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Science and Technology are symbiotic in nature.

There is an attractive analogy between human visual system and computer vision system, which will drive us to explore some related disciplines.

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