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Match the Founder to the Company

Instructions - Read the biographies below. Each describes a person who shaped the AI industry. Match each person to the company or organization they are most closely connected with by writing the **letter of the company** in the blank.

Company / Organization List

A. OpenAI B. DeepMind C. Anthropic D. Stanford / ImageNet
E. Tesla / SpaceX / OpenAI (co-founder) F. NVIDIA G. Google AI / TensorFlow
H. Google Brain / Baidu / Coursera I. Inflection AI J. Univ. of Toronto / Google
K. Univ. of Montreal / Element AI L. OpenAI (Chief Scientist)

Biographies

_____ 1. **Sam Altman** – An American entrepreneur who once led the startup accelerator Y Combinator. He later became the head of a major AI research lab that built ChatGPT and DALL-E, and he works to ensure that artificial general intelligence benefits everyone.

_____ 2. **Demis Hassabis** – A neuroscientist and computer scientist from the UK. He co-founded a research group that became famous for creating AlphaGo (which beat world champions in Go) and AlphaFold (which helps scientists predict protein structures).

_____ 3. **Dario Amodei** – A former researcher at another AI lab, he started his own company in 2021. His organization focuses on safety, interpretability, and controlling AI systems. Their leading product is an AI assistant called Claude.

_____ 4. **Fei-Fei Li** – A computer scientist and professor who created ImageNet, a dataset that transformed computer vision. Her work has advanced deep learning and she continues to advocate for human-centered AI.

_____ 5. **Elon Musk** – A well-known entrepreneur who leads electric car and rocket companies. In 2015, he helped establish an AI lab with the goal of ensuring safe AI, although he later stepped away from its leadership.

_____ 6. **Ilya Sutskever** – A deep learning researcher who co-founded a major AI research organization. He is known for groundbreaking work in neural networks and served as Chief Scientist of the group that developed large-scale language models.

_____ 7. **Jeff Dean** – A long-time engineer who leads the AI division at a major tech company. He helped create TensorFlow, one of the most widely used open-source AI frameworks for machine learning and research.

_____ 8. **Jensen Huang** – The co-founder and current CEO of a company that produces GPUs, the computer chips that power most modern AI systems. His company also builds AI platforms for robotics, self-driving cars, and research.

_____ 9. **Geoffrey Hinton** – A pioneer often called the “Godfather of Deep Learning.” He made early breakthroughs in neural networks and backpropagation, and later worked with a major tech company as well as at a Canadian university.

_____ 10. **Andrew Ng** – A researcher and educator who co-founded an AI research group inside a major search company. He later led AI research at a large Chinese tech company and also started Coursera, bringing online AI education to millions.

_____ 11. **Mustafa Suleyman** – A co-founder of the same UK-based AI lab as Demis Hassabis. Later, he started a new company developing AI assistants and has been involved in AI ethics and policy.

_____ 12. **Yoshua Bengio** – Another “Godfather of Deep Learning.” Based in Canada, he made pioneering contributions to neural networks and co-founded a company that helped bring AI research into business applications.