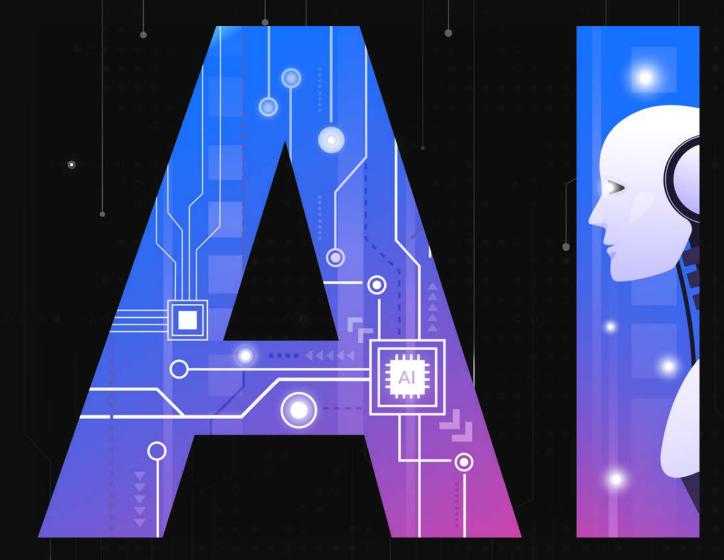




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Words by: Aamir Khollam

Beyond the noise of blockbusters and celluloid spectacles, movies are capable of changing people and expanding a viewer's perception of reality by injecting notions into their heads. Artificial intelligence, machine learning, and data science are some of the popular terms in today's world and it is only natural that mainstream films around the globe have depicted them on a massive scale. Be it the nuanced take of Joaquin Phoenix's Her or the action commercial take of Shankar's Robot, there is more than just one way artificial intelligence has been showcased on the silver screen

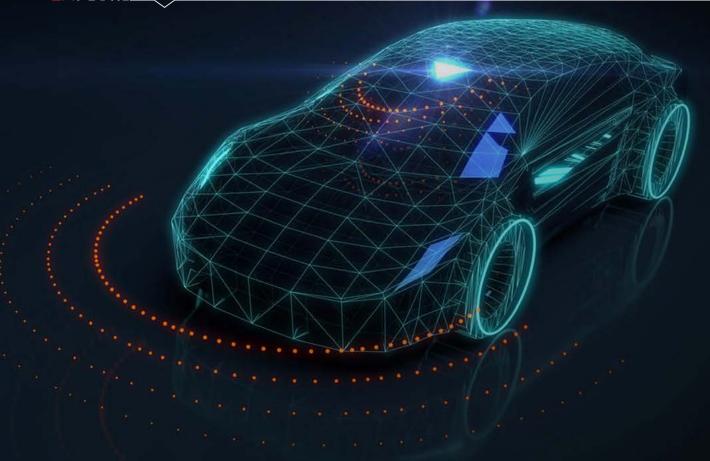
I am sure that a big chunk of humanity has been introduced to the concept of artificial intelligence via sci-fi films. Thus, it was made imperative for me to discuss all the sci-fi films depicting AI in our AI special edition. I've made it clear that movies are far more than just a medium of entertainment and amusement, they play a vital role in shaping our consciousness and worldview. In simple words, movies educate us and spread vivid ideas more efficiently than a book. The prominent reason why films are effective is due to them being a visual medium. The engaging medium binds people to their seats and immerses them in an experience like no other, of course, if done well. The content displayed on the screen is far more interesting than words printed on a book at least in my opinion. This explains why people now jump on YouTube and other visual stimulants like social media during their free time rather than reading a book. Films also allow people to attach concrete graphics to an idea like the Infinity Stones from the Marvel Cinematic Universe, Lightsabers from Star Wars, and so on. Being a film buff, there's no other way for me to explore the complexities of AI and machine learning but movies.

BEST ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE FILMS

AI IN FILMS

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Mainstream popular films have a love-hate relationship with AI. Sci-Fi films tend to exaggerate the evil of AI by presenting them as an extinction-inducing entity. Marvel fans surely know about Ultron from the second Avengers movie. Iron Man builds an AI to protect the world but it instead becomes hellbent on wiping out humanity off the face of the Earth. On the other hand, AI is depicted as a helping hand to aching souls with its portrayal in the film Her, where Theodore Twombly ends up developing a relationship with an artificially intelligent virtual assistant similar to Apple's Siri. This leaves us questioning the actual nature of AI when it comes close to its portrayal in films. In the future, will AI control and dethrone us to become the apex predator? It's too soon to make that judgment now. But what I can do for the time being is to list down the best films with the portrayal of AI for your amusement and understanding of the concept in a rather fictitious take. Please note that the films mentioned below are discussed in detail including spoilers for the same. Read on:



ITS ALL AUTONOMOUS IN THE FUTURE

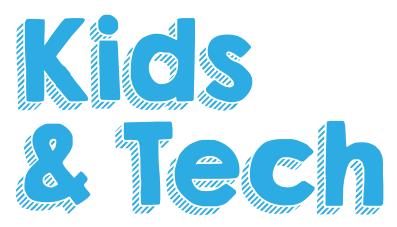
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AUTOMOBILES

As intrinsic to futuristic conceptions as holograms and space travel are autonomous vehicles. The vehicle has long been seen as the pinnacle of technical development, dating back to the early days of science fiction. However, cars frequently seem out of date when we look around our modern cities.

The reality is that the automotive industry's aspiration has grown much faster than its actual development. However, projections show that the global market for autonomous vehicles will increase from \$5.6 billion (paywall) in 2018 to \$60 billion in 2030, indicating that the popularity of selfdriving vehicles will increase significantly. In the interim, integrated technologies across auto brands have gradually revolutionized our automobiles thanks to artificial intelligence (AI).





How is technology affecting the young generation?

Words by: Sandesh Bhosle



ack then, in the 2000s and the early 2010s, when freshers used to make CVs, they often used to add "playing cricket as a hobby." However, the interviewees are still determining whether they really played the sport or not. Outdoor games like cricket and football or indoor games like table tennis and bowling were much more popular (they still are) in the previous decades, and children were crazy about them.

I remember when I was a kid, I used to play outdoor sports like cricket and tennis with friends instead of playing video games. A decade ago, getting out of the house to play games was a joyful experience for everyone, and then technology hit the core. With the arrival of advanced video games, kids started enjoying the experience of playing at home, and their parents were more than happy as they were unaware of the future consequences.







Kids today live in a more advanced world and don't need someone's assistance while operating gadgets. All you have to do is hand over the gadget to them, and they'll sort their way to the infinite possibilities of the gadget they have in a few minutes. Today, even before getting into elementary school, kids are exposed to technology, such as how to operate laptops, computers, smartphones and tablets at home.

Earlier, parents were concerned about the tech exposure, but since the lockdown has happened and schools have started online learning programmes, nobody's really making a question. In the last few years, technology has created an unshakable influence on the development of today's youth as they are surrounded by it from everywhere, be it a television, smartphone, social media or video games.

Nowadays, most people buy multiple televisions, smartphones, tablets, and laptops to keep their kids engaged. As a result, they consume a lot of content daily, about 8 hours in the case of kids and 11-12 hours in the case of teenagers. According to many reports, teenagers send thousands of text messages every day through various social media platforms, stay up late scrolling social media, watching OTT content, and playing video/smartphone games.