Chapter 1 Technology-Based Computer-Assisted Learning: An IoTCAL Overview

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ABSTRACT

In today's world, technology is taking over many parts of human existence, and computer aided learning (CAL) is an educational instrument that facilitates learning. Computer aided learning (CAL) is an integrated technology that specific role of IoT in education in a learning environment where a computerized tool is utilized to help a user study a specific topic. Incorporating technologies like artificial intelligence (AI), internet of things (IoT), virtual reality (VR) and augmented reality (AR) in CAL will be driving the present as well as future. The impact of pandemic conditions has resulted in an increase in CAL users, which is expected to make the CAL programme more successful. The proposed IoTCAL ideas are intended to provide a worthwhile learning experience by delivering efficient, engaging, and preemptive context-aware training smart services.

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INTRODUCTION

One of the most valuable blessings of the digital age is computer-assisted learning (CAL). We can have an abundance of knowledge with only one click. It is the process of learning knowledge through the use of technological gadgets and products. No longer does one have to rely just on books and institutions to obtain education and information. Technology is used in every aspect of education, whether it is medical or civil. Electronic equipment can be used to gain any kind of knowledge in any discipline. In the majority of schools and institutes, virtual learning is replacing classroom instruction. Computers enable smart classes, video classes, online-offline movies, web classrooms, and many other services. Computer-assisted education is a simple and effective technique to absorb and comprehend information. We can learn at any time and in numerous ways using Computer-Assisted Learning. We may watch the films and the recorded tutored sessions at any time and from any location. It has brought value to the realm of education platforms. Learning has grown more exciting as a result of Computer-Assisted Learning. Students have become more independent as a result of computer-Assisted Learning, which has lessened their reliance on teachers and physical instruction. Students' interest is maintained by interactive videos and presentations. The pandemic began in China, where the lockdown was first detected. Education should not suffer as a result of the lockdown. The Chinese government employed tencent classrooms to make education available online. This has been dubbed the "biggest online movement" in Wuhan's educational history. Which has resulted in bringing more equipped tools in teaching and learning practice.

IoT in CAL

The components of the Internet of Things can be broken down into three categories: based on things, internet, as well as semantic (Atzori, Iera, and Morabito, 2010). The first layer is referred to as the "Device Layer." This layer includes sensors, actuators, and an embedded communication hardware system. "Service Layer" is the second layer. The third layer is characterized as "App Layer," and it consists of on demand storage and cloud computing tools for data analytics. The layer provides visualization and interpretation capabilities that may be used on a variety of platforms and for a variety of applications (Gubbi et al., 2013). Although the Internet of Things vision has immense promise for future technology, many complicated technical,

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