

# NNPC PROOFREADING EXERCISE (MARCH 21 2023)



## **A VERY BRIEF HISTORY OF THE COMPUTER MOUSE**

The computer mouse was first developed in the 1960s by Douglas Engelbert at the Stanford Research Institute. The original mouse was made of wood and had two metal wheels. In 1983, Apple released the Liza, which was the first computer to come with a mouse as a standard input device. Since then, the mouse has become an essential tool for navigating the graphical user interfaces of modern operating systems.



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## THE ERRORS ARE:

1. "Douglas Engelbart" is misspelled as "Douglass Engelbert."\*
2. "Stanford Research Institute" is misspelled as "Stanford Research Insitute."
3. "Lisa" is misspelled as "Liza."\*
4. "input device" is misspelled as "imput device."
5. "operating systems" is misspelled as "opperating systems."

\*Okay, these are tricky (and a little bit mean) but they demonstrate the importance of researching name spellings.

