

eGadgets

are GAS compatible with communication

computing sensing intelligence

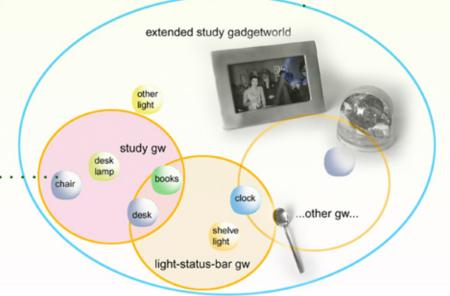


and have detatchable dual nature: physical-digital

everyday objects connectable in Gadgetworlds

which are functional clusters

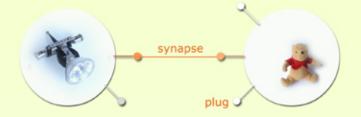
user composable dynamically evolving independent of specific technologies storable, portable entities











is

an abstraction of families of Gadgetworlds that share common architectural aspects

provides

the conceptual and technological framework for creating, "editing", "running", saving and restoring Gadgetworlds

defines

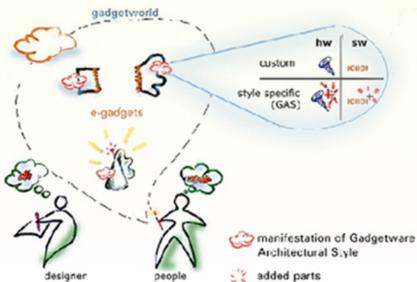
an architectural vocabulary: eGadget

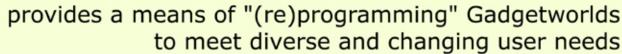
Plug Synapse Gadgetworld

configurational rules for Synapse establishment Gadgetworld storage Gadgetworld privacy Gadgetworld mobility

a technological infrastructure

the GAS operating system: algorithms, protocols, interfaces, software modules

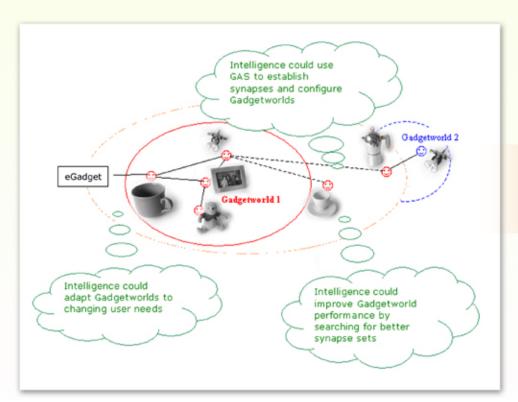




contributes to improving the robustness of Gadgetworlds

works by observing and learning from user actions (using agent methods borrowing from robotics)

operates within GAS framework





creative technology platforms for embedding harware electronics into many types of everyday objects

miniturisation sensor networks gadget-system intergration eGadgets / Gadgetworld

micro-sensor networks

drivers / controllers

wireless tranceivers

micro-processor

power source

memory

TANGIBLE

adapting the notion and principles of software architecture to the world of tangible artefacts

 $gadgets = artefacts + communication + intelligence\\ gadgetworld = \Sigma(gadgets) + collective function$



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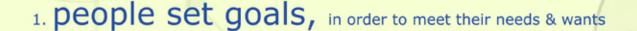






clock

shelve light





3. then people connect eGadgets to establish synapses

4. thus they form their Gadgetworlds that serve their needs

synapse establishment methods

no facilitator









with facilitator











study gw

books

reminder gw





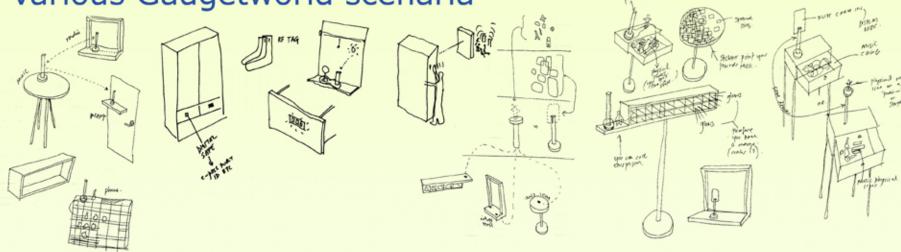
portable gw editor







various Gadgetworld scenaria



curent demo description

demonstrator: a study Gadgetworld:

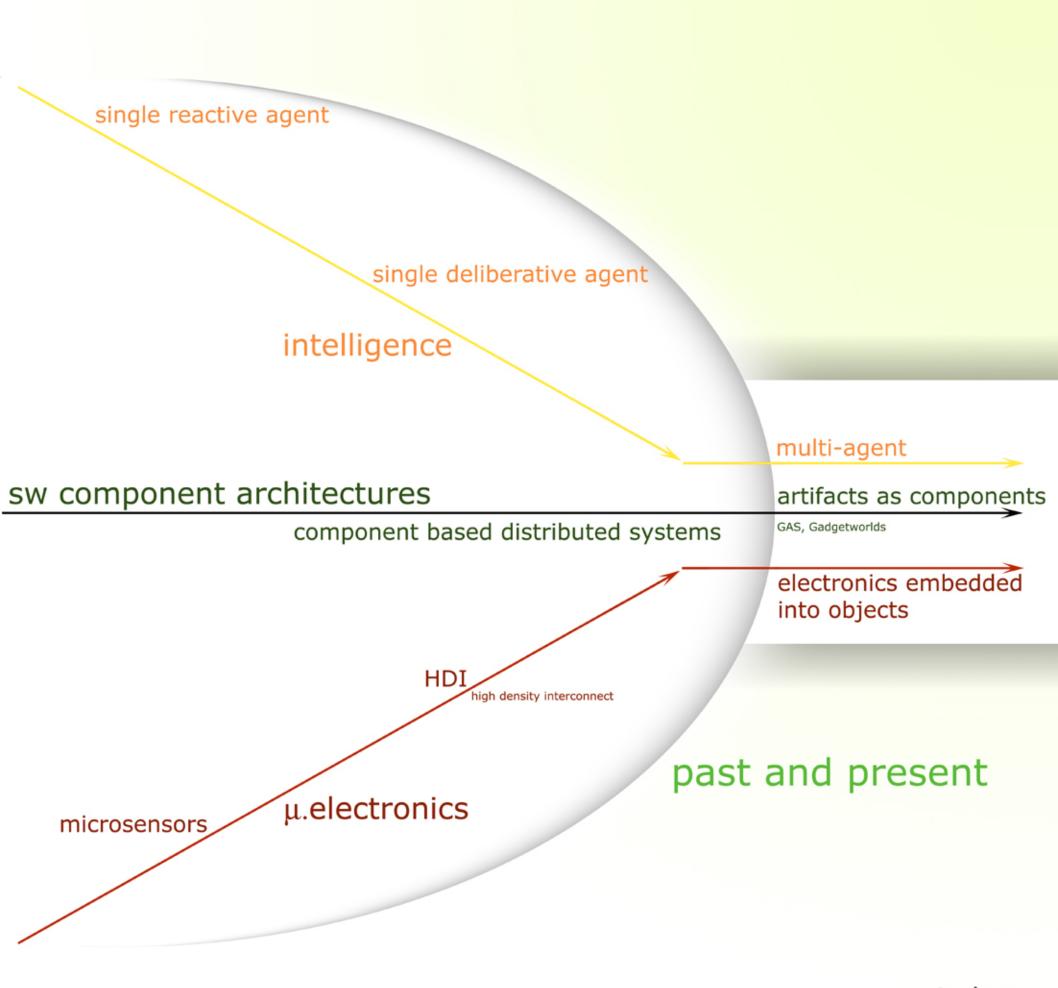
- senses when the student starts to study
- adapts the light conditions to the student's needs



i-dorm: evaluation space



intelligent dormitory (University of Essex): a multi-use space as a testbed environment for eGadgets



future vision augmented spaces adaptation to user ubiquitous networking

ambient intelligence

enabled collective behaviour

'living' artifacts

calm technology

ambient electronics