

5.9 Management and information systems (HL)

Terminology exercise

Check that you understand the terminology used in this subtopic by dragging the correct word into each space.

A information
system is any system that is used for
decision-making or for organising
information. It involves information
being collected in a structured, organised
computer system known as a

. The data is then interpreted using a scientific process known as . Many of these processes are automated.

The use of digital systems requires critical . Large buildings – known as

- containing
computers, servers and other hardware
are needed to operate digital
technologies. Many of these make use of
intelligence,

where a computer, robot or other machine is controlled by a computer. This enables tasks that would normally be carried out by humans to be automated. These digital systems are becoming more and more sophisticated and, through machine learning, are able to complete more and more processes.

Through the use of interconnecting nodes known as artificial

, which replicate

apply machine learning or deep learning technologies. These make effective use of algorithms that can automate processes or help management to make effective decisions.

