



**“It ain’t no good if it ain’t
snappy enough.”
(Efficient Computations)**

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Discussion

1. What different ways does Brooks describe for a robot to “orient” itself? Did your experiments with Scribbler give you insight into any of them?
2. In what ways (according to Brian Hayes) is the universe like a cellular automaton?

Bureaucratic stuff

- New blogging assignment for this week. (see handout).
- Reminder for this week's lab: Come with robots, cables.
- Make sure you understand pseudocode. Precept Wed 7-8pm in Computer Science 102
- Scribbler Lab again in 2 weeks: make robot do some Kind of fine art (music, dance, sketching, etc.)
- Super cool guest lecturer on Thurs. (computer music)