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Thread: [Ai-powered systems in Amazon grocery stores need a lot of backup?](#)

The Pact - July 1, 2024, 2:46 am

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Babadd - August 10, 2024, 11:46 am

we dont know my dear

Hayabusa63 - August 10, 2024, 1:01 pm

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Some of these companies claim to use AI when they're actually using less-sophisticated computing, while others overstate the benefits of their AI over existing techniques, and they go and pretend that their AI solutions are fully operational when they're not at all.