

# CUBITUS: MENS et MANUS

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**ABSTRACT:** From first dawn of literacy to frontiers of enlightenment, paper media both printed & scripted has had the endurance to outlive centuries. Whether paper based academic examsbeobjectiveorsubjective, they preserve fragmented psychological signatures of

examinee's layered cognitive trajectories.2012 evidenced the broadest exclusive variation in generic instruction and scholarship since John Gutenberg's printing press. Being educated & assessed online naturalized ever since. However, **1. INTRODUCTION** 

Paper based documentation continues being regarded more advantageous, generally, than a digitally equivalent version, especially in cases that call-in ascertain to legality. Comprehensive literature firmly review signifies a major requirement for a portable means that may flexibly evaluate a wide variety of format-independent paper based responses.Aided computationally,the appliance shall prospectively fulfil a demand for computed stats that display the frequencies of every response, despite dependence on paper as a communicativemedium. The foremost objective is to validate testees' responses & to compute their respective scores to charts true standing of a tested person's skill set. Cubitus is a quasi-automatized electro-mechanical apparatus purposed to evaluate dozensofresponsesheetscomprisingresponders' replytoapredefinedsetofobjective questions. Primarily designed to grade students' objective tests, the machine may alternately be deployed to assess paper based feedback forms, questionnaires, survey preforms, staff attendance, in a broad diversity of engaging scenarios such as workshops, meetings, conferencing, seminars, and besides

over a billion global candidates continue being tested on paper. Task, that an efficiently programmed device accomplishes in a tea sip still requires intense hours, even days. Cubitus is a grader -it validates testees' responses. And so a statistician - it computes scores & charts true standing of a tested person's skill-set. The electromechanical machine with auto-calibrates its haste with patience and can yield insightful data of over 200 educatees every hour.

academicexaminations. Infrared Wavecouplers distinguish answers using a colordistinction and digital sample-accumulator algorithm embedded and executed on a computer-programmed electronic controller, which serially produces instantaneous binary datasets that are directly acquired via desktop or mobile computing device, to ultimately generate statistical insights that are pointed-out candid info-graphics.From using Latin, Cubitus and Mens et Manus, translate to Hinge, and Mind &Hands, respectively. The device is purposively titled Cubitus to convey users an identically engineered analogy of man's mind and hands that typically coordinate analogous to a hinge together. Other than education, the equipment may be industrially incorporated in retail, banking, manufacturing, and select service sectors.

- (1) Compilation of papers prior to feeding collectively into the processingequipment
- (2) Sensory diagnosis of individualresponses
- (3) Logic based Boolean computation of data



- (4) Arithmetic manipulation and signal conditioning, and data-transformation
- (5) Acquisition of digital data by desktop / mobiledevice(s)
- (6) Statistical computation of importeddatasets
- (7) Clear info-graphiccommunication

## 2. TECHNOLOGY

An infrared sensor is an electronic instrument that is used to sense certain characteristics of its surroundings. It does by detecting infrared radiation. this Infrared sensors are also capable of measuring the heat being emitted by an object and detecting motion. An Infrared light emitting diode (IR LED) is a special purpose LED emitting infrared rays ranging 700 nm to 1 mm wavelength. Different IR LEDs may produce infrared light of differing wavelengths, just like different LEDs produce light of different colors.IRLEDsareusuallymadeofgalliumar senideoraluminumgalliumarsenide. In complement with IR receivers, these are commonly used assensors. The LM358 IC works at low power and easy to use dual channel op-amp IC. It is designed and introduced by national semiconductor originally. It consists of two internally frequency compensated, high gain.and independent op-amps. This ICis designed for specially to operate from a single power supply over a wide range of The LM358 IC voltages. (A used comparator/Op-Amp) is for comparing the sensor. reference voltages.LM358 IC is available in a chipsized package, and applications of this op amp include conventional op-amp circuits. It can handle 3-32V DC supply & source up to 20mAperchannel.

LCD isused toget the display of any input given after execution of the sketch (program). In the sketch, various commands are used for various purposes like clearing the screen of LCD with some time delay, displaying the characters or numbers, setting the cursor to a proper position in proper time etc. We have used the LCD for the display of "Question no." in first row of LCD and the correct option inserted by the faculty in he second row and finally displaying the score of astudent. Motors are used for the various automation processes thus, motor controller is used. A motor controller allowsusing low-voltage signals from your computer to send higher-voltage pulses to the motor. The L298N is an integrated monolithic circuit in a 15- lead Multiwatt packages.It is a high voltage, high current dual fullbridge driver de-signed to accept standard TTL logic level sand drive inductive loads such as relays, solenoids, DC and stepping motors. Two enable inputs are provided to enable or disable the device independently of the in-put signals. The emitters of the lower transistors of each bridge areconnected together rand the corresponding external terminal can be used for the connection of an externalsensingresistor.AnadditionalSuppl vinputisprovidedsothatthe Logicworks at a lowervoltage. For simulation, an integrated development environment (IDE) is a software suite that consolidates basic tools required to write and test software. Developers use numerous tools throughout software code creation, building and testing. Development tools often include text editors, code libraries, compilers and platforms. Without an IDE, test а developer must select, deploy, integrate and manage all of these tools separately. IDE brings many of those An development-related tools together as a single framework, application or service. The integrated toolset is designed to simplify software development and can identify and minimize coding mistakes and types.



#### **3. BLOCK DIAGRAM**

The Cubitus has simplified way of checking and analyzing of student's objective test answer sheet using IR Sensor, Arduino Uno. Cubitus using Arduino is a very useful

#### Fig.1. Block Diagram of Cubitus

In the above shown block diagram, we are having Infrared Array, which is used to collect the responses from the pencil marked answer sheet. LCD is the liquid crystal display, which is used for the inputting of answer and to collect marks of individual student.

For the automation process motor are provided so that all the internal function like motion of IR Sensor Array, upward motion of paper along with the snatching paper could be done automatically. When the IR sensor detects any color change on paper, the output of the sensor is high. The Arduino detects this projectforanalyzingoftestees'response.Wit hthetechnologicaladvancementsCubitus will surely be have an efficiency of 95-98%. Figure 1 shows the basic block diagram of Cubitus.

Electrically Programmed Controller is used for the software storing purpose. Here program can be store so that for long term, it can be safe and can use for the whole of Cubitus. Specifically, program like operation of motor and comparison of matrices.

For automation purpose, different motors are used like coreless motors for the up liftment of paper. Motors they are specifically used as per requirement like coreless motor is used to lift light weight things and B.O. motor is used to lift comparatively heavyweight.





## **4. FUTURE SCOPE**

The project has great scope of future enhancement and implementation with modifications. different With some modifications, it could be used for several different purposes in future. It will reduce manual work because of the automation processand will improve the accuracy for various paper-based work. More data can be stored precisely for the future aspects as compare with the human memory life and is user friendly, which is its biggest advantage. It can be used with less running cost and have high work range in paper work based fields where objective responses are required.

## **5. CONCLUSION**

By implementing this project we can validates testees' responses.It computes scores & charts true standing of a tested person's skill-set. The electromechanical machine with auto-calibrates its haste with patience and can yield insightful data of over 200 educatees every hour. Infrared Wave-couplers distinguish answers using a color-distinction and digital sample-accumulator algorithm embedded and executed on a computerprogrammed electronic controller, which serially produces instantaneous binary datasetsthataredirectlyacquiredviadesktopo rmobilecomputingdevice,toultimately generate statistical insights that are pointed-out using candidinfo-graphics.

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