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Termes dans cette liste (25)

innovative

(adj) (of a product, idea, etc.) featuring new methods; advanced and original. Ex: "Our company is known for ____ designs and reliable technology."



state-of-the-art

(adj) the most recent stage in the development of a product, incorporating the newest ideas and features.



Ex: "They took us to visit the city's new ____ hospital" synonyms: modern, ultra-modern, futuristic, avant-garde, the latest, new, the newest

obsolete

(adj) no longer produced or used; out of date.

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Ex: "They discussed the disposal of old and ____machinery" synonyms: out of date, outdated,

outmoded, old-fashioned

a breakthrough

(n) a sudden, dramatic, and important discovery or development.



Ex: "This year saw a major ____in the fight against AIDS"

synonyms: advance, development, step forward, leap forward, quantum leap, step in the right direction, success, discovery, find, improvement, innovation, revolution

an expectation

(n) a strong belief that something will happen or be the case.



Ex: "reality had not lived up to ____s" synonyms: supposition, assumption, belief, presupposition, presumption, conjecture, surmise, reckoning, calculation, prediction, forecast, projection



(adj) (of a person) having sufficient knowledge and skill to be able to use computers; familiar with the operation of



computers.

Ex: "Nowadays, all graduates are ____"

computer native

(n) a person born or brought up during the age of digital technology and so familiar with computers and the Internet from an early age.

Ex: "The digital tools that are reshaping our economy make more sense to young than to members of older generations"

technological

(adj)relating to or using technology. Ex: "The quickening pace of ____ change"



labor-saving

(adj) (of an appliance) designed to reduce the amount of work needed to do something.

"The fifties and sixties saw the development of ____ devices such as washing machines and dishwashers"



cutting-edge

(adj) highly advanced; innovative or pioneering.

Ex: "They specialize in ____ technology"



outdated

(adj) out of date; obsolete.

Ex: "I am tired of working with ____ equipment"

synonyms: old-fashioned, out of date, outmoded, out of fashion, unfashionable,

out of style

a device

(n) a thing made or adapted for a



tool, appliance

particular purpose, especially a piece of mechanical or electronic equipment.

Ex: "The altimeter is a ____ that measures altitude"

synonyms: implement, gadget, utensil,

an appliance

(n) a device or piece of equipment designed to perform a specific task.

Ex: "Electrical and gas ____are included in the rental contract"

synonyms: device, machine, instrument, gadget, contraption, apparatus, utensil, implement, tool,

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an invention

(n) the action of inventing something,typically a process or device.Ex: "The ____ of printing in the 15th century"synonyms: origination, creation,

innovation, devising, contriving,

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an accomplishment

(n) something that has been achieved successfully.

Ex: "The reduction of inflation was a remarkable ____" synonyms: achievement, act, deed,

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exercise, exploit, performance

value-sensitive

(adj) (for an approach to the design of technology) that accounts for human values in a principled and comprehensive manner.

Ex: "This paper explores." Design as



Ex: "This paper explores ____ Design as way to arrive at wind turbines that better reflect key values".

the industrial revolution	(n phrase) The rapid development of industry that occurred in Britain in the late 18th and 19th centuries, brought about by the introduction of machinery. It was characterized by the use of steam power, the growth of factories, and the mass production of manufactured goods.	*
the digital revolution	(n phrase) the advancement of technology from analog electronic and mechanical devices to the digital technology available today. The era started to during the 1980s and is ongoing.	*
high-tech	(adj) using, requiring, or involved in high technology.Ex: "They installed a new, security system"	*
sustainable	(adj) able to be maintained at a certain rate or level. Ex: "economic growth"	*
a scientist	 (n) a person who is studying or has expert knowledge of one or more of the natural or physical sciences. Ex: "He grew up to be a major quantum" synonyms: researcher, technologist; 	*
to make something easier	(v phrase) to facilitate Ex: "I wrote this guide to operating	*

the program ___"

user-friendly

(adj) (of a machine or system) easy to use or understand.

Ex: "The search software is ____"

influential

(adj) having great influence on someone or something.

Ex: "Her work is ____in feminist psychology"

significant

(adj) sufficiently great or important to be worthy of attention; noteworthy.

Ex: "Our actions resulted in a ____increase in sales"

synonyms: notable, noteworthy, worthy of attention, remarkable, outstanding

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