

# Social and Privacy Issues of Data Mining

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# Outline

- companies
- Data mining implications

# Companies

- Apple
- Google
- Facebook
- Microsoft
- Amazon

# Measurements

- Encryption
- Intention
- Tracking
- Transparency

# Apple Measurements

- Differential Privacy
- Encryption? YES
- Intention? Better services
- Tracking? No
- Transparency? yes/no

# Google Measurements

- Encryption? yes/no
- Intention? Better services
- Tracking? YES
- Transparency? YES

# Facebook Measurements

- Encryption? yes/no
- Intention? Better services
- Tracking? Yes
- Transparency? yes/no

# Microsoft Measurements

- Encryption? yes/no
- Intention? Better services
- Tracking? No
- Transparency? No but getting better

# Amazon Measurements

- Encryption? Yes
- Intention? Better services
- Tracking? YES
- Transparency? poor

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# Ways to Collect Data

- Ask for explicit permission
- Encrypt where possible
- Make it clear and transparent
- Make optout simple

# Doing it Right

- Apple and differential privacy
- Google and the what they know page

# Doing it Wrong

- Microsoft and Windows 10
- Facebook controlling news feed
- Amazon and add creepiness

# Effects on enduser

- Feels spied on
- Creeped out
- Loss of control
- Most likely move

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