



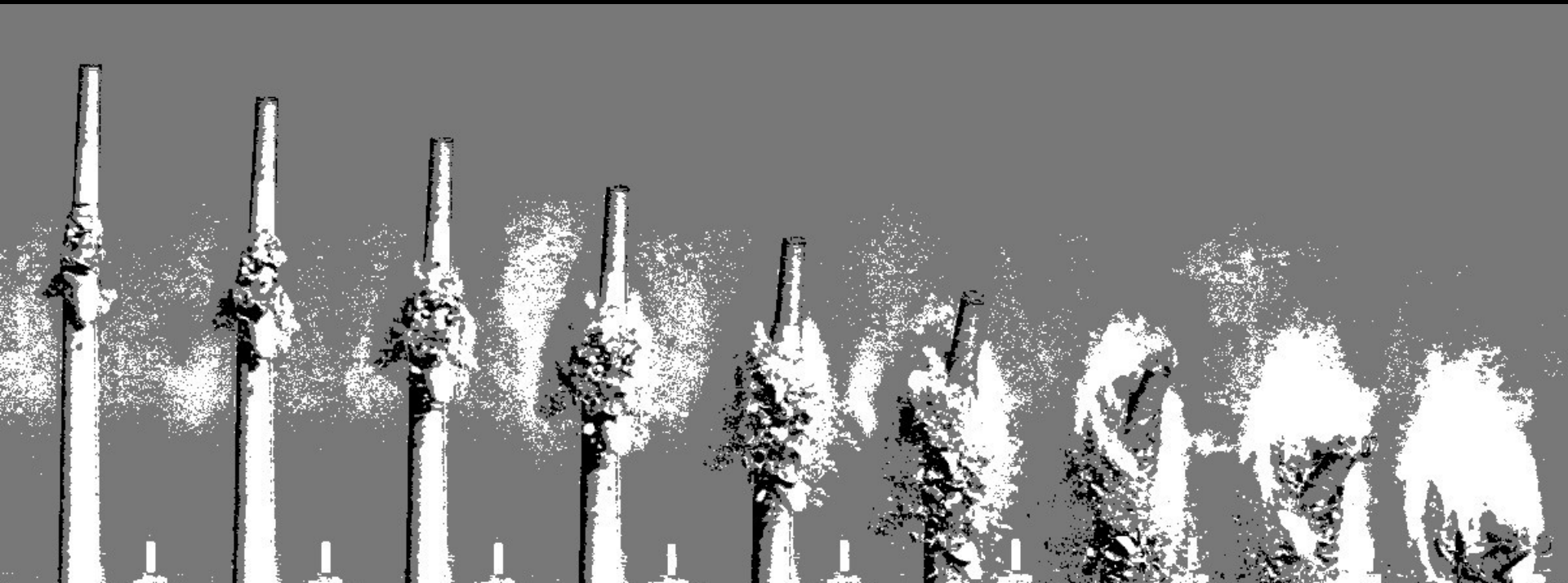
Your privacy

- where has it gone?

... and will it be back?

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Part 3 of 3 – The Future





TECH

Twitter accepts Elon Musk's buyout deal

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force majeure, n.

“superior or irresistible force”

→ a cover

→ a distraction

“Current notions of privacy will continue to evolve, with individuals needing to share more personal information for access to applications, and tracking becoming ubiquitous.”

**National Intelligence Council -
Global Trends 2040**

mass surveillance continues and amplifies

- your data is turned into scores
- digital reputation matters
- you become limited
- you limit yourself further
- social cooling (Tijmen Schep)

Weibo/Shenzhen Traffic Police



The city's police are using **facial recognition** technology to identify pedestrians who don't follow the traffic laws

Social Credit Systems. China examples

Suining – credit points deduction

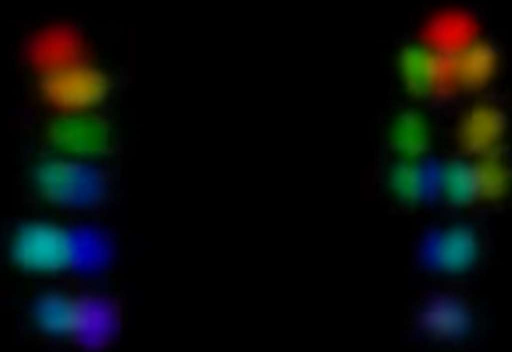
Rongcheng – one score, many sources

Sesame Credit – AI and loyalty rewards

Suining System Score Catalogue

- ① Commercial services credit information (150 points)
 - Bank loans (50 points).
 - Credit card non-repayment (50 points).
 - Contract performance (30 points).
 - Peer-to-peer loans (20 points)
- ② Social services credit information (120 points)
 - Tax arrears or evasion (50 points).
 - Utility fee payments (35 points).
 - Social security payments
- ③ Social management credit information (530 points)
 - City management (25 points).
 - Producing or selling fake goods (35 points).
 - Pyramid selling, swindling (35 points).
 - Birth planning (35 points).
 - Heretical activities (50 points).

Using wireless signals
means it can see
through obstructions



Crypto... everything

...graphy

...currency

...assets

...hippies/punks

e2e, cloud, implicit, wallets, agents

mint & trade your own, stablecoins

tokenization

DAO wizards

“privacy-preserving computation”

zero trust

value exchange, store

Payment networks → token & payload agnostic

Privately-built currencies → barter era 2.0?

Digital cash → do we trust our governments? Do they trust us?

Filters

Country

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CBDC Status ⁱ

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Purpose ⁱ

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Architecture ⁱ

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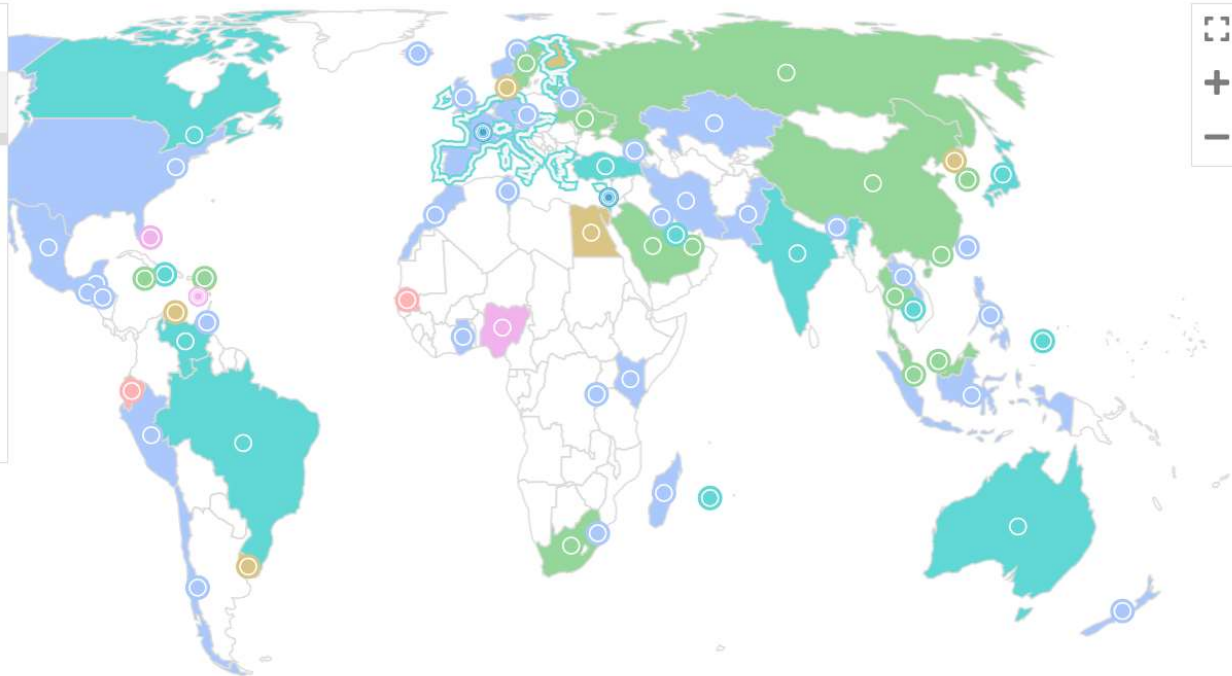
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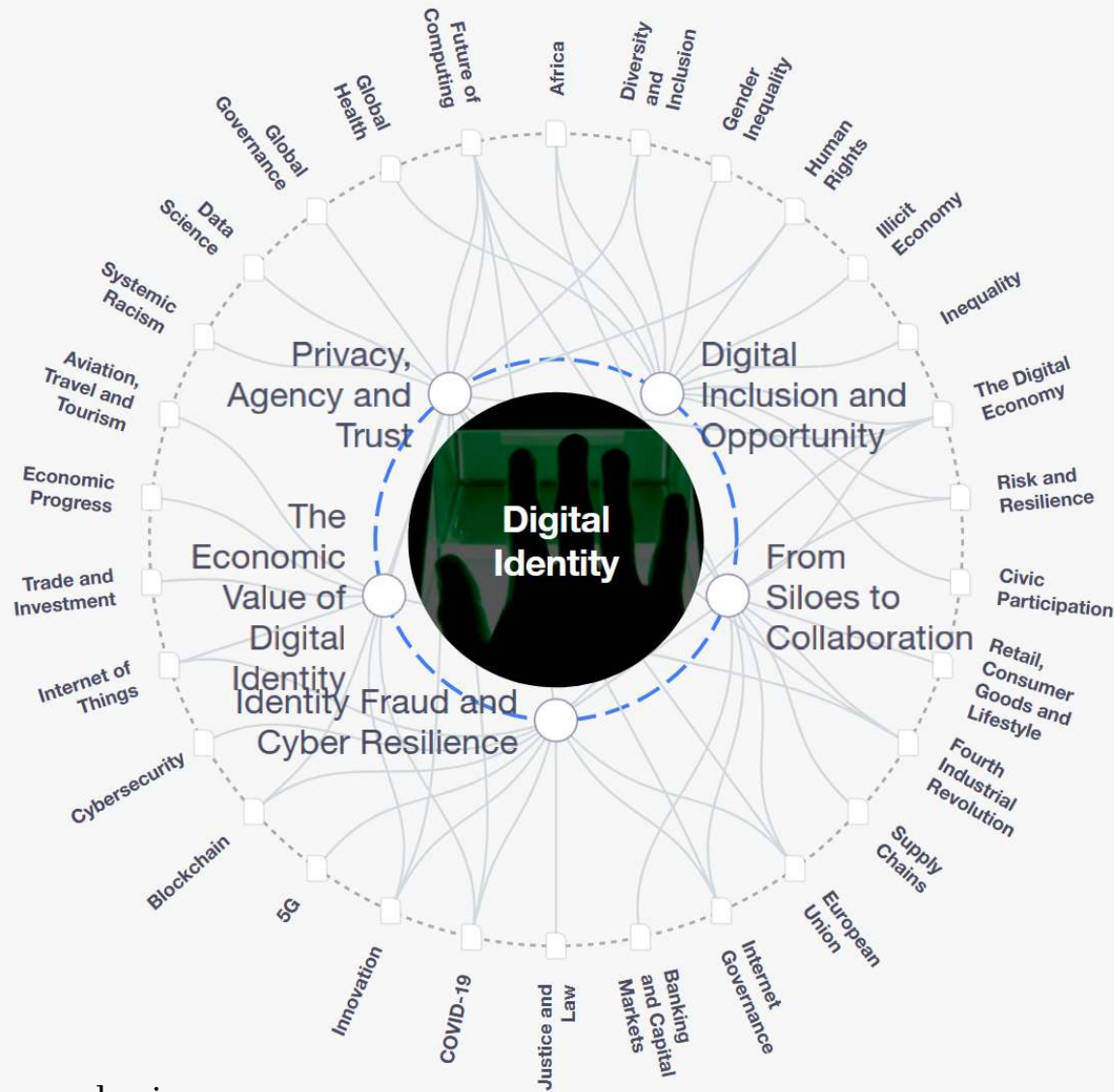
91 Countries / Currency Unions Tracked

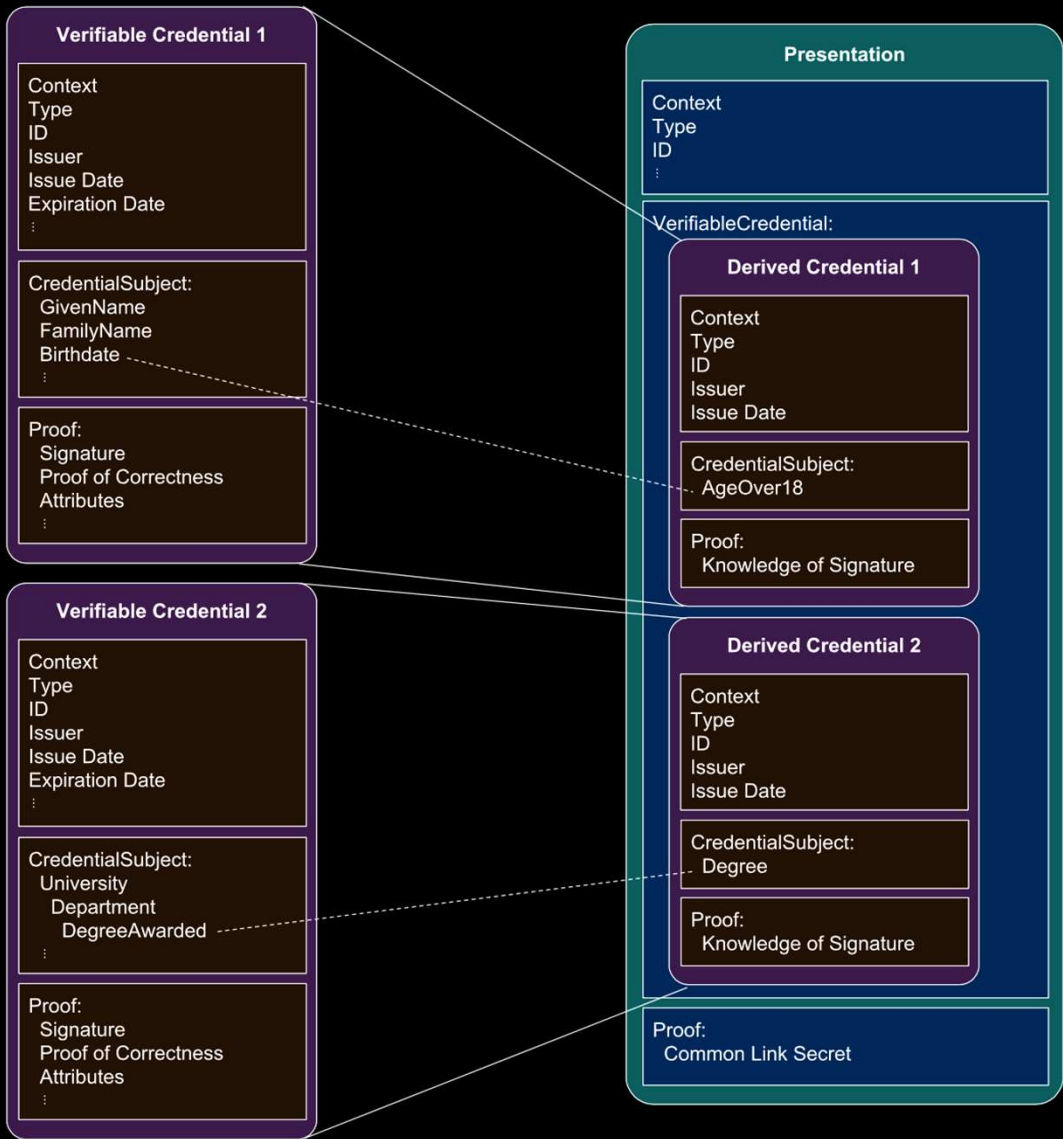
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Status

- 9 Launched
- 15 Pilot
- 16 Development
- 40 Research
- 7 Inactive
- 2 Canceled







predictive and automated policing

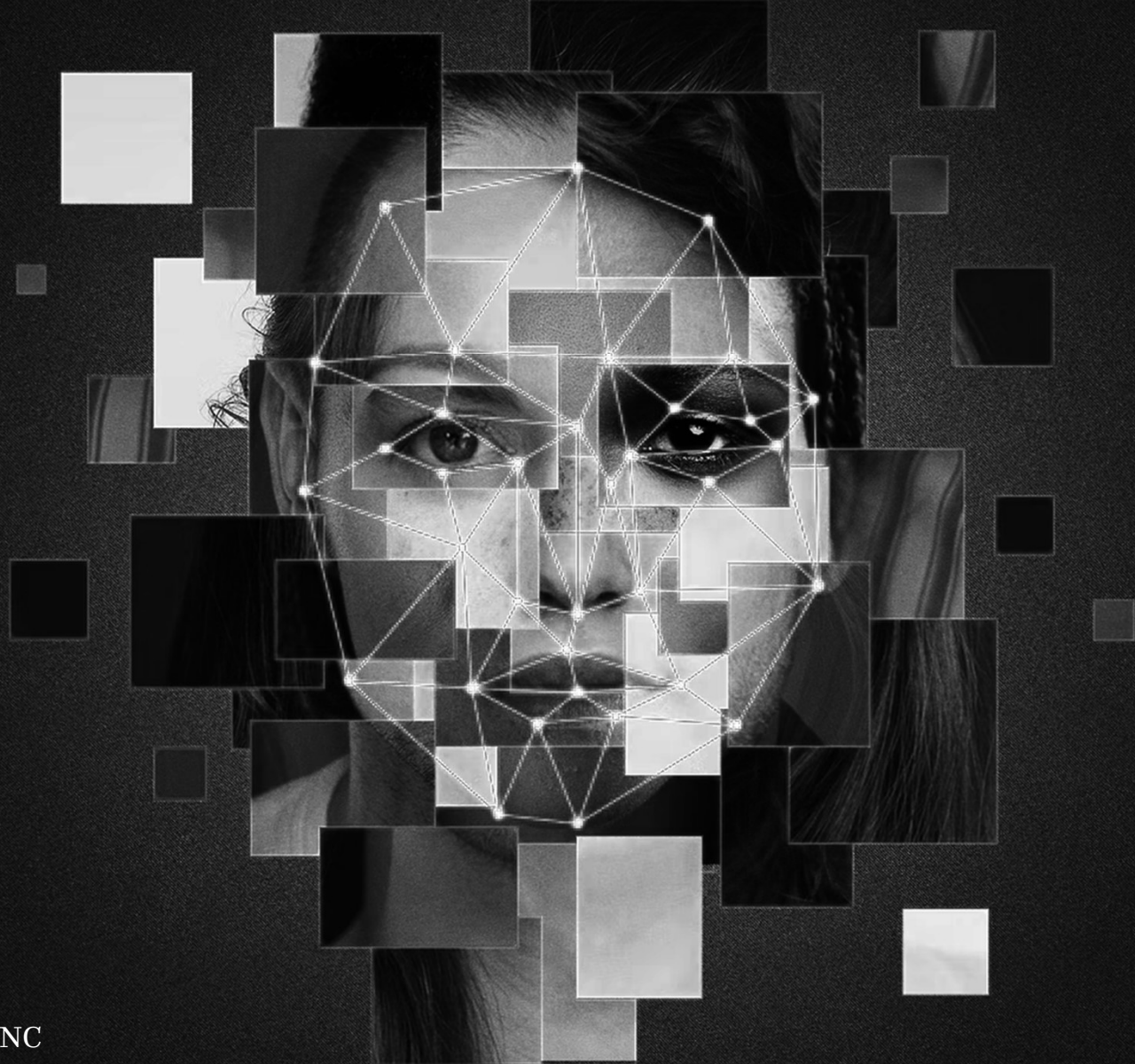
pre-crime

AI jury

AI clerks

AI witnesses?

AI decisions and support

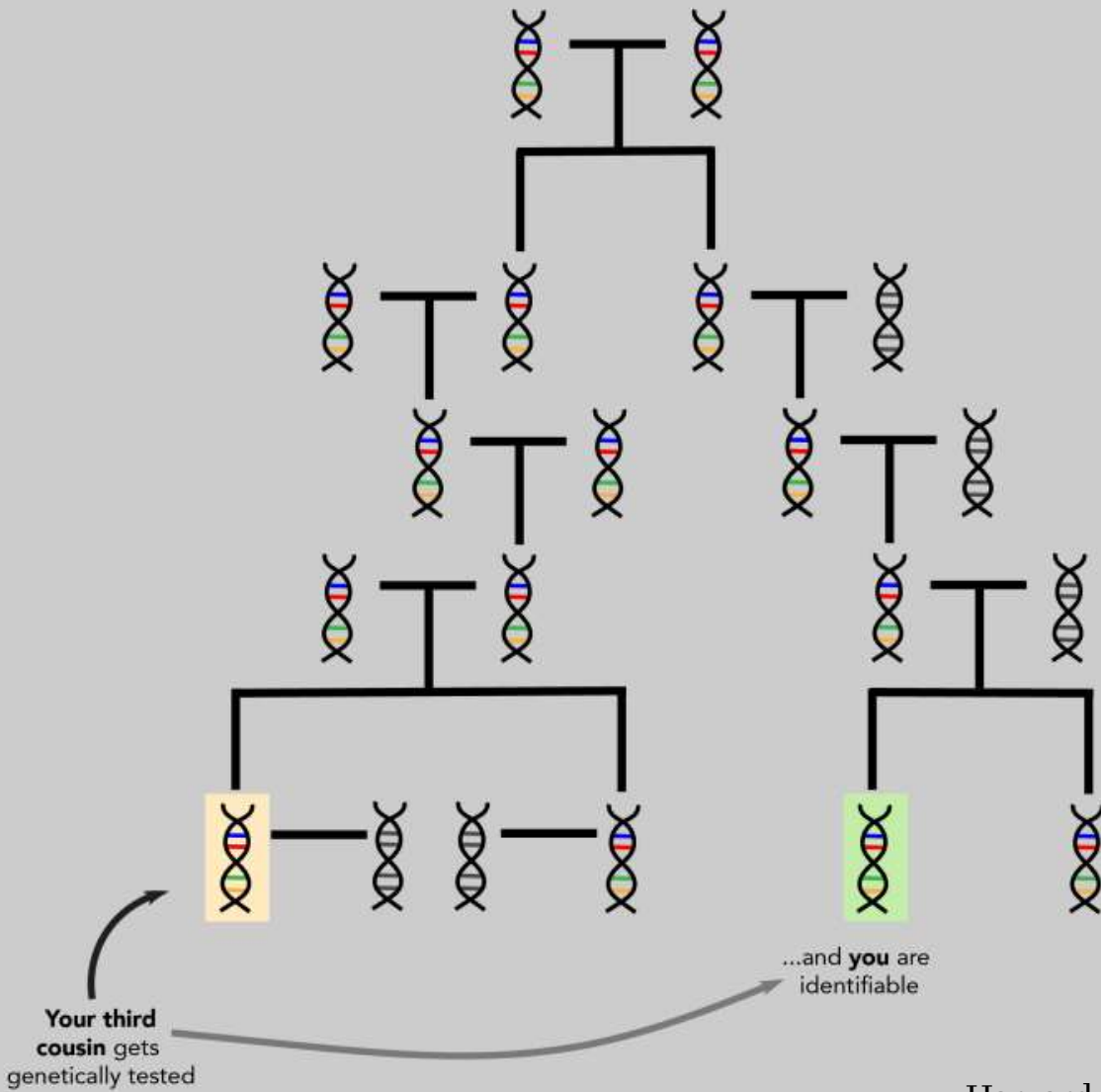


Big Data to fight Big Disease

does a public good override personal privacy concerns?

obligation to share?

should a corporation profit?



Your third
cousin gets
genetically tested

...and you are
identifiable



MOTHERBOARD

TECH BY VICE

You Can Now Sign Away Rights to Your Biometric Data

Getty Images is now using an 'Enhanced Release' form, which prompts photo models to consent to the use of biometrics like facial data.



By [Janus Rose](#)

NEW YORK, US

March 29, 2022, 3:00pm

Quantum... everything?

...computing

...cracking

...encryption

?

Scenario 1



Scenario 2

more of the same

stable or quiet “consensus”

Scenario 3



Scenario 4





“Surrogates” (2009), Touchstone P.



"Idiocracy" (2006), 20th C. Fox

Will our privacy be back?

Money and convenience rule(d)

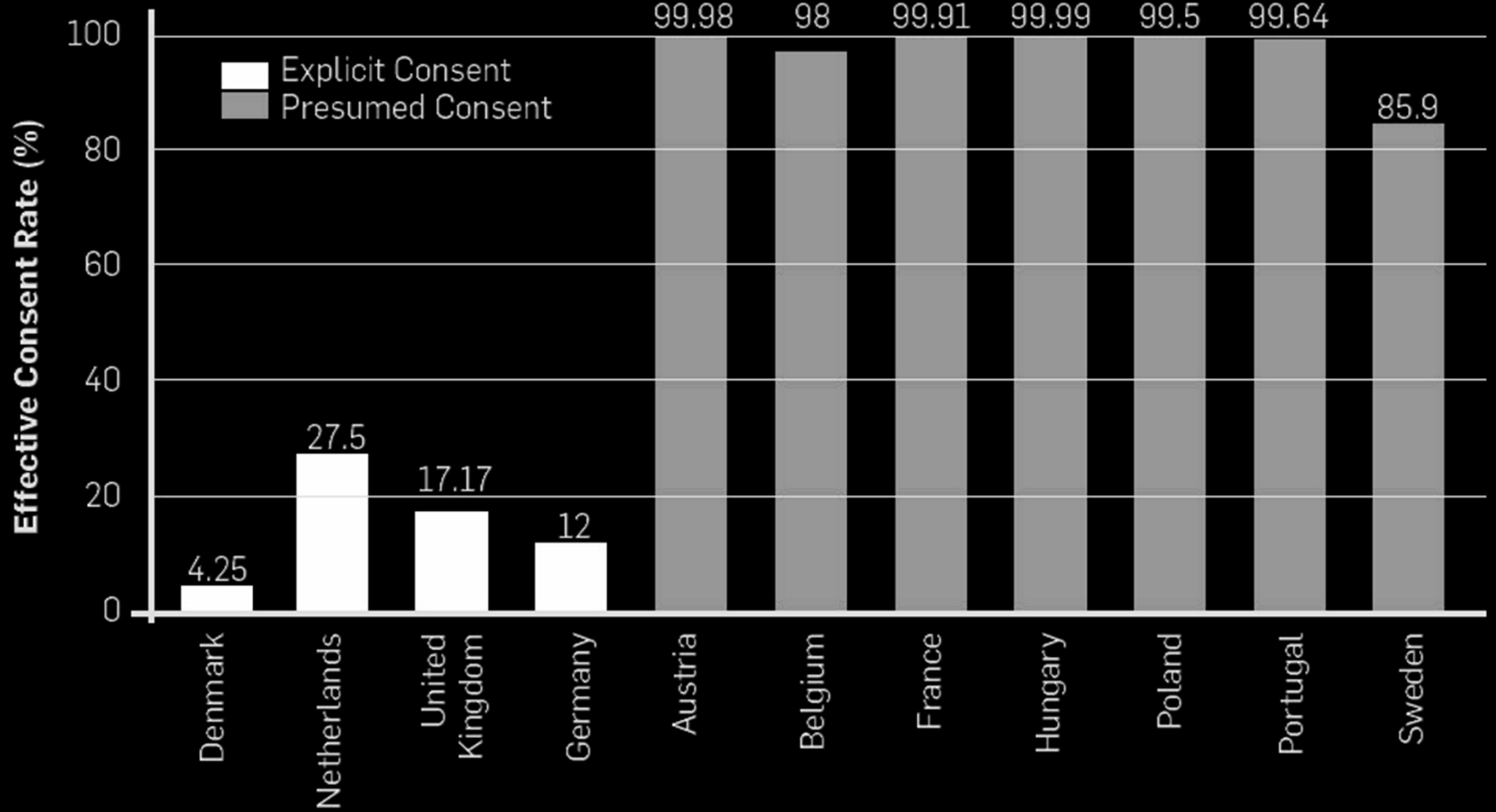
So... no, not unless we claw it back. Start with **value**.

Final thoughts

(1) This is not a conspiracy theory, it is real

(2) The democratization of tech matters. Think about who you trust and why. Support transparency with brownie points.

(3) Defaults and complacency matter – maybe enormously.
Defend meaningful consent and opt-in/opt-out defaults.



Recommended reading:

2015 - Bruce Schneier – "Data and Goliath"

2016 - Cathy O'Neil – "Weapons of Math Destruction"

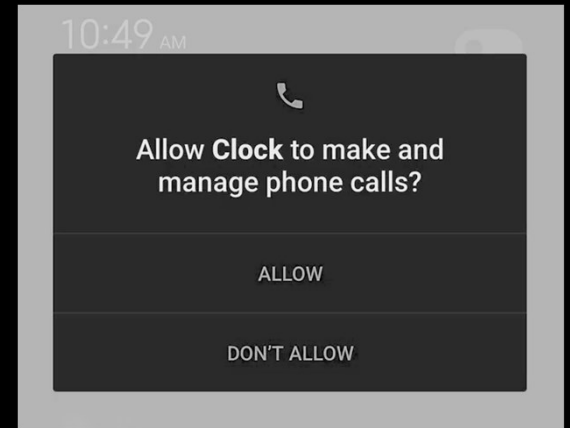
2019 - Shoshana Zuboff – "The Age of Surveillance Capitalism"

2022 - Stephanie Hare – "Technology is Not Neutral: A Short Guide to Technology Ethics"

+ hackercons

“Your rights matter, because you never know when you're going to need them”

Edward Snowden



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