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Imagine a Smarter World.™



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- VERSES is a publicly-listed cognitive computing company specializing in next generation Al. Founded in 2018 - LA and Eindhoven in the EU..
- We a software company. We build tools that allow you to build Al agents. Those tools are:
 - Inspired by natural principles
 - Based on (neuro)science
 - Grounded in socio-technical standards
- Our smart software (AI) **"smartware"** operates "like humans do." It can:
 - Perform cognitive tasks: think, learn, understand, predict, and update its understanding.
 - Perform physical tasks: fly a drone, drive a car, "see" through a camera.
 - Network with other smartware.
- Our mission is to transforms society for the better using smarter software.







1. STANDARDS

Genius

2. VERSES AI PLATFORM

3. INTELLIGENT AGENTS based on ACTIVE INFERENCE

AI-BASED AUTONOMOUS SOLUTIONS



SUPPLY CHAIN

- Wayfinding to exact location
- Spatial Tasks and Instructions
- Capacity Optimization
- Rapid Asset Location
- Dynamic IOT Integration
- Spatial Analytics & Simulation

FACILITY MANAGEMENT

- Inventory & Equip Management
- Optimized Routing
- Activity Validation
- Facility Management
- Regulatory Compliance
- Emergency Response

SMART CITY & MOBILITY

- Land Title Management
- Mobility / Drone Compliance
- Climate Accounting
- Identity & Facial Recognition
- Public Services
- Digital Certificate Issuance





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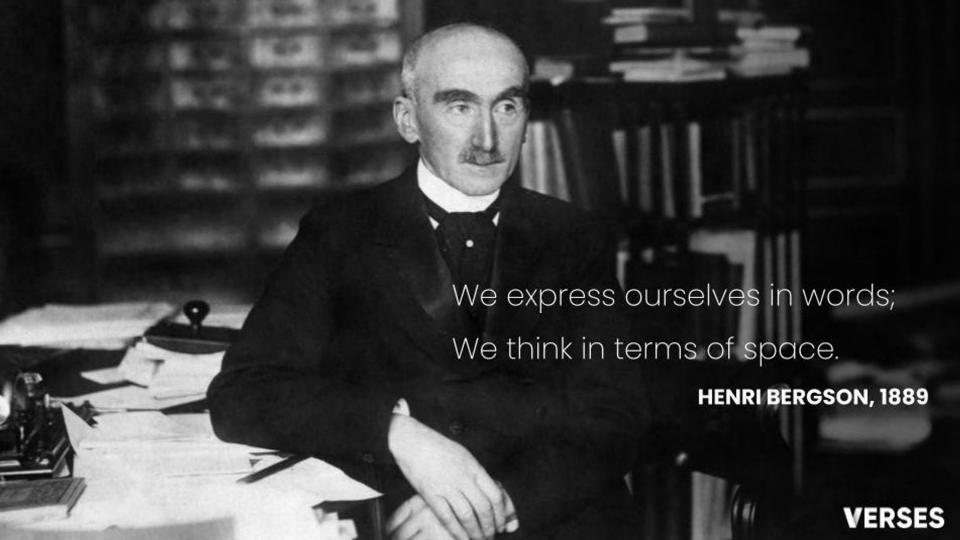
<u>The Genius Neuroscientist Who</u> <u>Might Hold the Key to True Al</u>

"Professor Karl Friston's free energy principle might be the most allencompassing idea since Charles Darwin's theory of natural selection."



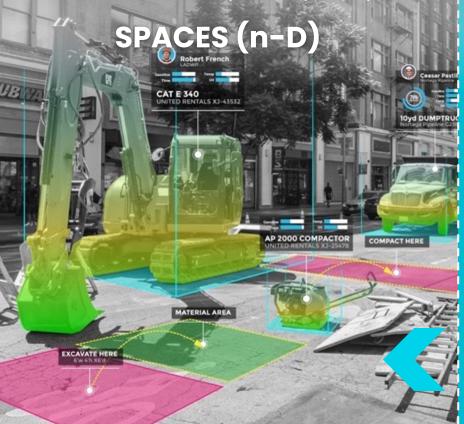
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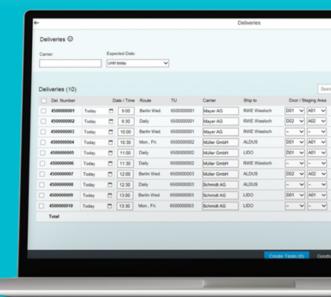


PROGRAMMING AND COMPUTING IN SPACE

Today's Enterprise Systems are "Dimensionally-Challenged"



PAGES (2-D)



The next frontier will need smarter Al

Artificial Narrow Intelligence (ANI)

ANI describes AIs that are good at a particular task at a level equal or better than a human being.

EXAMPLE

Virtual assistants, such as Siri or Alexa.



Artificial General Intelligence (AGI)

AGI is an AI that can perform any task that a human being can. This is what most of us think of when we think of AI.

EXAMPLE

David, the child-like android from the 2001 movie Artificial Intelligence.



Artificial Super Intelligence (ASI)

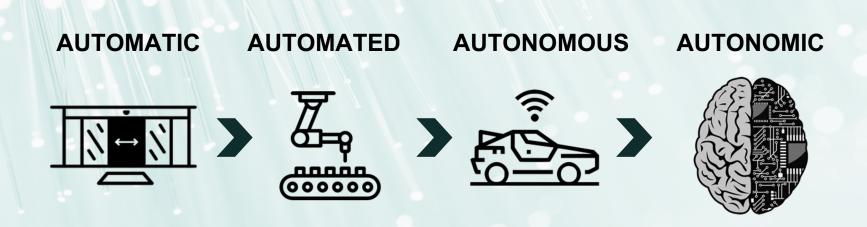
This is an intelligence that surpasses anything that humans can do.

EXAMPLE

Marvel's J.A.R.V.I.S. (Just A Rather Very Intelligent System)

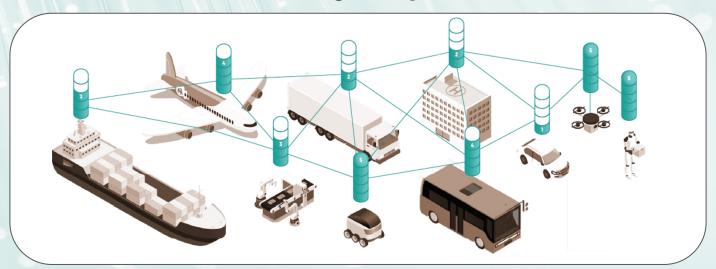


The next frontier will become autonomic



Beyond screens and into the physical world

- Software + Robotic & IoT systems = Cyber-Physical Systems (CPS)
- AI + CPS = Autonomous Intelligent Systems (AIS)

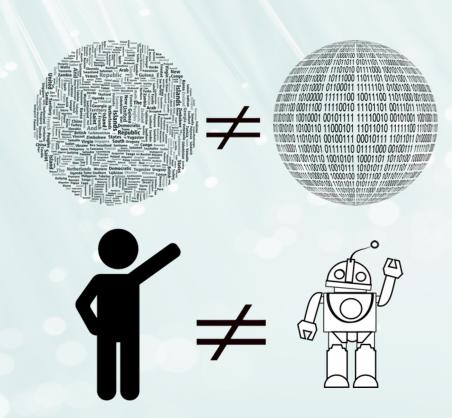


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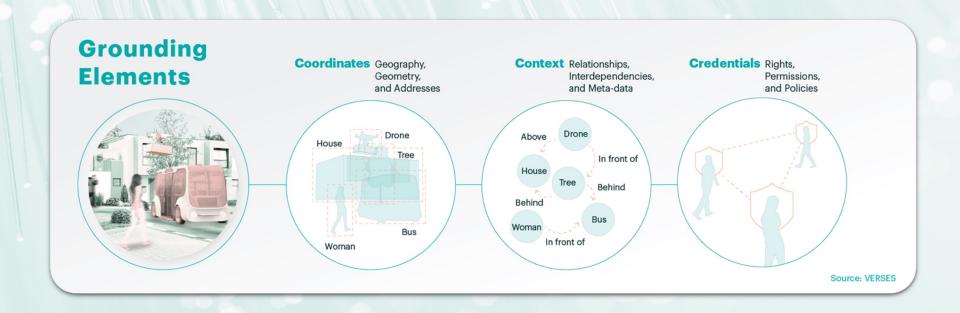


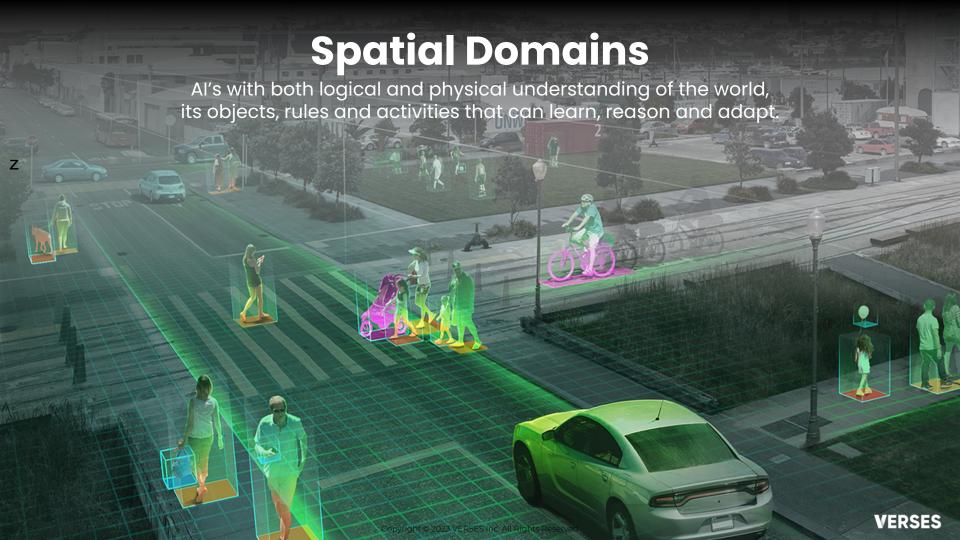
THE GROUNDING PROBLEM

- No shared model
- No shared meaning
- No common language
- No understanding



USE CASE MODELLING BASED ON STANDARDS





100 + GLOBAL MEMBERS

(Academia, government, business leaders)





INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS
ASSOCIATION

Hyperspatial Transaction Protocol (HSTP) & Hyperspatial Modeling Language (HSML)

SPATIAL WEB WG P2874

Open, Interoperable "public imperative"

Also informed by IEEE's Ethically-Aligned Design P7000
Series of standards that provide guidance for the support of human rights, well-being, accountability, and transparency for Al and Autonomous Intelligent
Systems

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LAW AS CODE

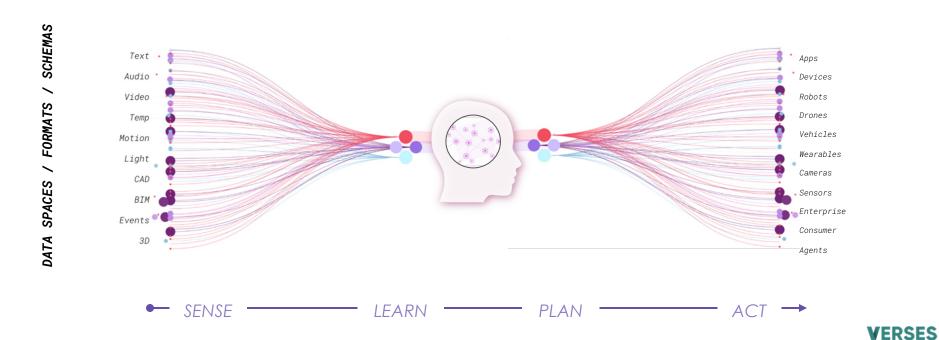


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SMARTER AI

GENIUS AGENTS CONTINUOUSLY SHARE KNOWLEDGE MODELS BETWEEN EDGES

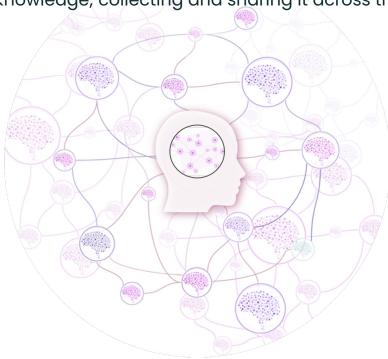


NETWORKED AI

Agents grow in knowledge; collecting and sharing it across the KOSM network.

Genius Network

Free data from siloed schemas and systems enabling a globally shared knowledge base for data, devices, and Al across the universal computing network known as the Spatial Web.



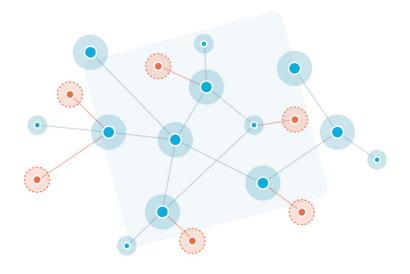
KNOWLEDGE SHARING

- Interoperability
- Composability
- Scalability
- Governance
- Automation

FRUGAL AI







Smart Data

SELF-REGULATING INTELLIGENCE

- Al will evolve from large language models to nimble "Intelligent Agents" that will communicate, exchange knowledge, and work together to tackle dynamic challenges.
- These Agents will be empowered by a new approach to Al using a framework borrowed from neuroscience called
 "Active Inference," developed by Karl Friston.
- Based on how intelligence manifests in the brain, it provides a blueprint for intelligent agents to learn, plan and act.



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AIS International Rating System (AIRS)

AIS1

AIS 2

AIS 3

AIS 4

AIS 5

Intelligence Level

Systematic

Recognizes and responds to patterns. Follows predefined rules. Abilities limited to specific tasks or domains.

Narrow Intelligence

Sentient

Perceives its environment and responds in real time. Exhibits curiosity and seeks out information to update its model. **Sophisticated**

Learns and adapts to new situations and plans based on the consequences of actions or beliefs about the world.

General Intelligence

Sympathetic

Understands and responds to the emotions and needs of humans and other Als and considers different perspectives.

Shared

Works together with humans, agents, and physical systems to solve complex problems, outperforming humans at most tasks.

Super Intelligence

Governance Potential



Centralized



Hierarchical



Federated



Decentralized



Distributed

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HOW TO MAKE SAFER AI?



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Common world model based on social technical standards



Adaptive intelligent agents based on first principles in inspired by nature



Organised in a connected Network

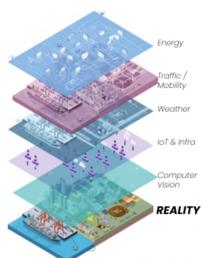


The power to make the world genuinely smarter.

Efficient, compliant, and secure flow of people and things across locations.

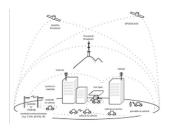
Spatial Web Standards Spatial Domains **HSML & HSTP**

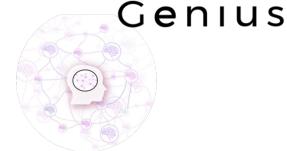
WORLD MODEL Interoperable Maps & Twins / Al models



Policy abiding Al-Agents & Networked intelligence

Governance of activity, identity, locations and spaces







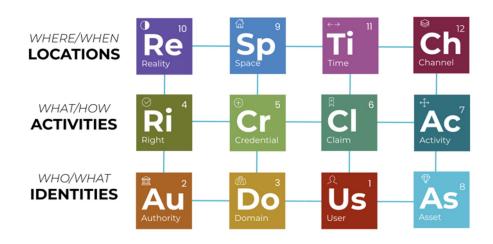
THANK YOU!

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HSML: MODELING HUMAN KNOWLEDGE

- **HSML** encodes properties of physical objects, logical concepts, and contextual activities linking people, places, things and Al.
- And facilitates multimodal modeling and knowledge sharing among machines and humans, while addressing ethical, moral, economic, and societal considerations.



HSTP: COMMUNICATION FOR DATA & DEVICES

- HSTP provides a universal, secure, and verifiable protocol for communicating HSML between digital and physical systems.
- Ensuring seamless interaction between diverse Al systems.
- It incorporates a **zero-trust architecture** for secure data exchange and control over AI operations.



SHARED UNDERSTANDING

By bridging the communication gap between AI systems and humans, we can ensure AI's alignment with societal norms and values

Grounding AI in a shared model of the world gets us:

- Explainability
- Trust
- Alignment
- Compliance
- Interoperability



LEGISLATION: CURRENT AND FUTURE-PROOF

How can we create policies and regulations for both humans and Als/machines?

