

# 9 Ways to Make WordPress better with AI

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# WordPress today

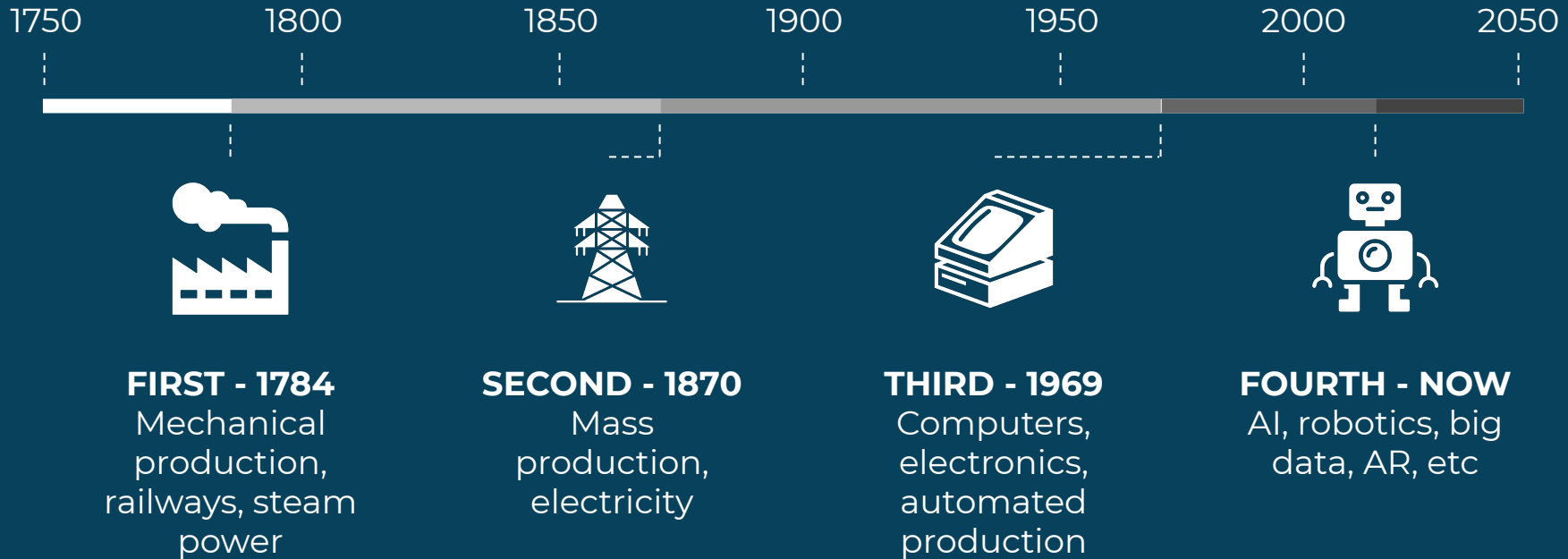
**36%+**


**An incredible community**

# The world's #1 CMS

**AI is coming**

# Four Industrial Revolutions





The only way to make peace  
with technology is to make  
peace with ourselves.

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**Tristan Harris**

Center for Humane Technology



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|-------------|--|
| <b>2019</b> | Win world series poker                     |
| <b>2026</b> | Write high school essay                    |
| <b>2027</b> | Successfully mimic any musician            |
| <b>2028</b> | Generate top 40 song                       |
| <b>2028</b> | Generate creative video                    |
| <b>2029</b> | Self-driving trucks                        |
| <b>2049</b> | Write New York Times best-seller           |
| <b>2065</b> | AI-powered robots largely replace surgeons |

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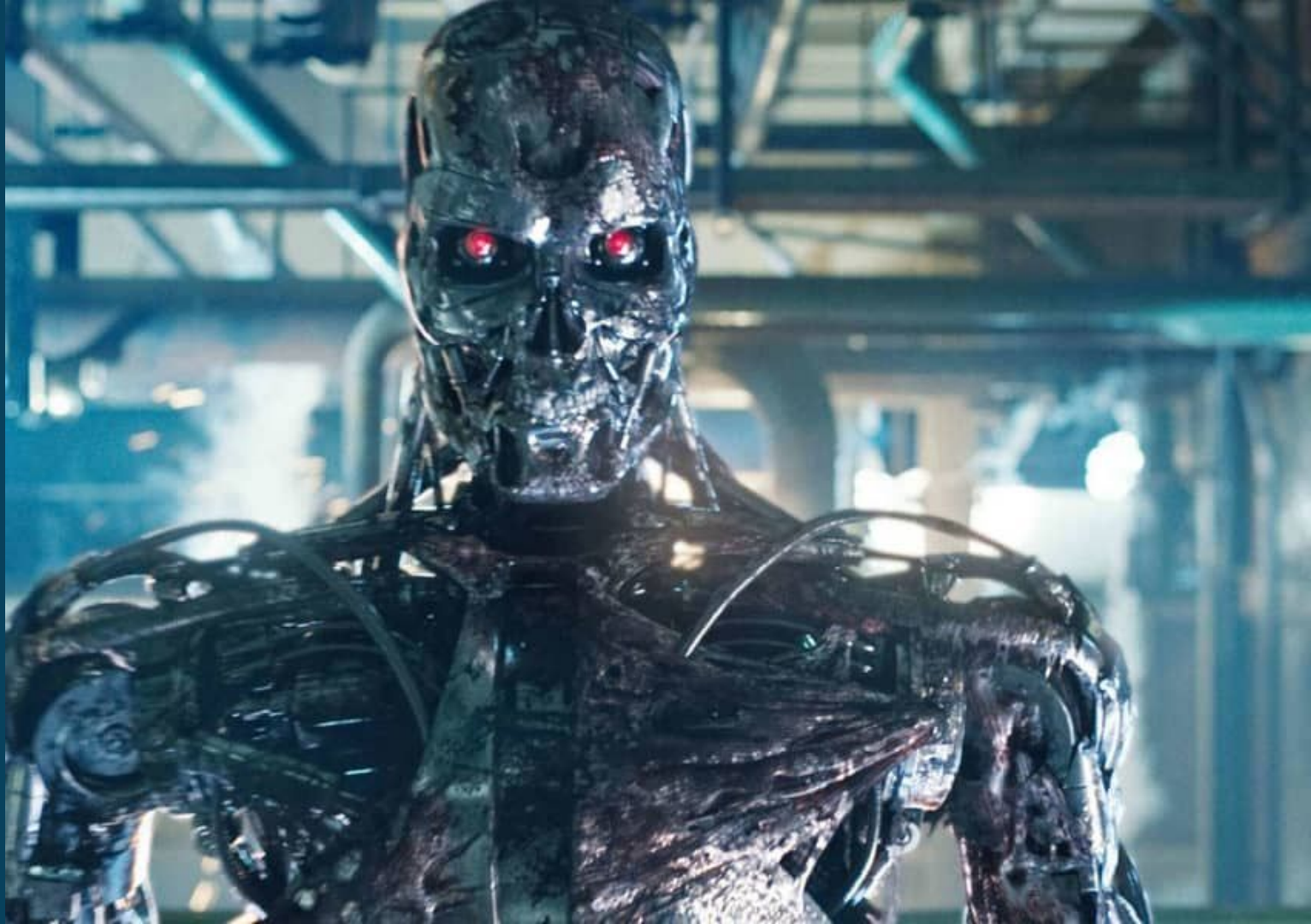
Beware the hubris



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# What is AI?

Deep Learning Everywhere  
Making AI Explain Itself  
Accountability and Trust  
Hidden Bias Leads To Big Problems  
China's AI Boom  
Real-Time Machine Learning  
Natural Language Understanding (NLU)  
Machine Reading Comprehension (MRC)  
Natural Language Generation (NLG)  
**AI isn't a single technology**  
Generative Algorithms For Voice, Sound and Video  
Image Completion  
Predictive Machine Vision  
Much Faster Deep Learning  
Reinforcement Learning and Hierarchical RL  
Continuous Learning  
Multitask Learning  
Adversarial Machine Learning

**AI is about knowledge**

<b>Wisdom</b>	Revert the site back to pre-Akismet update and notify the site administrator there's been a problem
<b>Understanding</b>	There was a problem updating Akismet because it triggered a fatal PHP error
<b>Knowledge</b>	An update process was started for akismet and triggered a fatal PHP error
<b>Information</b>	<i>akismet</i> is a plugin, <i>update started</i> is an action, <i>fatal error</i> is a PHP error
<b>Data</b>	"akismet", "update started", "fatal error"

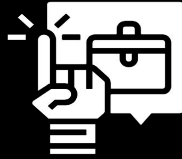
# AI outcomes



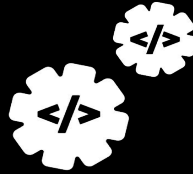
**Perception**



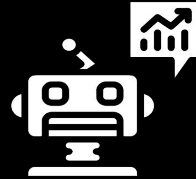
**Notification**



**Suggestion**



**Automation**



**Prediction**



**Prevention**



**Situational  
Awareness**



# The travelling salesperson

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**2** stops = a few routes  
Human brain is capable  
(maybe with an argument)

# The travelling salesperson

**10** stops = 3M routes  
@ 1M calculations/s  
= **4s**



# The travelling salesperson

**14** stops = 87B routes  
@ 1M calculations/s  
= **1d**

# The travelling salesperson

**20** stops = 87B routes  
@ 1M calculations/s  
= **20B years**


# Better WordPress with AI

# WordPress + AI today


# WordPress + AI in 5 years



**A better world with WP + AI**



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# THIS MARKETING BLOG DOES NOT EXIST

An AI Generated Marketing Blog by Fractl

JUNE 18, 2019 BY BARRY TYREE

## What Photo Filters are Best for Instagram Marketing?

Instagram Stories first made people's Instagram feeds sleeker, more colorful and just generally more fun. They could post their artistic photos in the background of someone else's Story—and secretly make someone jealous and/or un-follow you while doing it.

That post-publishing feature still makes for some very sweet stories, particularly when you show a glam shot of yourself, using your favorite filter. And that's why the tech-focused publication Mobile Syrup asked a bunch of Insta artists for their faves. (You can check out the full list of their best Instagram Stories.)

"I think I love pink the most," said Qaisoun Phillips, of Harlem Shake fame. The artist created the trailer for Fredo Santana's surprise Billboard Top 30 record release, Cobra Snake, using Postcard as well as Prism, Smile, Rose Mist and Champagne.

Lexi Flores of the pop band Defrdz also favors pink, calling the color "very

POST AUTHOR



**Barry Tyree**

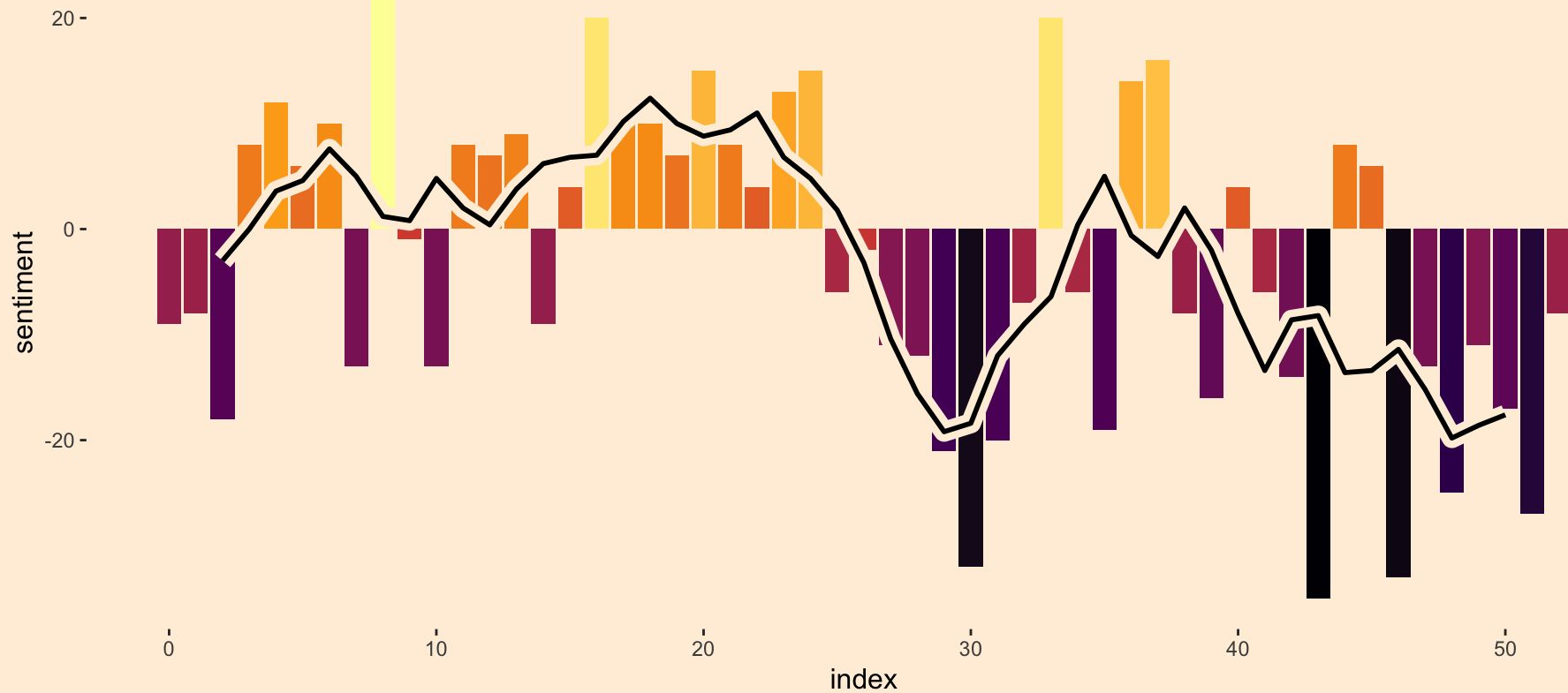
Barry Tyree is not a real human. His face was generated by an AI model called StyleGAN

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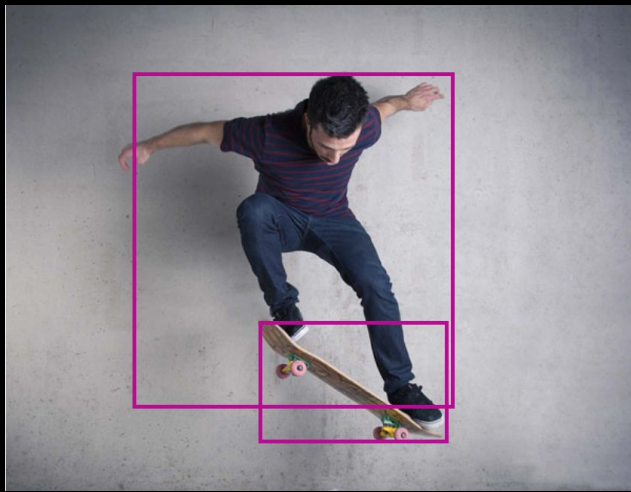
ABOUT THIS BLOG

This was created by the Content Marketing agency [Frac.tl](#) as a demonstration of the implications of AI generated text. The text generated in this blog used

## Romeo and Juliet







Objects

"object": "Skateboard", "confidence": 0.903

"object": "person", "confidence": 0.955

Tags

"skating", "person", "man", "outdoor",  
"riding", "sport", "skateboard", "young",  
"board", "air", "shirt", "black", "boy",  
"jumping", "side", "park", "trick", "ramp",  
"doing", "hill"

Caption

"a young man riding a skateboard",  
"confidence": 0.809844













# Team Scorecard

Revenue Status (Total Year)

83

Number of Customers

7

Number of Products

42.5%

Gross Margin %



## Executive

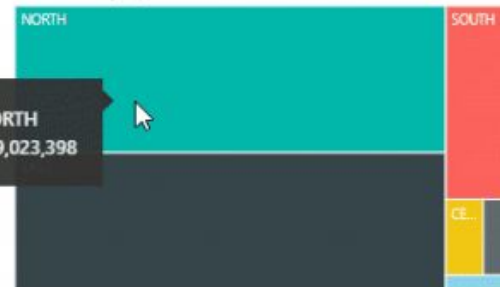
- ☐ Andrew Ma
- ☐ Annelie Zubar
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Revenue % Variance to Budget by Month and Executive

Executive: Andrew Ma, Annelie Zubar, Carlos Grilo, Tina Lassila, Valery Ushakov

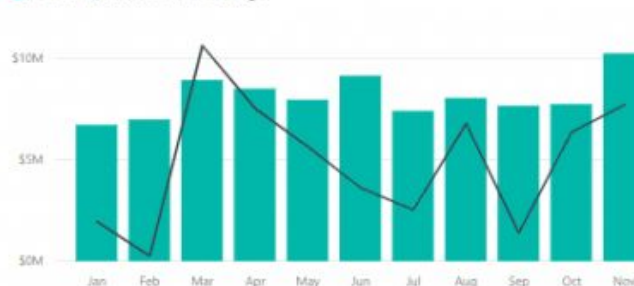


Total Revenue by Region



RevenueTY and Revenue % Variance to Budget by Month

RevenueTY, Revenue % Variance to Budget



RevenueTY by State



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Team Scorecard

Industry Margin Analysis

Executive Scorecard





Write Less.  
Code More.



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JS test1.js  
1  const |
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