

## THE MICROSOFT HOME

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Everybody knows The Microsoft Corporation thanks to their software products, and there is no a person who has never heard about Windows and Office. But not many people know that Microsoft invests money in other spheres. Inside corporation there are many laboratories that develop technologies which can help to understand psychology of human behavior. They try to understand how person will interact with computers in the future. To demonstrate their developments at the headquarters of Microsoft has been developed an interactive model of “Smart house”, such called “The Microsoft Home”.

The Home was first opened in September 1994 by Craig Mundie, chief research and strategy officer at Microsoft Corp. Since its inception, it has been a place for the company to explore practical applications of cutting-edge technical trends. Like any house, the Microsoft Home undergoes periodic remodels, which allow the company to explore new concepts and graduate those that are becoming reality. Developers sure that The Microsoft Home is a place to explore technology scenarios that could transform the way we live in the years ahead. In The Microsoft believes that the future users will manage computers through a Natural User Interface (NUI), which includes using voice, gestures and touch screens.

The technologies illustrate how computing that works on our behalf rather than at your command could help us live healthier and more sustainable lives, manage and track a wealth of information, stay connected to the people who are important to us, make learning a fun and immersive experience, and explore the richness of the world around us.