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# Robotics: Manipulation

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### A2.L7.T2 Robotics: Manipulation

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# Ways of Manipulation



Tasks

Techniques

Task Group	Task	Technique		
Prep & Seeding	Tillage	●	●	●
	Seeding	●	●	●
Crop Care	Fertilising	●	●	●
	Irrigation	●	●	●
	Weeding	●	●	●
	Crop Protection	●	●	●
	Pruning/Thinning	●	●	●
	Monitoring	●	●	●
Harvest	Harvesting	●	●	●
	Transportation	●	●	●

Mechanical Interaction		Liquid Application		No Contact
Crop Handling	Soil Manipulation	Spraying	Misting	Data Acquisition
Plant Handling	Weeds Handling	Pouring / Sprinkling	Other	Other



# Remember...



Why use Robots in **SPA**?  
And why is it so difficult?

## **SUSTAINABLE PRECISION AGRICULTURE**

- Reduce Waste
- Non-depleting
- Return on Investment

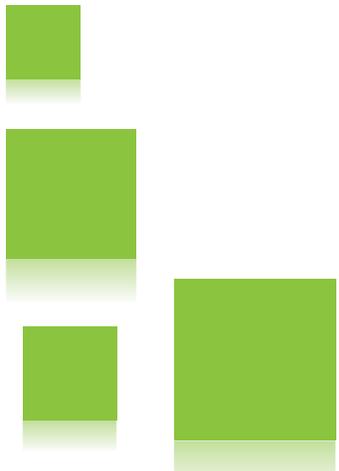
- Single plant care
- Precise
  - Dose
  - Position
  - Time

- In the field
- Growing Plants
- Changing conditions

Aims

Hurdles

Benefits



# Ways of Manipulation

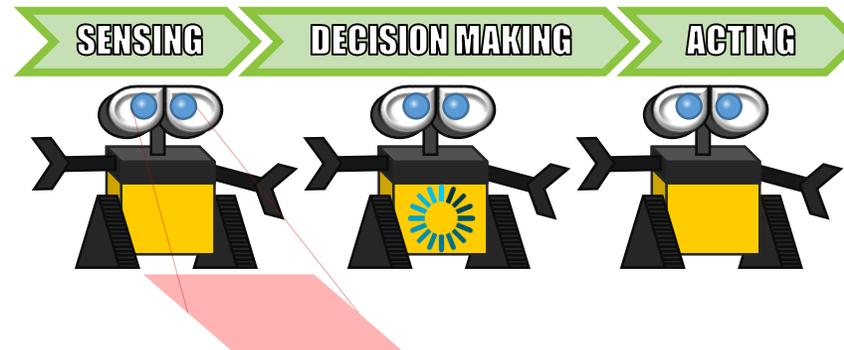


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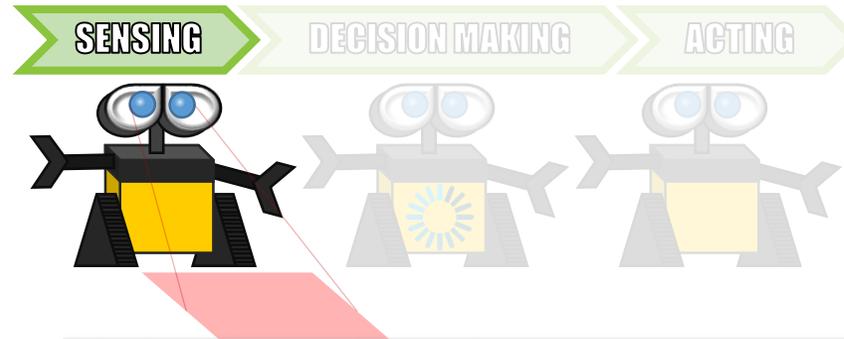
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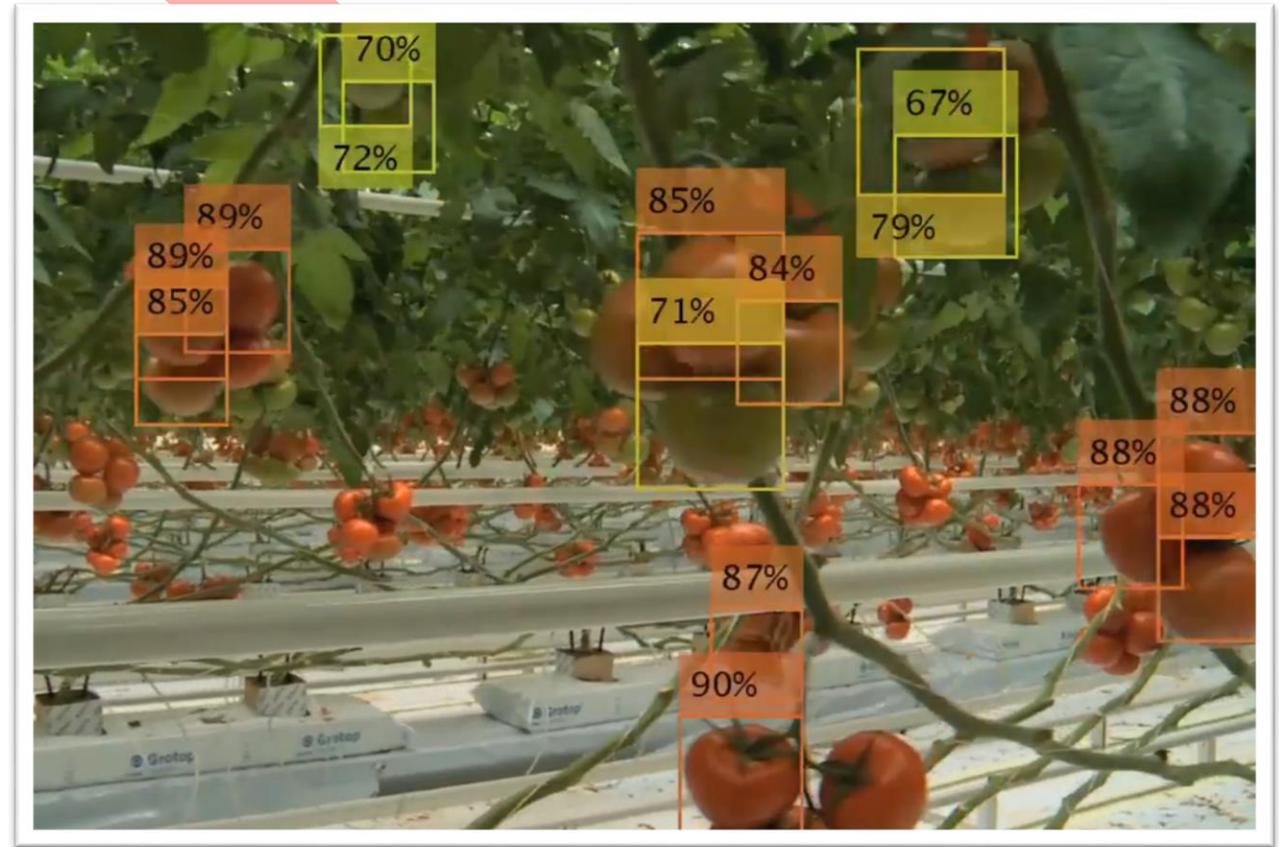
# Video - Object Detection - Tomatoes



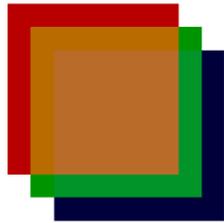
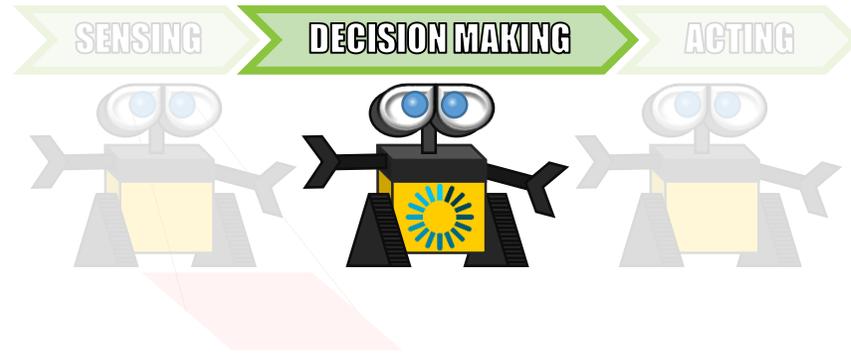
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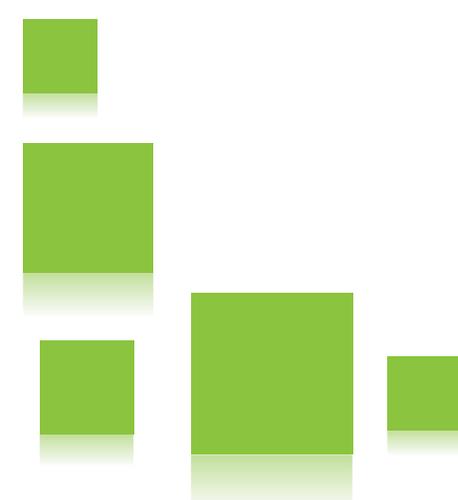
- Cameras
- IR Cameras
- Multispectral
- Depth Sensors



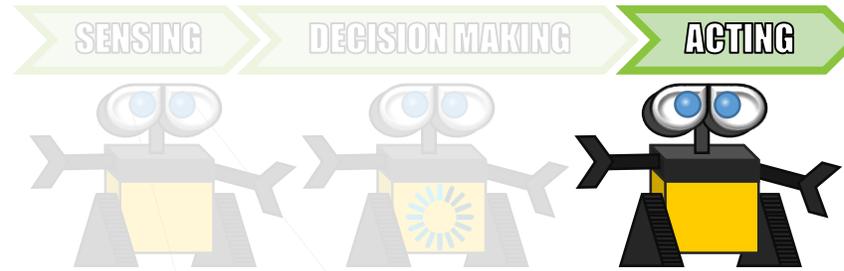
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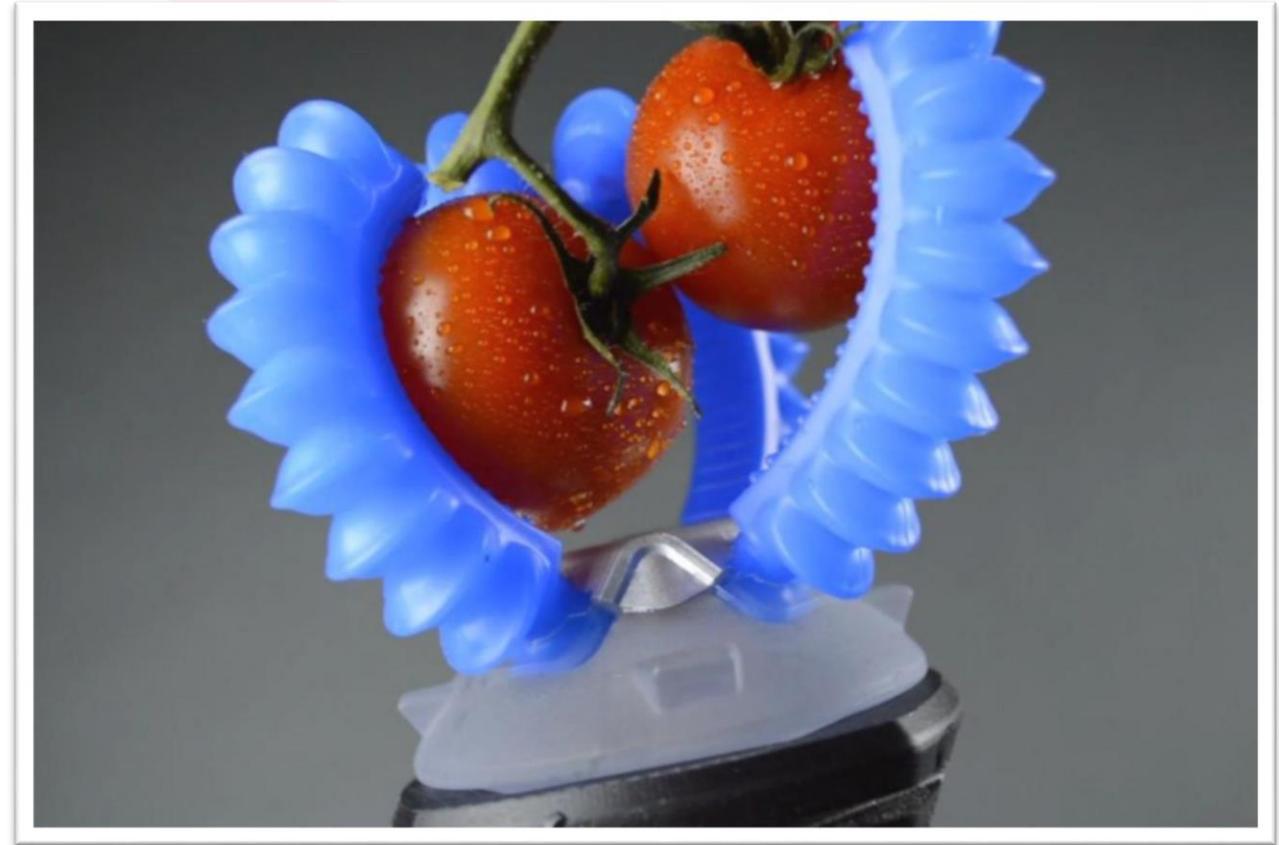
- Object Detection & Classification
  - Machine Learning
  - Deep Learning
  - Convolutional Neural Networks
  - Artificial Intelligence
- Localisation (optional)
  - Depth Information
- Motion Construction



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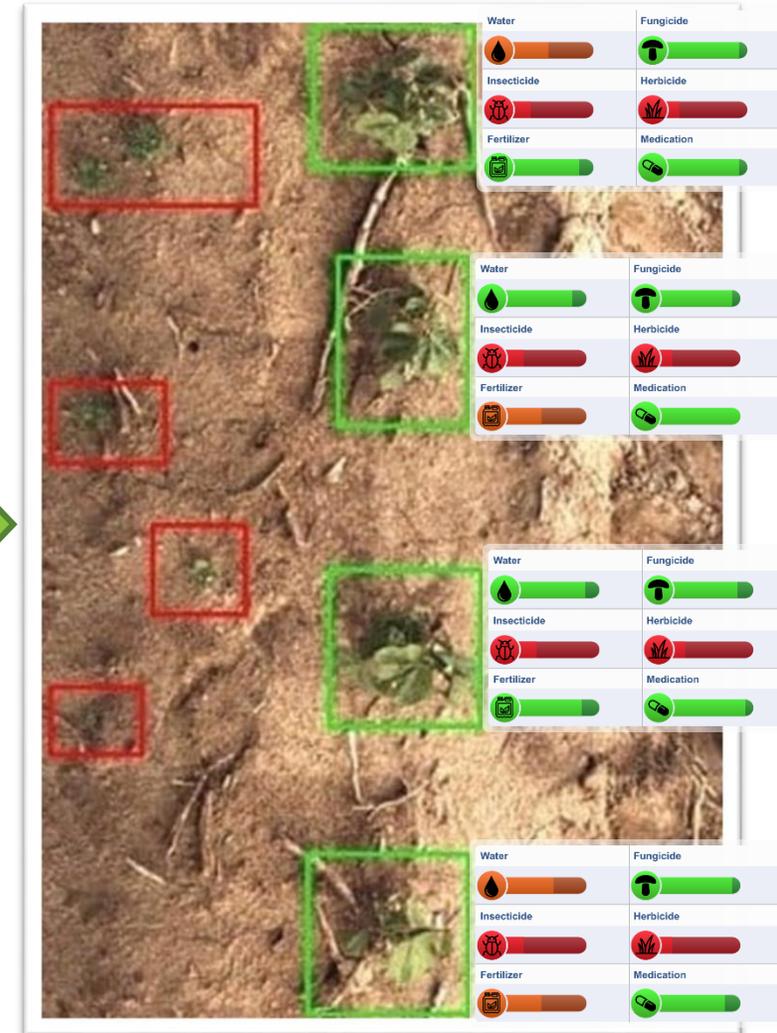
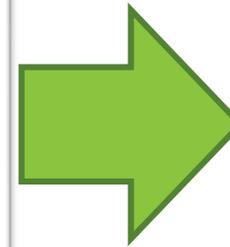
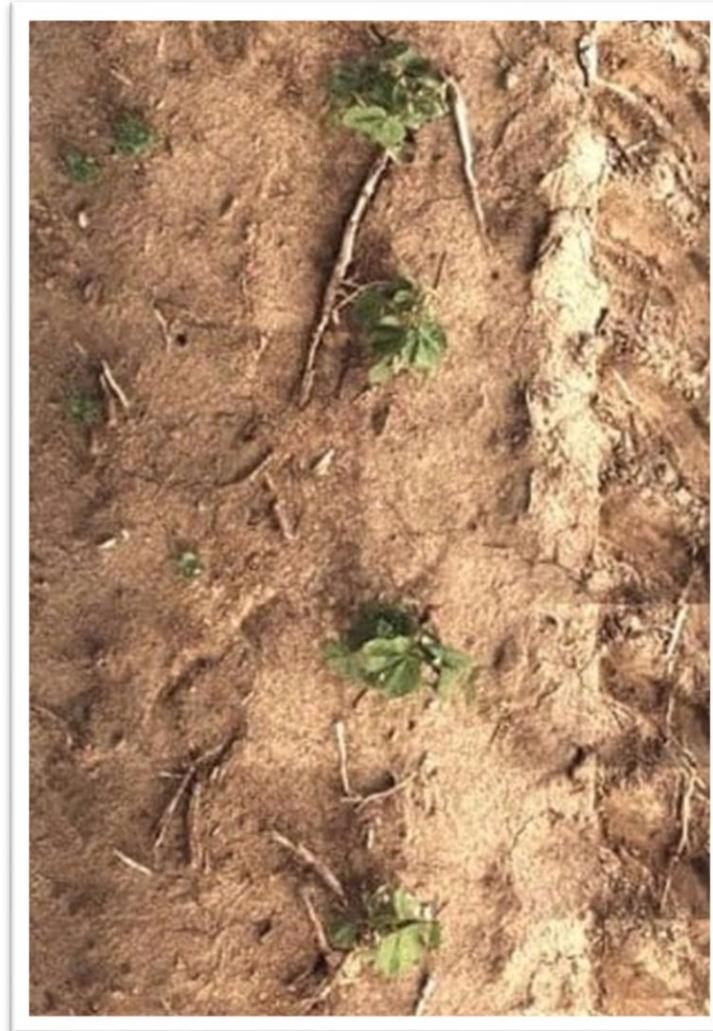


- Hardware
  - Materials
  - Shape
  - Extra tools
- Software
  - Real-Time Feedback
  - Motion Design

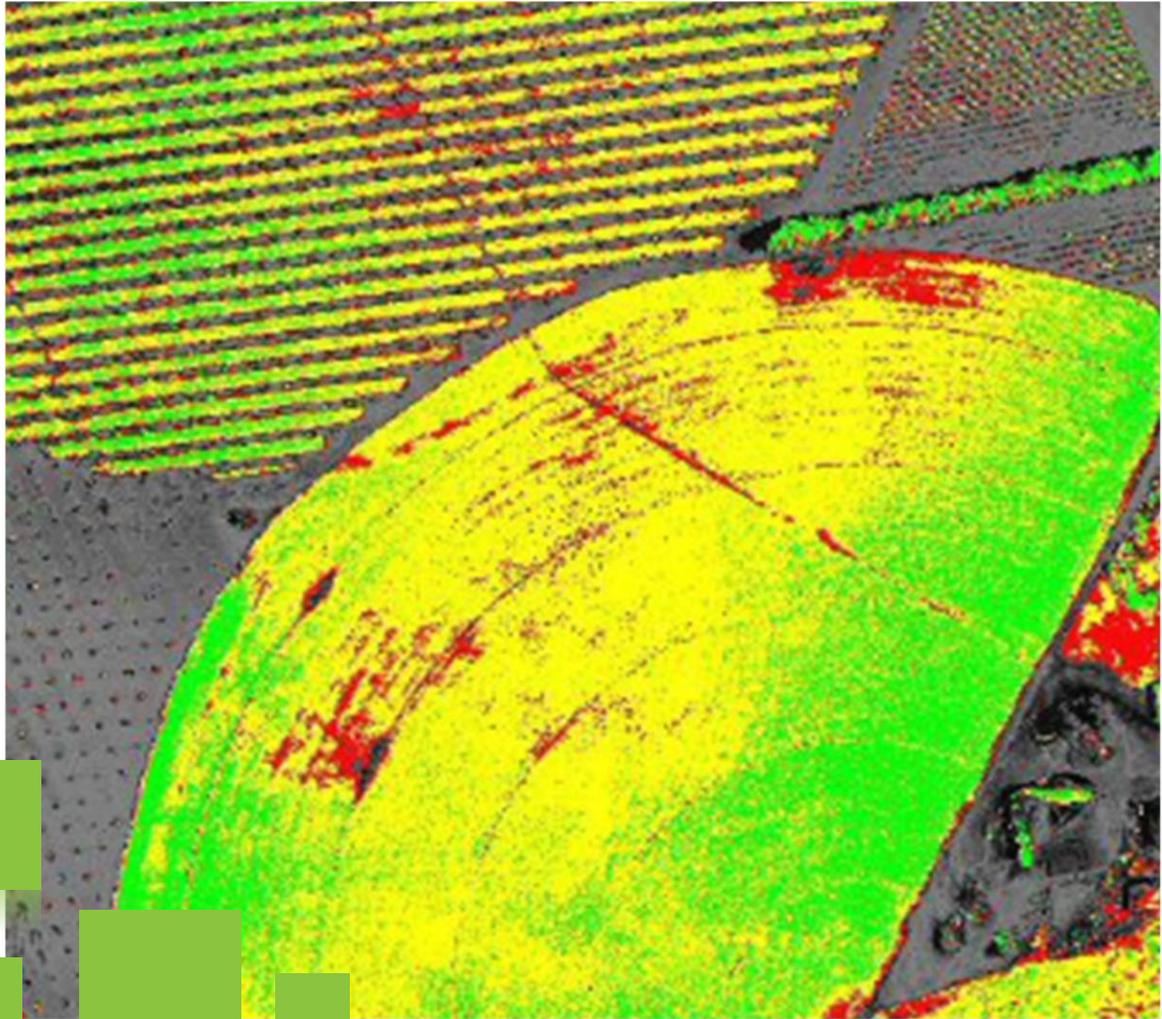


# Spraying

- Herbicide
- Insecticide
- Fertilizer
- Fungicide
- Treatments
- ...Watering?



# Monitoring



- Progress
- Health
- Needs
- Predictions
  
- Input for Path Planning!