

Technology and Innate Intelligence

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How might we define technology these days? According to my definition, technology is any tool devised to facilitate any function or advancement in knowledge or exploration by humanity and includes machines, science and knowledge. According to the Wikipediaⁱ, an Internet encyclopedia, technology also includes "the many and varying machines, hardware and utensils devised by humanity, and can also include broader themes including systems, methods of organization, and techniques" to help humanity forward its goals and aspirations.

And, while we normally don't think of it in this way, technology includes fingers, arms and legs and automobiles and planes because they also facilitate a function. How different is a prosthetic arm or Apollo Moon Lander mechanical arm from a human arm? Each provides a function and an end result. Each is given instructions and each performs a requested task, none of which are autonomous. By definition, each provides a function and each gets its instructions from outside of itself. Each is representative of the wishes of a higher set of instructions or requested outcome or search.

Surprisingly, a very great deal of modern technology is copied from the plant, animal and mineral kingdom. Ever noticed how a sophisticated helicopter looks like and mimics a dragon fly, or how a silicon chip grown for a computer is copied from nature's mineral kingdom, or how high-speed levitating trains use magnetism borrowed from nature? By another example, we are discovering a great deal about the brain by learning how to build computers.

With just a bit of review, we realize that choice is a technology as well, because choice allows us to facilitate an end result; i.e., an end function or an effect. By the quality of our choices, we mold our lives and the world in which we live, and thus our worlds grow and continue to refine themselves accordingly. Choice is truly a technology and a most important one at that.

With a bit more review, it becomes apparent that we are not our bodies, brains or minds, nor are we our biology, i.e., the composition of our bodies, cells and organs. And, with even a bit more review, we discover that "we" inhabit our biology; we inhabit our technology, i.e., the sophistication of our bodies; the vehicle that gets us around and about on this planet. Who chooses to learn how to ride a bicycle, or become an astronaut, or listen to their feelings? Is it the biology, i.e., the physical make-up of our body, or is it, in fact, something larger than the vehicle (technology) that is the body. What part is the mechanism that is the human body and all of its technology, as opposed to the spirit that inhabits the body, i.e., that wondrous technology that we are composed of and Innate Intelligence expresses itself so capably through?

As we come to discern that we are more than our bodies, the question begs, "If we are not our bodies and our countenance is more akin to Spirit, or as I like to say, 'Innate Intelligence,' how does this scheme really work"? What is its purpose? After all, what happens when "we" leave our bodies? The body is still there, but it has become lifeless. What is it that animates this technology that is the body? What is the body and what is the correlation between the two? Who is the "we" that sees out of our eyes?

We are constantly fiddling with "our" technology to try to dial ourselves into becoming a little more "ourselves." We constantly adjust the channels, bang the sides of the box and otherwise try the many and varied forms of self-medication and adjustment – some more effective and wiser than others. We try different and various ingredients for comfort and strength or to numb ourselves including different foods, vitamins, prescription and non-prescription medicationsⁱⁱ, yoga, meditation, astrology, etc. We study different schools of attitudinal adjustment and healing and venture into personal empowerment, religion, beliefs, authority figures/leaders and power schemes to try to align our technology to work "just right" for us – to bring us the results we wish. And, in all of this, we begin to discern that we are not our bodies because our attempt to refine who and what we are is far more than simply what we are.

It turns out our bodies are not us, but a function of us and therefore a fitting definition for technology. The actions and the results we achieve are expressions of the combination of our technology, our intent or attitude and whatever drives us, as well as our connection with Source or God, or again, what I like to refer to as Innate Intelligence.

What we don't realize in the scheme of trying to refine our bodies or improve our states of mind and attitude is that what we are really attempting to do is allow Innate Intelligence to flow through us more effectively. And, in many respects, it is the dissonance of what doesn't work (out of contrast comes clarity) that causes us at our best, to attempt to improve ourselves or at our worst, to attempt to deflect or escape what we don't understand or don't wish to understand.

And this is where technology really comes in. While it might be assumed that the true goal in life is to let the inside person out, to let each our potential out, a more accurate perspective might be to allow Innate Intelligence in; to allow Innate Intelligence to better flow through each our being; to allow the glory and nature of what is really true and what is really successful flow through our nervous system into the world as our expression. This is our true potential expressing itself. This is what powers the sophisticated circuitry that is our being such that we flower into all that we can become. Not only is this good for the individual and the influence of the individual in his or her own surroundings, but it greatly magnifies the whole of humanity. There is an exponential multiplier that comes into play when Innate Intelligence effectively flows through the technology that is our make-up – but that is another article...

What if it turns out that "we" is actually Innate Intelligence expressing itself through the sophistication of the human body, the human circuitry, the human technology for which we in our capacity for self-awareness get to tag along – i.e., as the first self-aware

animal? Could it be that "we" are little more than a more sophisticated "throughput" vehicle for Innate Intelligence to express itself for which we eventually become an active participant and conscious contributor? What if the cardinal or blue jay or hummingbird outside of our window is no more than an outpouring of Innate Intelligence expressing itself?

What is a cat or a dog or a horse or a flower, or a magnificent redwood or sequoia, or a hill or a mountain or a stream or a meadow, or the mineral citrine or iron or diamond or a star-filled night but an expression of Innate Intelligence? What if everything we see and touch is no more than the technological vehicle of nature expressing itself; of Innate Intelligence expressing itself, of Spirit expressing itself? *What if there is nothing but Innate Intelligence expressing itself?* Maybe *cause* is Innate Intelligence and *effect* is the result of Innate Intelligence expressing itself? Maybe technology is a good term for the vehicles by which Innate Intelligence expresses itself. Maybe we are one of those?

So, what if humanity is no more than an expression of Innate Intelligence, identified as a package of sophisticated circuitry and nervous system and wiring and free will and a potential that has no bounds? What if humanity is a vehicle for expressing Innate Intelligence that has never existed in the plant or animal or mineral kingdom, but now exists in the potential of a human being or the human speciesⁱⁱⁱ as a whole? A being far more sophisticated than the circuitry of the blue jay or cardinal or hummingbird or quartz crystal or sequoia or rose, though we ever admire their sophistication, beauty, simplicity and presence. What if the human being with its huge brain and sophisticated nervous system and muscles and organs and, of all things, free will, i.e., the capacity for choice, is now the most sophisticated throughput technology for Innate Intelligence to express itself on this planet?

And, what if all we have to do is learn a little bit more about how to unfold what we are about to become?

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ⁱ From the Internet Encyclopedia Wikipedia <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Technology>

ⁱⁱ Self-medication includes alcohol, street and psychotropic drugs, mind-numbing TV, sugar, addictive shopping, etc. – anything used to change one's state, mood or attitude. Music is often used to change or enhance one's state or attitude. Self-medication also includes yoga and meditation.

ⁱⁱⁱ As an aside, it is my belief that humanity is not only a species, but a collective. And just like a pine tree or Redwood cannot exist on its own, humans cannot exist on their own. Each is very dependent on the whole of the species. That we are individual is far less true than we might suspect and also the subject of another article.