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The Computer and the Brain 2000-01-01 this book represents the views of one of the greatest mathematicians of the twentieth century on the analogies between computing machines and the living human brain john von neumann concludes that the brain operates in part digitally in part analogically but uses a peculiar statistical language unlike that employed in the operation of man made computers this edition includes a new foreword by two eminent figures in the fields of philosophy neuroscience and consciousness

The History of the Computer 2022-05-17 a strikingly illustrated overview of the computing machines that have changed our world from the abacus to the smartphone and the people who made them by the new york times bestselling author and illustrator of women in science a beautifully illustrated journey through the history of computing from the antikythera mechanism to the iphone and beyond i loved it eben upton founder and ceo of raspberry pi computers are everywhere and have impacted our lives in so many ways but who created them and why how have they transformed the way that we interact with our surroundings and each other packed with accessible information fun facts and discussion starters this charming and art filled book takes you from the ancient world to the modern day focusing on important inventions from the earliest known counting systems to the sophisticated algorithms behind ai the history of the computer also profiles a diverse range of key players and creators from an wang and margaret hamilton to steve jobs and sir tim berners lee and illuminates their goals their intentions and the impact of their inventions on our everyday lives this entertaining and educational journey will help you understand our most important machines and how we can use them to enhance the way we live you ll never look at your phone the same way again

A Computer Called LEO 2003 this is the eccentric story of one of the most bizarre marriages in the history of british business the invention of the world s first office computer and the lyons teashop the lyons teashops were one of the great british institutions providing a cup of tea and a penny bun through the depression the war austerity and on into the 1960s and 1970s yet lyons also has a more surprising claim to history in the 1930s john simmons a young graduate in charge of the clerks offices that totalled all the bills issued by the nippies and kept track of the costs of all the tea cakes and other goods distributed to the nation s cafes and shops became obsessed by the new ideas of scientific management he had a dream to build a machine that would automate the millions of tedious transactions and process them in as little time as possible

The Computer, the Writer and the Learner 2012-12-06 computers are gradually infiltrating all stages of the writing process increasingly teachers writers students software developers technical authors and computer scientists need to learn more about the effective use of computers for writing this book discusses how computers can help support writing it explores the issues associated with using computers to train and help writers concentrating on computational and user aspects and reviewing practical economic and institutional issues noel williams balances theoretical and practical concerns to meet the needs of researchers and practising trainers of writing there is also a brief evaluation available software products together with advice about the major considerations and pitfalls of working on custom made software the book is based on five years of research by the communication and information research group cirg at sheffield city polytechnic into the value of computer based approaches to training and helping writers the work was funded and supported by the training agency ibm at t rolls royce nab and gec the computer the writer and the learner is for people who are using or are thinking of using computers to teach or support writing and for designers of computer based writing systems many such people are unaware of the nature and use of existing systems and of the possibilities they offer developers often lack detailed knowledge of other projects and of the range of users needs although the bias of the book is towards the teacher trainer and student most of the content deals with issues that developers will want to know about

The Computer Book 2018 with 250 illustrated landmark inventions publications and events encompassing everything from ancient record keeping devices to the latest technologies this highly topical addition to the sterling milestones series takes a chronological journey through the history and future of computer science the topics include the first spam message isaac asimov s laws of robotics early programming languages and operating systems such as basic and unix the microcomputer revolution hacking virtual reality and more

The Computer and the Brain 1989 the technological marvel that facilitated the apollo missions to the moon was the on board computer in the 1960s most computers filled an entire

room but the spacecraft's computer was required to be compact and low power although people today find it difficult to accept that it was possible to control a spacecraft using such a primitive computer it nevertheless had capabilities that are advanced even by today's standards this is the first book to fully describe the apollo guidance computer's architecture instruction format and programs used by the astronauts as a comprehensive account it will span the disciplines of computer science electrical and aerospace engineering however it will also be accessible to the space enthusiast in short the intention is for this to be the definitive account of the apollo guidance computer frank o brien's interest in the apollo program began as a serious amateur historian about 12 years ago he began performing research and writing essays for the apollo lunar surface journal and the apollo flight journal much of this work centered on his primary interests the apollo guidance computer agc and the lunar module these journals are generally considered the canonical online reference on the flights to the moon he was then asked to assist the curatorial staff in the creation of the cradle of aviation museum on long island new york where he helped prepare the lunar module simulator a lm procedure trainer and an apollo space suit for display he regularly lectures on the apollo computer and related topics to diverse groups from nasa's computer engineering conferences the ieee acm computer festivals and university student groups

The Apollo Guidance Computer 2010-06-25 in this franklin tv storybook when his friend beaver gets a new video game franklin becomes addicted he stops going to soccer practice and he no longer wants to play with his friends will franklin realize that winning points isn't worth losing his friends

Franklin and the Computer 2003-06-01 from coding languages and hardware to cyberbullying and gaming this comprehensive homework helper for kids and parents covers the essentials of computer science this unique visual study guide examines the technical aspects of computers such as how they function the latest digital devices and software and how the internet works it also builds the confidence of parents and kids when facing challenges such as staying safe online digital etiquette and how to navigate the potential pitfalls of social media jargon free language helps to explain difficult and potentially dread inducing homework such as hacking big data and malware while colorful graphics help makes learning about the world of computer science exciting whether at home or school this clear and helpful guide to computer science is the tool you need to be able to support students with confidence series overview dk's bestselling help your kids with series contains crystal clear visual breakdowns of important subjects simple graphics and jargon free text are key to making this series a user friendly resource for frustrated parents who want to help their children get the most out of school

Help Your Kids with Computer Science (Key Stages 1-5) 2018-07-03 there is arguably no field in greater need of a comprehensive handbook than computer engineering the unparalleled rate of technological advancement the explosion of computer applications and the now in progress migration to a wireless world have made it difficult for engineers to keep up with all the developments in specialties outside their own references published only a few years ago are now sorely out of date the computer engineering handbook changes all of that under the leadership of vojcin oklobdzija and a stellar editorial board some of the industry's foremost experts have joined forces to create what promises to be the definitive resource for computer design and engineering instead of focusing on basic introductory material it forms a comprehensive state of the art review of the field's most recent achievements outstanding issues and future directions the world of computer engineering is vast and evolving so rapidly that what is cutting edge today may be obsolete in a few months while exploring the new developments trends and future directions of the field the computer engineering handbook captures what is fundamental and of lasting value

The Computer Engineering Handbook 2001-12-26 this book charts the take up of it in britain as seen through the eyes of one company it examines how the dawn of the digital computer age in britain took place for different applications from early government sponsored work on secret defence projects to the growth of the market for elliott computers for civil applications features charts the establishment of elliott's borehamwood research laboratories and the roles played by john coales and leon bagrit examines early elliott digital computers designed for classified military applications and for gchq describes the analogue computers developed by elliott automation reviews the development of the first commercial elliott computers and the growth of applications in industrial automation includes a history of airborne computers by a former director of elliott flight automation discusses the computer architectures and systems software for elliott computers investigates the mergers takeovers and eventual closure of the borehamwood laboratories

Moving Targets 2014-09-26 a deconstruction of gender through the voices of siri hal 9000 and other computers that talk although computer based personal assistants like siri are increasingly ubiquitous few users stop to ask what it means that some assistants are gendered female others male why is star trek's computer coded as female while hal 9000 in 2001 a space odyssey is heard as male by examining how gender is built into these devices author liz w faber explores contentious questions around gender its fundamental constructedness the rigidity of the gender binary and culturally situated attitudes on male and female embodiment faber begins by considering talking spaceships like those in star trek the film dark star and the tv series quark revealing the ideologies that underlie space age progress she then moves on to an intrepid decade by decade investigation of computer voices tracing the evolution from the masculine voices of the 70s and 80s to the feminine ones of the 90s and 00s faber ends her account in the present with incisive looks at the film her and siri herself going beyond current scholarship on robots and ai to focus on voice interactive computers the computer's voice breaks new ground in questions surrounding media technology and gender it makes important contributions to conversations around the gender gap and the increasing acceptance of transgender people

The Computer's Voice 2020-12-22 discusses problems in computer picture production explains how they have been solved reports on art being produced by artists using computers

Art and the Computer 1984 this book is concerned with the nature of computer misuse and the legal and extra legal responses to it it explores what is meant by the term computer misuse and charts its emergence as a problem as well as its expansion in parallel with the continued progression in computing power networking reach and accessibility in doing so it

surveys the attempts of the domestic criminal law to deal with some early manifestations of computer misuse and the consequent legislative passage of the computer misuse act 1990 this book will be of interest to students of it law as well as to sociologists and criminologists and those who have a professional concern with preventing computer misuse and fraud

Computer Misuse 2013-05-13 this book describes the historical development of the architectures of the first computers built by the german inventor konrad zuse in berlin between 1936 and 1945 zuse s machines are historically important because they anticipated many features of modern computers specifically these include the separation of processor and memory the ability to compute with floating point numbers a hardware architecture based on microprogramming of the instruction set and a layered design with a high level programming language on top in fact zuse s early computers are closer to modern computers than the harvard mark i or eniac two other contenders for the title of world s first computer the theoretical program first conceived by zuse in 1936 37 was fulfilled with a series of machines built before and during world war ii the z1 z2 z3 and z4 separate chapters deal with the architecture of each computer culminating in the description of plankalkül the first proposal for a high level programming language students of the sciences and practitioners of computer science should have no trouble following the material the concise introductory summary sets the reader on the historical path to retrace this remarkable intellectual adventure

Konrad Zuse's Early Computers 2023-11-14 there is a companion web site associated with the book vsicomputer wordpress com it contains chapter summaries links to relevant material and posts about items of news relevant to the book s contents computers have changed so much since the room filling bulky magnetic tape running monsters of the mid 20th century they now form a vital part of most people s lives and they are more ubiquitous than might be thought you may have more than 30 computers in your home not just the desktop and laptop but think of the television the fridge the microwave but what is the basic nature of the modern computer how does it work how has it been possible to squeeze so much power into increasingly small machines and what will the next generations of computers look like in this very short introduction darrel ince looks at the basic concepts behind all computers the changes in hardware and software that allowed computers to become so small and commonplace the challenges produced by the computer revolution especially whole new modes of cybercrime and security issues the internet and the advent of cloud computing and the promise of whole new horizons opening up with quantum computing and even computing using dna about the series the very short introductions series from oxford university press contains hundreds of titles in almost every subject area these pocket sized books are the perfect way to get ahead in a new subject quickly our expert authors combine facts analysis perspective new ideas and enthusiasm to make interesting and challenging topics highly readable

The Computer: A Very Short Introduction 2011-11-24 in the bestselling tradition of the soul of a new machine dealers of lightning is a fascinating journey of intellectual creation in the 1970s and 80s xerox corporation brought together a brain trust of engineering geniuses a group of computer eccentrics dubbed parc this brilliant group created several monumental innovations that triggered a technological revolution including the first personal computer the laser printer and the graphical interface one of the main precursors of the internet only to see these breakthroughs rejected by the corporation yet instead of giving up these determined inventors turned their ideas into empires that radically altered contemporary life and changed the world based on extensive interviews with the scientists engineers administrators and executives who lived the story this riveting chronicle details parc s humble beginnings through its triumph as a hothouse for ideas and shows why xerox was never able to grasp and ultimately exploit the cutting edge innovations parc delivered dealers of lightning offers an unprecedented look at the ideas the inventions and the individuals that propelled xerox parc to the frontier of technohistory and the corporate machinations that almost prevented it from achieving greatness

Clio and the Computer 1987 this book contains invited papers and a selection of research papers submitted to computer animation 91 the third international work shop on computer animation which was held in geneva on may 22 24 this workshop now an annual event has been organized by the computer graphics society the university of geneva and the swiss federal institute of technology in lausanne during the international workshop on computer animation 91 the fourth computer generated film festival of geneva was held the book presents original research results and applications experience of the various areas of computer animation this year most papers are related to character animation human animation facial animation and motion contro na dia magnenat thalmann daniel thalmann v table of contents part i facial animation contral parameterization for facial animation f i parke 3 linguistic issues in facial animation c pelachaud n badler m steedman 15 facial animation by spatial mapping e c patterson p c litwinowicz n greene 31 a transformation method for modeling and animation of the human face fram photographs t kurlhara k arai 45 techniques for realistic facial modeling and animation d terzopoulos k waters 59 part II human modeling and animation generation of human motion with emotion m unuma r takeuchi 77 creating realistic three dimensional human shape characters for computer generated films a paourl n magnenathalmann d thalmann 89 design of realistic gaits for the purpose of animation n vasllonikolidakis g j clapworthy

Telecommunications and the Computer 1969 electronic computers are arguably the greatest invention of the 20th century they are the enablers for many of the technologies that the developed world now relies upon and their impact on society cannot be overestimated the story of their creation is a fascinating one which encompasses many of the great advances in engineering mathematics and the physical sciences that have taken place over the past 400 years the story of the computer is the first comprehensive treatment of the subject written from both a technical and a business perspective it sets out to chart the complex evolutionary process that has resulted in the creation of today s computers picking out those innovations and discoveries which contributed most to the pool of knowledge through their influence on later advances and taking into consideration the business drivers as well as the specific technical breakthroughs to put developments into context and provide a more rounded picture it also covers the advances in science and technology or building blocks which

have facilitated them the book is divided into four parts beginning with humanity's earliest efforts to automate the process of calculation first through mechanical means then electromechanical and finally electronic part two describes the transformation from sequence controlled calculators to stored program computers and the birth of the computer industry in part three we see the industry maturing and new market segments beginning to emerge for faster or smaller computers facilitated by the introduction of solid state components the final part brings the story up to date with the development of mass produced personal computers computer graphics and the world wide web written in a highly accessible style with illustrations throughout the story of the computer should provide a rewarding read for both the specialist and the general reader

Dealers of Lightning 2009-05-19 technology scholars declare an emergency attention must be paid to the inequality marginalization and biases woven into our technological systems this book sounds an alarm we can no longer afford to be lulled into complacency by narratives of techno utopianism or even techno neutrality we should not be reassured by such soothing generalities as human error virtual reality or the cloud we need to realize that nothing is virtual everything that happens online virtually or autonomously happens offline first and often involves human beings whose labor is deliberately kept invisible everything is irl in your computer is on fire technology scholars train a spotlight on the inequality marginalization and biases woven into our technological systems

Computer Animation '91 2014-04-20 the first true account of computer espionage tells of a year long single handed hunt for a computer thief who sold information from american computer files to soviet intelligence agents

The Story of the Computer 2017-05-26 the computer is the great technological and scientific innovation of the last half of the twentieth century it has revolutionized how we organize information how we communicate with each other and even the way that we think about the human mind computers have eased the drudgery of such tasks as calculating sums and clerical work making them both more bearable and more efficient the computer has become ubiquitous in many aspects of business recreation and everyday life and the trend is that they are becoming both more powerful and easier to use computers the life story of a technology provides an accessible overview of this ever changing technology giving students and lay readers an understanding of the complete scope of its history from ancient times to the present day the volume includes a glossary of terms a timeline of important events and a selected bibliography of useful resources for further information

Your Computer Is on Fire 2021-03-09 an introduction to computer engineering for babies learn basic logic gates with hands on examples of buttons and an output led

The Cuckoo's Egg 2005-09-13 this book takes a look at the games industry from a gendered perspective and highlights the variety of ways in which women remain underrepresented in this industry provided by publisher

Computers 2005-04-30 in the 1970s while their contemporaries were protesting the computer as a tool of dehumanization and oppression a motley collection of college dropouts hippies and electronics fanatics were engaged in something much more subversive obsessed with the idea of getting computer power into their own hands they launched from their garages a hobbyist movement that grew into an industry and ultimately a social and technological revolution what they did was invent the personal computer not just a new device but a watershed in the relationship between man and machine this is their story fire in the valley is the definitive history of the personal computer drawn from interviews with the people who made it happen written by two veteran computer writers who were there from the start working at infoworld in the early 1980s swaine and freiberger daily rubbed elbows with people like steve jobs and bill gates when they were creating the personal computer revolution a rich story of colorful individuals fire in the valley profiles these unlikely revolutionaries and entrepreneurs such as ed roberts of mits lee felsenstein at processor technology and jack tramiel of commodore as well as jobs and gates in all the innocence of their formative years this completely revised and expanded third edition brings the story to its completion chronicling the end of the personal computer revolution and the beginning of the post pc era it covers the departure from the stage of major players with the deaths of steve jobs and douglas engelbart and the retirements of bill gates and steve ballmer the shift away from the pc to the cloud and portable devices and what the end of the pc era means for issues such as personal freedom and power and open source vs proprietary software

Cybernetic Serendipity 1969 this is a short occasionally funny book on how to solve and avoid application and or computer performance problems i wrote it to give back the knowledge insights tips and tricks i was given over the last 25 years of my computing career it shows practical ways to use key performance laws and gives well tested advice on how and when to do performance monitoring capacity planning load testing and performance modeling it works for any application or collection of computers because it teaches you how to decipher whatever meters they give you and how to discover more about those meters than the documentation reveals this book covers the things that will always be true no matter what technology you are using it will continue to be useful 20 years from now when today's technology if it runs at all will look as quaint as a mechanical cuckoo clock there is no complex math required yet it allows you to easily use some fairly advanced techniques simple arithmetic and a spreadsheet program is all that is required of you lastly it helps with the human side of performance it shows you how to get the help you need and how to present your findings good or bad all the way up to the cio level

Computer Engineering for Babies 2021-10-20 computer scientists speculate on the role of computers in the life of current and future man discussing individualized automation trends in traditional computer uses and the underlying technologies and the socioeconomic effects and expectations of the information age

Gender Divide and the Computer Game Industry 2013-09-30 learn to analyze and measure risk by exploring the nature of trust and its application to cybersecurity trust in computer systems and the cloud delivers an insightful and practical new take on what it means to trust in the context of computer and network security and the impact on the emerging

field of confidential computing author mike bursell s experience ranging from chief security architect at red hat to ceo at a confidential computing start up grounds the reader in fundamental concepts of trust and related ideas before discussing the more sophisticated applications of these concepts to various areas in computing the book demonstrates in the importance of understanding and quantifying risk and draws on the social and computer sciences to explain hardware and software security complex systems and open source communities it takes a detailed look at the impact of confidential computing on security trust and risk and also describes the emerging concept of trust domains which provide an alternative to standard layered security foundational definitions of trust from sociology and other social sciences how they evolved and what modern concepts of trust mean to computer professionals a comprehensive examination of the importance of systems from open source communities to hsmstps and confidential computing with tees a thorough exploration of trust domains including explorations of communities of practice the centralization of control and policies and monitoring perfect for security architects at the cissp level or higher trust in computer systems and the cloud is also an indispensable addition to the libraries of system architects security system engineers and master s students in software architecture and security

Fire in the Valley 2014-10-20 alas poor satan he s not happy no one seems to like or understand him people have got him all wrong and his relationship with god is a hostile one unloved and misunderstood he s come back to earth in search of a psychotherapist he s prepared if cured to deliver the all important great answer in jeremy leven s wildly original comic novel we follow the prince of darkness through his seven amazing therapy sessions and we watch him grow increasingly well adjusted while his therapist the unfortunate dr kassler descends deeper and deeper into hell

Every Computer Performance Book 2013-03-29 no one saw it coming at its launch in 1981 ibm s original personal computer was an expensive business machine not a gaming behemoth of the kind you saw from apple atari commodore and tandy but by 1990 the pc had trampled all its competitors and become the gaming juggernaut it remains to this day how did this happen what did the pc do that the ostensibly superior commodore amiga atari st and apple iigs couldn t in starflight how the pc and dos exploded computer gaming 1987 1994 author jamie lendino tells the full story starting with the pc s humble cga and monochrome origins moving through early ill fated if influential failures such as the pcjr and tandy 1000 and diving deep into the industry shattering innovations in processing graphics sound software and distribution that gave the pc and the gamers who loved it unprecedented power and reach along the way lendino explores more than 110 of the pc s most entertaining and important games revealing how they paved the way for pc supremacy while also offering players new levels of challenge and fun from groundbreaking graphic adventures king s quest the secret of monkey island innovative role playing games ultima might and magic and sprawling space combat epics wing commander x wing to titanic strategy titles civilization x com first person shooters stellar 7 doom wide ranging simulations stunts falcon 3 0 and hard driving arcade action games arkanoid raptor you ll discover every detail of how the pc s games catapulted it into the computer gaming stratosphere whether you were there at the time experiencing first hand the transition of ega to vga and single voice beeps and boops to sweepingly symphonic roland mt 32 sound and discovering historic titles upon their release or you re only now discovering the wonders of the era starflight how the pc and dos exploded computer gaming 1987 1994 is a fresh dynamic and impossible to put it down look at the years when pc gaming and computer gaming itself changed forever

Translating and the Computer 1995 your all in one guide to the digital world key features includes basic concepts about computer hardware and software device connections and the internet solutions on how to get the most out of emails office suites photos videos and maps insights on social media e commerce digital payments and online booking description technology touches our lives in many different ways in this book we will explore the common uses of technology in the world around you demystify the concepts and explain its usage the book begins by making you comfortable with your windows pc and android smartphone tablet it discusses the internet and common device connections it also delves into popular productivity applications like emails documents spreadsheets presentations maps photos music and videos usage of free apps from google is demonstrated the book also talks about social media and online tools which allow you to connect and communicate with people on the internet with examples from facebook twitter instagram and whatsapp the different facets of e commerce are discussed as well namely payments online shopping tracking reviews and online travel booking along with examples from popular shopping and travel websites it explores newer trends like cloud computing media players and voice assistants security and privacy best practices are also covered for each topic this book is an attempt to break down the barriers that stand between you and the digital world and enable you to embrace technology by the end of this book you ll find yourself more tech savvy than you were when you started what you will learn day to day tasks on your windows pc android smartphone and the internet usage of popular google services including gmail docs suite and youtube usage of facebook twitter instagram hangouts and whatsapp learn how to shop pay and book flights hotels buses and trains online learn about media players and usage of google assistant stay secure with best practices for your devices and the internet who this book is for this book is for students parents kids senior citizens housewives and any person who wants to get acquainted with the essential skills for the digital era and wants to become comfortable with technology smart devices and internet applications to get the best out of this book you must have either a windows 10 pc or an android smartphone tablet and stable internet access table of contents preface 1 your smartphone tablet 2 your computer laptop 3 the internet 4 connections 5 e mail 6 photos 7 music and videos 8 productivity apps 9 maps 10 social media 11 online communication 12 whatsapp 13 money and payments 14 managing your privacy 15 reviews 16 e commerce 17 booking travel online 18 beyond your pc and smartphone summing it up

The Computer Age 1980 computer science the hardware software and heart of it focuses on the deeper aspects of the two recognized subdivisions of computer science software and

hardware these subdivisions are shown to be closely interrelated as a result of the stored program concept computer science the hardware software and heart of it includes certain classical theoretical computer science topics such as unsolvability e g the halting problem and undecidability e g godel s incompleteness theorem that treat problems that exist under the church turing thesis of computation these problem topics explain inherent limits lying at the heart of software and in effect define boundaries beyond which computer science professionals cannot go beyond newer topics such as cloud computing are also covered in this book after a survey of traditional programming languages e g fortran and c a new kind of computer programming for parallel distributed computing is presented using the message passing paradigm which is at the heart of large clusters of computers this leads to descriptions of current hardware platforms for large scale computing such as clusters of as many as one thousand which are the new generation of supercomputers this also leads to a consideration of future quantum computers and a possible escape from the church turing thesis to a new computation paradigm the book s historical context is especially helpful during this the centenary of turing s birth alan turing is widely regarded as the father of computer science since many concepts in both the hardware and software of computer science can be traced to his pioneering research turing was a multi faceted mathematician engineer and was able to work on both concrete and abstract levels this book shows how these two seemingly disparate aspects of computer science are intimately related further the book treats the theoretical side of computer science as well which also derives from turing s research computer science the hardware software and heart of it is designed as a professional book for practitioners and researchers working in the related fields of quantum computing cloud computing computer networking as well as non scientist readers advanced level and undergraduate students concentrating on computer science engineering and mathematics will also find this book useful

Trust in Computer Systems and the Cloud 2022-01-06 the laboratory computer a practical guide for physiologists and neuroscientists introduces the reader to both the basic principles and the actual practice of recording physiological signals using the computer it describes the basic operation of the computer the types of transducers used to measure physical quantities such as temperature and pressure how these signals are amplified and converted into digital form and the mathematical analysis techniques that can then be applied it is aimed at the physiologist or neuroscientist using modern computer data acquisition systems in the laboratory providing both an understanding of how such systems work and a guide to their purchase and implementation the key facts and concepts that are vital for the effective use of computer data acquisition systems a unique overview of the commonly available laboratory hardware and software including both commercial and free software a practical guide to designing one s own or choosing commercial data acquisition hardware and software

Satan 2000-11-01 how the moves of thirty two chess pieces over sixty four squares can help us understand the workings of the mind when we play the ancient and noble game of chess we grapple with ideas about honesty deceitfulness bravery fear aggression beauty and creativity which echo or allow us to depart from the attitudes we take in our daily lives chess is an activity in which we deploy almost all our available cognitive resources therefore it makes an ideal laboratory for investigation into the workings of the mind indeed research into artificial intelligence ai has used chess as a model for intelligent behavior since the 1950s in chess metaphors diego rasskin gutman explores fundamental questions about memory thought emotion consciousness and other cognitive processes through the game of chess using the moves of thirty two pieces over sixty four squares to map the structural and functional organization of the brain rasskin gutman focuses on the cognitive task of problem solving exploring it from the perspectives of both biology and ai examining ai researchers efforts to program a computer that could beat a flesh and blood grandmaster and win a world chess championship he finds that the results fall short when compared to the truly creative nature of the human mind

Starflight: How the PC and DOS Exploded Computer Gaming 2022-03-14

Embracing Technology 2021-08-05

Computer Science 2011-12-02

The Computer and the Architectural Profession 1966

The Computer and the State 1981

The Laboratory Computer 2001-07-10

Chess Metaphors 2012-02-10