

What is the definition of **consciousness**?

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Consciousness is the defining property of all living organism. It's the most technically complicated feature of livings to sense their surroundings and respond to the stimuli; stimuli can be physical, biological or chemical.

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As we know of animals don't have consciousness while humans do. Humans have a complex language system while animals don't thus language has an IMPACT on consciousness.

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At a simple level, consciousness is the ability to control ones feelings/thoughts/actions.

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Consciousness is an emergent property of complex physical systems.

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Consciousness is basically when you are aware about yourself and everything around you. This also leads to better, well thought out decisions based on the observations made.

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Being aware of and responding to your surroundings.

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Consciousness is the subjective space in which experiences (qualia) arise, but is not identified with these.

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Consciousness is the brain's ability to switch between different neural pathways based on rapidly changing sensory input.

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Ask the observer, about what it means to be, or? I'm not going to even guess

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Consciousness is just a combination of different **neural mechanisms**.

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Consciousness is the combination of awareness and sentience.

Duplicate claim
of **Subjective awareness of...**. Without marking it, people will get confused and already are."

Although there is no unanimous scientific consensus as to what consciousness is, there is a growing consensus forming around what is known as "**Representational Qualia Theory**" (RQT). This defines consciousness as computationally-bound elemental physical qualities we are directly aware of, like redness and greenness.

Microexperience

Consciousness is everything one can experience.

Selective awareness of oneself in one's surroundings through the receiving of information in the context of one's signals (i.e. from senses (i.e. **sentience**); bodily, technological, etc.), logic, etc.; for decision-making to better oneself in them.

As per Lamme's model (see **figure 5**): phenomenal (activated unconsciously-picked information (i.e. qualia)) and access consciousness (i.e. 'conscious experience').

Consciousness is the co-action of memory, role, comprehension, prerogatives, individuation, and duality to form an **ego**, which consists of a self.


Consciousness is a calculated reaction-attachment (i.e. **sentient**): being receptive to the external world for processing (i.e. internalizing) and understanding what's in it (i.e. recognition) to be aware of and be connected (i.e. responsive) to it.

"**Consciousness is axiomatic**" (due to Descartes: "I think therefore I am").

Consciousness is an **illusion**. We are merely a reaction machine.

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"sentences should separate out"


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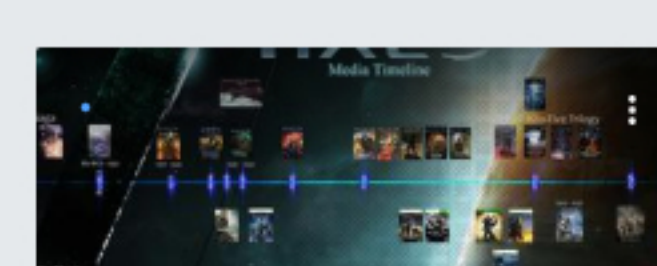
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