



# Should Algorithms be allowed to play God?

• A new priest named Mindar is holding forth at Kodaiji, a 400-year-old Buddhist temple in Kyoto, Japan.

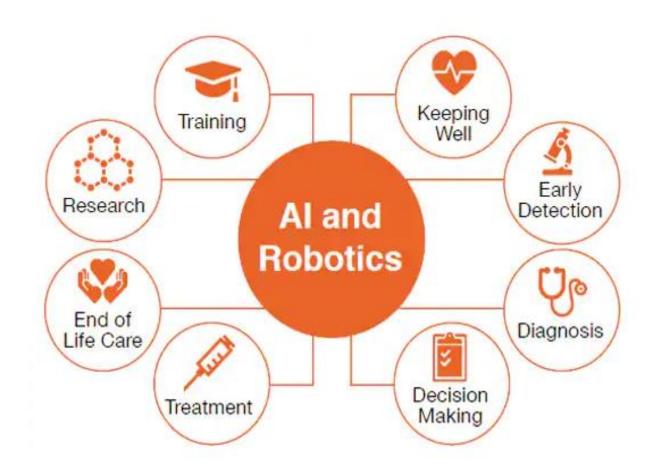
 Robot priests can bless you, advise you, and even perform your funeral

- In their book "Competing in the Age of AI", Marco Iansiti and Karim Lakhani highlight the importance of creating an AI factory.
- This session is about the new global technological infrastructure.
  It will emphasize how artificial intelligence has changed the business landscape across the world.
- We will talk about the new business models and the digital transformation of our societies, something the Japanese define as "society 5.0."

#### Introduction

- The data revolution creates **endless opportunities to confront the grand challenges of the 21st century**. Yet, as the **scale and scope** of data grow, so must our ability to analyze and contextualize it.
- Drawing **genuine insights** from data requires training in statistics and computer science, and subject area knowledge.
- Putting insights into action requires a careful understanding of the potential ethical consequences - for both individuals and entire societies.

#### Introduction



### Transforming healthcare

- Internet of Medical Things (IoMT)
- Next slide: Al can give doctors a 48hour head start on life-threatening illness

Source: PWC

# Kraft-Heinz And Notco Form Joint Venture To Produce Al-Powered Food Products

- Called The Kraft Heinz Not Company, it will leverage NotCo's patented Al platform to develop the food products, while Kraft-Heinz will offer up its production capabilities and formidable sales channels to help bring the products to market. In joining forces with NotCo, Kraft-Heinz is partnering up with one of the hottest new brands in the fast-growing alt-milk category.
- This new JV could serve as a template for other large CPG brands looking to rejuvenate their product lines as more consumers turn to plant-based diets. Many of the old-school brands are ill-equipped to utilize newer product development tools like Al to create new products.



#### **GM Plans 25 Digital Features, Services by 2026**

- General Motors aims to turbocharge its non-vehicle revenue by introducing dozens of new fee-based digital features by 2026, including one enabling a car to predict when it will need maintenance, a top executive said on Thursday."We have 50-some value-added products and services that we'll be rolling out over the next 36 to 48 months," Steve Carlisle, president of GM North America, said at an investor conference.
- The new digital products, including in-vehicle subscriptions, will be supported by GM's Ultifi software and connectivity platform. Ultifi also will enable overthe-air software updates, and help drivers and passengers with tasks such as online shopping.

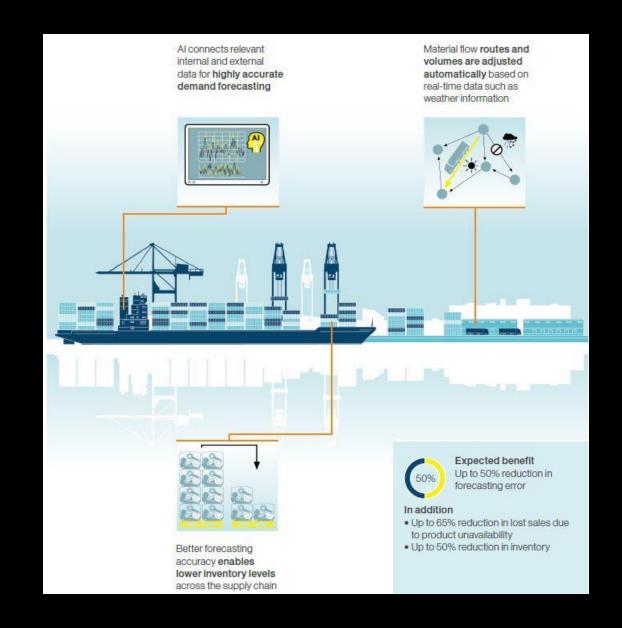
#### Lloyds Outlines £1 Billion, Three-Year Digitalization Strategy

Lloyds Banking Group is to spend £1 billion over the next three years on overhauling its technology infrastructure and self-service capabilities. The long-term strategy, outlined by new chief executive Charlie Nunn, involves porting 20% of its applications to the cloud by 2024 and decommissioning over 15% of legacy applications. The initiative comes after a leaked video emerged late last year of a senior Lloyds executive complaining about the age of its on-site technology which was deemed "not fit for purpose".

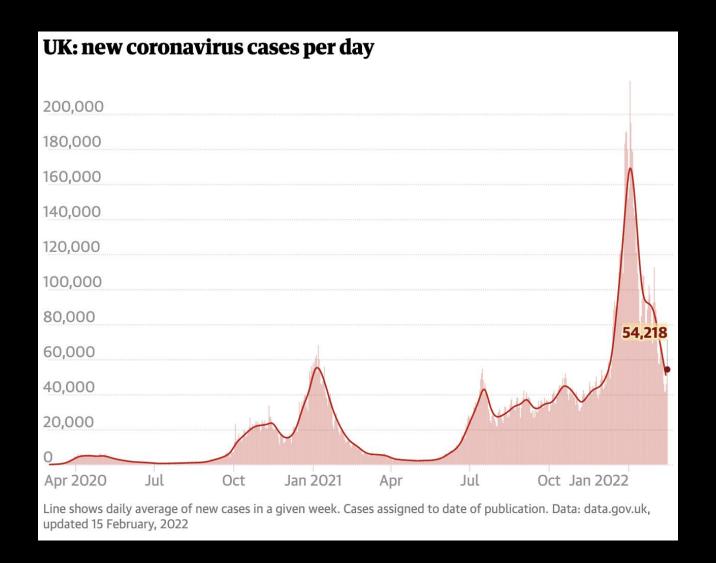


# Improving supply chain with machine learning

DHL's research predicting that AI will enable backoffice automation, predictive operations, intelligent logistics assets, and new customer experience model

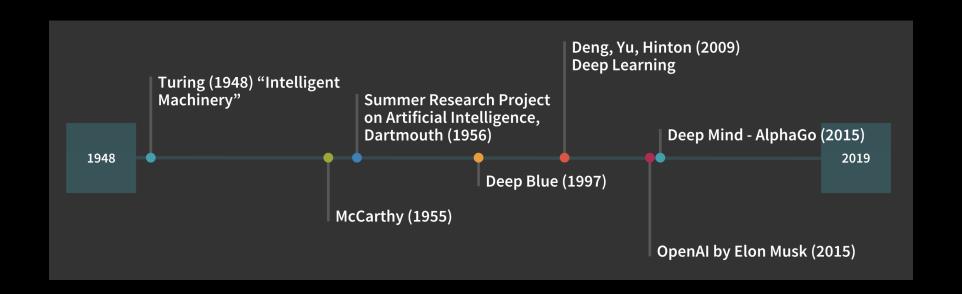


# How 15000 covid cases went unreported because of Excel error

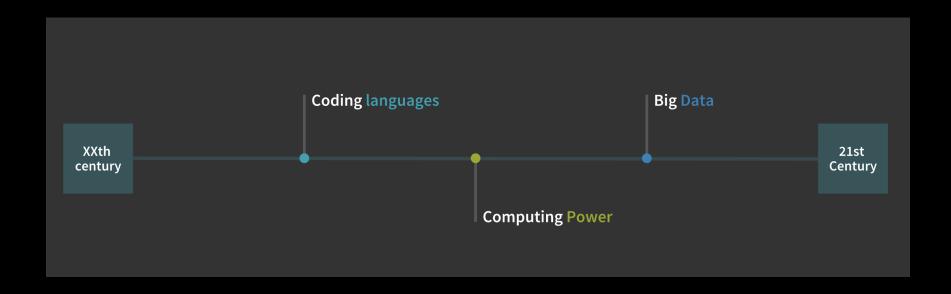


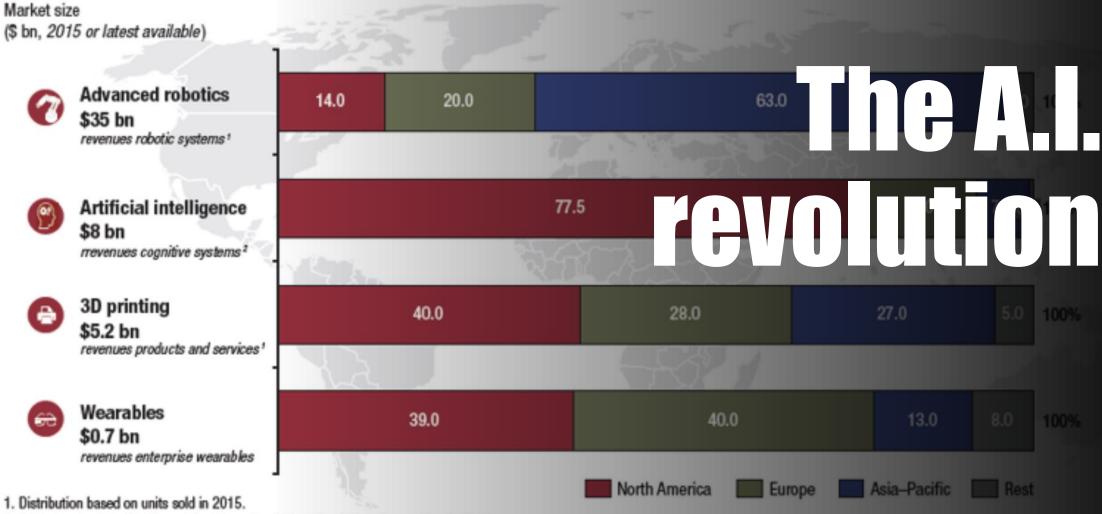
# 1. The Artificial Intelligence Revolution

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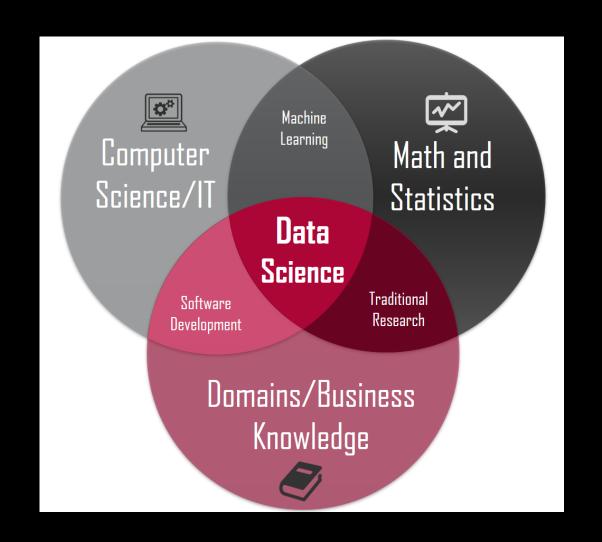


Estimates for Asia—Pacific and Rest based on International Data Corporation (IDC) data;
 Source: International Federation of Robotics, Wohlers Associates, Technavio, IDC, expert interviews, A.T. Kearney

#### The A.I. revolution

... to Society 5.0

• The era of data is upon us. It is proliferating at an unprecedented pace, reflecting every aspect of our lives and circulating from satellites in space through the phones in our pockets.





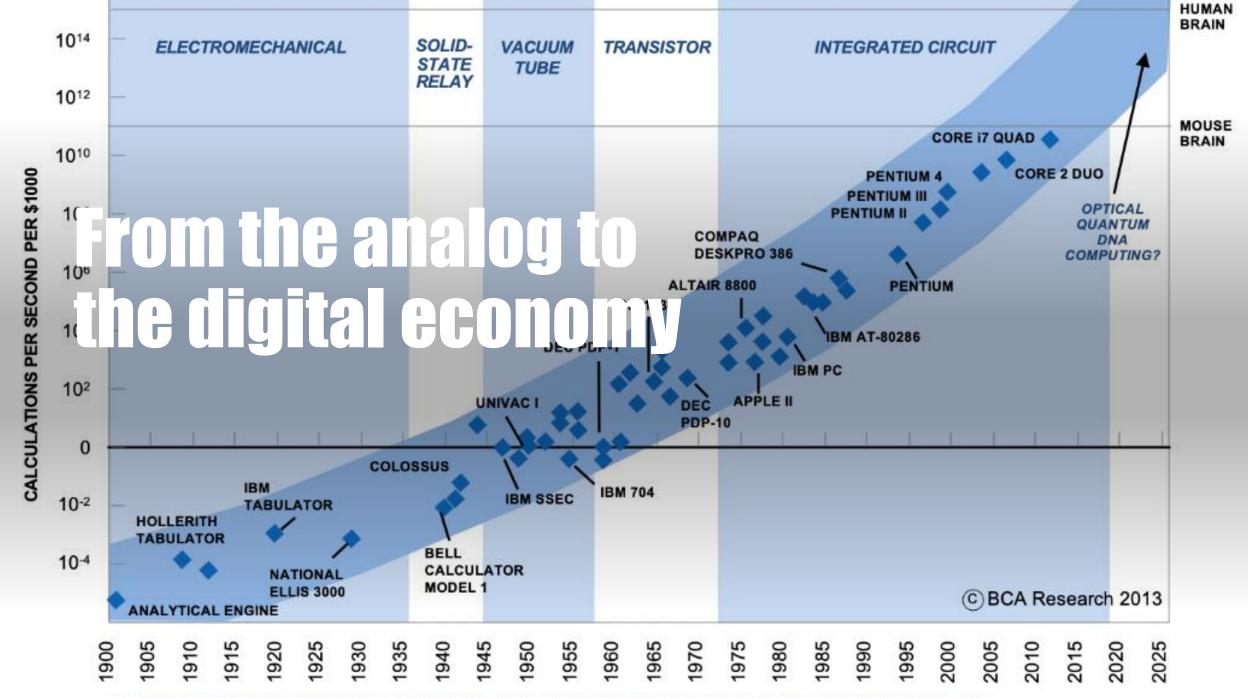
#### **Architectural revolution**

- architectural innovation for companies
- architectural innovation for governments (Government 4.0)

### IR 4.0 and its impact on the global economy

#### The A.I. revolution for businesses

- Thanks to A.I., the time is of the utmost importance. In a way, time is "extended" thanks to the convergence of algorithms, computing power and data.
- As a result, information arrives at a point closer to the point where a decision can be made.
- The **predictive power** is gained and uncertainty is transformed into "ambiguity". A bit like a radar capable of reading through thick cloud cover.
- A.I. will add \$13 trillion to the global economy over the next decade (Fountaine, McCarthy and Saleh 2019).





2 000 000

Mobile



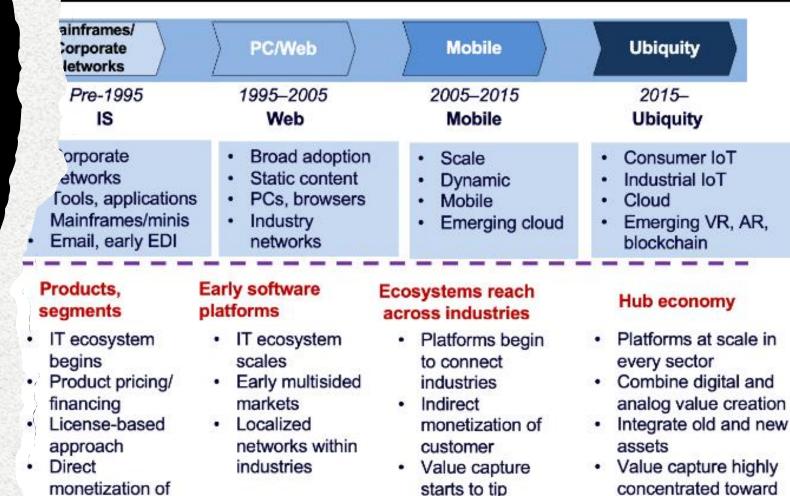
Web

1 000 000

IT Investment \$ (MM)

Mainframes, minicomputers

500 000





customer



#### Microsoft









#### Alphabet

few hub firms





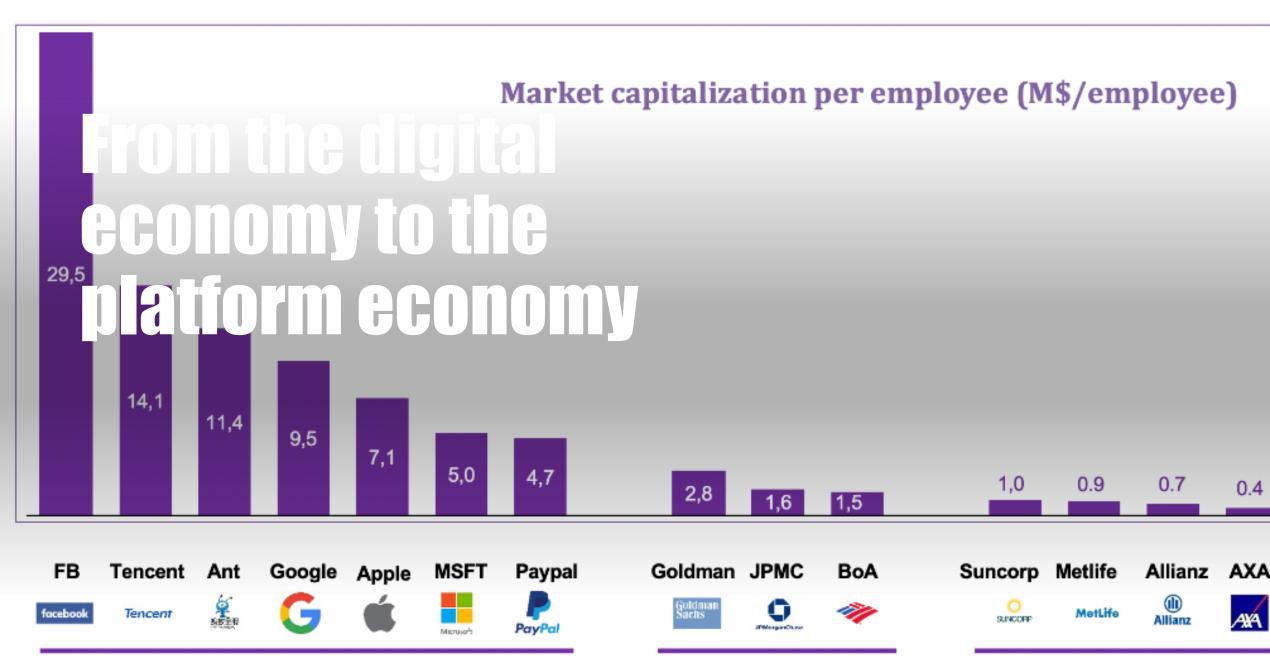


Increasing business model complexity

- Does the story end here?
- A CHANGE IN BUSINESS MODELS



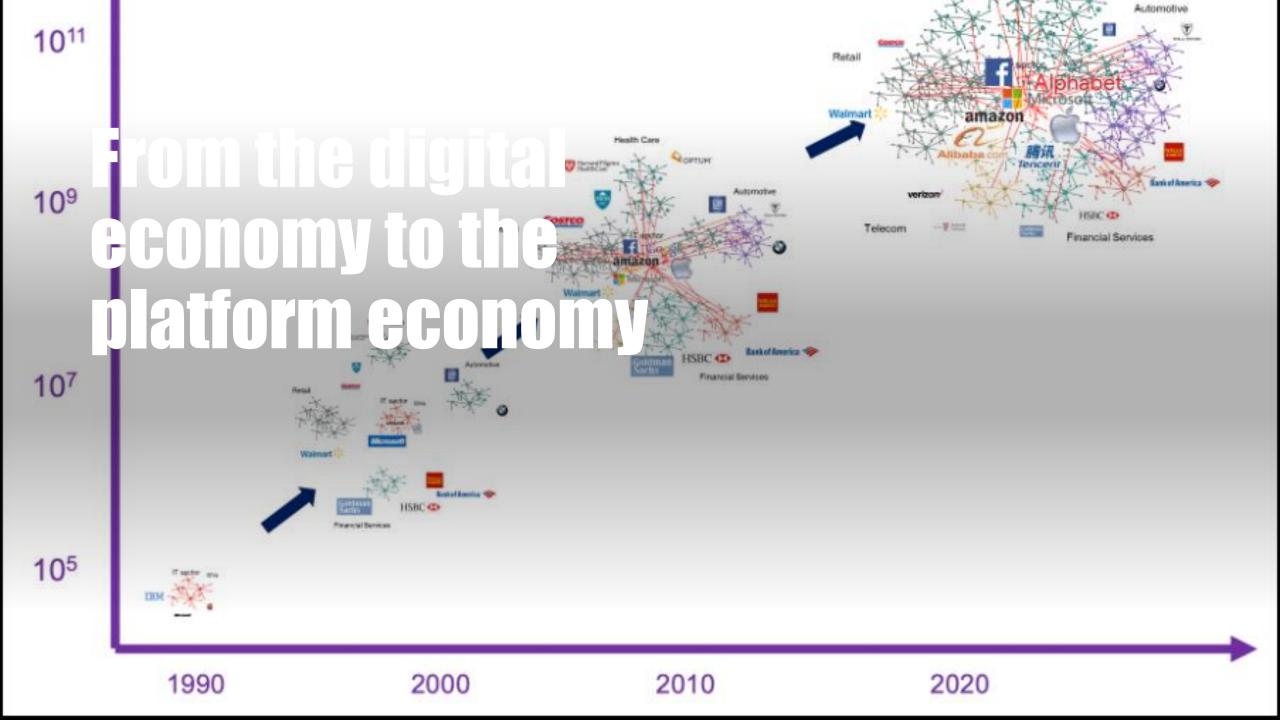
- The notion of Keystone Player (lansiti and Levien, 2004)
- Economies of scale + economies of scope + network effects + data network effects + ... = the new monopoly power?



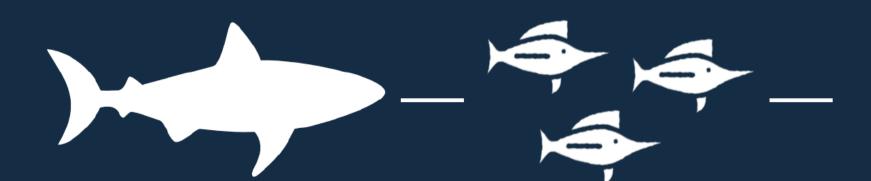
**Platforms** 

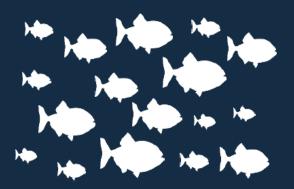
**Banks** 

Insurance companies



#### Platform economics in nutshell





Digital **White Sharks** 

Google 💣





- At the top of the food chain -

Digital **Swordfish** 



**UBER** 







- Big, fast, rarely get eaten -

Digital







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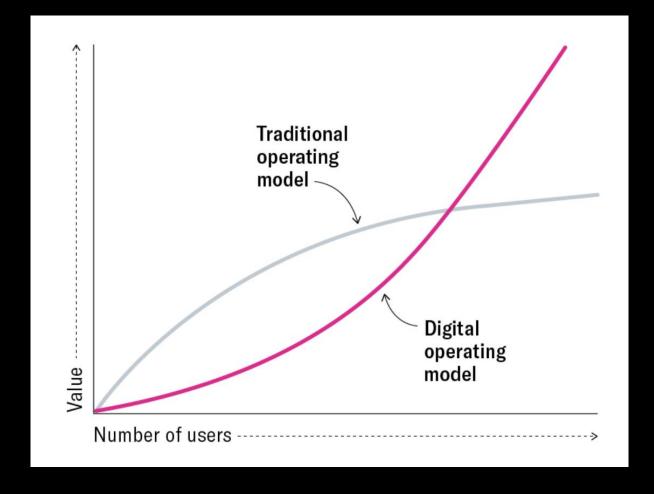
- Small but aggressive for prey -



#### From rupture to collision

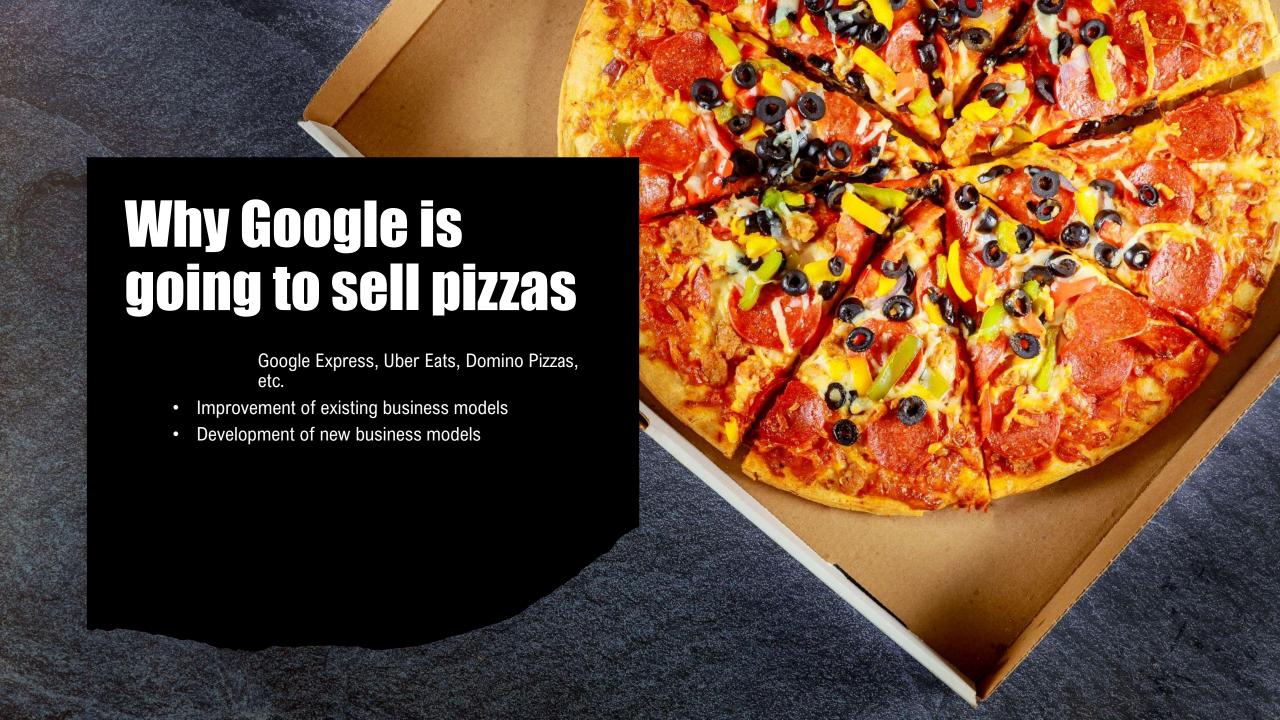
In grey: similar companies with diminishing returns to scale

In pink: key players / Digital Natives with increasing returns to scale



#### From rupture to collision

- The question of the digital natives: the A.I. factories.
- The question of network effects and data network effects



## Conclusion

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#### **Conclusion**

• A.I. and data: how to become a 21st-century manager

"Al is not going to replace managers but managers that use Al will replace those that do not,"

Rob Thomas, senior vice president of IBM's cloud and data platform

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