

What are **INTERFACES** used for?

Interaction styles and
devices in the design of
user interfaces

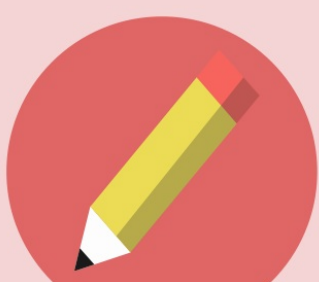
DEVICE

WRITING

Devices and interfaces have been used along the history for supporting people in writing their thoughts.



CAVE
PAINTINGS



WRITING



ALPHABET



PRINTER

COMMUNICATING

Devices and interfaces have evolved along the history allowing people to communicate through long distances.



TELEPHONE



RADIO



MOUSE

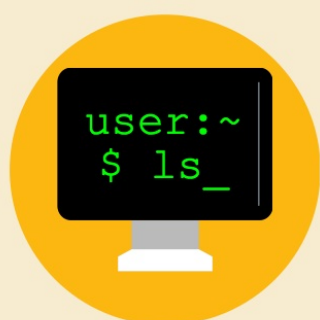


COMPUTER

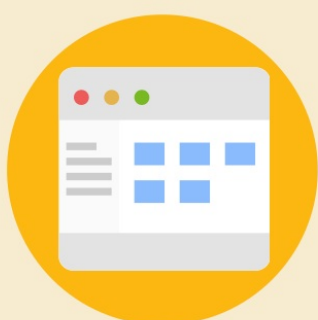
INTERFACE

WHICH ONE?

Focusing on current technological advances, depending on the device and the task to perform, there are different interfaces.



COMMAND
BASED



WIMP & GUI



INFORMATION
VISUALIZATION



MOBILE



TOUCH



VIRTUAL REALITY

KEY FACTORS

There are some key factors to take into account for choosing and designing a winning interface.



INFORMATION



TASKS



USERS



CONTEXT