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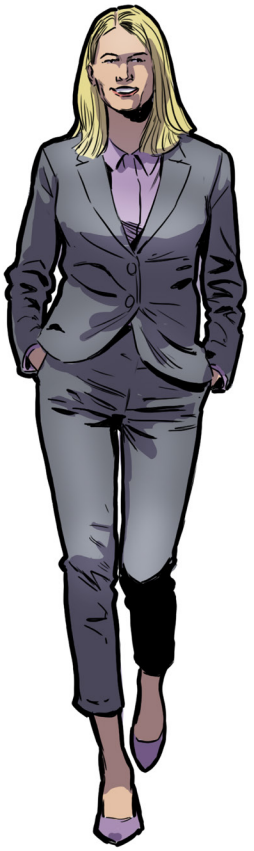
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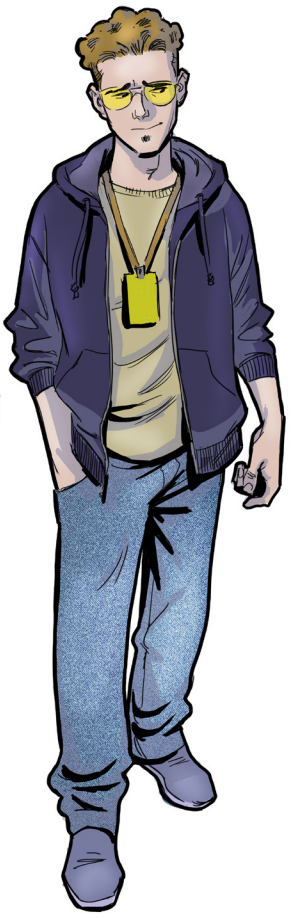


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Molly: Dave's boss at Veratech.
But is that all she is?

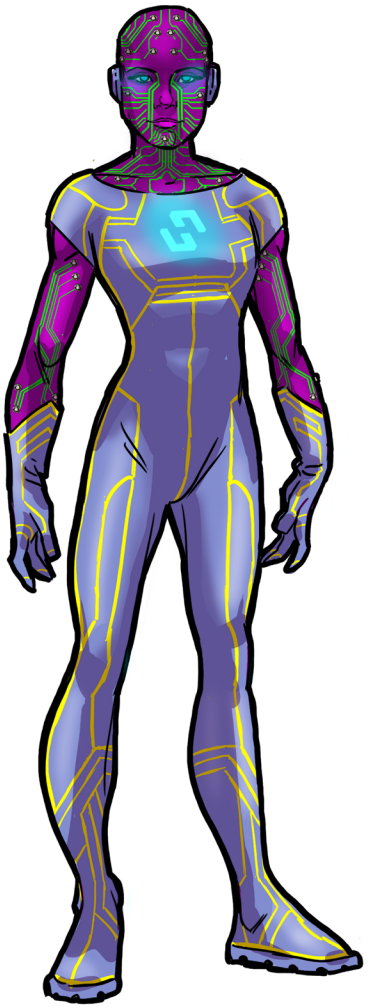


Dave: Frustrated IT guy who unwittingly will help change the future of how data is unified, accessed and used to help AI applications function at maximum performance and data flexibility.



Dynamo: Dave's alter ego, who has the power to travel through dimensional rifts that lie outside the known physical universe to fight villains that threaten the world's stability.

Centrifuge: The new hero that helps Dave fight Entropy. Centrifuge's power lies in her ability to spin so fast that she can reverse the flow of data, cutting off Entropy's abilty to consume it.

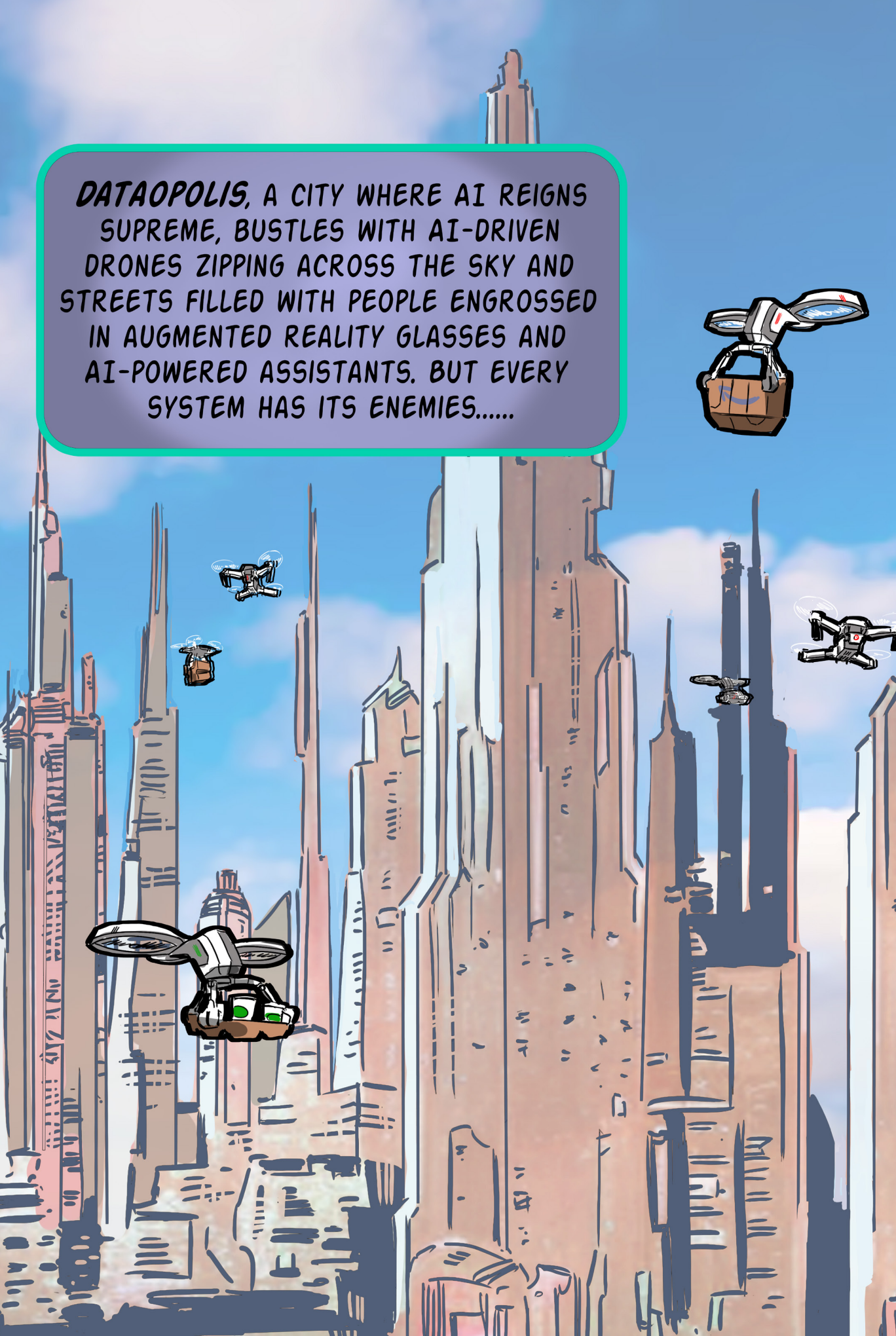


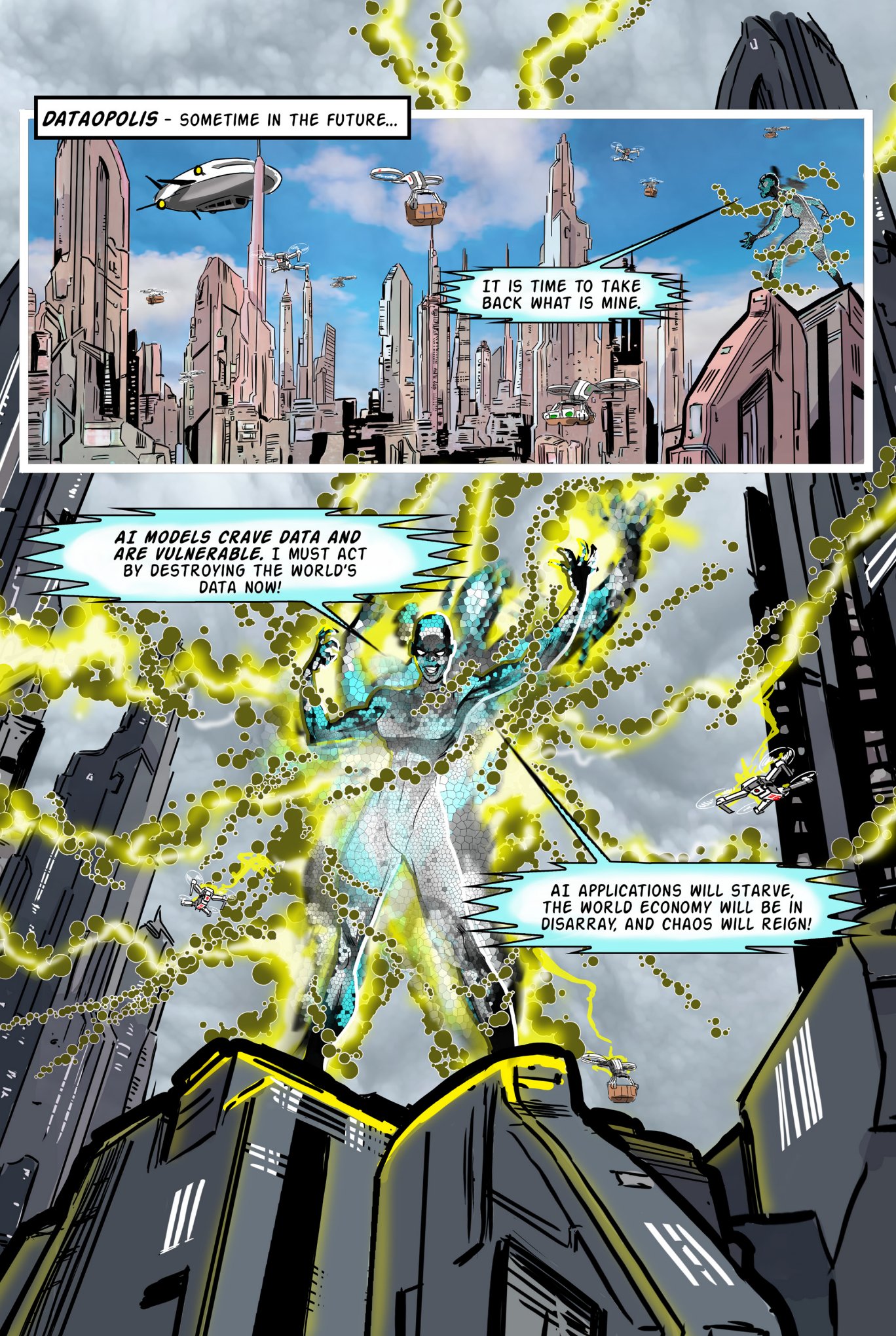


Anvil: A mysterious woman who lives in the shadows, quietly enforcing Hammerspace's mission to safeguard the world's data.

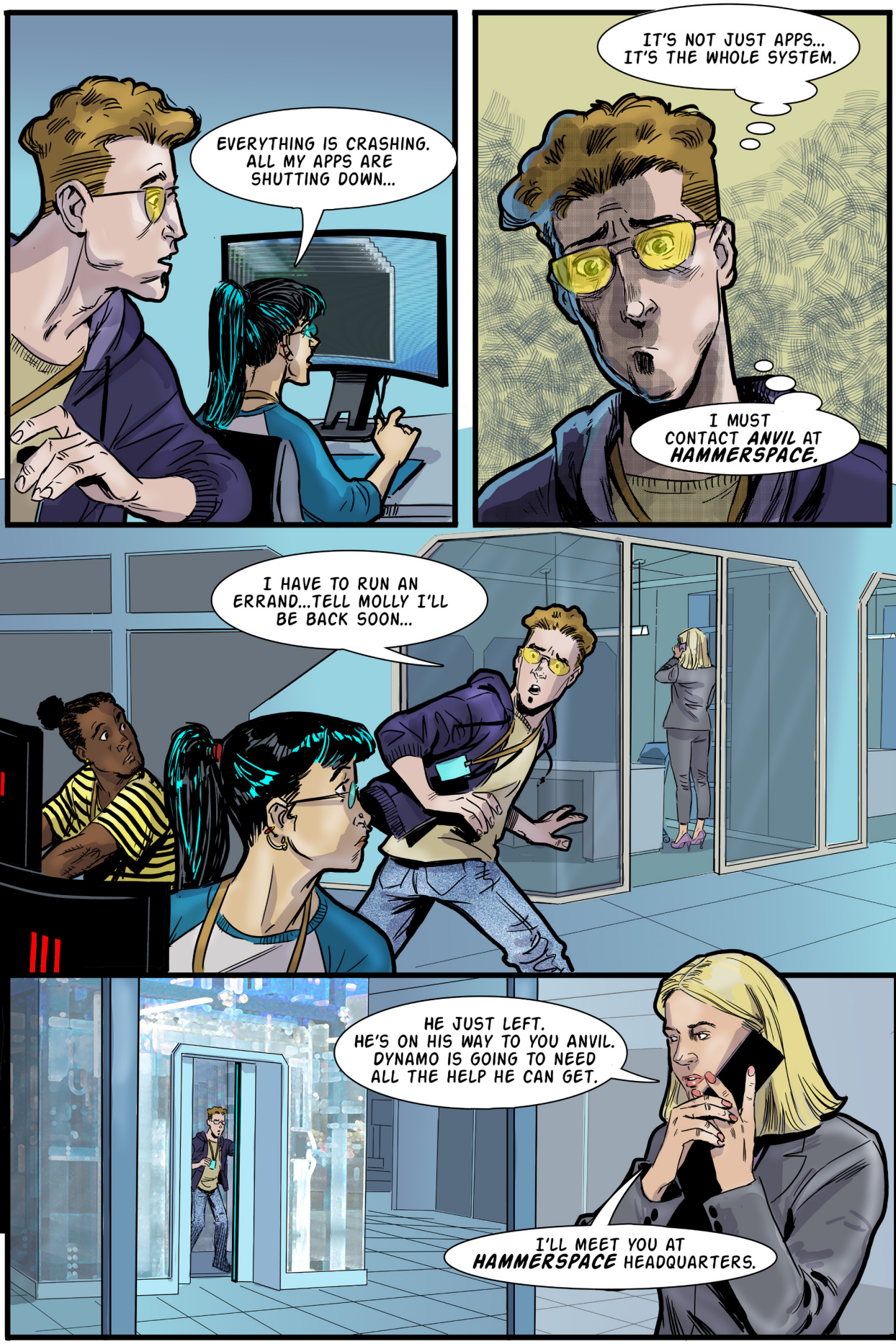
Tony: The head of Hammerspace Research & Development, who provides Data Dynamo and Centrifuge with the tools they need to combat those trying to restrict the flow of data.

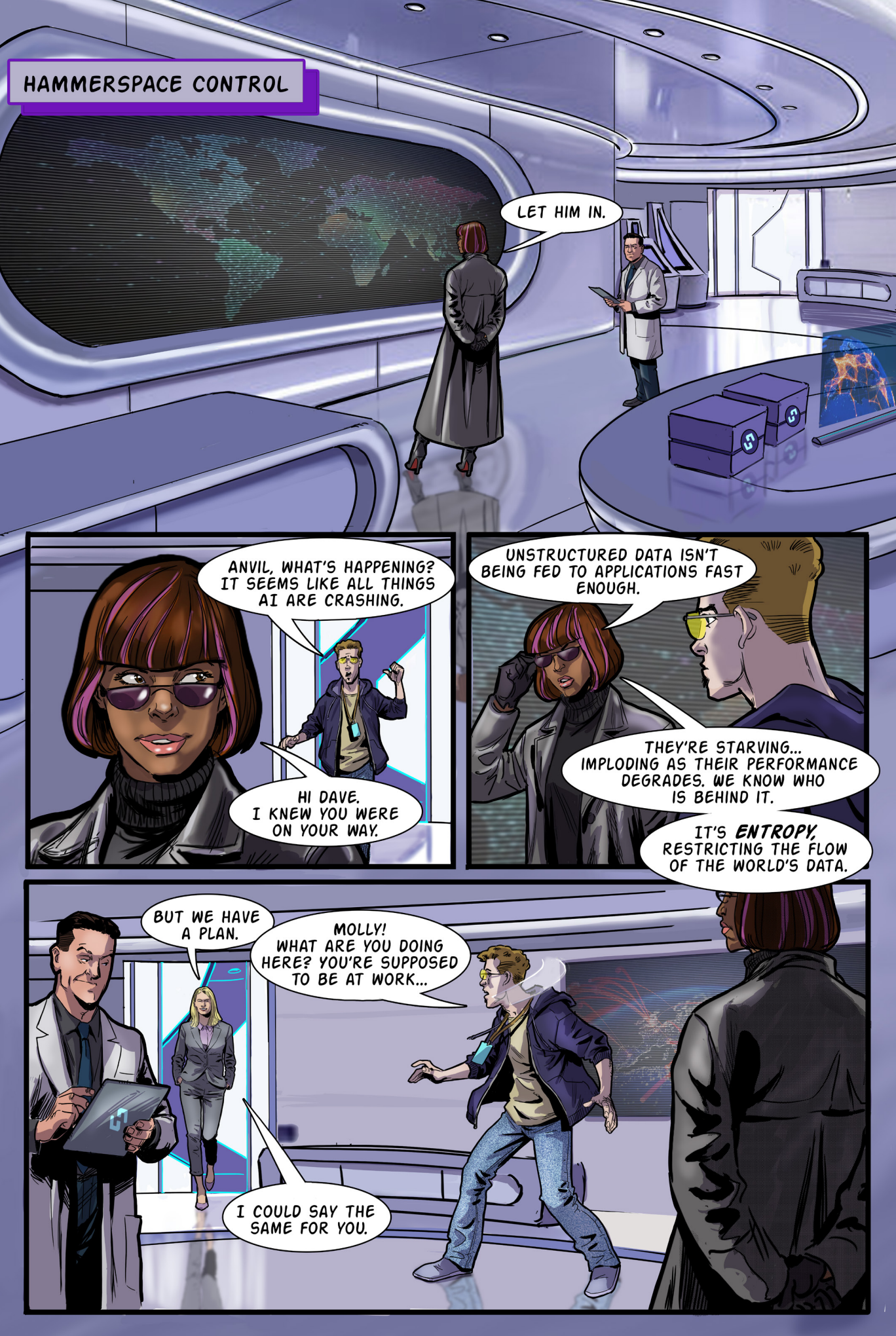


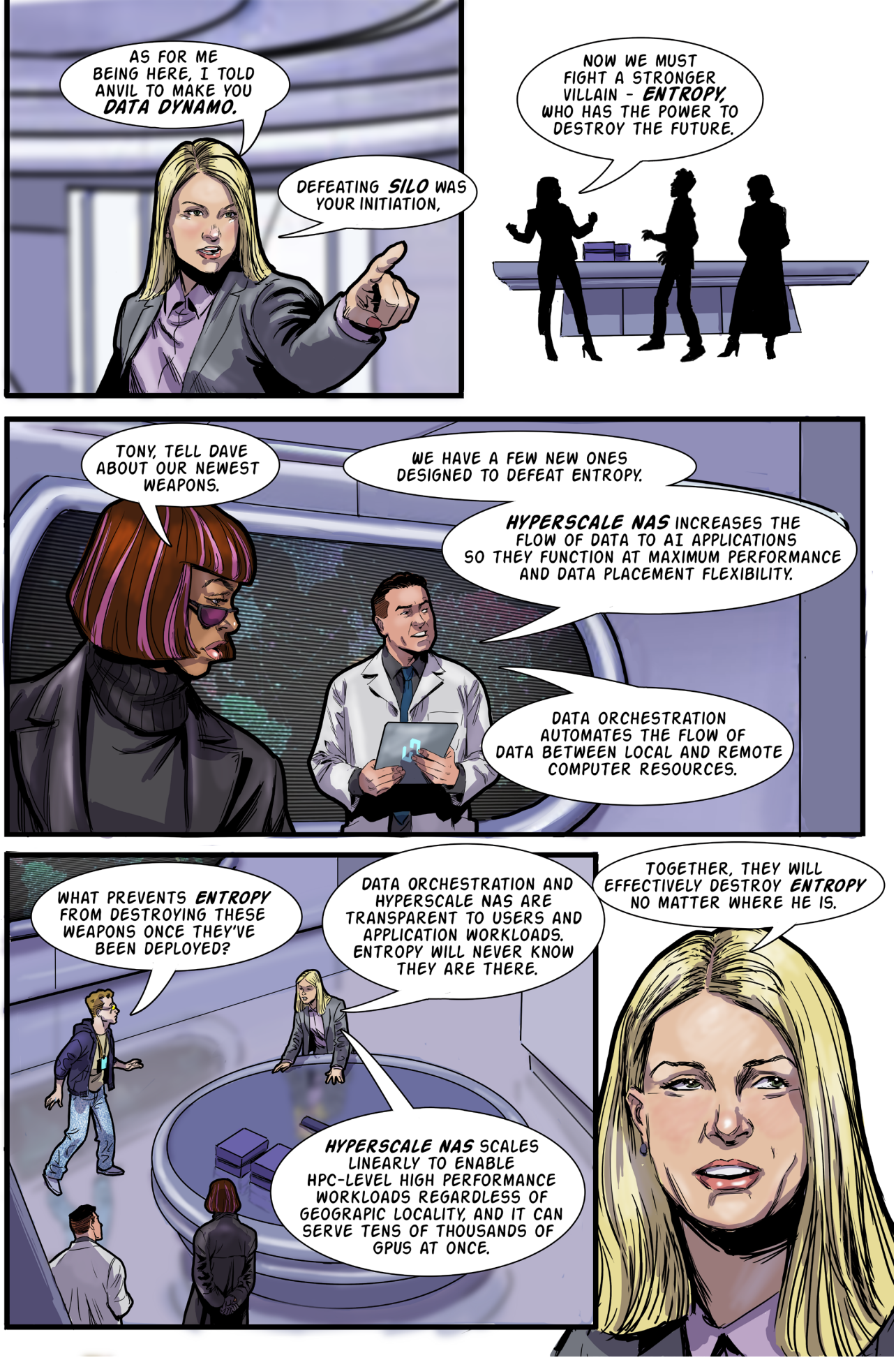

DATAOPOLIS, A CITY WHERE AI REIGNS SUPREME, BUSTLES WITH AI-DRIVEN DRONES ZIPPING ACROSS THE SKY AND STREETS FILLED WITH PEOPLE ENGROSSED IN AUGMENTED REALITY GLASSES AND AI-POWERED ASSISTANTS. BUT EVERY SYSTEM HAS ITS ENEMIES.....

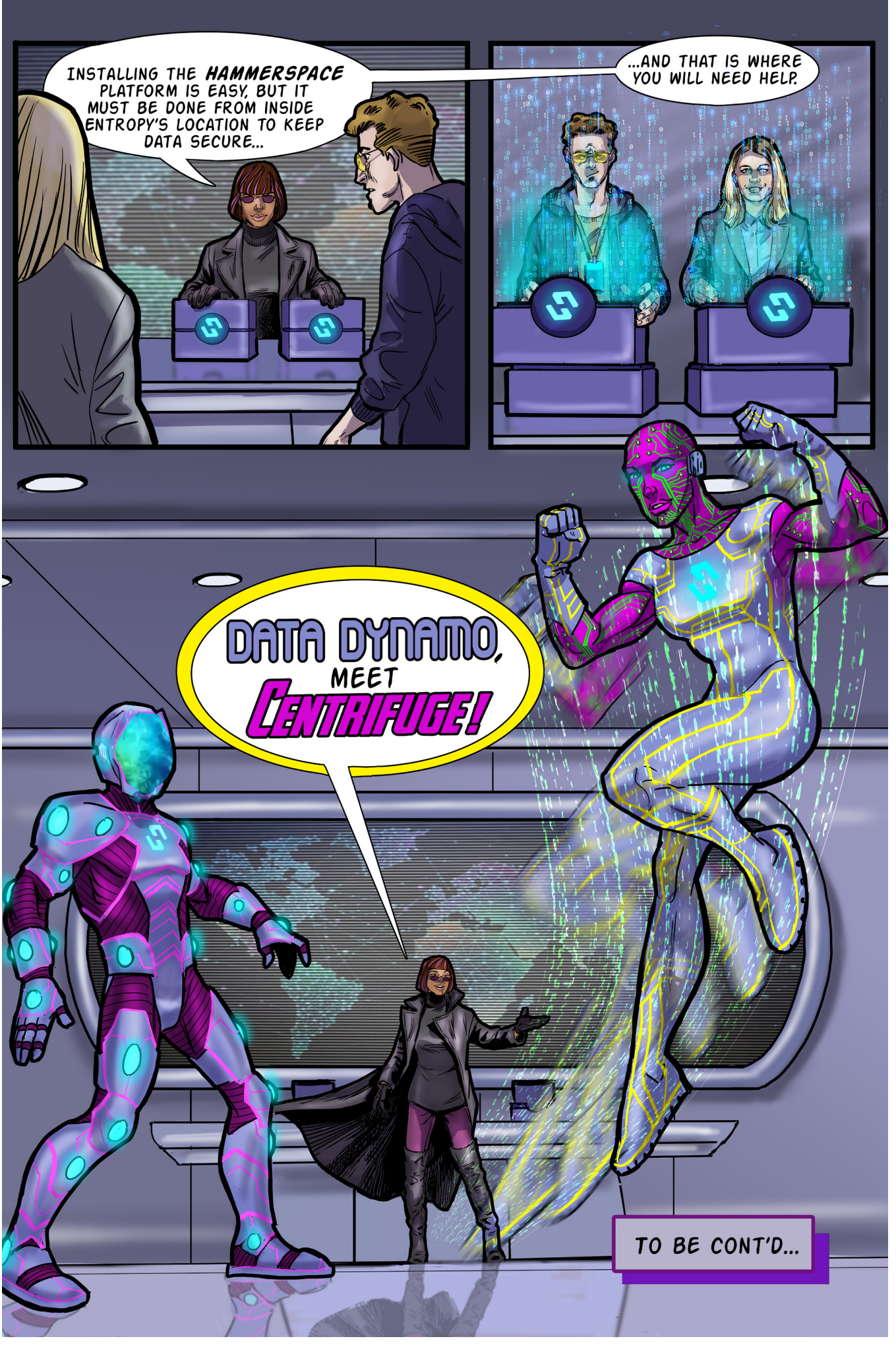

DATAOPOLIS - SOMETIME IN THE FUTURE...
IT IS TIME TO TAKE BACK WHAT IS MINE.
AI MODELS CRAVE DATA AND ARE VULNERABLE. I MUST ACT BY DESTROYING THE WORLD'S DATA NOW!
AI APPLICATIONS WILL STARVE, THE WORLD ECONOMY WILL BE IN DISARRAY, AND CHAOS WILL REIGN!


MEANWHILE, BACK AT DAVE'S OFFICE AT VERATECH...
ARE ANYONE ELSE'S GLASSES GLITCHING OUT?
MINE ARE RUNNING REALLY SLOW OR JUST STOPPING ALTOGETHER...
CRASH!!!
WHAT IS HAPPENING?


EVERYTHING IS CRASHING. ALL MY APPS ARE SHUTTING DOWN...
IT'S NOT JUST APPS... IT'S THE WHOLE SYSTEM.
I MUST CONTACT ANVIL AT HAMMERSPACE.
I HAVE TO RUN AN ERRAND...TELL MOLLY I'LL BE BACK SOON...
HE JUST LEFT. HE'S ON HIS WAY TO YOU ANVIL. DYNAMO IS GOING TO NEED ALL THE HELP HE CAN GET.
I'LL MEET YOU AT HAMMERSPACE HEADQUARTERS.


HAMMERSPACE CONTROL
LET HIM IN.
ANVIL, WHAT'S HAPPENING? IT SEEMS LIKE ALL THINGS AI ARE CRASHING.
HI DAVE. I KNEW YOU WERE ON YOUR WAY.
UNSTRUCTURED DATA ISN'T BEING FED TO APPLICATIONS FAST ENOUGH.
THEY'RE STARVING... IMPLODING AS THEIR PERFORMANCE DEGRADES. WE KNOW WHO IS BEHIND IT.
IT'S ENTROPY, RESTRICTING THE FLOW OF THE WORLD'S DATA.
BUT WE HAVE A PLAN.
MOLLY! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE? YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO BE AT WORK...
I COULD SAY THE SAME FOR YOU.


AS FOR ME BEING HERE, I TOLD ANVIL TO MAKE YOU DATA DYNAMO.
DEFEATING SILO WAS YOUR INITIATION,
NOW WE MUST FIGHT A STRONGER VILLAIN - ENTROPY, WHO HAS THE POWER TO DESTROY THE FUTURE.
TONY, TELL DAVE ABOUT OUR NEWEST WEAPONS.
WE HAVE A FEW NEW ONES DESIGNED TO DEFEAT ENTROPY.
HYPERSCALE NAS INCREASES THE FLOW OF DATA TO AI APPLICATIONS SO THEY FUNCTION AT MAXIMUM PERFORMANCE AND DATA PLACEMENT FLEXIBILITY.
DATA ORCHESTRATION AUTOMATES THE FLOW OF DATA BETWEEN LOCAL AND REMOTE COMPUTER RESOURCES.
WHAT PREVENTS ENTROPY FROM DESTROYING THESE WEAPONS ONCE THEY'VE BEEN DEPLOYED?
DATA ORCHESTRATION AND HYPERSCALE NAS ARE TRANSPARENT TO USERS AND APPLICATION WORKLOADS. ENTROPY WILL NEVER KNOW THEY ARE THERE.
HYPERSCALE NAS SCALES LINEARLY TO ENABLE HPC-LEVEL HIGH PERFORMANCE WORKLOADS REGARDLESS OF GEOGRAPIC LOCALITY, AND IT CAN SERVE TENS OF THOUSANDS OF GPUS AT ONCE.
TOGETHER, THEY WILL EFFECTIVELY DESTROY ENTROPY NO MATTER WHERE HE IS.


INSTALLING THE HAMMERSPACE PLATFORM IS EASY, BUT IT MUST BE DONE FROM INSIDE ENTROPY'S LOCATION TO KEEP DATA SECURE...
...AND THAT IS WHERE YOU WILL NEED HELP.
DATA DYNAMO, MEET CENTRIFUGE!
TO BE CONT'D...

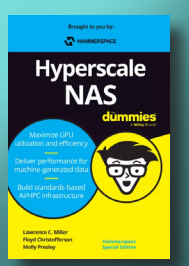
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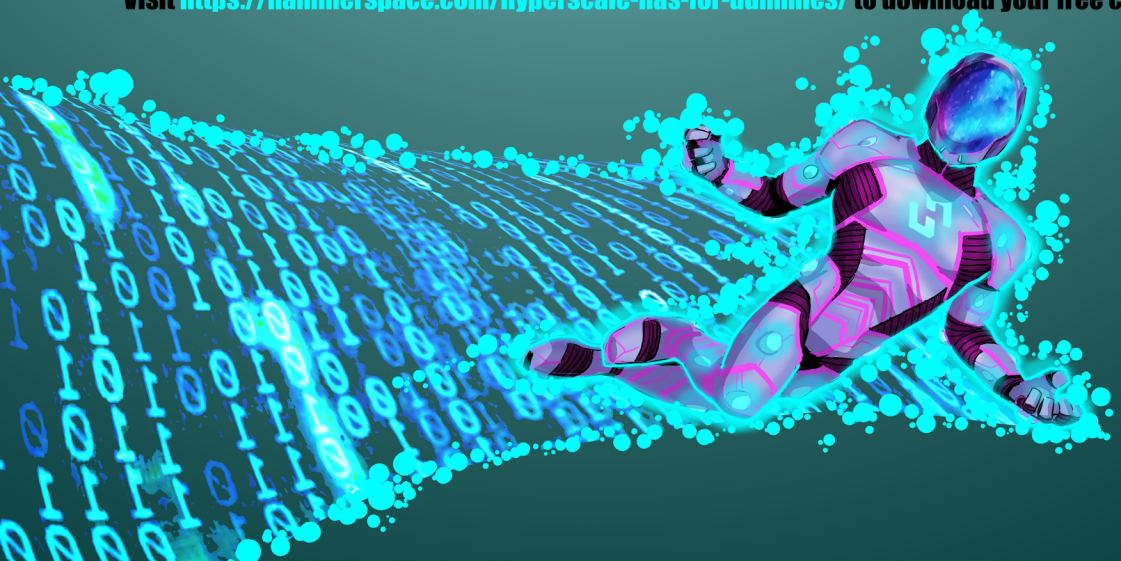
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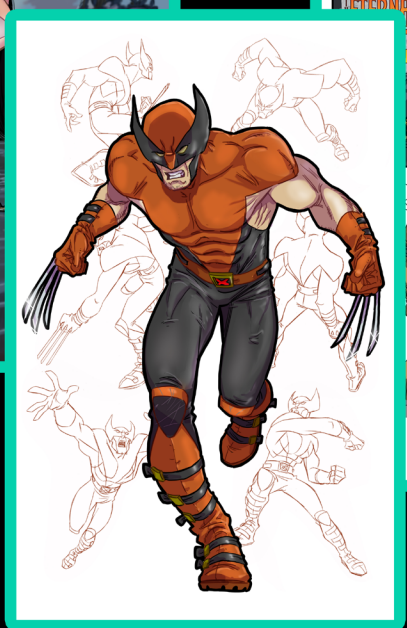
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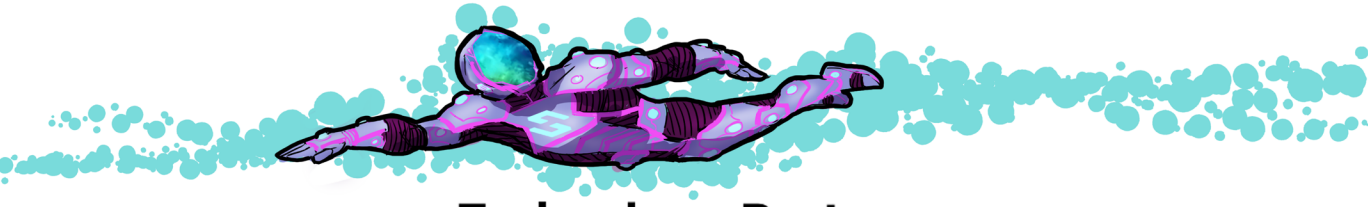
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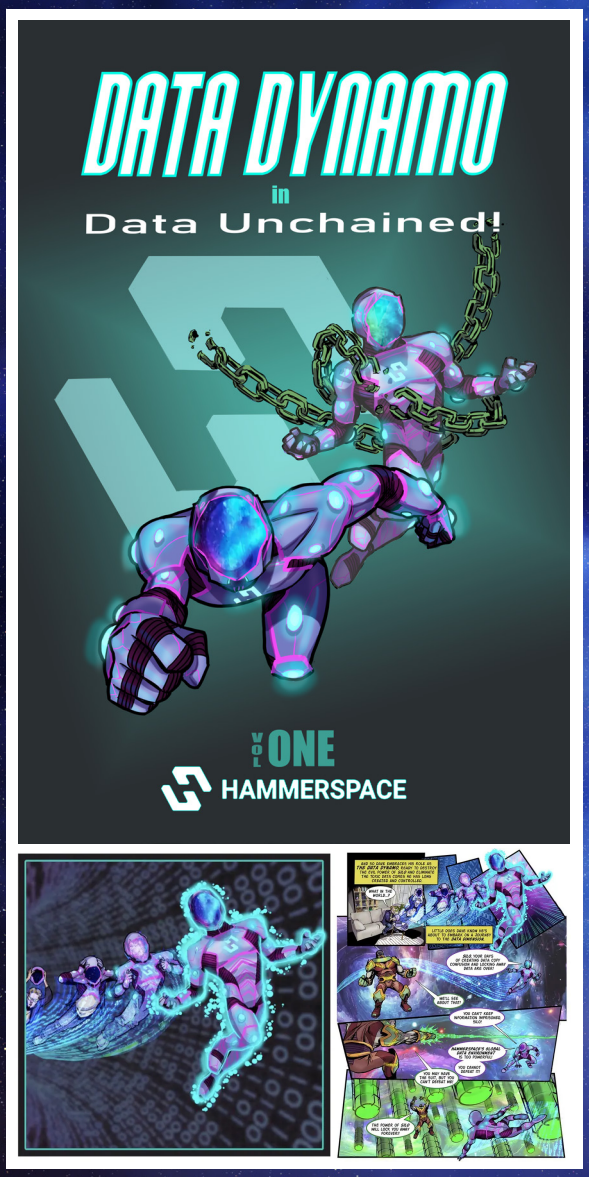
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The Next Exciting Adventure of Data Dynamo!

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What is a Hammerspace?

Hammerspace is a fictional storage space that's infinite in size and instantly accessible. It's used to explain how characters in comics, video games, and animation can produce objects out of thin air. The term comes from the trope of a cartoon character pulling an object out from behind their back.

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