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Over the last few decades, the development in the field of navigation and routing devices
a hindering task for the researchers to develop smart and intelligent guiding mechanism at
outdoor locations for blind and visually impaired people (BVIPs). The existing research need
ed from a historical perception including early research on the first electronic travel aids to
odern artificial vision models for the navigation of BVIPs. Diverse approaches such as: e-cane
, infrared-based cane, laser based walker and many others are proposed for the navigation of
most of these techniques have limitations such as: infrared and ultrasonic based assistance has
capacities for object detection. While laser based assistance can harm other people if it directly
their eyes or any other part of the body. These trade-offs are critical to bring this technology
to systematically assess, analyze, and identify the primary studies in this specialized field and
overview of the trends and empirical evidence in the proposed field. This systematic research
ormed by defining a set of relevant keywords, formulating four research questions, defining
teria for the articles, and synthesizing the empirical evidence in this area. Our pool of studies
most relevant articles to the proposed field reported between 2011 and 2020 (a portion of 2020
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