Human in the Loop and Ubiquitous Computing: Technologies for the Virtuality, Continuum and Intelligent Environments

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