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- Wiener's concept of black box
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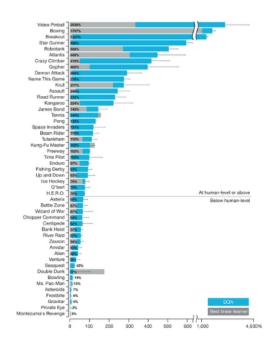
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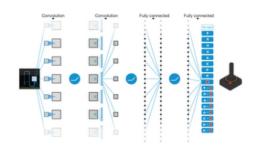


DeepMind results (feb.2015)

the system deep-Q-network was capable to perform as well as the humans at a suite of classic Atari 2600 games, after some long training.

The DQN used the reinforsment learning together with deep learning techniques, in particular the DQN did well with Breakout (destroy a wall brick by brick)





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The power of language in creating object of research

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Michel Foucault on power/knowledge

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According to Spinoza there is no ethics norm in itself, it is the output of the social and political environment and agreement



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So what?

If we accept the representing and intervening connection within science that was underlined from the 80s (Hacking, Latour) we need to assess carefully all AI researches because they are intervening on the representation of the human intelligence The 'reason' of AI science imposes what is intelligence, and how the brain works: this is a rather puzzling paradox and a true knowledge/object/power issue

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