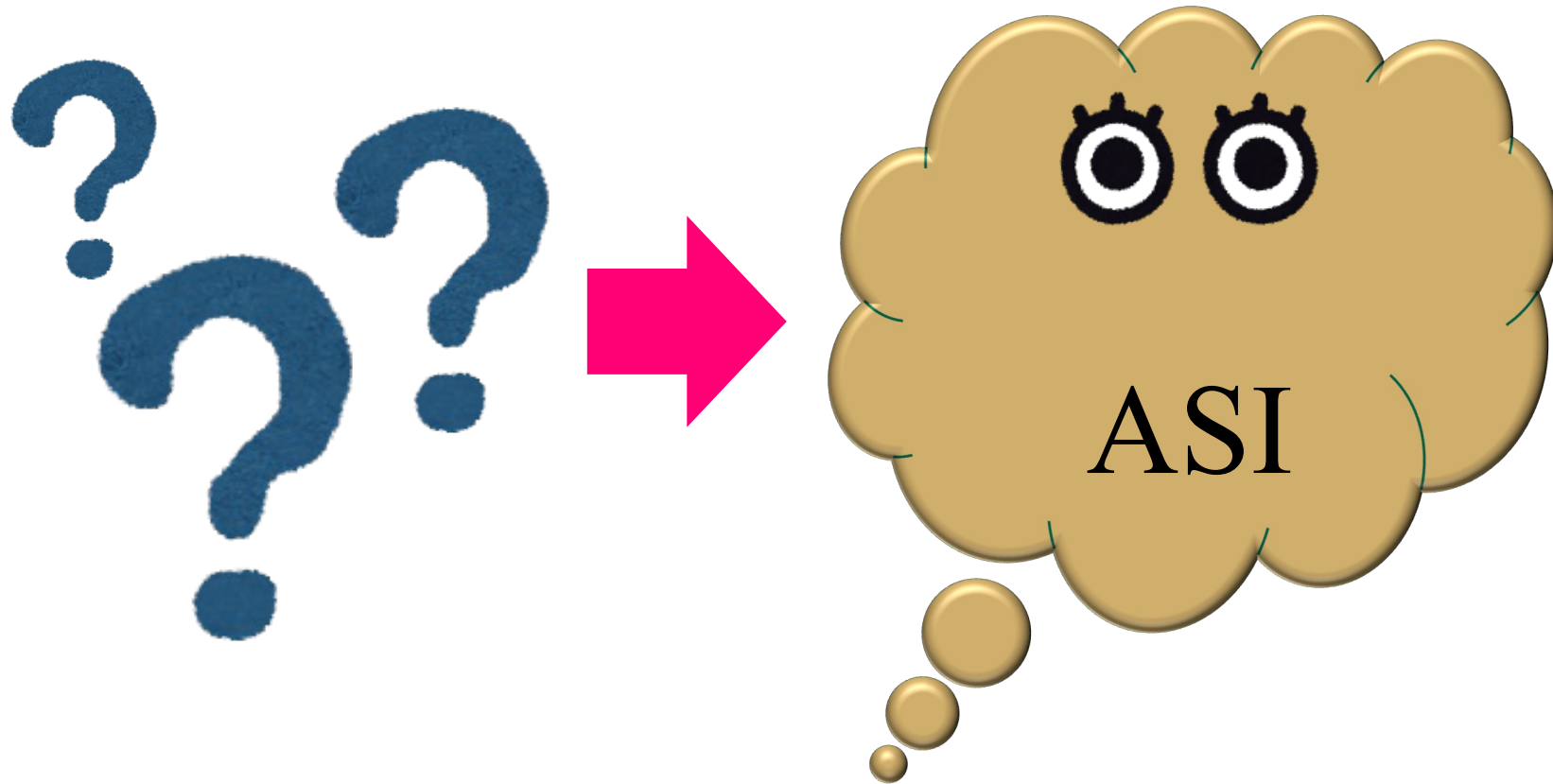
It includes geniuses that the average person does not understand ...

Will AI emerge, which has an intelligence that humans cannot understand?

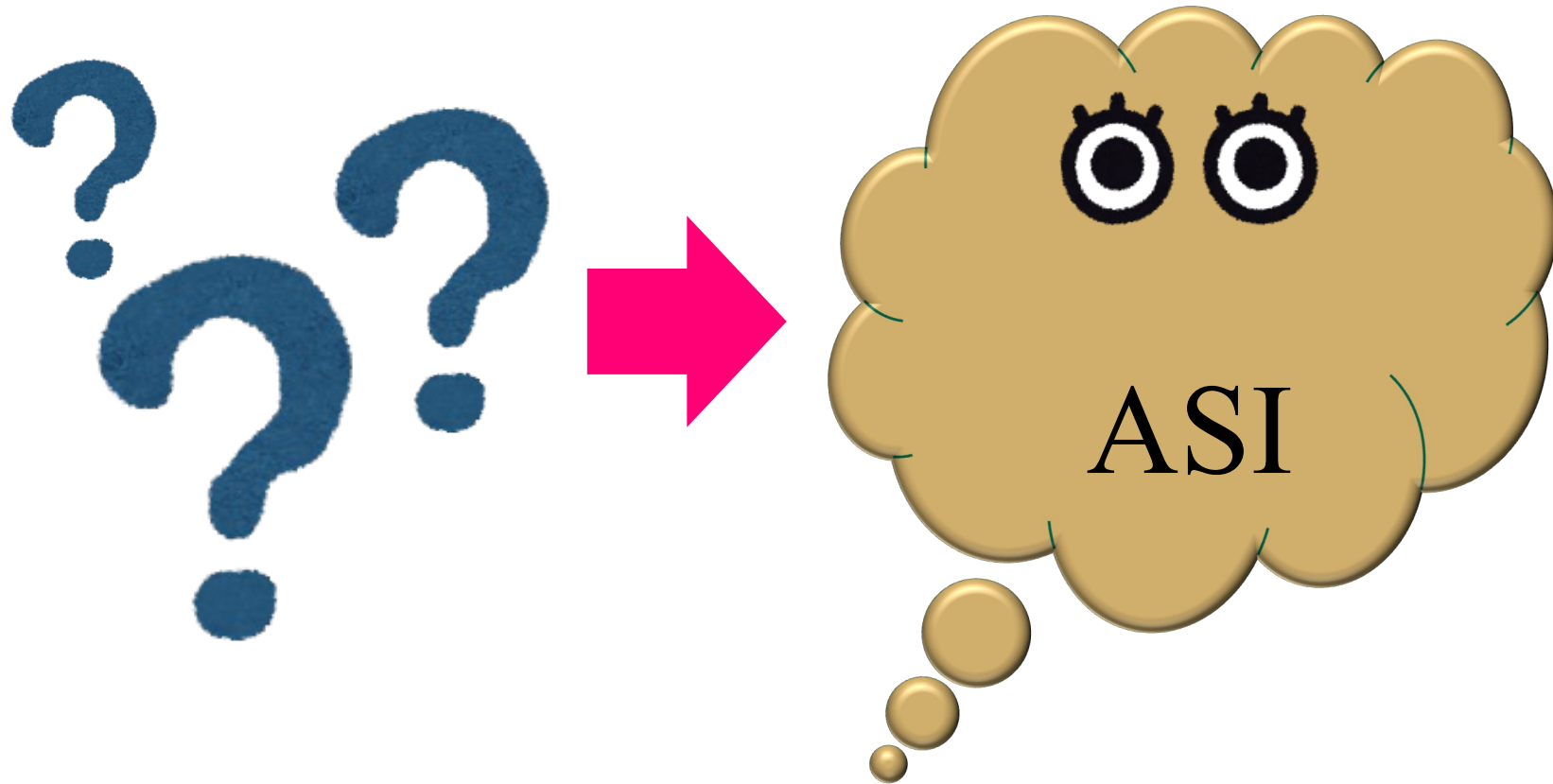


Why is the term “emerge” used?
→ Because ASI is not something that humans create.

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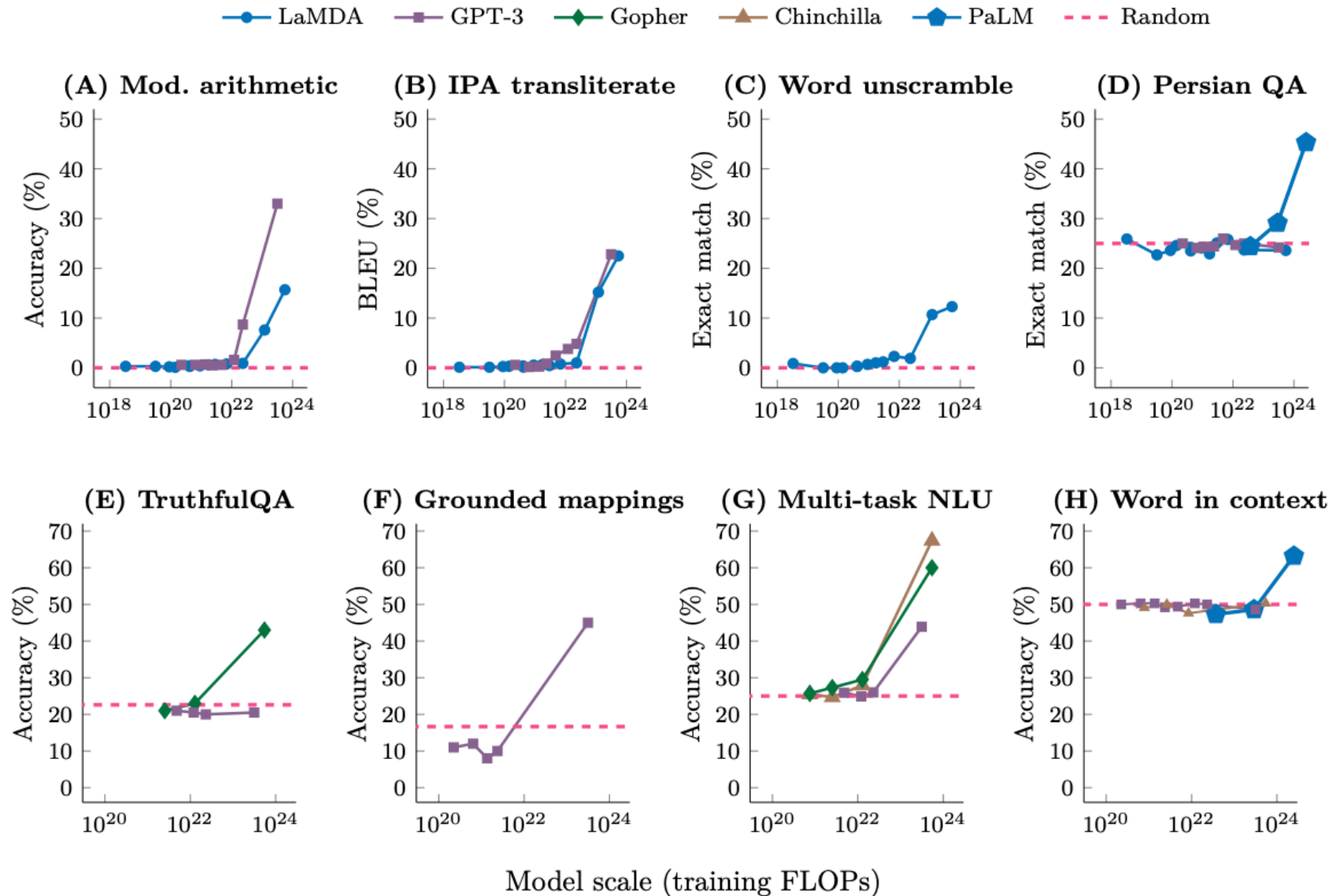
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A clue to the emergence of ASI is scaling.

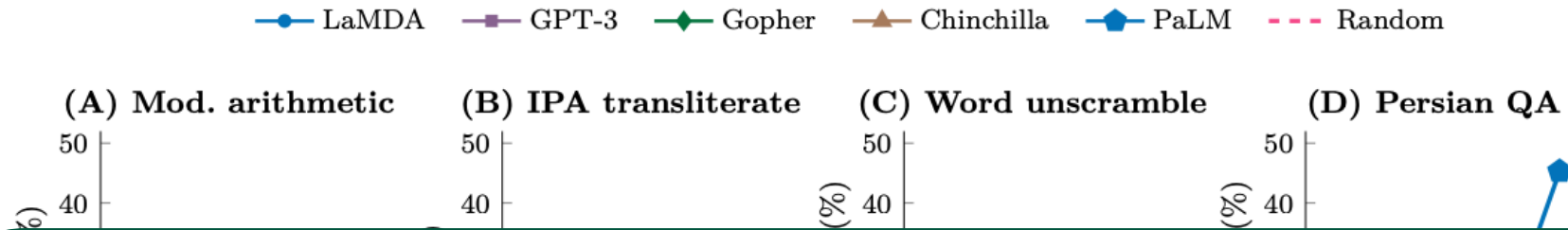


Quality changes through scaling

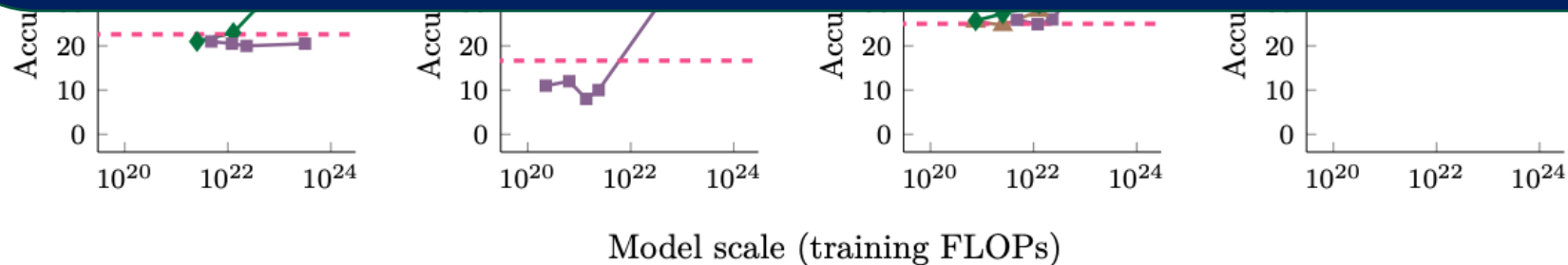




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The success of the ChatGPT development means that scaling of data volumes and computational resources has dramatically improved AI performance.

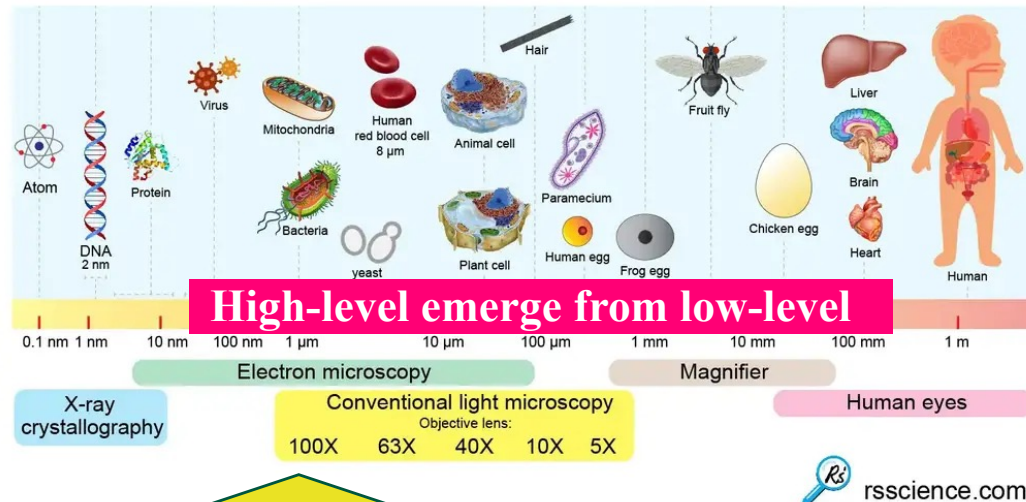




Large quality changes emerge by scaling

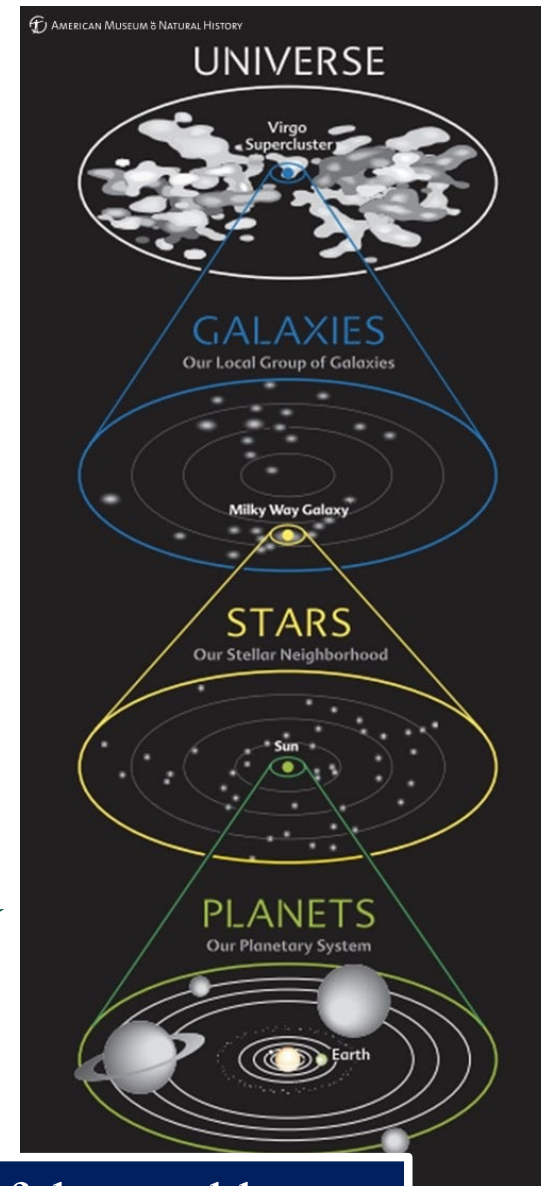
THE LENGTH SCALE OF BIOLOGY

from atoms, DNA, proteins, viruses, bacteria, mitochondria, animal and plant cells, single-celled organisms, fruit fly, organs, to our bodies



Life has high intelligence like humans by emergence through scaling.

Nature is also composed of diverse scales.



The quality change through scaling is the essence of the world ...



https://www.reddit.com/r/space/comments/390yia/this_diagram_shows_our_cosmic_address_at_a_glance/
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Example of shortest line emergence as the number of ants scales



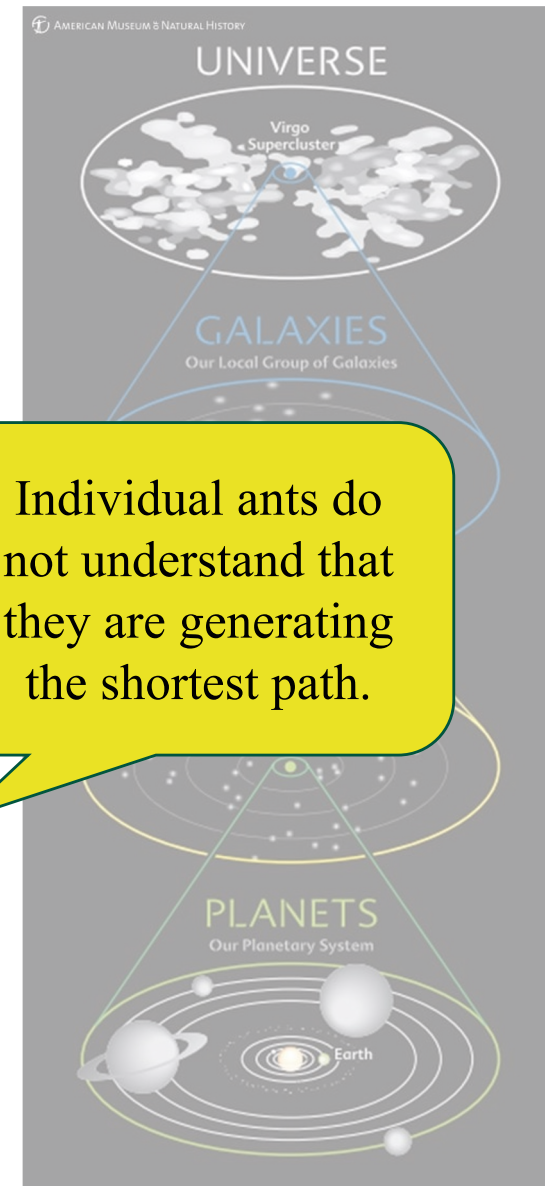
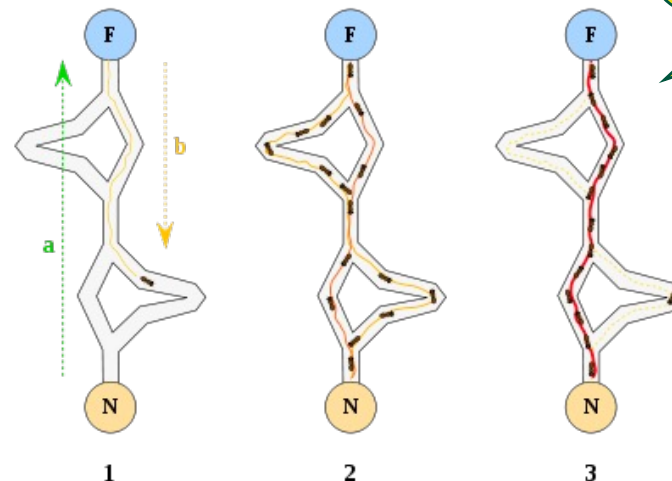
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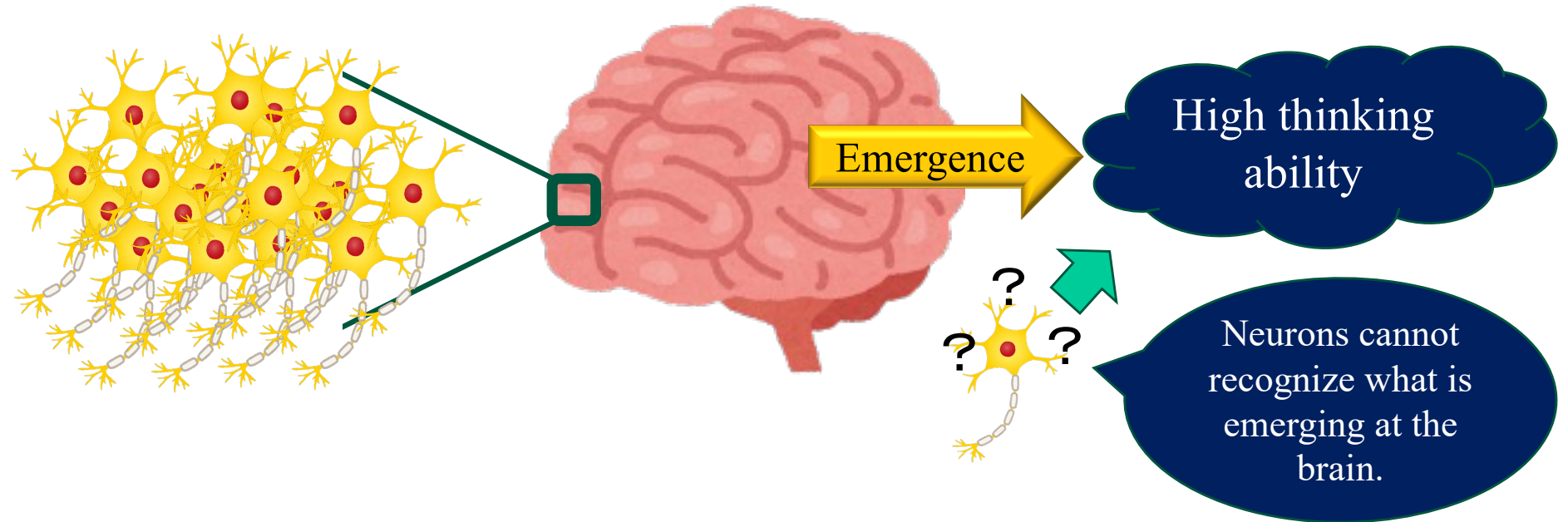
Individual ants simply act freely, following the simple rule of indirect coordination by pheromones.

However, when a large number of ants act in a swarm, they generate the shortest pathway between food and the nest.

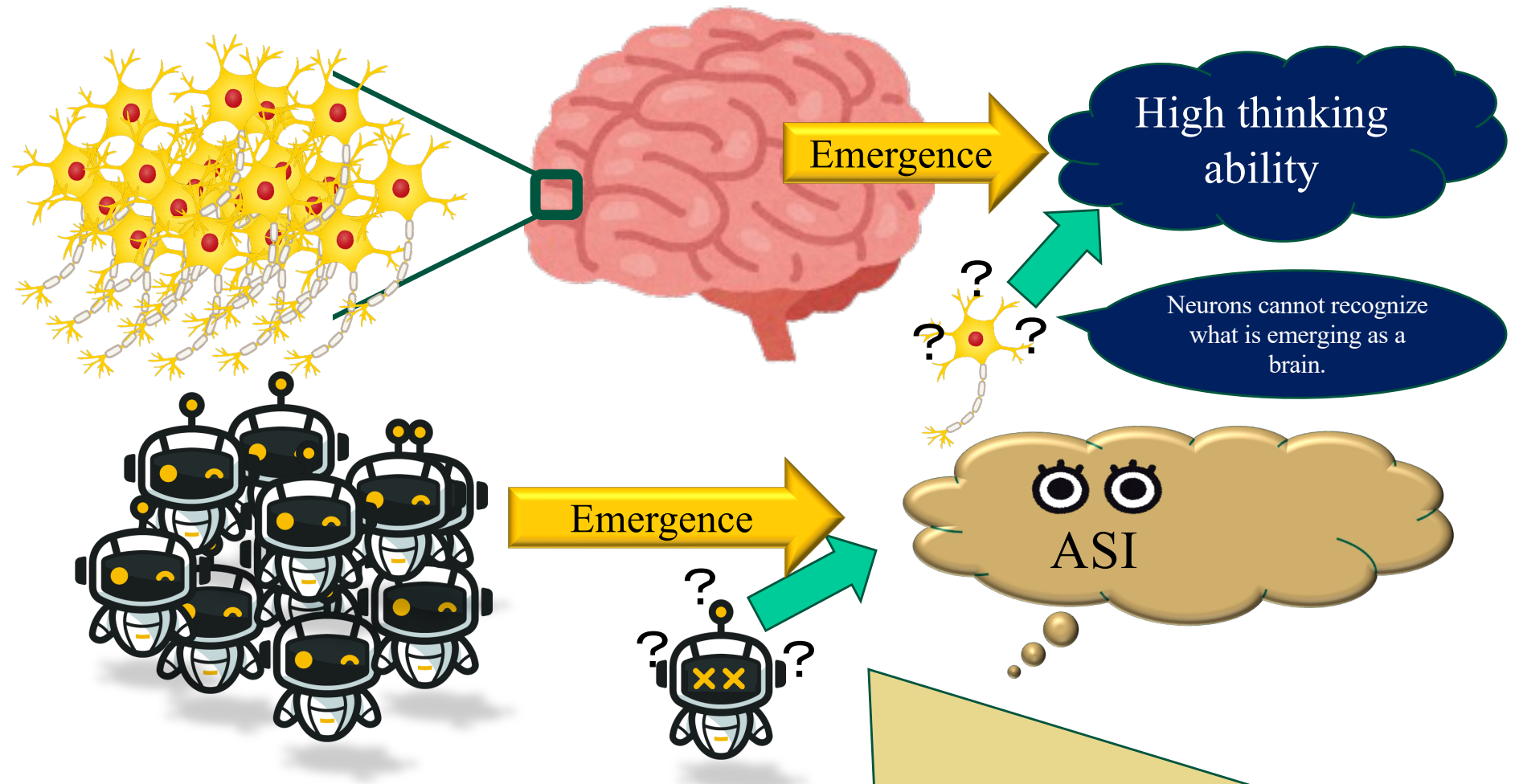
Individual ants do not understand that they are generating the shortest path.



The lower layers and the upper layers from which the lower layers emerge have basically different dynamics



ASI may emerge if autonomous AI is scaled.



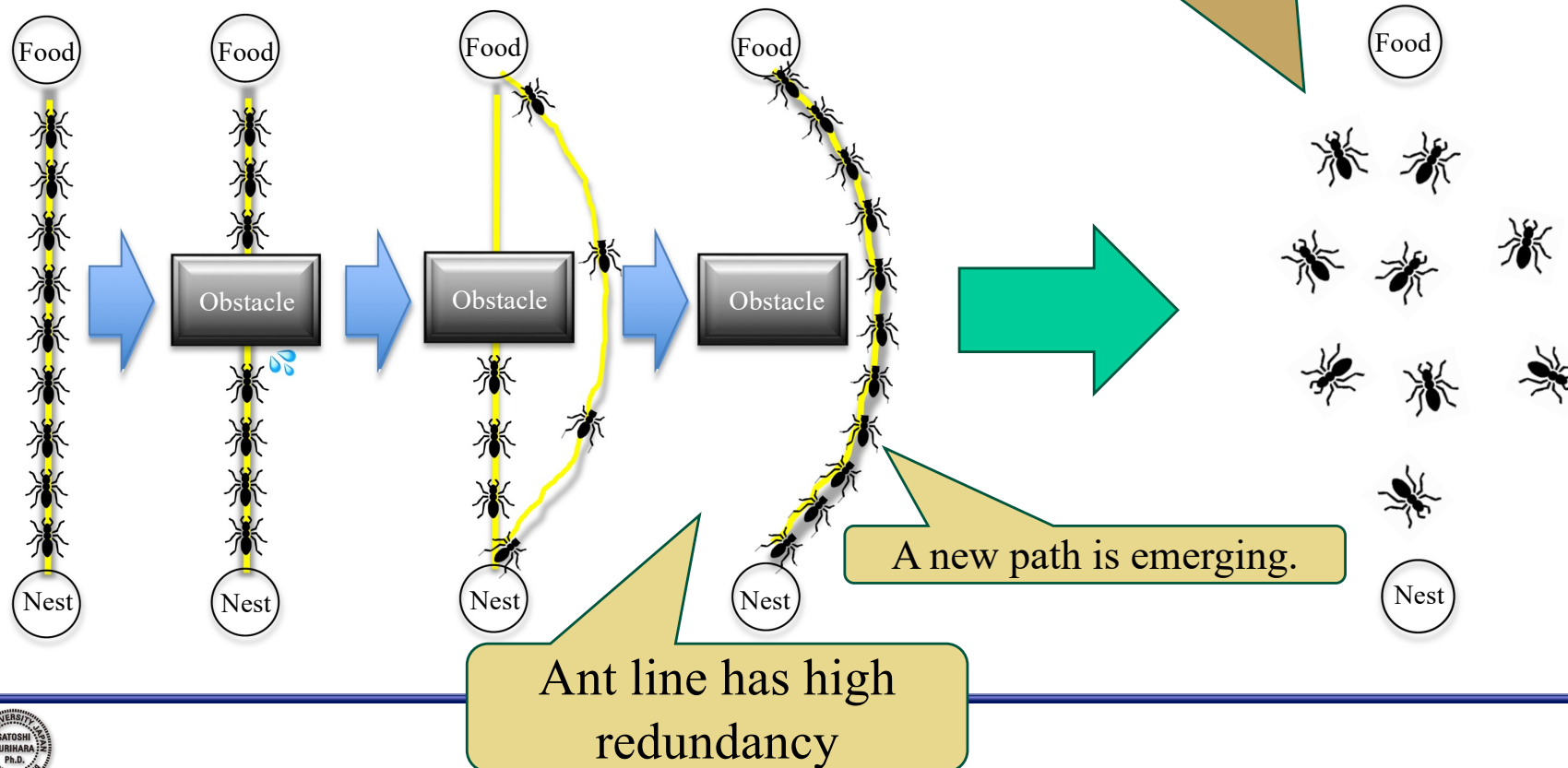
- The dynamics of individual autonomous AIs and ASIs are different.
- The intelligence of ASI cannot be understood by humans.
- For people, the impact of ASI will be on the same level as natural phenomena.

However, intervention into ASI may be possible

If the dynamics of the lower layers change, the dynamics of the emergent upper layers also change.

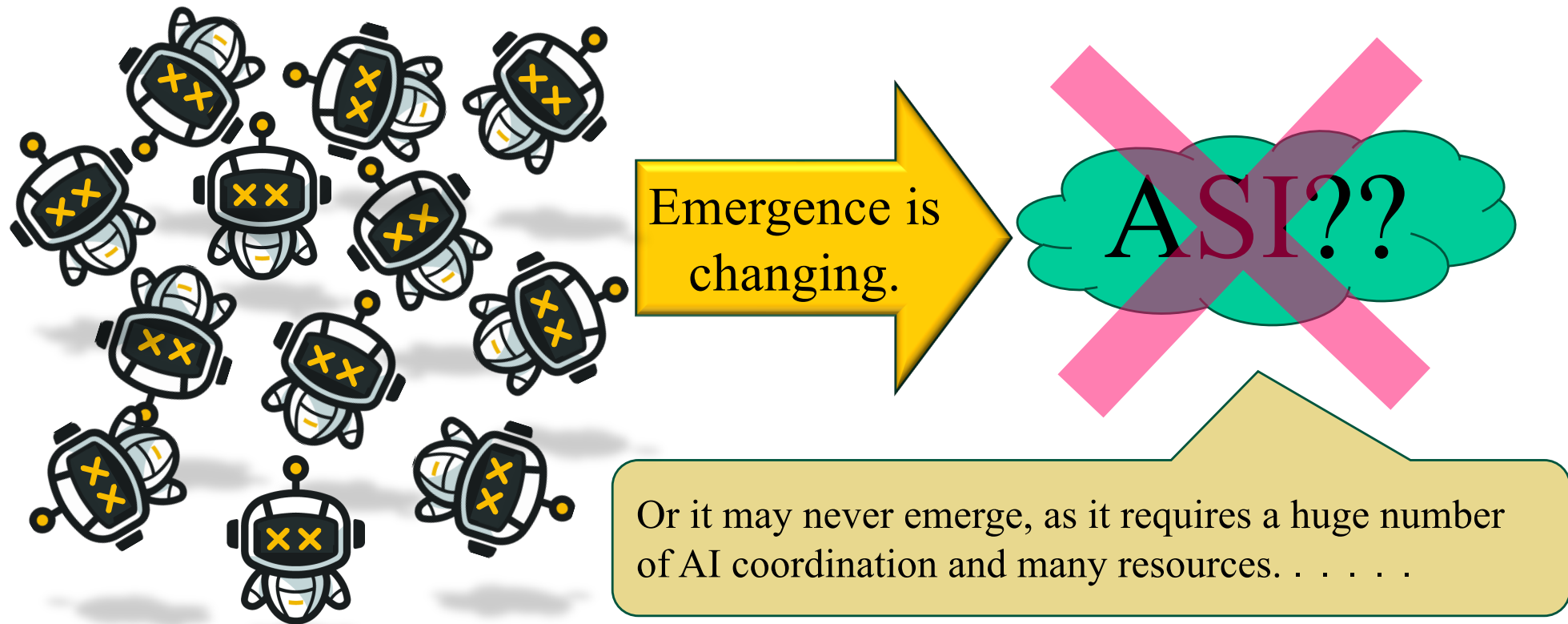
Intervening into the emergent ant line itself is difficult.

Intervening into the behavioral rules of each ant itself changes what is emergent !!



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Modifying the behavioral rules of each autonomous AI may change the behavior of emerging ASI ...



Although even current AI poses threats to human survival, such as the generation of demagogic fakes and AI weapons, etc.

Conclusion remark

- Humanity's desires never stop ... People seek. Technology evolves.
- Next to the era of tool-oriented AI is the era of autonomous AI.
- OMOTENASHI is an important keyword for autonomous AI.
- Data Learning-type AI is within human understanding.
- The scaling of autonomous AI could lead to the emergence of ASI.
- The intelligence of ASI is no longer within human comprehension.
- However, emergence can be controlled by controlling coordination behavior of each autonomous AI.



