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Chapter 17

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Abstract. This paper consists of an in-depth summary and analysis of the research and development state of the art for intelligent tutoring system (ITS) authoring systems. A seven-part categorization of two dozen authoring systems is given, followed by a characterization of the authoring tools and the types of ITSs that are built for each category. An overview of the knowledge acquisition and authoring techniques used in these systems is given. A characterization of the design tradeoffs involved in building an ITS authoring system is given. Next the pragmatic questions of real use, productivity findings, and evaluation are discussed. Finally, I summarize the major unknowns and bottlenecks to having widespread use of ITS authoring tools.

Table 1: ITS Authoring Tools by Category ([brackets] refer to Chapter numbers)

CATEGORY	AUTHORING SYSTEMS
1. Curriculum Sequencing and Planning	Swift/DOCENT, IDE, ISD Expert, Expert CML
2. Tutoring Strategies	REDEEM (& COCA) [8], Eon [11], GTE
3. Simulation-Based Learning	SIMQUEST [1], XAIDA [2], RIDES[3], DIAG [5], Instructional Simulator [7]
4. Domain Expert System	Demonstr8 [4], DIAG [5], D3 Trainer, Training Express
5. Multiple Knowledge Types	XAIDA [2], DNA [6], Instructional Simulator & IDVisualizer [7], ID-Expert, IRIS [9], CREAM-Tools [10], ,
6. Special Purpose	IDLE-Tool/Imap/Indie [12], LAT [14], BioWorld Case Builder, WEAR
7. Intelligent/Adaptive Hypermedia	InterBook [13], MetaLinks, CALAT, GETMAS, TANGOW, ECSAIWeb

Table 2: ITS Authoring Tool Strengths and Limitations by Category

CATEGORY	STRENGTHS	LIMITS	VARIATIONS
Curriculum Sequencing and Planning	Rules, constraints, or strategies for sequencing courses, modules, presentations	Low fidelity from student's perspective; shallow skill representation	Whether sequencing rules are fixed or authorable; scaffolding of the authoring process
Tutoring Strategies	Micro-level tutoring strategies; sophisticated set of instructional primitives; multiple tutoring strategies	(same as above for most systems)	Strategy representation method; source of instructional expertise
Device Simulation and Equipment Training	Authoring and tutoring matched to device component identification, operation, and troubleshooting	Limited instructional strategies; limited student modeling; mostly for procedural skills	Fidelity of the simulation; ease of authoring
Domain Expert System	Runnable (deeper) model of domain expertise; fine grained student diagnosis and modeling; buggy and novice rules included	Building the expert system is difficult; limited to procedural and problem solving expertise; limited instructional strategies	Cognitive vs. performance models of expertise
Multiple Knowledge Types	Differential pre-defined knowl. representation and instructional methods for facts, concepts, and procedures, etc.	Limited to relatively simple fact, concepts, and procedures; pre-defined tutoring strategies	Inclusion of intelligent curriculum sequencing; types of knowledge/tasks supported
Special Purpose	Template-based systems provide strong authoring guidance; fixed design or pedagogical principles can be enforced	Each tool limited to a specific type of tutor; inflexibility of representation and pedagogy	Degree of flexibility
Intelligent/ Adaptive Hypermedia	WWW has accessibility & UI uniformity; adaptive selection and annotation of hyperlinks	Limited interactivity; limited student model bandwidth	Macro vs. micro level focus; degree of interactivity

Table 3: Degree of use of ITS authoring tools

1. Early prototypes and proofs of concept	Demonstr8, Expert-CML, IRIS, Training Express, BioWorld Case Builder, WEAR
2. Evaluated or used prototypes	DNA, Eon, IDLE-Tool, LAT, GTE, MetaLinks, ISD-Expert
3. Moderately evaluated or used	Electronic Trainer, REDEEM, XAIDA, D3 Trainer, DIAG, CREAM-Tools, Interbook, Swift
4. Heavily used (relatively)	RIDES, SIMQUEST, IDE ¹ , CALAT

Table: Knowledge acquisition methods:

<p>Scaffolding knowledge articulation with models Embedded knowledge and default knowledge Knowledge management Knowledge visualization Knowledge elicitation and work flow management Knowledge and design validation Knowledge re-use Automated knowledge creation</p>

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¹ Though IDE was one of the most heavily used systems, it was also one of the earliest. IDE is now a "legacy system," since it runs on obsolete software (NoteCards) and does not incorporate multimedia capabilities that are now de rigueur.

APPENDIX

Below is a table of the ITS authoring tools discussed in this paper, with selected references for each.

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