

HONDA ASIMO AND TOYOTA PARTNER ROBOT

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AGENDA

- Details about Honda ASIMO
- Details about Toyota Partner Robot
- Differences between two robots
- Future developments
- Pros and Cons
- Alternatives
- Q&A

HONDA ASIMO

Honda's **A**dvanced **S**tep in
Innovative **MO**bility

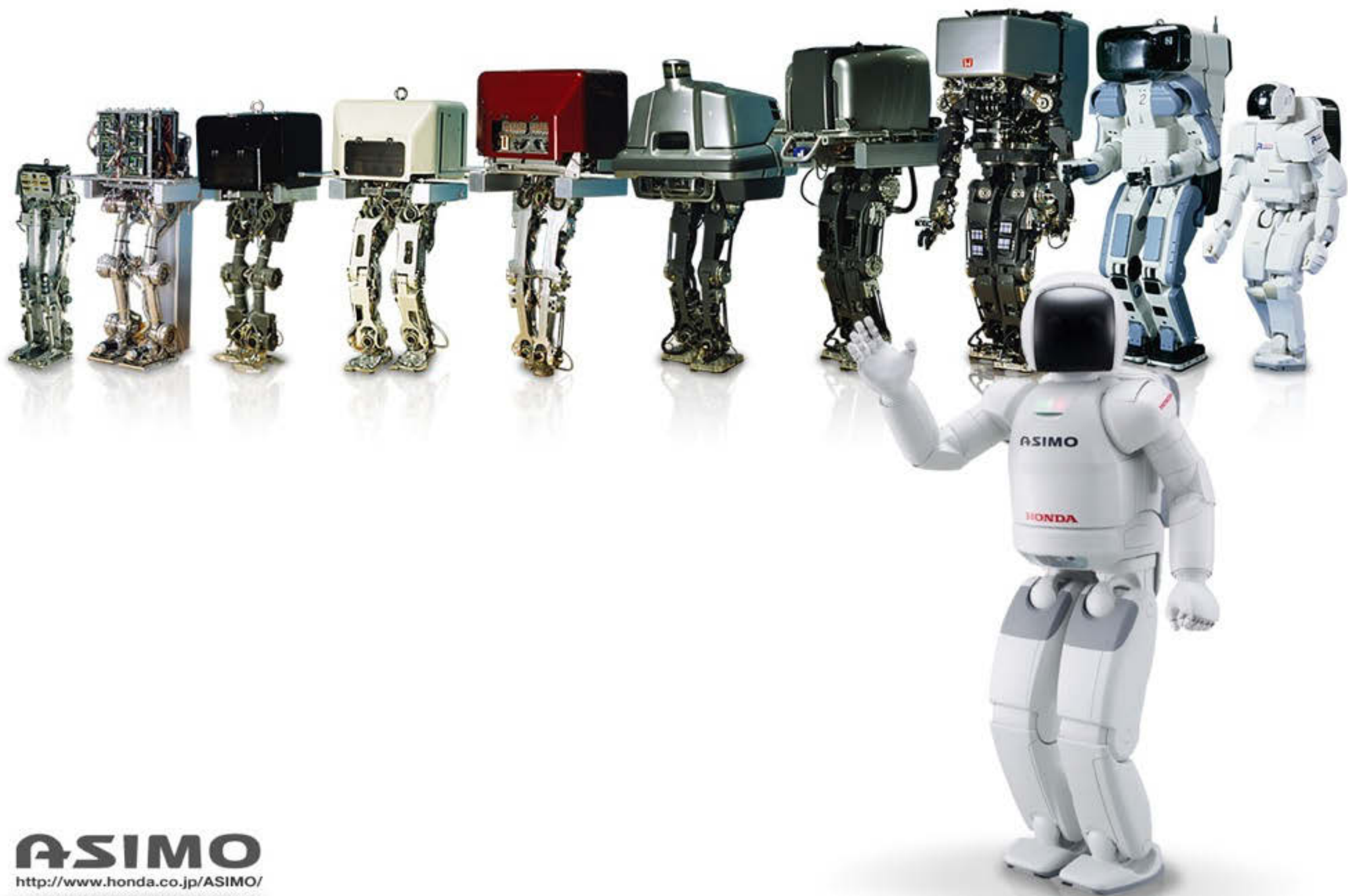


EARLY MODELS

in 1986







ASIMO
<http://www.honda.co.jp/ASIMO/>

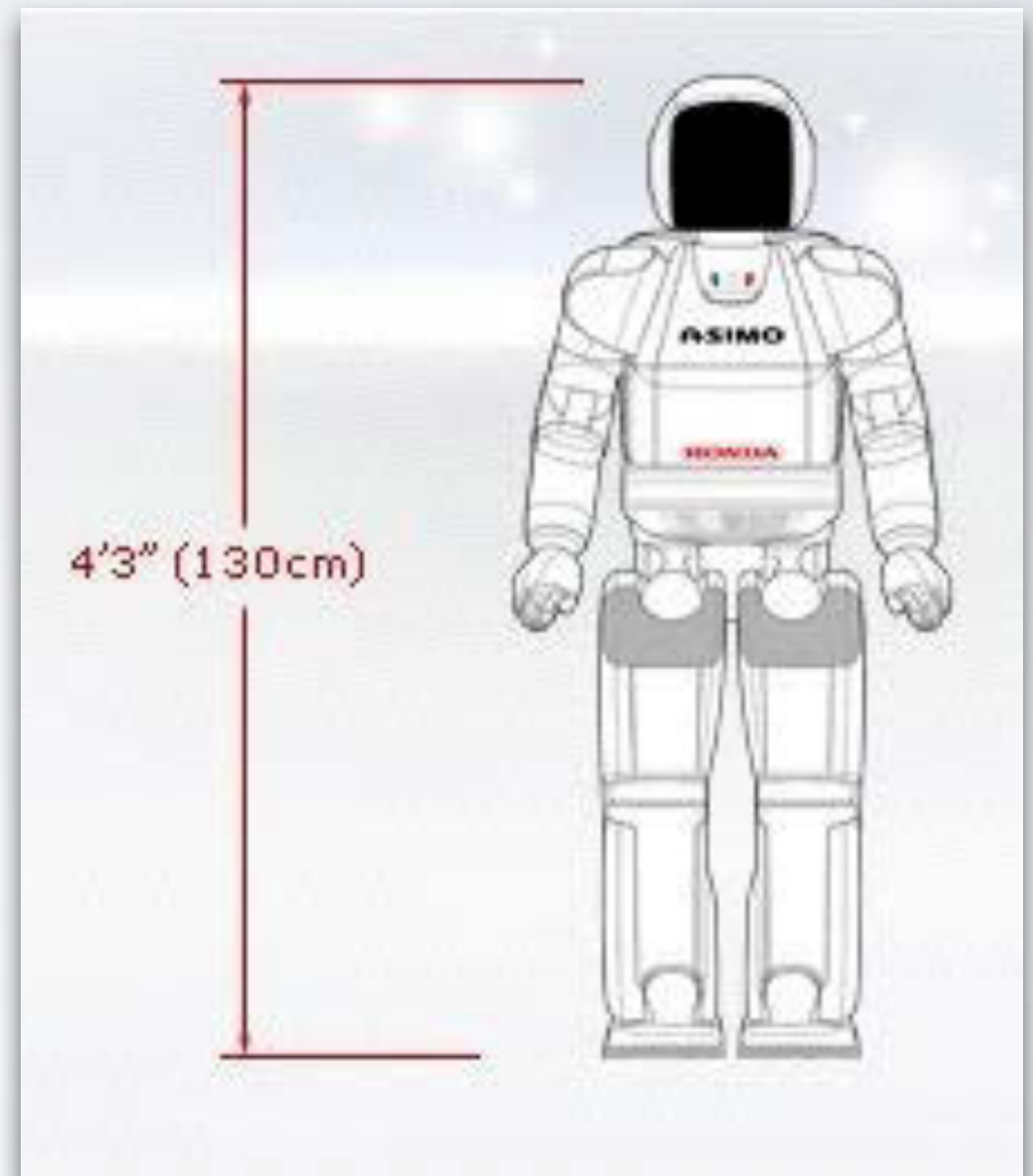


SPECIFICATION

of Honda ASIMO

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- Height: 130cm
- Weight: 50kg
- Walking Speed: 2.7km/h
- Grasping Force: 0.5kg/hand
- Power: Rechargeable 5 1.8V Lithium Ion Battery
- Operating time: 1 hour
- Composition: Magnesium alloy covered with a plastic resin



SPECIFICATION

DEGREES OF FREEDOM (for human joints)

| | | |
|--------------|--|---------------|
| HEAD | Neck joint (Up/Down, Left/Right Rotation) | 3 DOF |
| ARMS | Shoulder joints (Forward/Backward, Up/Down Rotation) | 3 DOF |
| | Elbow joints (Forward/Backward) | 1 DOF |
| | Wrist joints (Up/Down, Left/Right, Rotation) | 14 DOF |
| HANDS | 4 fingers (to grasp objects) / Thumb | 26 DOF |
| HIP | Rotation | 2 DOF |
| LEGS | Crotch joint (Forward/Backward, Left/Right Rotation) | 3 DOF |
| | Knee joints (Forward/Backward) | 1 DOF |
| | Ankle joints (Forward/Backward, Left/Right Rotation) | 12 DOF |
| TOTAL | | 57 DOF |

INDICATOR LIGHTS

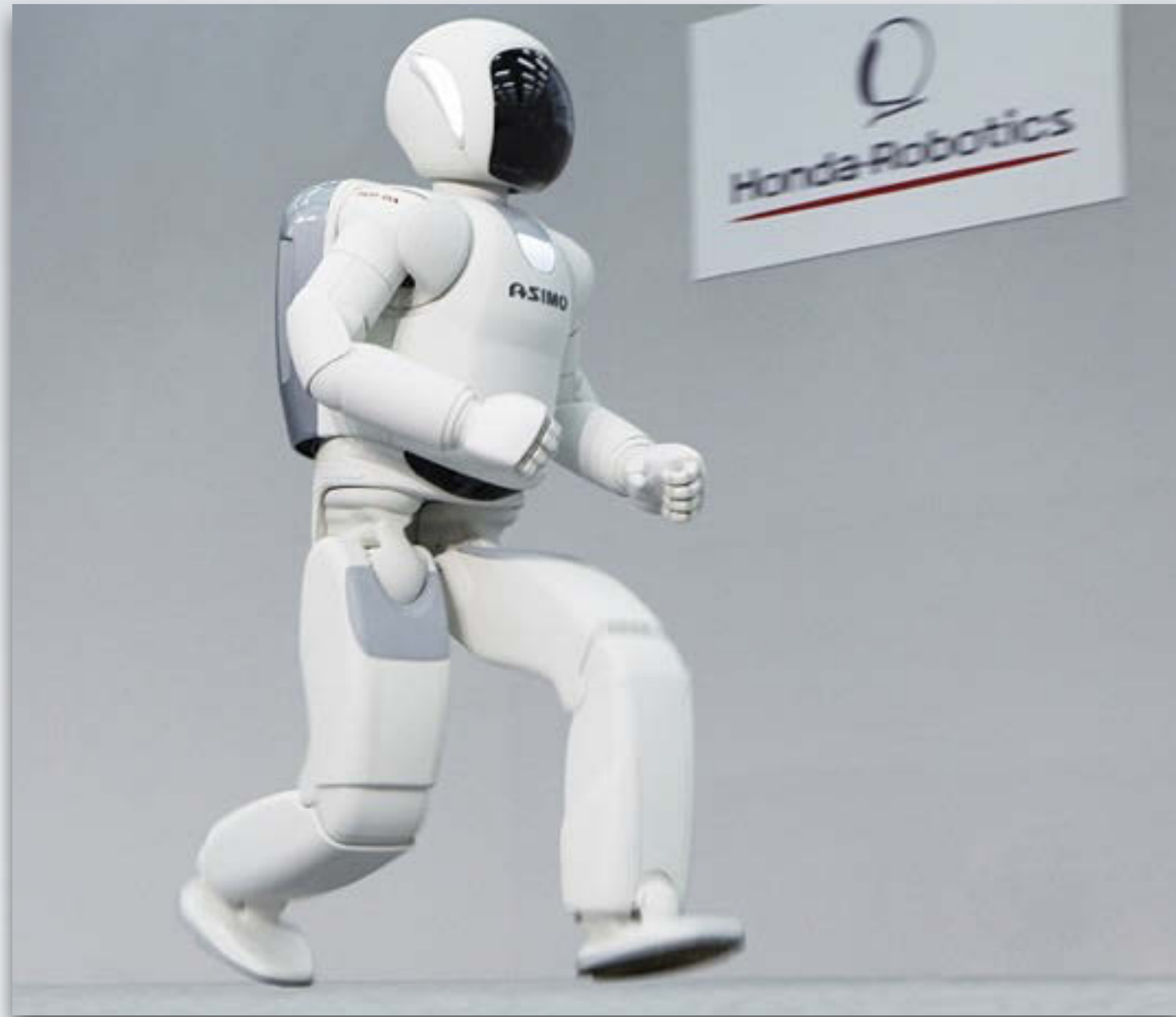
- **Green:** low-level power on
- **White:** ready for operation
- **Red:** ready to walk



POWER SOURCE

- Rechargeable
- 51.8 V Li-ION battery
- about 13 pounds





MOVEMENT

of Honda ASIMO

WALKING/RUNNING

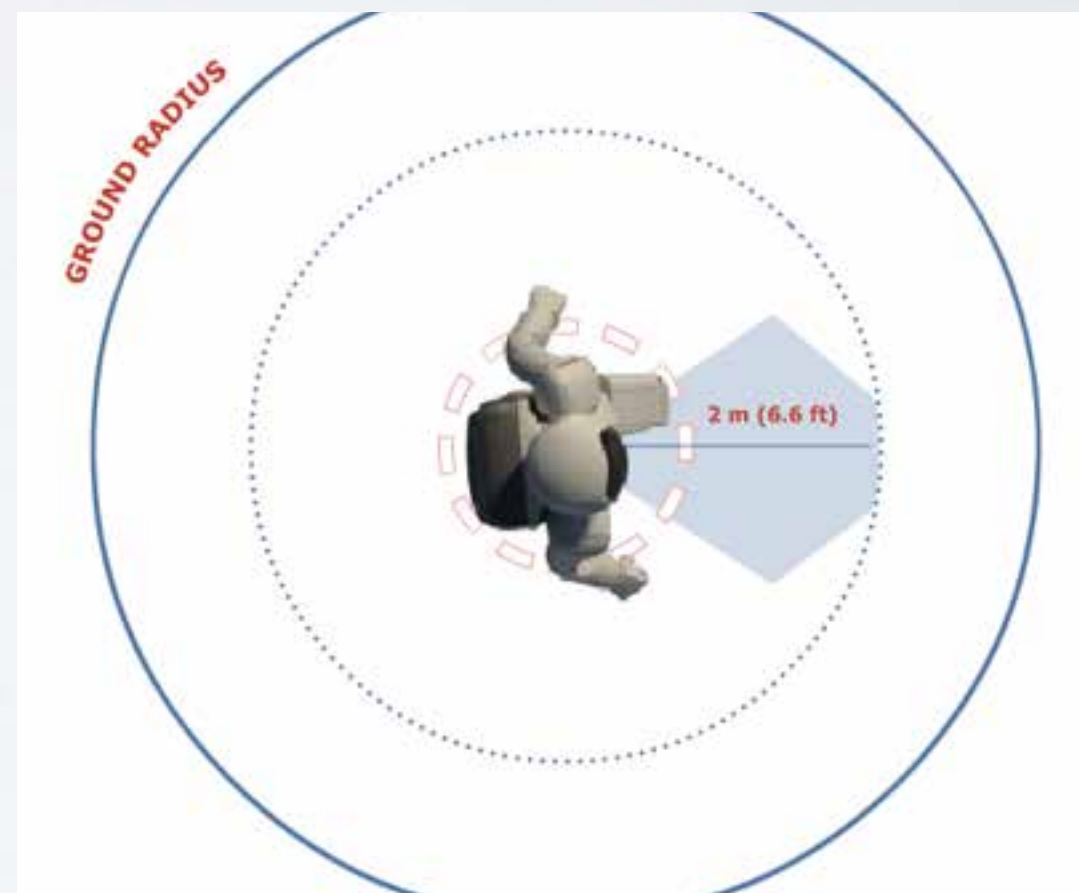
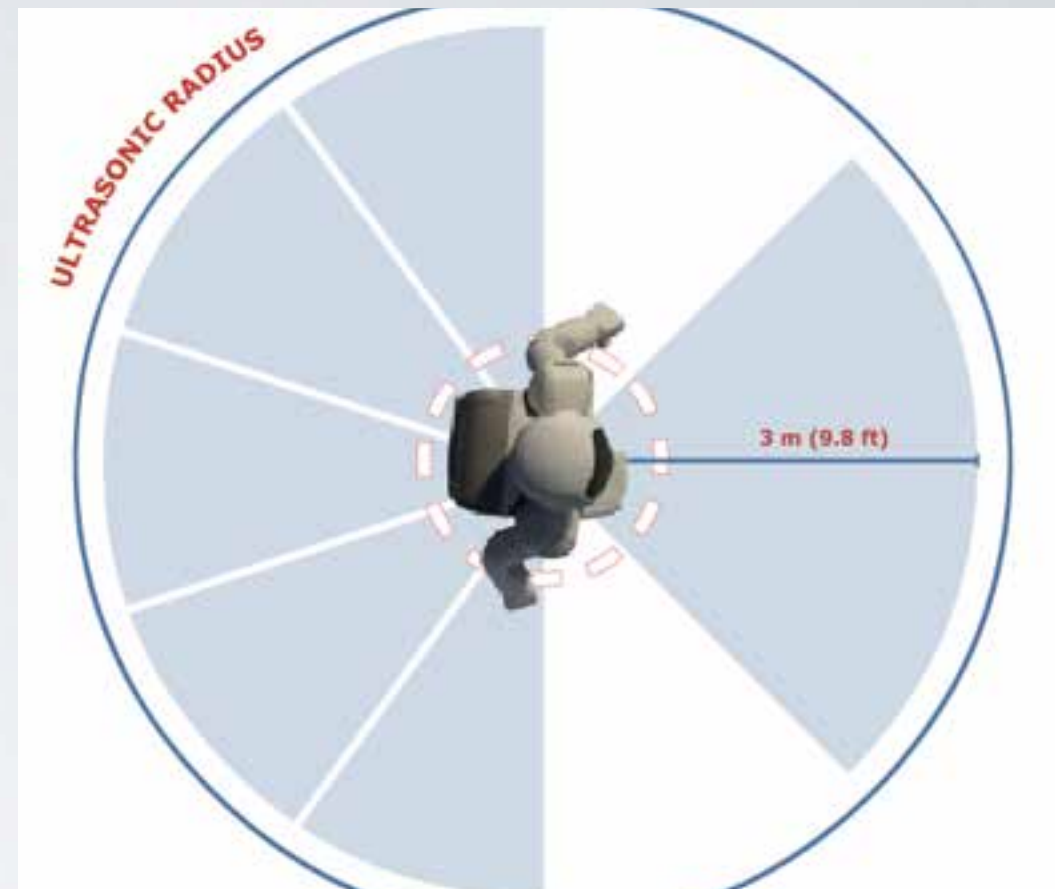
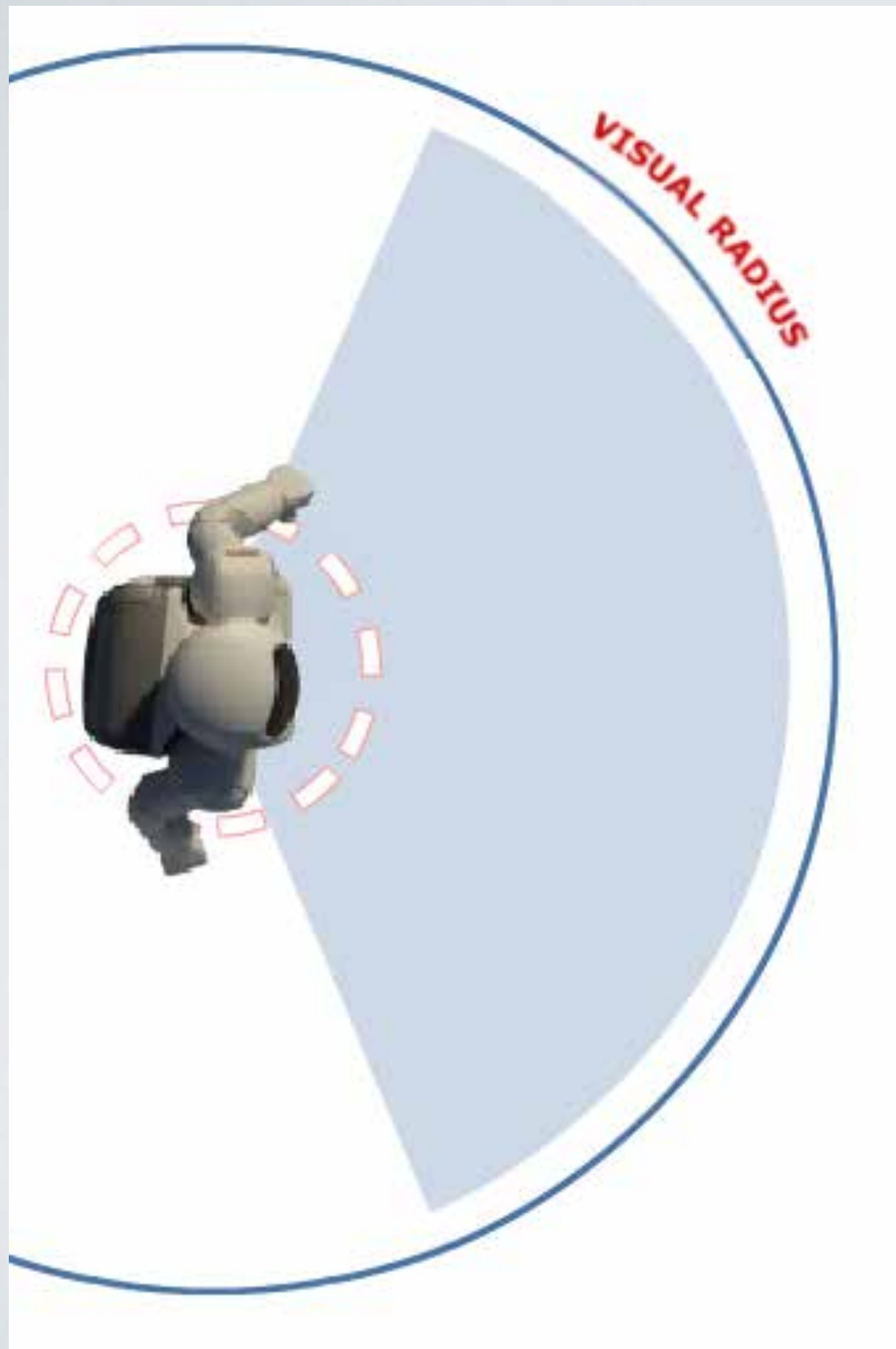
- Very stable
- Stored walking patterns
 - Acceleration
 - Steady speed
 - Deceleration
 - Turning
- Able to run in a circular pattern at high speeds



AVOIDING OBSTACLES

- Ultrasonic sensor
- Ground Sensor
- Visual Sensor





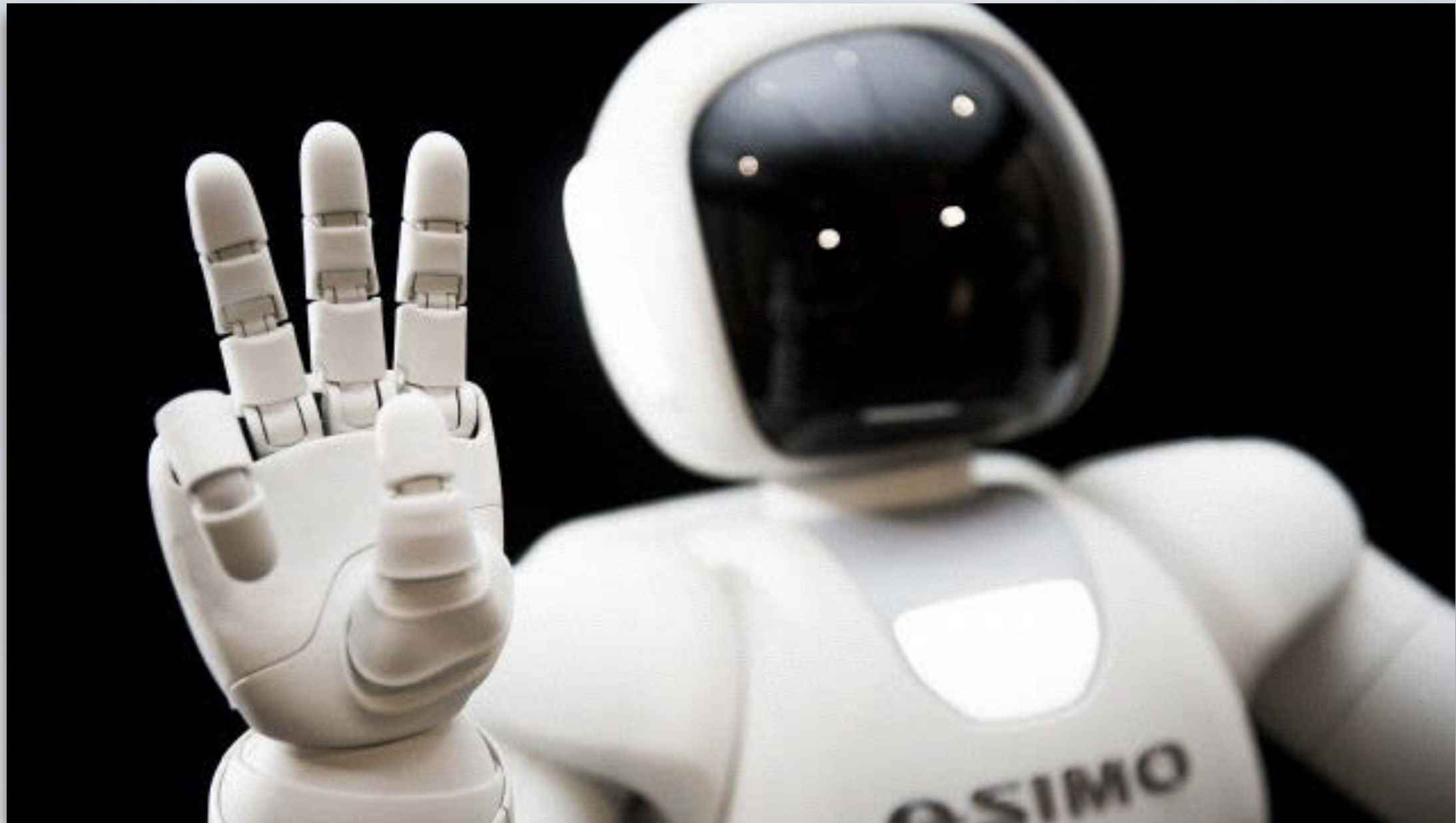
CLIMBING/DESCENDING

- i-WALK
 - Intelligent Real-Time Flexible Walking
- Environment recognition





HONDA'S ALL-NEW ASIMO



FUNCTIONS AND INTELLIGENCE

of Honda ASIMO

INTELLIGENCE

- Charting a route
- Recognizing moving objects
- Distinguishing sounds
- Recognizing Faces and gestures



PUSHING A CART

- Adjust the force of arms
- By force sensor in wrists



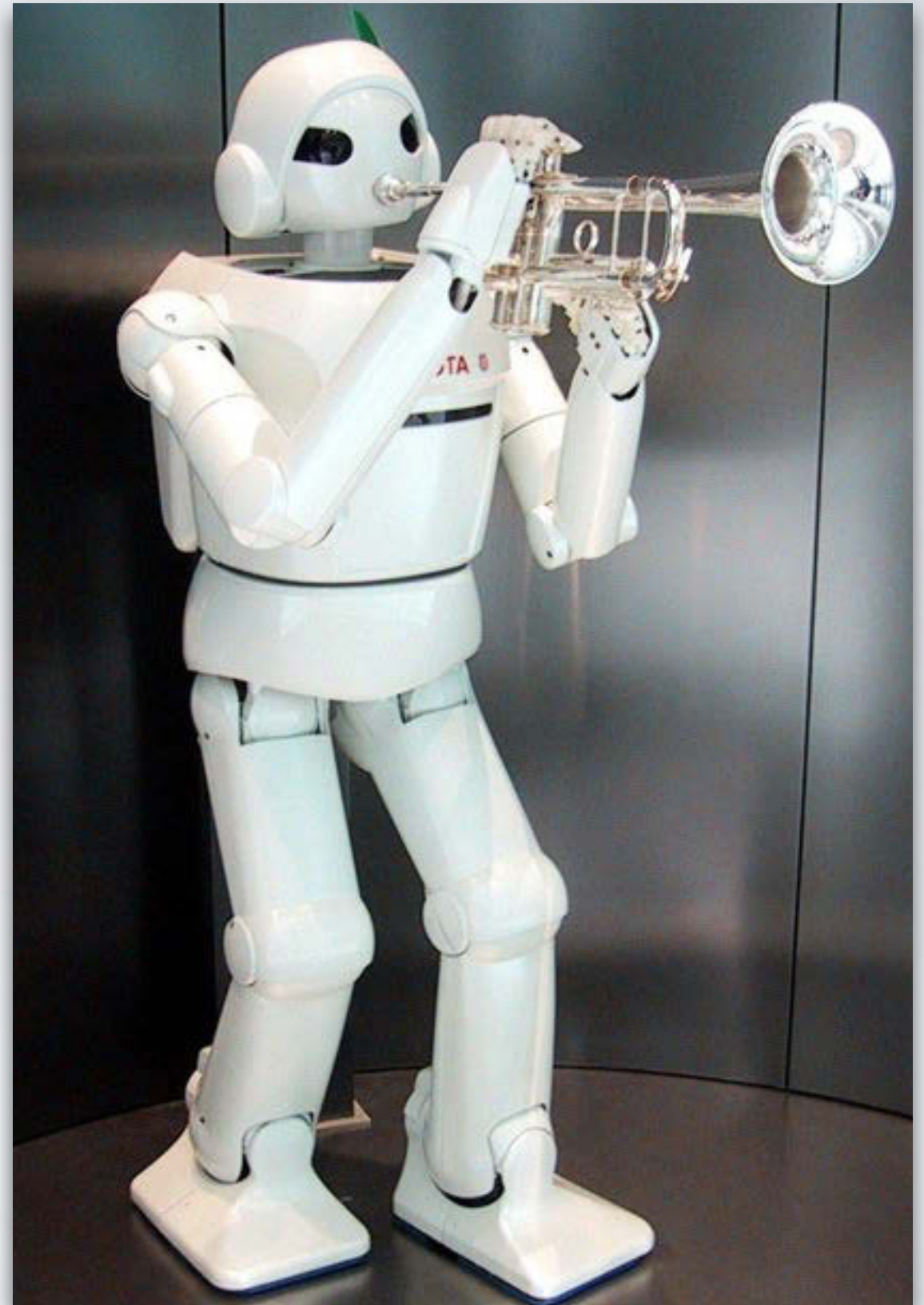
CARRYING A TRAY

- Detect movement of a person
- Move in synchronisation
- Uses entire body to control the tray



TOYOTA PARTNER ROBOT

developed by Toyota



START DEVELOPMENT

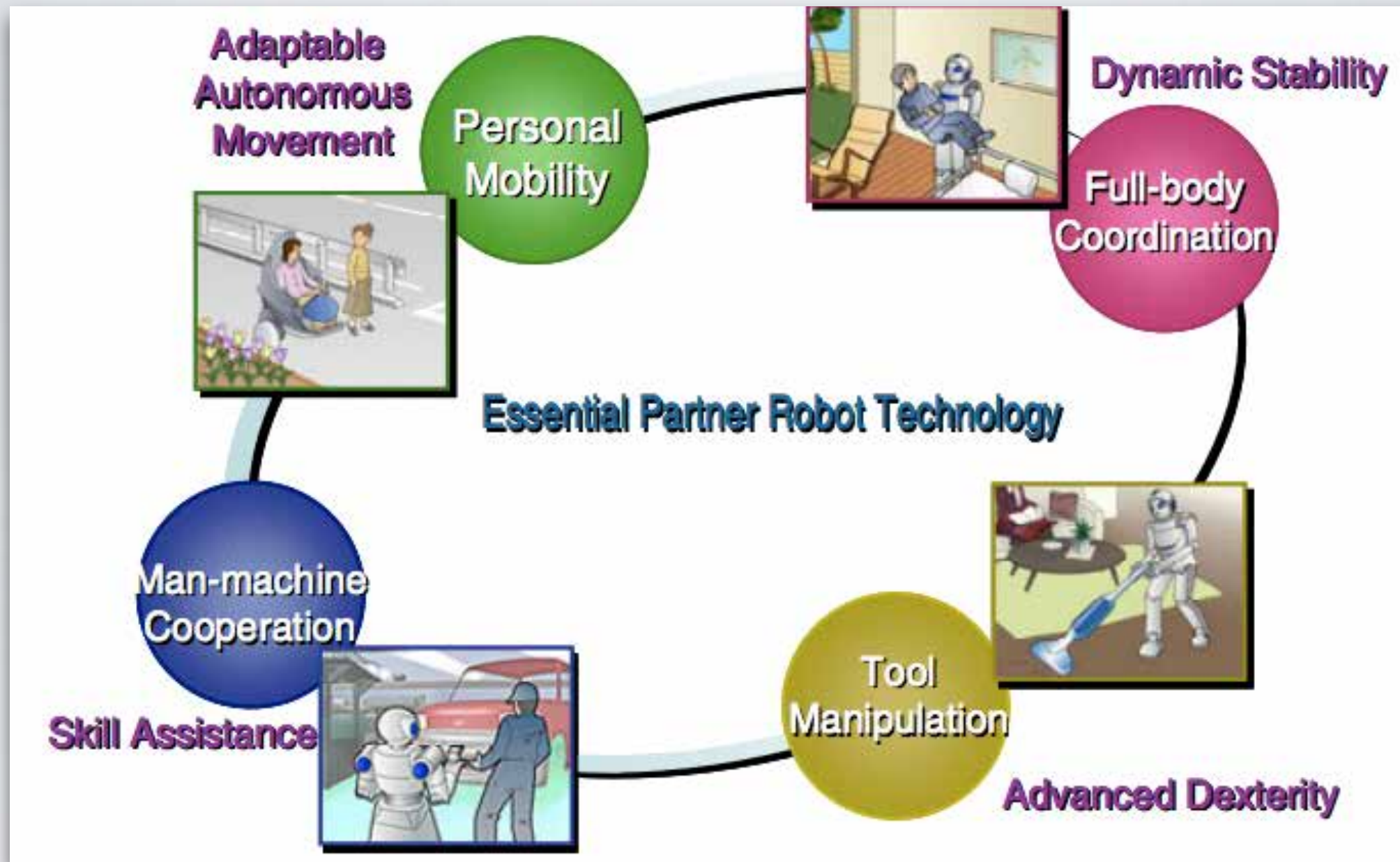
in 2000



ROBOT DEVELOPMENT AREA

- Manufacturing Support
- Short-distance Personal Mobility
- Nursing and Healthcare Support
- Support for Work around the Home





ESSENTIAL ROBOT TECHNOLOGY



Human Support Robot(HSR)



Walk Assist Robot



Care Assist Robot



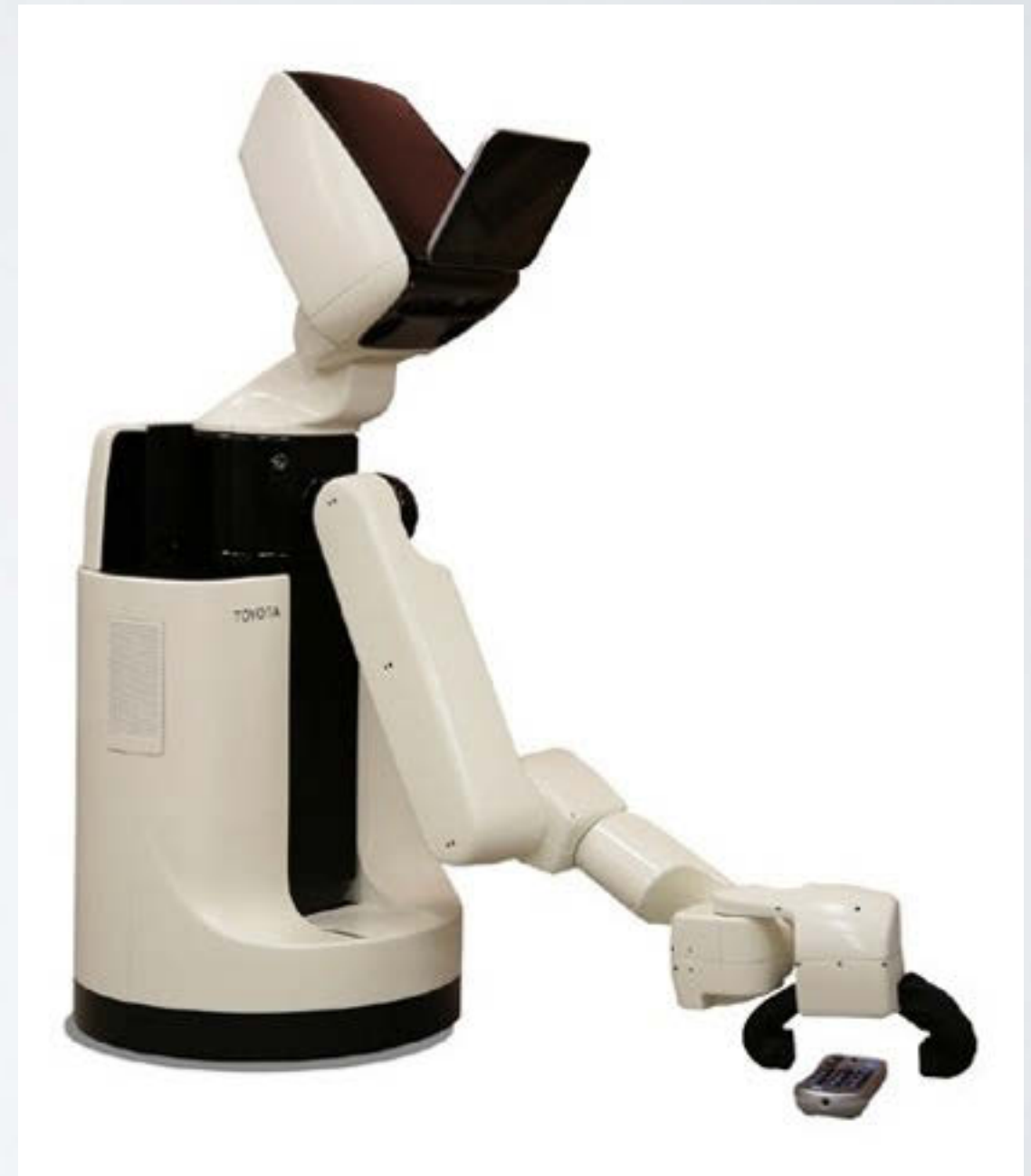


SPECIFICATION

of Toyota Partner Robot

HUMAN SUPPORT ROBOT

- Release: 2012
- Body diameter: 370mm
- Body height: 830 mm - 1,330 mm
- Weight: 32kg



WALK ASSIST ROBOT

- Release: 2011
- Size(HxWxL): 620-770mm
× 280mm × 290mm
- Weight: 3.5kg



ROBINA

- Release: 2007
- Size(HxWxL): 1200mm × 580mm × 580mm
- Weight: 60kg



HUMANOID

- Release: 2007
- Size(HxWxL): 1522mm × 761mm × 497mm
- Weight: 56kg





FUNCTIONS AND FEATURES

of Toyota Partner Robot

HUMAN SUPPORT ROBOT

- Lightweight Body
- Safe Interaction
- Simple Interface



HUMAN SUPPORT ROBOT

- Pick up
- Fetch
- Manual Control



WALK ASSIST ROBOT

- Intelligent Multi-Sensor Control
- Timing Lock Mechanism
- Lightweight Materials



CARE ASSIST ROBOT

- People-friendly Operation System
- Easy and Safe Adjustment Mechanism
- Gentle, Wrap-around Holding Device
- Easy Power Assisted Dolly



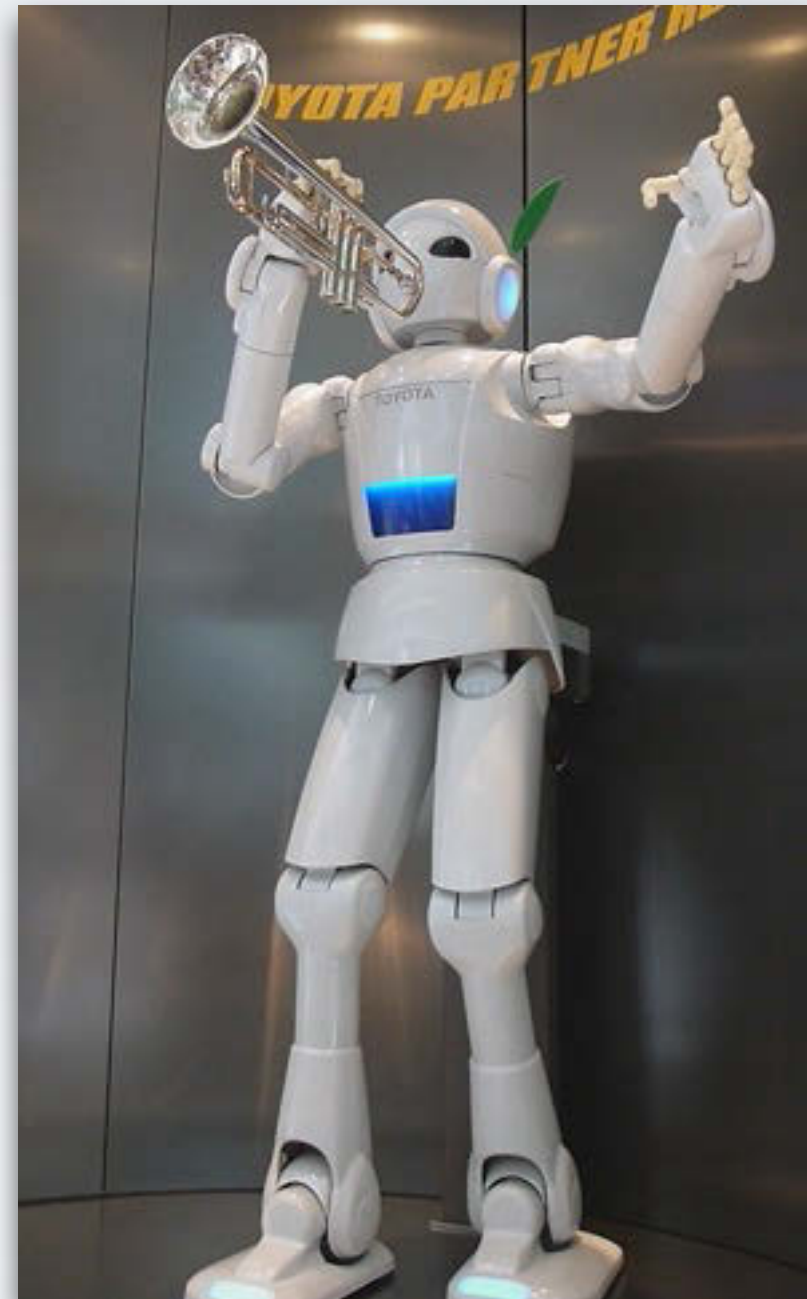
ROBINA

- Autonomous motion
- Jointed fingers
- Verbal communication
- Image recognition



HUMANOID

- Playing Trumpet
- Playing Violin



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メニュー

メニュー



拾う

ロボットをコントロールして
カメラで見えるものを
取ってきます。



取ってくる

登録されたものを
登録された場所から
取ってきます。



操縦する

登録されたステップにそって
ロボットのいろいろな動作を
コントロールできます。

DIFFERENCES

- Honda ASIMO
- human-like design
- Toyota Partner Robot
- function oriented



DIFFERENCES

- Honda ASIMO
 - simple task at home/in office
- Toyota Partner Robot
 - household and healthcare



FUTURE DEVELOPMENT

- Assisting the elderly
- Perform dangerous tasks



FUTURE DEVELOPMENT

- Provide support in:
 - medical
 - nursing
 - housework
- Care for the elderly
- Planned to be sent to the Moon in 2020



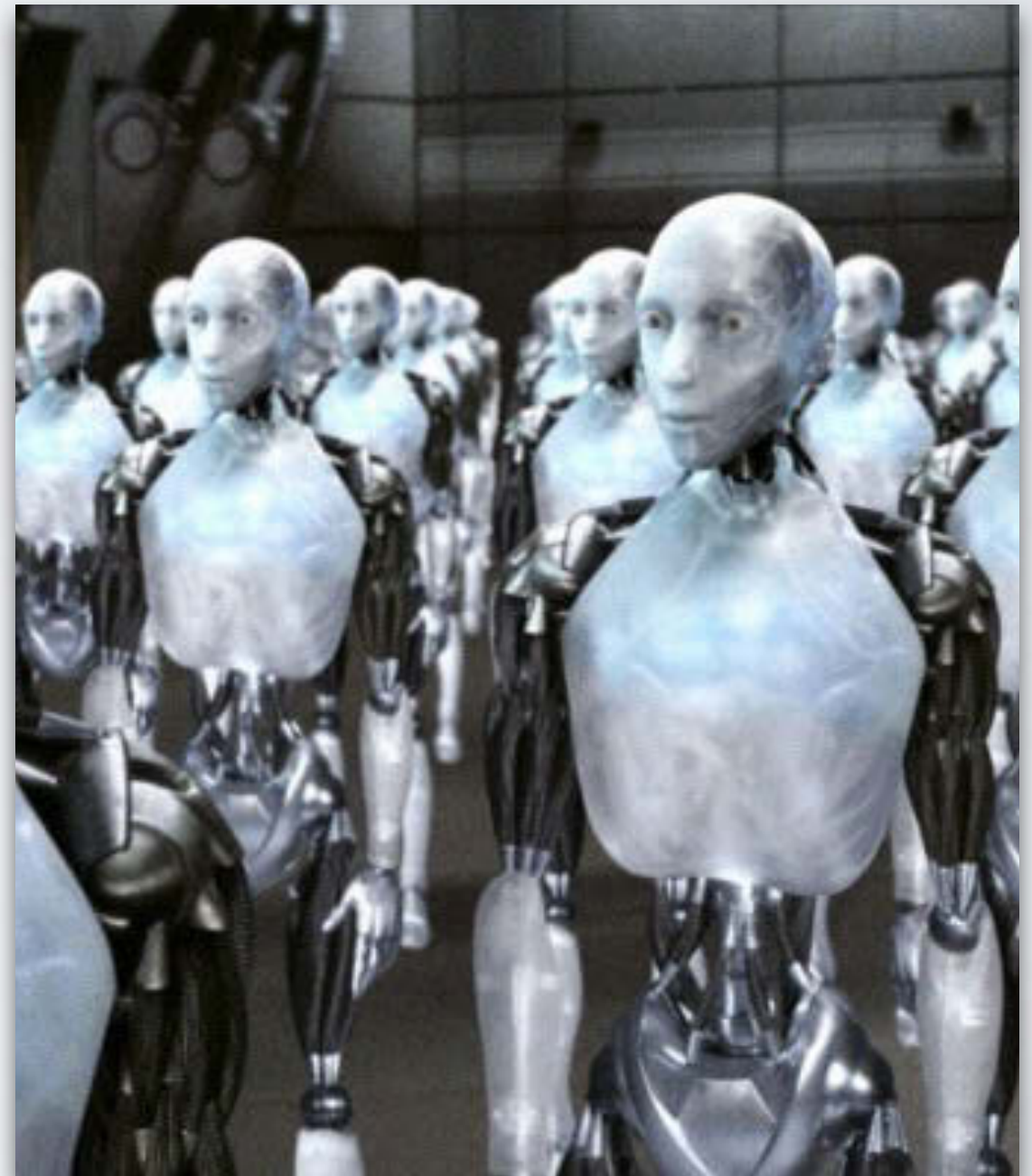
ADVANTAGES

- Higher Productivity
- Higher Precision
- Ignore working environment
- Help taking care of independent home living people



DISADVANTAGES

- Lack of Emotions or Conscience
- Dangerous
- The threat to human dignity
- High cost at implementing stage and maintenance





ALTERNATIVES

other than ASIMO and Partner Robot

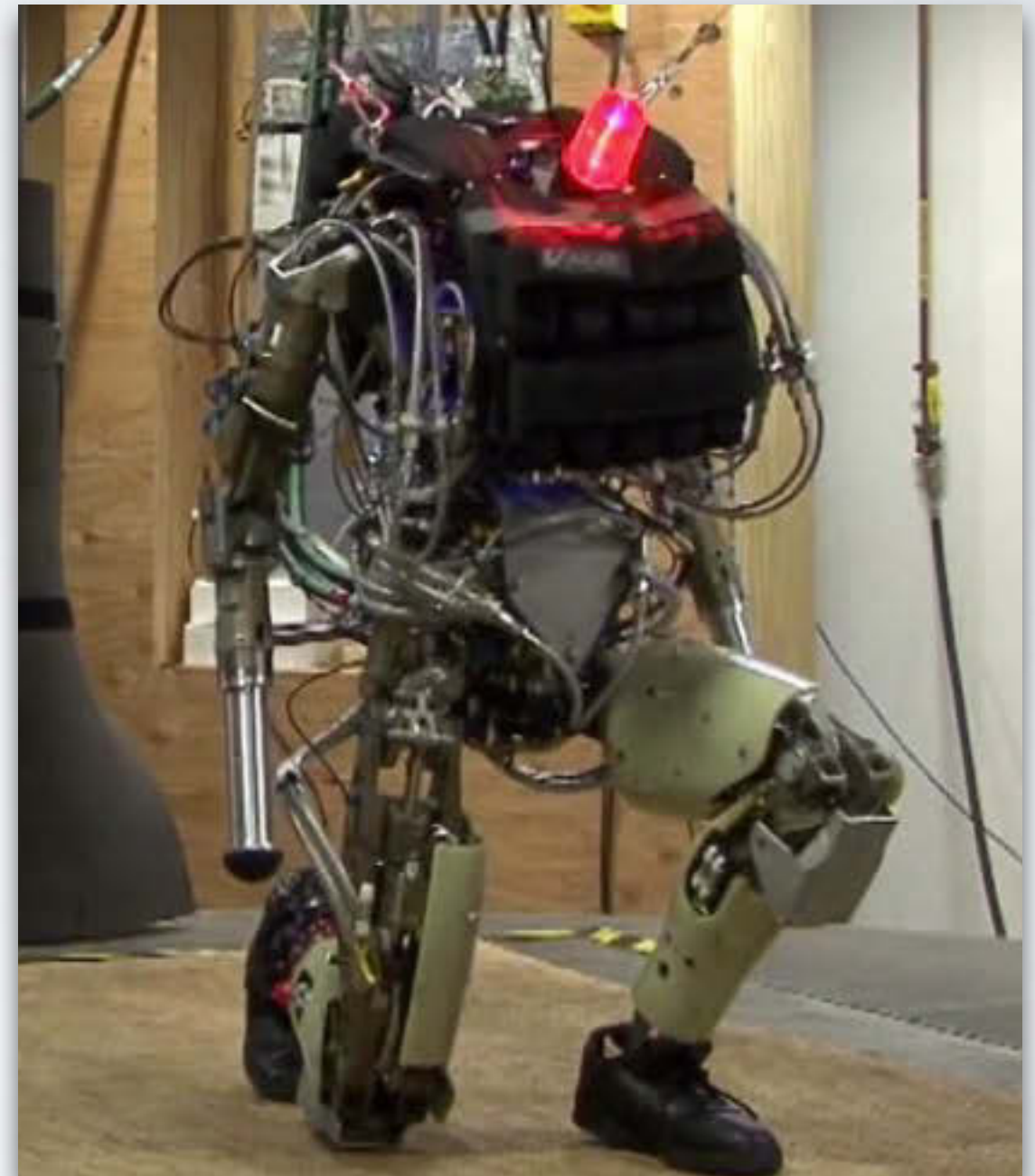
ROBONAUT2

- Developed by GM & NASA
- Automotive and Aerospace industries



PETMAN

- Develop by Boston Dynamics
- Testing chemical protection clothing



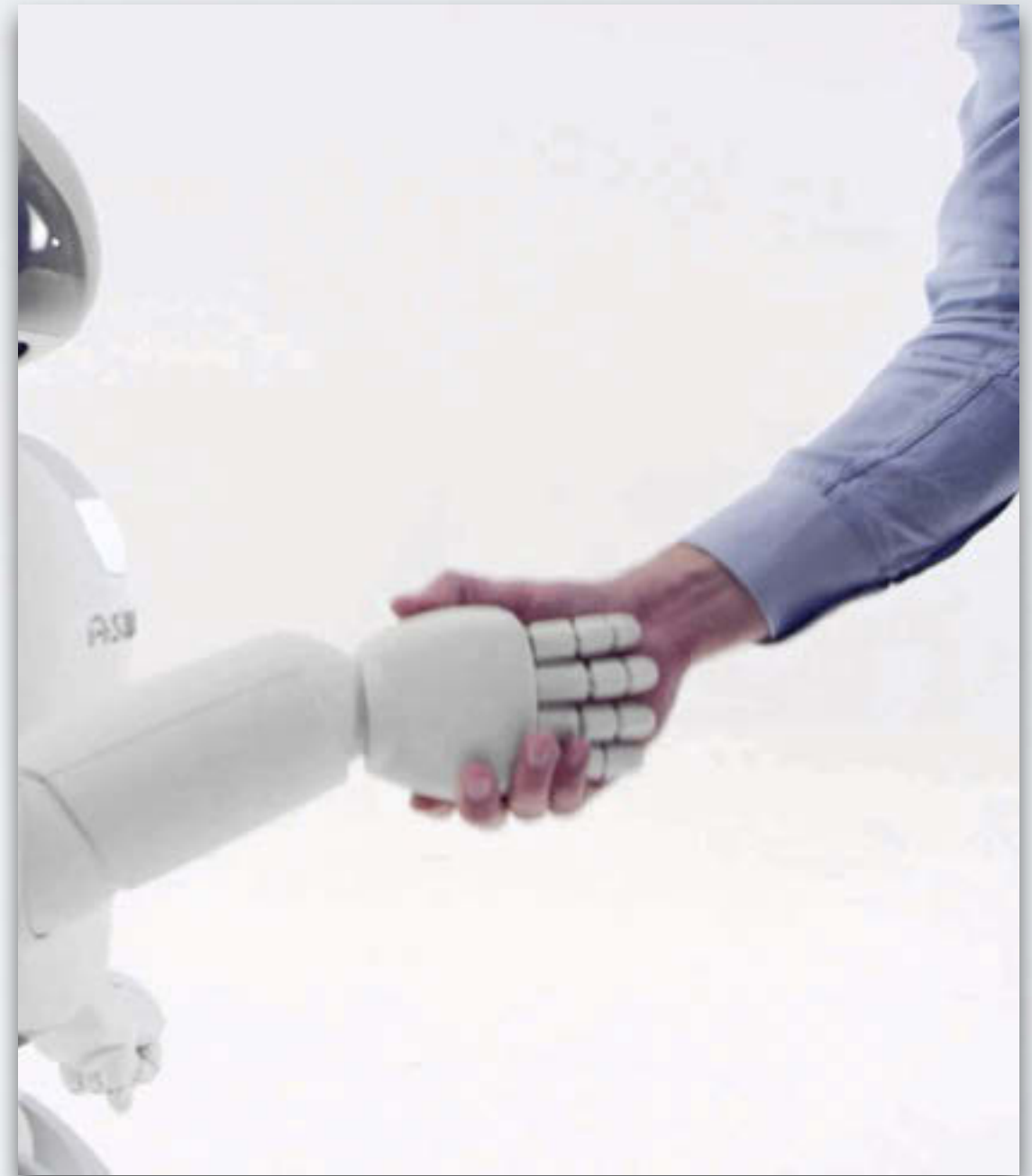
HRP-4C

- Developed by AIST
- Entertainment industry



CONCLUSION

- Bring Convenience
- Enhance Living Standard
- Should not rely too much



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