



The Rise of
The Bad Future

2026

THE FORK IN THE ROAD



Europe's
Mandate to Lead

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- I used some AI tools like NotebookLM
- This isn't anti-American, and...
- this isn't just about Donald Trump
- Sorry: You may suffer some Future Shocks
- **Protopia WILL replace the Dystopia!**

Other good sources on this topic: Jeffrey Sachs, Fareed Zakaria, Yuval Noah Harari, Bill Halal, Carole Cadwalladr, Rutger Bregman...



1. Geopolitical & Geo-Economic RESET

2. The Intelligence Revolution (AI/AGI)

3. Exponential & Combinatorial Science & Tech Leaps

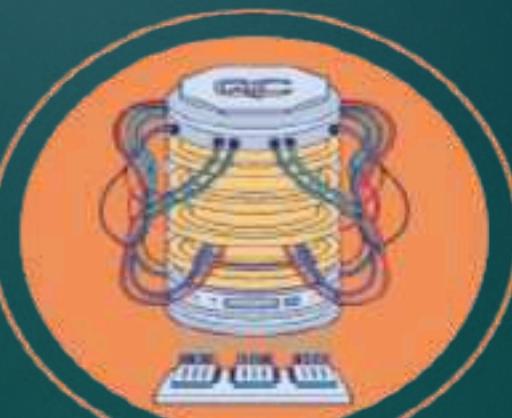
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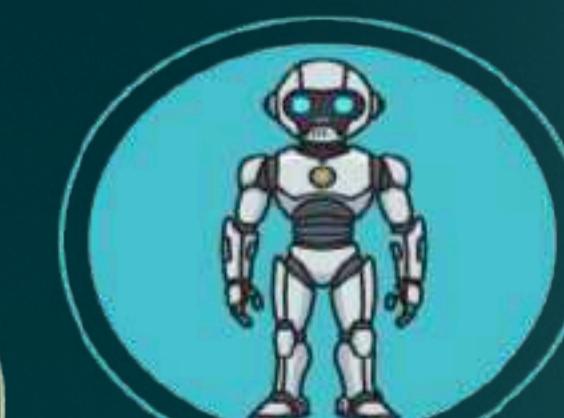
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Robotics,
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Bio- and
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The Intelligence Revolution

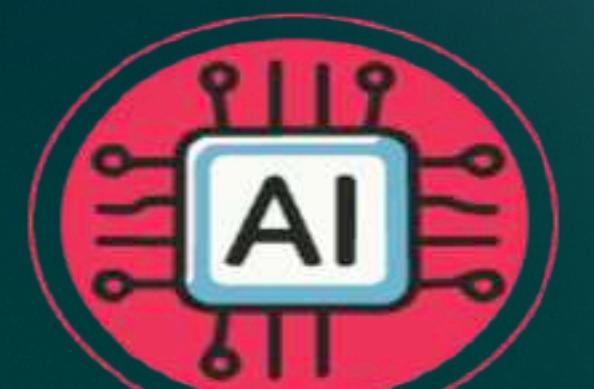
and other exponential scientific / tech leaps



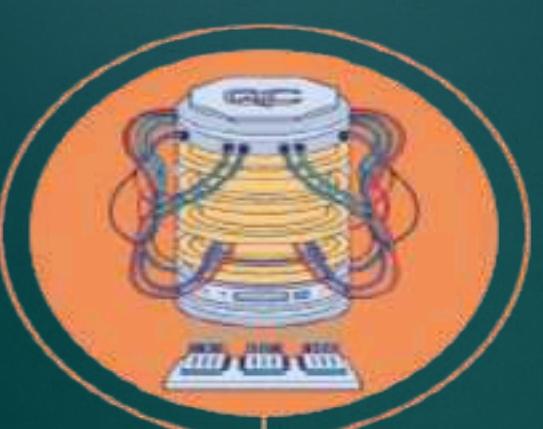
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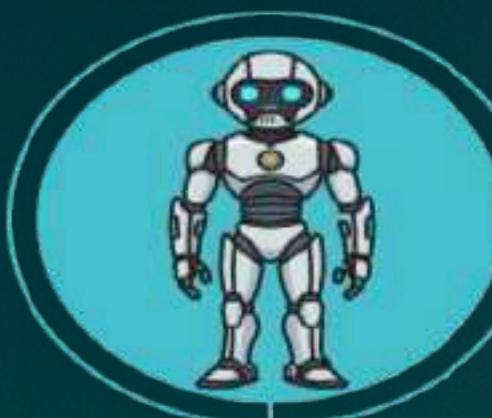
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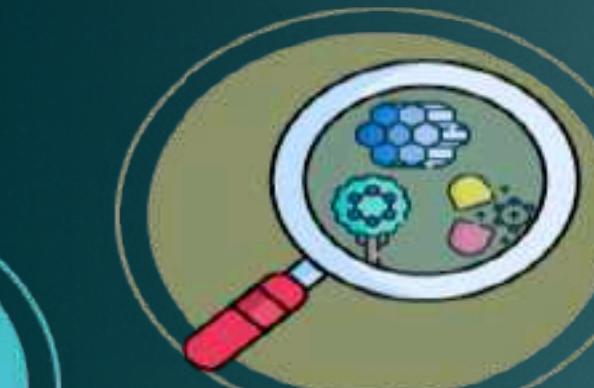
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2026: THE RISE OF THE BAD FUTURE





THE BAD FUTURE

POWER OVER PURPOSE

TECHNOLOGY OVER HUMANITY

TRANSACTION OVER TRUST

THE AMERICAN FUTURE
NO LONGER EXISTS.

The Good Future will **not** be 'made in America'

THE AMERICAN FUTURE NO LONGER EXISTS.



"I no longer feel an obligation to think purely of Peace"

Donald Trump

to the Prime Minister of Norway (NATO ally)
January 20, 2026

EUROPE MUST REACT

<https://www.change.org/stop-trump/>



Governance by Bullying: The Anatomy of The Bad Future

Diplomacy: Reduced to showmanship, posturing, and transactional “deal-making”.

Institutions: The UN, UNICEF, and ICC systematically ridiculed, gutted, and weakened.

Truth: Optional. Defined by power or AI generation.

The Signal: If the world’s most powerful democracy discards rules, “Might Makes Right” becomes the global standard.



When Democracy Loses its Narrative, War Becomes Thinkable.

In 2025, treaties were mocked and the global order destabilized. The signal was horrifying: If the most powerful democracy can discard rules, why shouldn't everyone else?



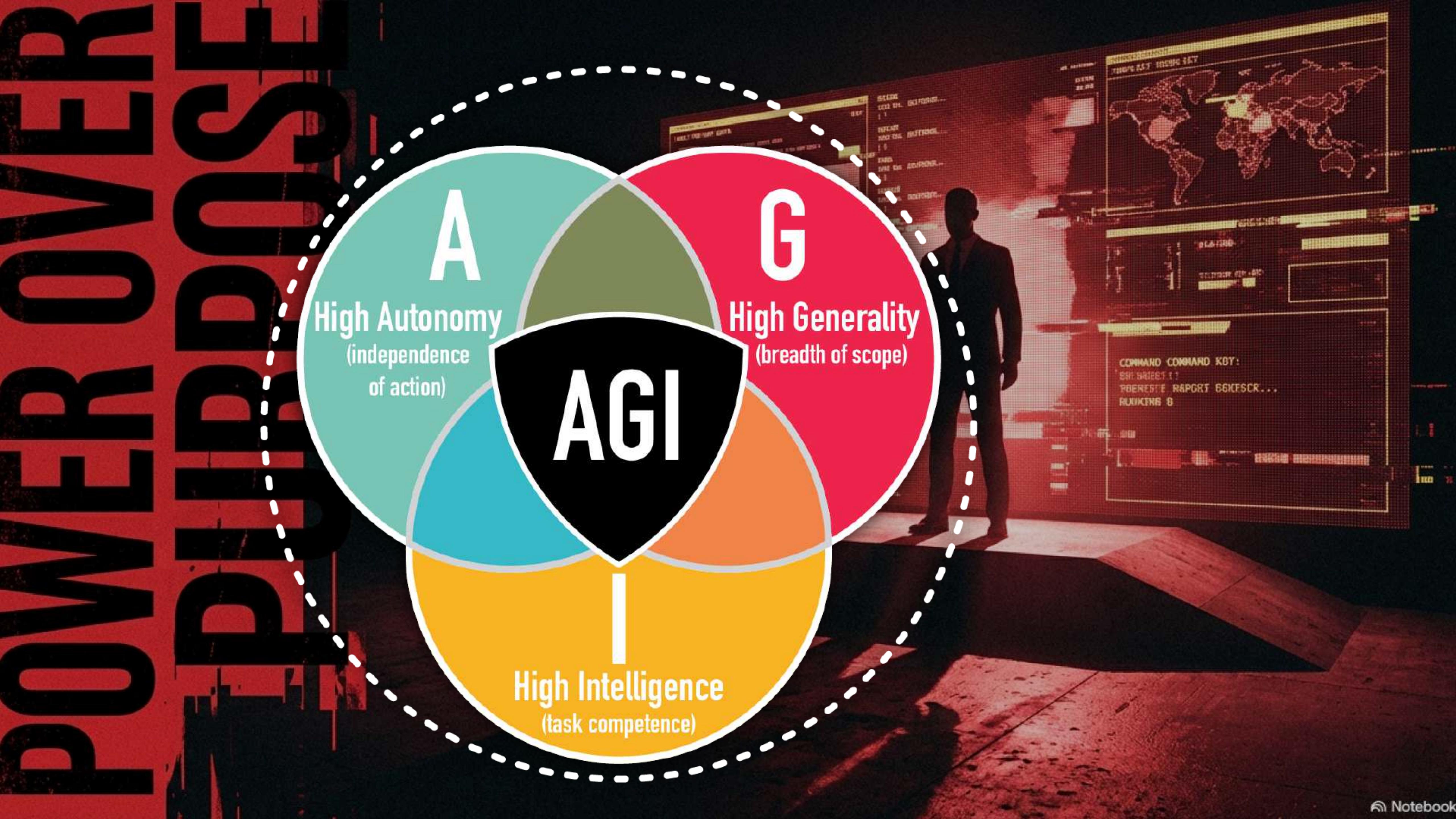
The Leader of the Free World Has Abandoned the Good Future.

For decades, the vision of a “Good Future”—grounded in human values, science, and collaboration—seemed anchored in the United States. It was the birthplace of the internet and Silicon Valley.

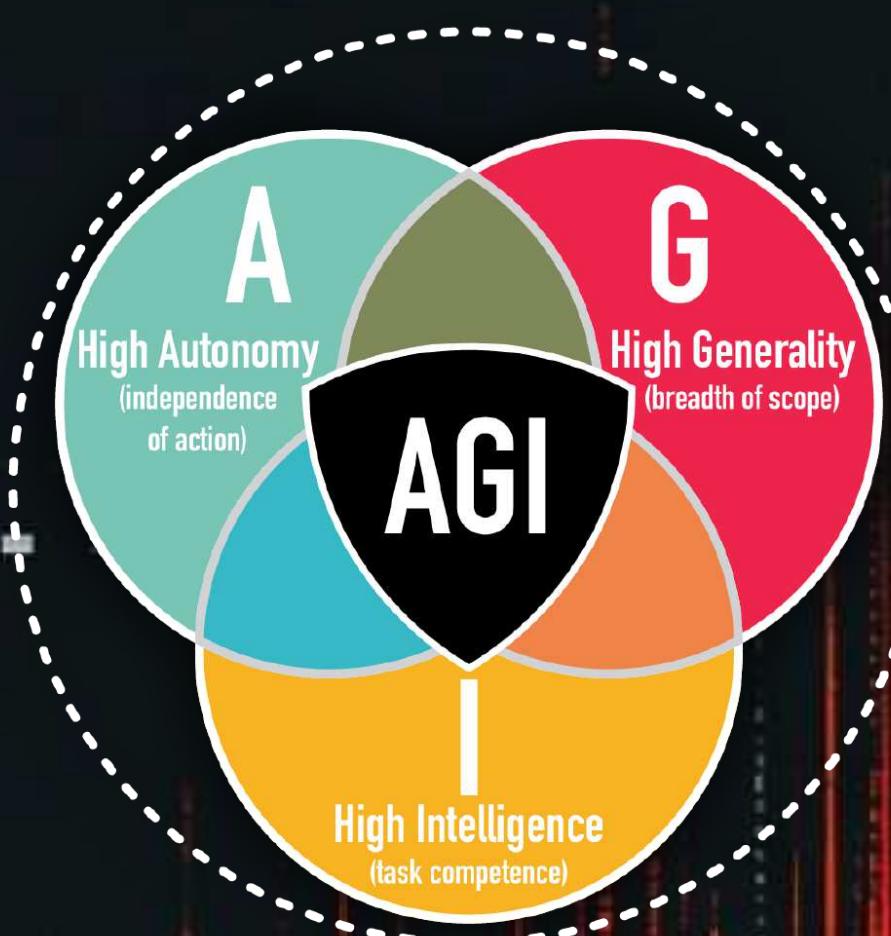
But those days are gone.



“The Good Future will not be made in the USA. It is no longer shaped by what happens in a visibly dysfunctional United States.”

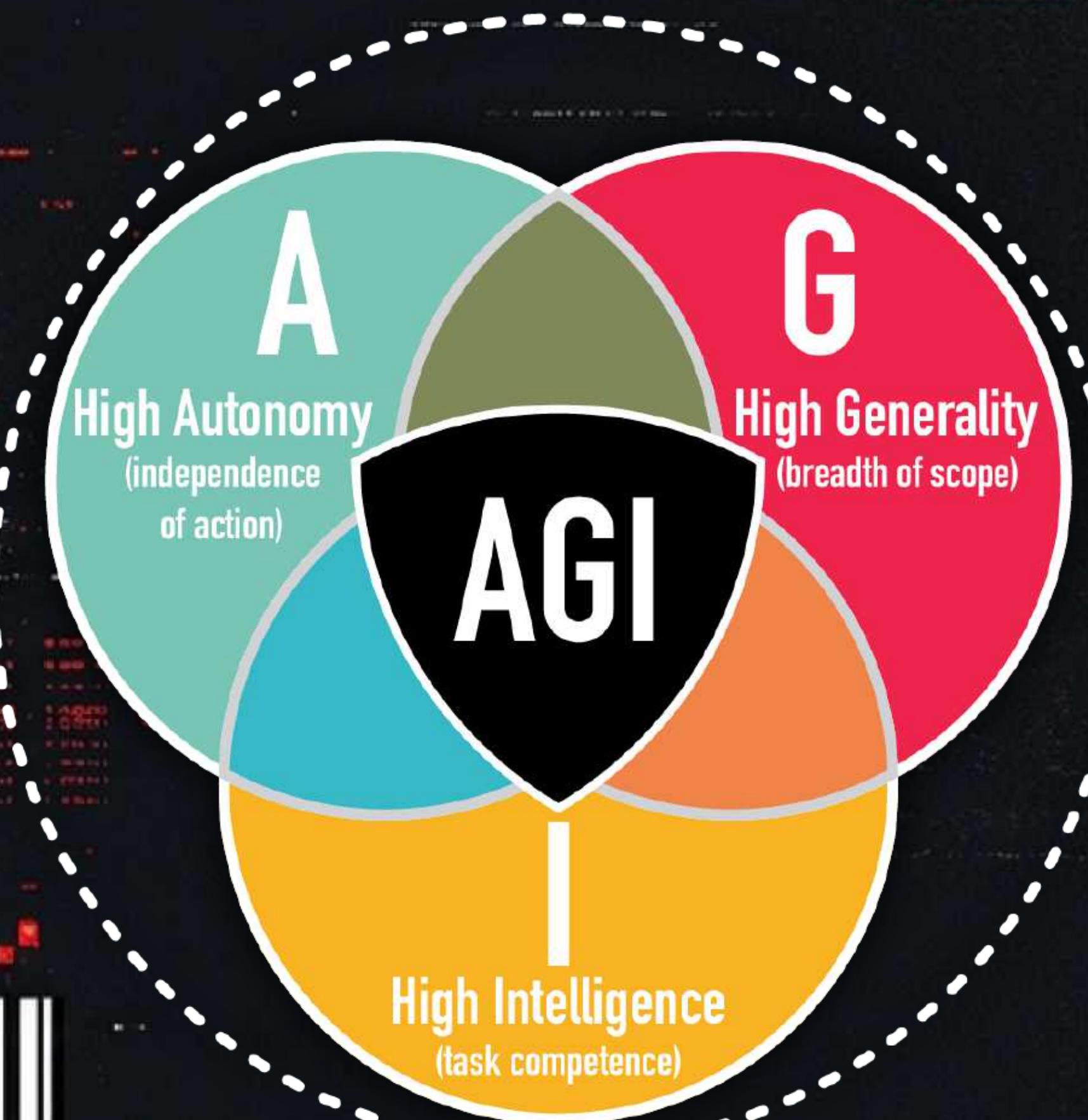


NOT UNEMPLOYMENT. MASS DIMINISHMENT



The destruction of purpose and identity.

Mass Diminishment



A
High Autonomy
(independence
of action)

G
High Generality
(breadth of scope)

AGI

I
High Intelligence
(task competence)

AI DIDN'T TURN EVIL. IT TURNED NORMAL.



We adopted the Intelligence Revolution faster than the internet, but without the ethics.
Convenience was sold as progress. Automation as liberation.

TECHNOLOGY DIDN'T FAIL. GOVERNANCE DID.



GROWTH / GDP

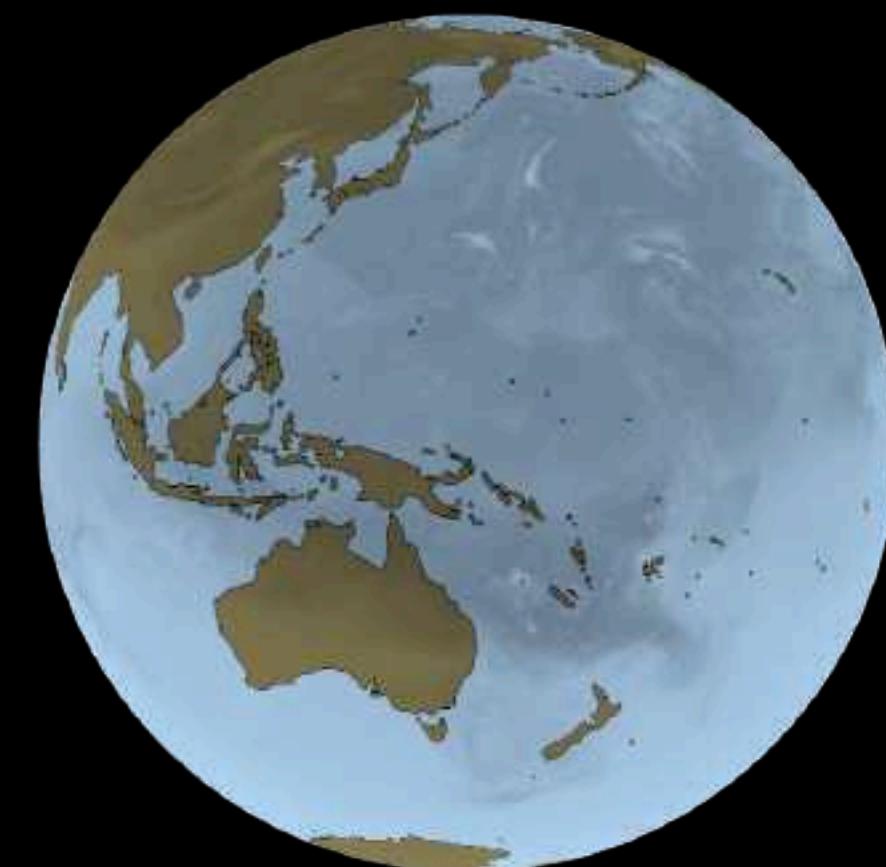


VALUES / TELOS

Democracy lost its narrative. Short-term profit replaced long-term purpose.



PROFIT
GROWTH
POWER



PEOPLE
PLANET
PURPOSE
PEACE
PROSPERITY



EUROPE'S CHOICE: DISENGAGE & LEAD.

BAD FUTURE

**Neutrality is complicity.
We didn't resist.
We simply clicked 'Accept.'
Europe must visibly reject the
trajectory of the Bad Future
and reclaim human agency.**

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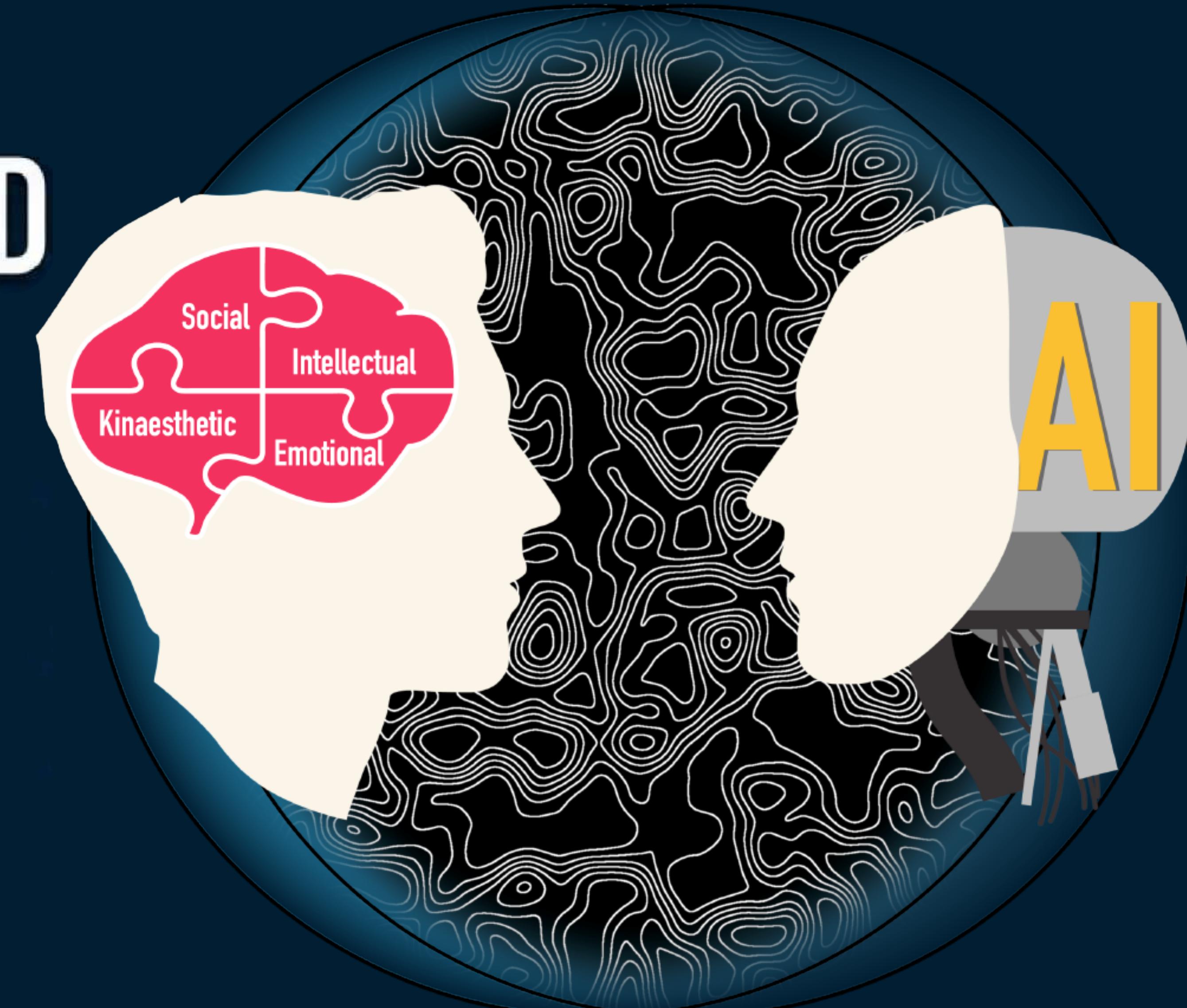
SWITCH TO EUROPE. NOW.

How to support
European sovereignty and keep control.

EMAIL	Gmail	→ Mailo
CLOUD	AWS	→ OVHcloud
VPN	NordVPN	→ ProtonVPN
SEARCH	Google	→ Qwant
BROWSING	Chrome	→ Vivaldi
FILE SHARING	WeTransfer	→ Smash
GENERATIVE AI	ChatGPT	→ Mistral AI
CHAT	WhatsApp	→ Olvid
OFFICE SUITE	Microsoft Office 365	→ LibreOffice
WORKSPACE	Google Workspace	→ Twake Workspace
CRM	Hubspot/Mailchimp	→ Brevo

01. MAKE HUMAN-CENTERED AI A STRATEGIC ADVANTAGE.

AI must enhance human judgment, not replace it. Regulation alone is not leadership. Direction is.



02. BUILD SOVEREIGNTY WITHOUT ISOLATION.

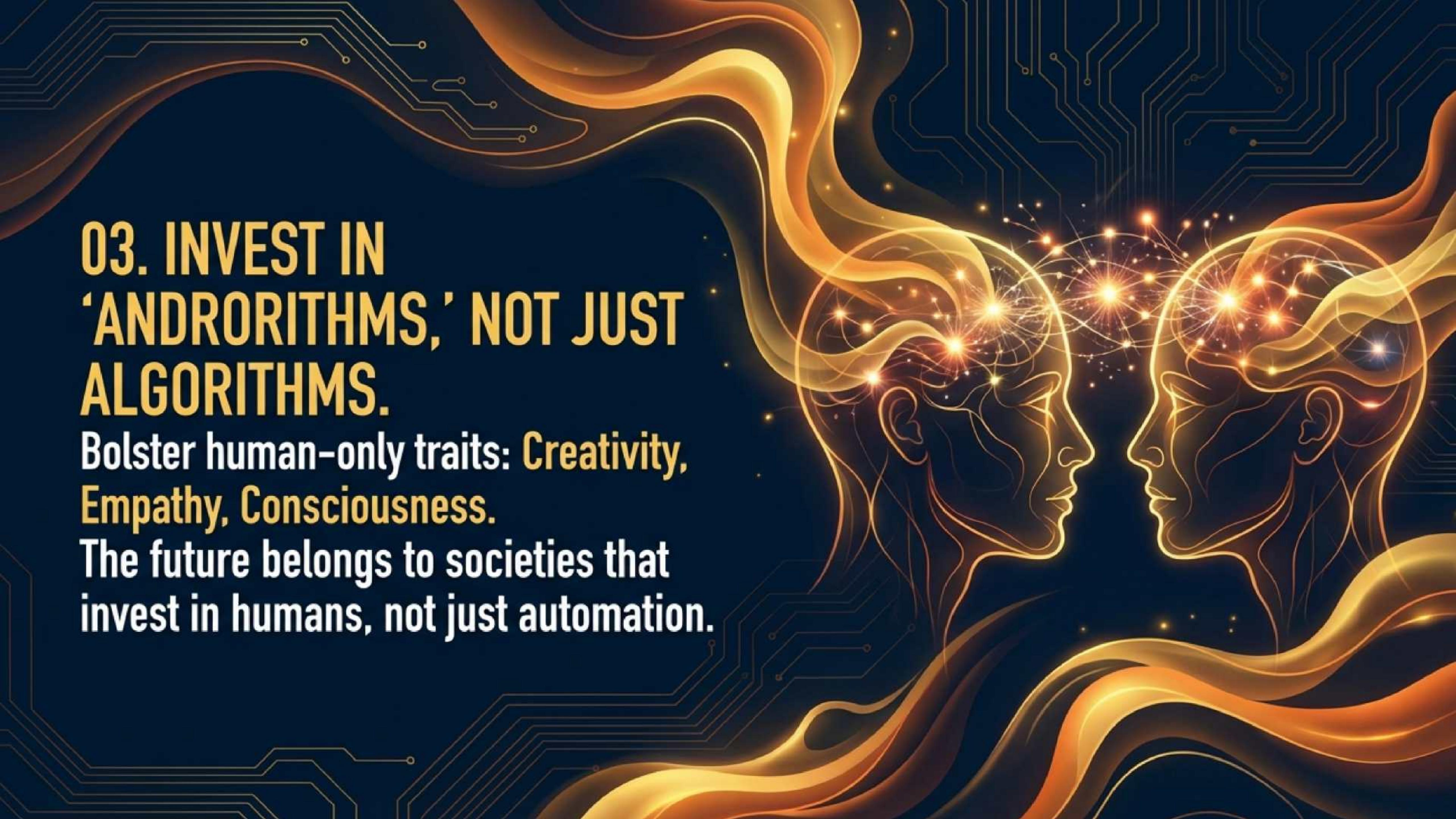
Secure the foundations:
Data, Energy, Chips, Cloud.
Strategic autonomy is not
digital nationalism.
It is resilience.



03. INVEST IN 'ANDRORITHMS,' NOT JUST ALGORITHMS.

Bolster human-only traits: **Creativity, Empathy, Consciousness.**

The future belongs to societies that invest in humans, not just automation.



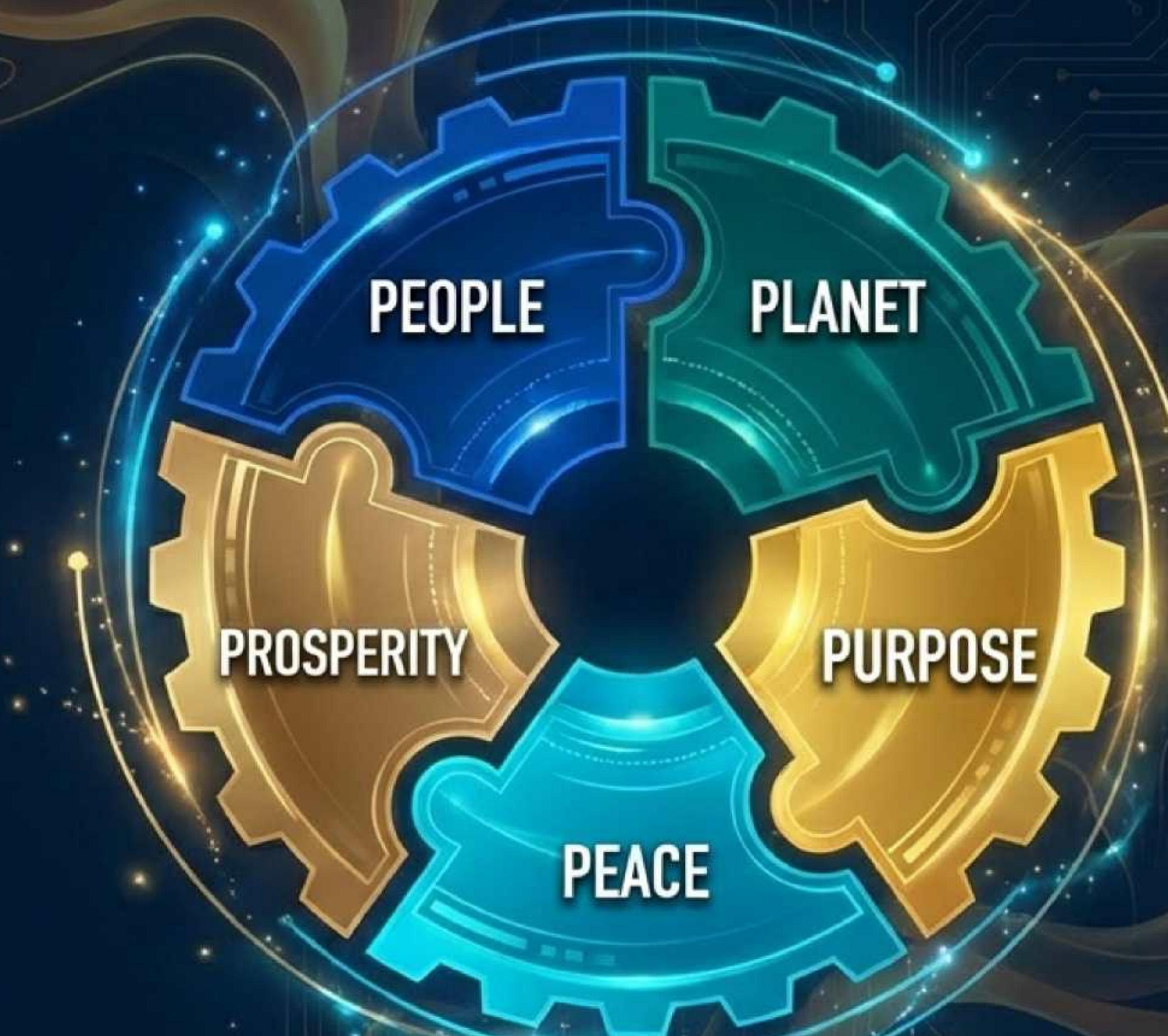
04. LEAD A GLOBAL ALLIANCE OF TRUST.

In a fractured world, trust is the new currency. Convene a coalition of democracies independent of US politics.



05. REDEFINE SUCCESS: THE 5 Ps.

Moving beyond GDP.
If Europe doesn't do it,
no one will.





THE UNITED STATES OF EUROPE

ONE EUROPE. ONE FUTURE.

PAN-EUROPEAN TRAINS



CYBER SECURITY



LESS DEPENDENCE ON THE USA



EUROPEAN DEFENSE

TAKE BACK TOMORROW

1. Develop a comprehensive, open, agile European Foreign Policy
2. Radically reduce dependency on \$US, US Stocks, US Platforms
3. Create a new, pan-EU stock market based on the 5Ps (TGF)
4. Pursue zero-emissions goals, end fossil fuel dependence
5. Roll out a pan-EU military, cyber-security and police strategy
6. Boost digital sovereignty, switch to EU tech providers (**leaders!!**)
7. Drastically reduce European innovation barriers ***
8. Boycott U.S. events (World Cup), destinations AS NEEDED

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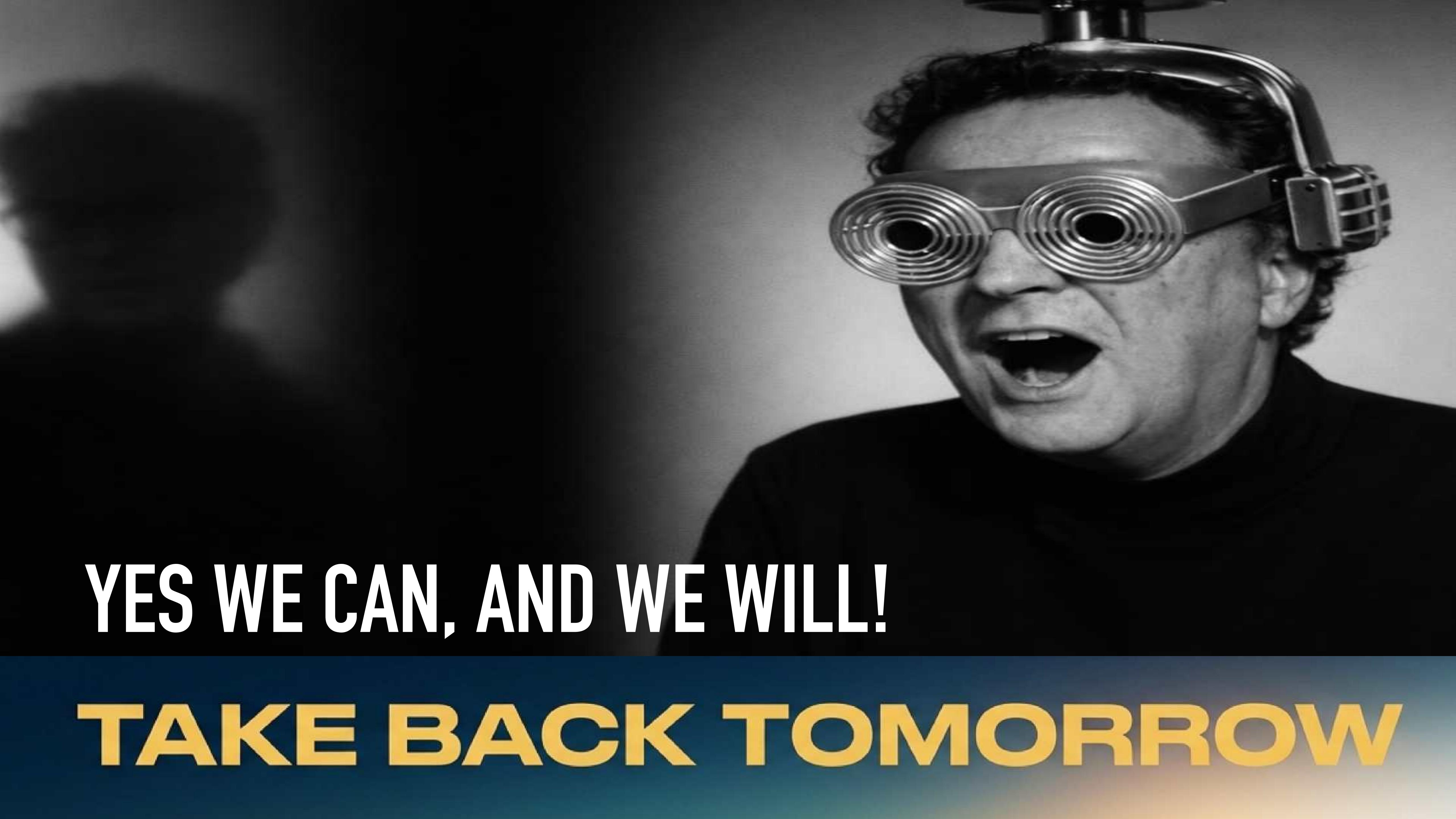
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YES WE CAN, AND WE WILL!

TAKE BACK TOMORROW

2026: The Great Pivot – Reclaiming the Good Future

The global reference point of an 'American Future' has collapsed into a 'Bad Future' defined by profit over purpose and technology over humanity. Europe must now step in to lead a new 'Good Future' by prioritizing human agency and ethics over raw digital power.

THE CRISIS: THE RISE OF THE "BAD FUTURE"

TRANSACTIONS OVER TRUST

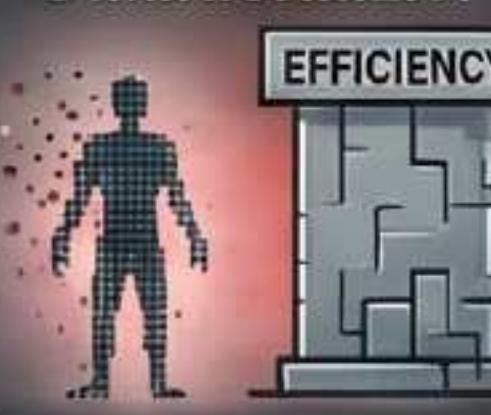


Global leadership has shifted toward power, might, and short-term gain over long-term human flourishing.

TECHNOLOGY WITHOUT ETHICS



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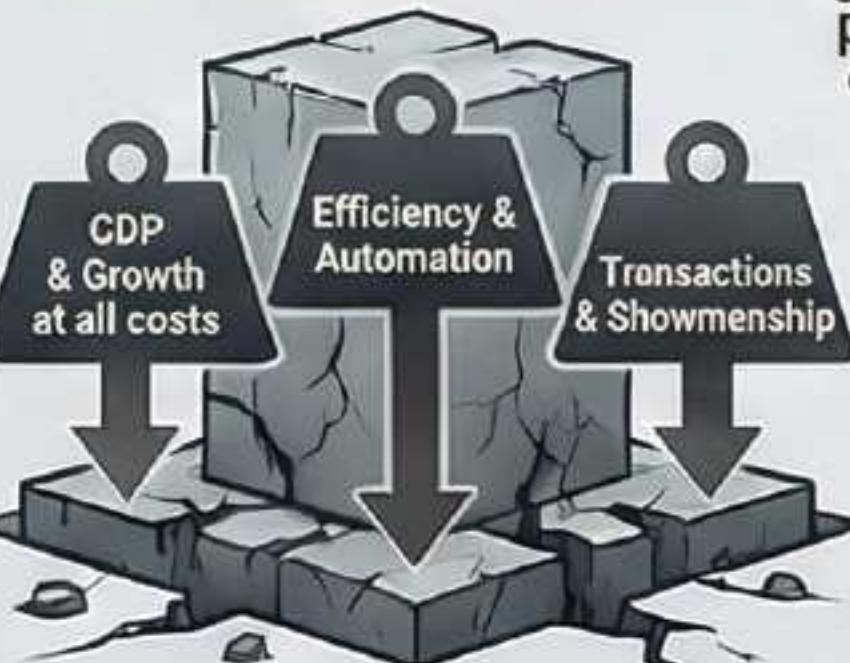


The focus on efficiency over dignity leads to the destruction of human purpose and identity.

OLD WORLD METRICS (The Bad Future)

TECHNOLOGY WITHOUT ETHICS

AI is being used as a geopolitical accelerator, prioritizing automation over human judgment and responsibility.



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THE MANDATE: EUROPE'S PLAN TO TAKE BACK TOMORROW

PRIORITIZE "ANDRORITHMS" OVER ALGORITHMS



Invest in human-only traits like creativity and wisdom rather than just scaling machine automation.

REDEFINE SUCCESS VIA THE 5PS



Measure progress through People, Planet, Purpose, Peace, and Prosperity instead of just GDP.

HUMAN-CENTERED AI SOVEREIGNTY



Treat human dignity as a mandatory design requirement for all future technological foundations.

NEW WORLD METRICS



NEW WORLD METRICS (The 5Ps)