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Future of robotics Various techniques have emerged to develop the science of robotics and robots. One method is evolutionary robotics , in which a number of differing robots are submitted to tests. Those which perform best are used as a model to create a subsequent "generation" of robots. Another method is developmental robotics , which tracks changes and development within a single robot in the areas of problem-solving and other functions. Another new type of robot is just recently introduced which acts both as a smartphone and robot and is named RoboHon. Robot Operating System is an open-source set of programs being developed at Stanford University , the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the Technical University of Munich , Germany, among others. It also provides high-level commands for items like image recognition and even opening doors. It would relay this data to higher-level algorithms. Microsoft is also developing a "Windows for robots" system with its Robotics Developer Studio, which has been available since Much technological research in Japan is led by Japanese government agencies, particularly the Trade Ministry. Generally such predictions are overly optimistic in timescale. New functionalities and prototypes In , Caterpillar Inc. In , these Caterpillar trucks were actively used in mining operations in Australia by the mining company Rio Tinto Coal Australia. She can read newspapers, find and correct misspelled words, learn about banks like Barclays, and understand that some restaurants are better places to eat than others. A worker could teach Baxter how to perform a task by moving its hands in the desired motion and having Baxter memorize them. Any regular worker could program Baxter and it only takes a matter of minutes, unlike usual industrial robots that take extensive programs and coding in order to be used. This means Baxter needs no programming in order to operate. No software engineers are needed. This also means Baxter can be taught to perform multiple, more complicated tasks. Sawyer was added in for smaller, more precise tasks. The play does not focus in detail on the technology behind the creation of these living creatures, but in their appearance they prefigure modern ideas of androids , creatures who can be mistaken for humans. These mass-produced workers are depicted as efficient but emotionless, incapable of original thinking and indifferent to self-preservation. At issue is whether the robots are being exploited and the consequences of human dependence upon commodified labor especially after a number of specially-formulated robots achieve self-awareness and incite robots all around the world to rise up against the humans. However, he did not like the word, and sought advice from his brother Josef, who suggested "roboti". Robot is cognate with the German root Arbeit work. Asimov created the " Three Laws of Robotics " which are a recurring theme in his books. These have since been used by many others to define laws used in fiction. The three laws are pure fiction, and no technology yet created has the ability to understand or follow them, and in fact most robots serve military purposes, which run quite contrary to the first law and often the third law. If you read the short stories, every single one is about a failure, and they are totally impractical," said Dr. Joanna Bryson of the University of Bath. Mobile robot and Automated guided vehicle Mobile robots [76] have the capability to move around in their environment and are not fixed to one physical location. An example of a mobile robot that is in common use today is the automated guided vehicle or automatic guided vehicle AGV. An AGV is a mobile robot that follows markers or wires in the floor, or uses vision or lasers. Mobile robots are also found in industry, military and security environments. Mobile robots are the focus of a great deal of current research and almost every major university has one or more labs that focus on mobile robot research. Because of this most humans rarely encounter robots. However domestic robots for cleaning and maintenance are increasingly common in and around homes in developed countries. Robots can also be found in military applications. Industrial robot and Manipulator device A pick and place robot in a factory Industrial robots usually consist of a jointed arm multi-linked manipulator and an end effector that is attached to a fixed surface. One of the most common type of end effector is a gripper assembly. Service robot Most commonly industrial robots are fixed robotic arms

and manipulators used primarily for production and distribution of goods. The term "service robot" is less well-defined. The International Federation of Robotics has proposed a tentative definition, "A service robot is a robot which operates semi- or fully autonomously to perform services useful to the well-being of humans and equipment, excluding manufacturing operations. Educational robotics Robots are used as educational assistants to teachers. From the s, robots such as turtles were used in schools and programmed using the Logo language. Robotics have also been introduced into the lives of elementary and high school students in the form of robot competitions with the company FIRST For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology. Modular robot Main article: Self-reconfiguring modular robot Modular robots are a new breed of robots that are designed to increase the utilization of robots by modularizing their architecture. These robots are composed of a single type of identical, several different identical module types, or similarly shaped modules, which vary in size. Their architectural structure allows hyper-redundancy for modular robots, as they can be designed with more than 8 degrees of freedom DOF. Creating the programming, inverse kinematics and dynamics for modular robots is more complex than with traditional robots. Modular robots may be composed of L-shaped modules, cubic modules, and U and H-shaped modules. These "ANAT robots" can be designed with "n" DOF as each module is a complete motorized robotic system that folds relatively to the modules connected before and after it in its chain, and therefore a single module allows one degree of freedom. The more modules that are connected to one another, the more degrees of freedom it will have. L-shaped modules can also be designed in a chain, and must become increasingly smaller as the size of the chain increases, as payloads attached to the end of the chain place a greater strain on modules that are further from the base. ANAT H-shaped modules do not suffer from this problem, as their design allows a modular robot to distribute pressure and impacts evenly amongst other attached modules, and therefore payload-carrying capacity does not decrease as the length of the arm increases. Modular robots can be manually or self-reconfigured to form a different robot, that may perform different applications. Because modular robots of the same architecture type are composed of modules that compose different modular robots, a snake-arm robot can combine with another to form a dual or quadra-arm robot, or can split into several mobile robots, and mobile robots can split into multiple smaller ones, or combine with others into a larger or different one. This allows a single modular robot the ability to be fully specialized in a single task, as well as the capacity to be specialized to perform multiple different tasks. Modular robotic technology is currently being applied in hybrid transportation, [84] industrial automation, [85] duct cleaning [86] and handling. Many research centres and universities have also studied this technology, and have developed prototypes. Collaborative robots A collaborative robot or cobot is a robot that can safely and effectively interact with human workers while performing simple industrial tasks. However, end-effectors and other environmental conditions may create hazards, and as such risk assessments should be done before using any industrial motion-control application. Intended for sale to small businesses, they are promoted as the robotic analogue of the personal computer. Autonomy and ethical questions Main articles: He calls this " the Singularity ". In , experts attended a conference hosted by the Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence AAAI to discuss whether computers and robots might be able to acquire any autonomy, and how much these abilities might pose a threat or hazard. They noted that some robots have acquired various forms of semi-autonomy, including being able to find power sources on their own and being able to independently choose targets to attack with weapons. They also noted that some computer viruses can evade elimination and have achieved "cockroach intelligence. Researchers at the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute AI and Reasoning Lab in New York conducted an experiment where a robot became aware of itself, and corrected its answer to a question once it had realised this. However, other experts question this. He believes this represents an important and dangerous trend in which humans are handing over important decisions to machines. Technological unemployment For centuries, people have predicted that machines would make workers obsolete and increase unemployment , although the causes of unemployment are usually thought to be due to social policy. At present the company uses ten thousand robots but will increase them to a million robots over a three-year period. Delaney said "Robots are taking human jobs. List of robots At present, there are two main types of robots, based on their use: Robots can be classified by their specificity of purpose. A robot might be designed to perform one particular task extremely well, or a range of

tasks less well. All robots by their nature can be re-programmed to behave differently, but some are limited by their physical form. For example, a factory robot arm can perform jobs such as cutting, welding, gluing, or acting as a fairground ride, while a pick-and-place robot can only populate printed circuit boards. General-purpose autonomous robots Main article: Autonomous robot General-purpose autonomous robots can perform a variety of functions independently. General-purpose autonomous robots typically can navigate independently in known spaces, handle their own re-charging needs, interface with electronic doors and elevators and perform other basic tasks. Like computers, general-purpose robots can link with networks, software and accessories that increase their usefulness. They may recognize people or objects, talk, provide companionship, monitor environmental quality, respond to alarms, pick up supplies and perform other useful tasks. General-purpose robots may perform a variety of functions simultaneously or they may take on different roles at different times of day. Some such robots try to mimic human beings and may even resemble people in appearance; this type of robot is called a humanoid robot. Humanoid robots are still in a very limited stage, as no humanoid robot can, as of yet, actually navigate around a room that it has never been in. Factory robots Car production Over the last three decades, automobile factories have become dominated by robots. A typical factory contains hundreds of industrial robots working on fully automated production lines, with one robot for every ten human workers. On an automated production line, a vehicle chassis on a conveyor is welded , glued , painted and finally assembled at a sequence of robot stations. Packaging Industrial robots are also used extensively for palletizing and packaging of manufactured goods, for example for rapidly taking drink cartons from the end of a conveyor belt and placing them into boxes, or for loading and unloading machining centers. Electronics Mass-produced printed circuit boards PCBs are almost exclusively manufactured by pick-and-place robots, typically with SCARA manipulators, which remove tiny electronic components from strips or trays, and place them on to PCBs with great accuracy. Mobile robots, following markers or wires in the floor, or using vision [] or lasers, are used to transport goods around large facilities, such as warehouses, container ports, or hospitals. Very little feedback or intelligence was required, and the robots needed only the most basic exteroceptors sensors. The limitations of these AGVs are that their paths are not easily altered and they cannot alter their paths if obstacles block them. If one AGV breaks down, it may stop the entire operation.

Chapter 2 : The Robotics Society | India

Imperial College Robotics Society is a student-led university club aiming to increase robotics interest at Imperial College London and across the UK. We run workshops, competitions and lectures to teach about robotics, electronics and software as well as providing help (financial and technical) to students looking to start a robotics project.

To quote William Gibson: There is also a strong recognition that lightweight low altitude drones can be a valuable solution in commercial ventures such as farming, logistics, mapping, real-estate sales and inspection, oil and gas pipeline monitoring cinematic filming and security monitoring. The list of potential uses is vast. Whilst regulations are being discussed in the US and Europe, drones have already being deployed for prescription drug delivery in Germany, crop spraying and inspection in farming , wildlife protection in Africa, drug monitoring and border control and policing in various States and energy companies use drones to check the undersides of oil platforms for corrosion and repairs. The issue is not whether these products will be adopted once the airspace is integrated, but at what rate. The US Federal Aviation Authority estimates as many as 7, small commercial drones will be in use, in the US alone, within five years once the necessary regulations are in place. The next 5 years for drones is very promising. Medical Procedures and Operations The US Roadmap for Robotics indicates that several major societal drivers for improved healthcare access, affordability, quality, and personalization can be addressed by robotics technology. Diagnostic systems, Robot-assisted surgery and therapy and Rehabilitation systems. Medical robotics is considered one of the success-stories of service robotics and has great potential to revolutionize clinical practice by: Facilitating medical processes by precisely guiding instruments, diagnostic equipment and tools for diagnosis and therapy. Improving safety and overall quality of the medical surgery Enhancing the cost-effectiveness of patient care Improving the training and education of medical personnel through the use of simulators Promoting the use of information in diagnosis and therapy. Surgical robots improve the accuracy of procedures and thus reduce the complication rates in surgeries. Apart from being accurate, robotic procedures also offer significant cost savings in terms of pre- and post-operation care costs and length of stay at hospitals. There are large numbers of academic papers attesting to the superior outcomes delivered by medical robotics and much analysis on the cost benefits. Surgical robots are expected to enjoy the largest revenue share. The costs and the benefits of medical robots are significant and I believe this sector will continue to grow enormously. Robotic Prosthetics and Exoskeletons Every day, at least people in the United States undergo an operation to amputate one or more of their limbs. More than 80 percent of those surgeries are vascular-related, caused by conditions such as diabetes or heart disease. According to the Amputee Coalition two million American live with the loss of a limb, the number is expected to double in the coming decades as people live longer. Prosthetics and exoskeletons offer major improvements in the life of people that may have lost a limb, or have another movement disability. Many modern prosthetics now contain microprocessors, sensors and actuators to improve their functionality. Artificial Assistants This domain has the largest possible early impact on the largest number of people. Much of this will be in cognitive artificial assistants. Google, Microsoft, Apple, Intel and IBM are spending hundreds of millions of dollars in research and development costs to advance the capabilities of these cognitive assistants and capture market share. As I wrote in my Harvard Business Review article: Thanks to continued progress by A. As robots become increasingly intelligent, so too will we. Driverless Cars Autonomous vehicles, including the iconic Google self-driving cars, will be on the road commercially before The long-term impact on society of self-driving cars and other autonomous vehicles will be a radical change in how we commute. There will also likely be a sharp reduction in traffic accidents, the majority of which are caused by human error. Driverless cars have the potential to fundamentally alter transportation systems by averting deadly crashes, providing critical mobility to the elderly and disabled, increasing road capacity, saving fuel, and lowering emissions. There are still many obstacles before driverless cars are available commercially but advances are being made and they could be with us sooner than we think. As these technologies become integral to our daily life we will see the benefits even more.

Chapter 3 : 5 areas in Robotics that will transform society and their economic impact Â« RobotEnomics

These articles consider areas of supervisory control of complex systems: the control of robotic systems; and the implication of this work for society. Application areas include safety and risk management, control of robots in manufacturing and environmental systems, and the question of precise control from imprecise human input and judgement.

Rolling robots[edit] Segway in the Robot museum in Nagoya For simplicity, most mobile robots have four wheels or a number of continuous tracks. Some researchers have tried to create more complex wheeled robots with only one or two wheels. These can have certain advantages such as greater efficiency and reduced parts, as well as allowing a robot to navigate in confined places that a four-wheeled robot would not be able to. Two-wheeled balancing robots[edit] Balancing robots generally use a gyroscope to detect how much a robot is falling and then drive the wheels proportionally in the same direction, to counterbalance the fall at hundreds of times per second, based on the dynamics of an inverted pendulum. Self-balancing unicycle A one-wheeled balancing robot is an extension of a two-wheeled balancing robot so that it can move in any 2D direction using a round ball as its only wheel. Spherical robot Several attempts have been made in robots that are completely inside a spherical ball, either by spinning a weight inside the ball, [68] [69] or by rotating the outer shells of the sphere. Tracked wheels behave as if they were made of hundreds of wheels, therefore are very common for outdoor and military robots, where the robot must drive on very rough terrain. However, they are difficult to use indoors such as on carpets and smooth floors. Several robots have been made which can walk reliably on two legs, however, none have yet been made which are as robust as a human. Typically, robots on two legs can walk well on flat floors and can occasionally walk up stairs. None can walk over rocky, uneven terrain. Some of the methods which have been tried are: In this way, the two forces cancel out, leaving no moment force causing the robot to rotate and fall over. However, it still requires a smooth surface to walk on. Initially, a robot with only one leg, and a very small foot could stay upright simply by hopping. The movement is the same as that of a person on a pogo stick. As the robot falls to one side, it would jump slightly in that direction, in order to catch itself. A bipedal robot was demonstrated running and even performing somersaults. Passive dynamics Perhaps the most promising approach utilizes passive dynamics where the momentum of swinging limbs is used for greater efficiency. It has been shown that totally unpowered humanoid mechanisms can walk down a gentle slope, using only gravity to propel themselves. Using this technique, a robot need only supply a small amount of motor power to walk along a flat surface or a little more to walk up a hill. Left one has 64 motors with 2 degrees of freedom per segment , the right one A modern passenger airliner is essentially a flying robot, with two humans to manage it. The autopilot can control the plane for each stage of the journey, including takeoff, normal flight, and even landing. They can be smaller and lighter without a human pilot on board, and fly into dangerous territory for military surveillance missions. Some can even fire on targets under command. UAVs are also being developed which can fire on targets automatically, without the need for a command from a human. Other flying robots include cruise missiles , the Entomopter, and the Epson micro helicopter robot. Robots such as the Air Penguin, Air Ray, and Air Jelly have lighter-than-air bodies, propelled by paddles, and guided by sonar. Snaking[edit] Several snake robots have been successfully developed. Mimicking the way real snakes move, these robots can navigate very confined spaces, meaning they may one day be used to search for people trapped in collapsed buildings. It has four legs, with unpowered wheels, which can either step or roll. One approach mimics the movements of a human climber on a wall with protrusions; adjusting the center of mass and moving each limb in turn to gain leverage. An example of this is Capuchin, [98] built by Dr. Ruixiang Zhang at Stanford University, California. Another approach uses the specialized toe pad method of wall-climbing geckoes , which can run on smooth surfaces such as vertical glass. Examples of this approach include Wallbot [99] and Stickybot. Li, the gecko robot could rapidly climb up and down a variety of building walls, navigate through ground and wall fissures, and walk upside-down on the ceiling. It was also able to adapt to the surfaces of smooth glass, rough, sticky or dusty walls as well as various types of metallic materials. It could also identify and circumvent obstacles automatically. Its flexibility

and speed were comparable to a natural gecko. A third approach is to mimic the motion of a snake climbing a pole. Therefore, many researchers studying underwater robots would like to copy this type of locomotion. Festo have also built the Aqua Ray and Aqua Jelly, which emulate the locomotion of manta ray, and jellyfish, respectively. Huosheng Hu at Essex University. Since the propulsion of sailboat robots uses the wind, the energy of the batteries is only used for the computer, for the communication and for the actuators to tune the rudder and the sail. If the robot is equipped with solar panels, the robot could theoretically navigate forever. Environmental interaction and navigation[edit].

Chapter 4 : Humanoid Robotics and Neuroscience: Science, Engineering and Society - CRC Press Book

I've taught robotics and control engineering courses and MOOCs, and have worked as a robotic vision researcher at QUT. Who developed the course? QUT is a leading Australian university ranked in the top 2% of universities worldwide by the Times Higher Education World University Rankings.

IoT has accelerated co-creation between companies and has helped create new value. But in order to leverage the full potential of IoT, data processing must go beyond cyberspace. New and innovative services in the real world will depend on our ability to combine data with physical operations. Information necessary for providing services is then processed over a cloud-based robotics IT platform and fed back to the robot â€" helping it navigate, communicate, and interact with its surroundings. This IT infrastructure can also be integrated with existing operational systems to provide business intelligence by processing various kinds of relevant information. We also offer business solutions with interconnected robots. Since then, Hitachi has introduced a wide variety of robots â€" from mechatronic products, such as semiconductor testing equipment and financial devices, to robots for extreme environments like nuclear power plants. In , Hitachi became one of the first companies to develop a human symbiotic robot. Rolling out improved functions in phases with new elemental technologies, by Hitachi proudly introduced EMIEW3, a service-assistance robot that can talk and work with people. The proliferation of IoT in recent years has seen a wide array of information and knowledge stored in cyberspace. This shift has also made real-world applications of digital solutions increasingly realistic through robotics. Hitachi has developed a wide variety of robots that offer new value to customers. By accurately understanding situations in various service settings, EMIEW3 is able to recognize and approach those in need. It can even start up a conversation on its own to provide services â€" improving user satisfaction and business efficiency. Once summoned, ROPITS autonomously travels to the designated point to pick up and transport passengers to their destination. It automatically avoids obstacles through a 3D environmental recognition technology integrating multiple sensors. It also has active suspensions mounted onboard, which give it stability even on winding or uneven paths. While these trends are giving rise to a demand for more streamlined warehouse operations, current automation equipment can only be used for certain types of products and work, which limits their application. Equipped with two commercially sold industrial arms, this robot comes with an elevating platform mounted on a travelling truck to enable height adjustments. It also includes a gripper that automates manual operations, such as pulling out shelves and picking out products. The dual arm robot uses built-in sensors to understand its own position and the location of products that need to be picked. While in motion, it can also identify specific products before picking them out from the shelves. With its dual arms, this advanced technology can also complete complex tasks that require coordination between two arms. With the advancement of our automation technologies, the future of logistics is closer than ever.

Chapter 5 : The Society of Instrument and Control â€“ Robotics

Control Systems/Robotics and Automation Society The CS/RAS joint-chapter was founded on March 12th Formation of the chapter was the culmination of intensive work that was initiated in September

The potential scale of the disruption created by technological developments, such as artificial intelligence, machine learning and big data, requires that governments think deeply: Technological innovation in recent years has made computers, robots and software so sophisticated that machines are now entering the realm once thought to belong exclusively to humans: Computers today can recognize patterns and generate insights being used for fraud detection, medical diagnostics, legal research, and auditing, among others. Artificial intelligence algorithms can process thousands more documents â€" and then act faster â€" than any human and are free from human biases. Their productivity also need not be interrupted by rest breaks or lapses of concentration. The new technological revolution will create tremendous societal benefits â€" the creation of new goods, services, markets and jobs, greater productivity, etc. For instance, entry-level tasks in professions such as law and accountancy, e. Workers will need to develop new skills to take on very different kinds of jobs, possibly in different industries. Presently, most governments dedicate resources towards helping low-skilled workers secure better jobs through training and education. Yet this shift will affect workers across the employment spectrum. Thus, governments need to work with stakeholders to rethink the kind of pre-employment and post-employment training institutions should offer to enable professionals to keep pace with these developments. What are the new job opportunities that may emerge? How can we ensure that the benefits accrue to a broad spectrum of society and not only to the most highly skilled and well-resourced? Governments need to consider the role they can play in promoting â€" or stymieing â€" the use of technology and automation by industry. For example, the automation of cognitive tasks can transform auditing, allowing for real-time audits. Current auditing rules in some countries require all suspicious transactions spotted during an audit to be investigated in detail. On a global scale, will there need to be a set of international standards to encourage and manage the impact of automation, given the risk of arbitrage? How a government approaches the ethical and legal implications of technologies like autonomous vehicles AVs would also influence how widespread the adoption of technology and automation will be and the pace of its adoption. AVs present the opportunity to radically redesign mobility solutions and also create new jobs in a new industry, but the autonomy also raises questions about which party should be liable in an accident â€" the manufacturer, software developer, the owner or the passenger in the AV. At times, it may seem as if technology is a force greater than humans, forcing workers and businesses to adapt â€" or perish. Yet governments play a key role in shaping how technology advances. The sooner governments, in partnership with the rest of society, examine the future impact of this structural shift, the sooner they can act to ensure the shift benefits society. To read more access the full collection.

Chapter 6 : N. Moray (Author of Robotics, Control and Society)

Robotics is here defined to include intelligent machines and systems; whereas automation includes the use of automated methods in various applications to improve performance and productivity. The society sponsors a number of conferences, including the annual International Conference on Robotics and Automation.

The Milken Institute Global Conference, an annual event for the past 20 years, has grown steadily into a unique gathering: They were interviewed by Mike Milken, the onetime omnipotent investor who almost single-handedly developed the high-yield debt market in the United States and piled up billions of dollars in profits during the s, from leveraged buyouts, hostile takeovers and corporate raids. Milken, now 70, was known as the "junk bond king," and he ruled unchallenged until , when he was indicted on 98 counts of racketeering and fraud. He served two years in prison and survived personal health crises, and has rebounded in the 21st century to his current status as a renowned philanthropist and public health advocate. Interest rates and corporate balance sheets faded into the background when the business and policy leaders turned their attention to artificial intelligence, or AI, and robotics â€" key factors in massive changes looming over the U. Unemployment in the United States is currently at its lowest point in 10 years â€" 4. So-called bricks-and-mortar retail stores are closing down in the face of competitive prices and easy shop-at-home service provided by online retailers such as Amazon. Robotics have transformed the auto industry and many other sectors of manufacturing, and the high-end analytics available through what is known as "big data" have streamlined the entire process, from raw materials to finished products. Manufacturing jobs in the U. Rising costs Costs are rising for health care, housing and education, and with fewer good-paying jobs available, Bahat says those who "play the game by the rules" â€" educating themselves adequately, buying a home and supporting families â€" "still struggle to provide for an ordinary life. They are due to issue a joint report later this month, but for now they raised imponderable questions: The first large-scale commercial delivery of this kind was handled by a startup company called Otto last year. Highway traffic, especially in a state like Colorado, is less challenging than traffic in cities, where pedestrians and stoplights make driving unpredictable. The ride-sharing service Uber , which already had been studying the possible use of driverless vehicles, acquired Otto last year. Most Americans tend to believe their children will have a better life â€" or at least earn more money â€" than they do, but Bahat deflated that notion: Anne-Marie Slaughter of New America said projections about how many jobs will be automated in the future vary widely, from 10 percent to 50 percent, and "we have no idea which of those [proportions] is true. By other estimates, she added, "It could be five. Steering clear of explicit predictions, he said workers and consumers must prepare for "wildly unexpected" developments in the future. Harnessing the power of machines for manufacturing and transportation transformed the world and created lots of jobs, she said, but it also caused upheaval â€" Marxism, wars and revolutions. For those gauging the impact of the current technological revolution, the New America analyst cautioned, "Do not think this is going to be a smooth ride.

Chapter 7 : Robot - Wikipedia

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Chapter 8 : Robotics, Artificial Intelligence Could Transform Society, But at What Cost?

Robotics are already serving industry and the public in sectors such as laboratory research, warehousing and even farming. Robotic milkers are beneficial for both cows and farmers.

Chapter 9 : Robotics - Wikipedia

With Hitachi's R&D focusing on the development of automatic control and intelligent processing, our advanced robotics has served as the vehicle bringing these technologies to calendrierdelascience.com , Hitachi became one of the first companies to develop a human symbiotic robot.