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Words

技术 技術
jìshù technology / technique / skill

> 他的技术是公认的。
> Tā de jìshù shì gōngrèn de.
> Everyone recognized his skill.

科技
kējì science and technology

> 现在的科技发展得真快!
> Xiànzài de kējì fāzhǎn de zhēn kuài!
> Science and technology are developing so fast these days!

扫码 掃碼
sǎomǎ to scan a QR code or barcode

> 请扫码付钱，谢谢。
> Qǐng sǎomǎ fùqián, xièxie.
> Please scan the code to pay, thank you.

密码 密碼
mìmǎ cipher / secret code / password / PIN

> 你知道密码吗?
> Nǐ zhīdào mìmǎ ma?
> Do you know the password?

数字 數字
shùzì numeral / digit / number / figure / amount / digital (electronics etc)

> 那些数字是什么?
> Nèixiē shùzì shì shénme?
> What are those numbers?

电动车 電動車
diàndòngchē electric vehicle (commonly refers to e-bikes, scooters or electric cars)

> 政府补贴买电动车的人。
> Zhèngfǔ bǔtiē mǎi diàndòngchē de rén.
> The government subsidizes people who buy electric vehicles.

信号 信號
xìnhào signal

> 我手机没信号。
> Wǒ shǒujī méi xìnhào.
> My cell phone doesn't have any reception.

说明书 說明書
shuōmíngshū manual / directions / synopsis (of a play or film) / specification (patent)

> 吃药前，请先看药的说明书。
> Chīyào qián, qǐng xiān kàn yào de shuōmíngshū.
> Before taking the medicine, please read the directions first.

打印机 打印機
dǎyìnjī printer

> 你有打印机吗?
> Nǐ yǒu dǎyìnjī ma?
> Do you have a printer?

机器人 機器人
jīqìrén robot / android

> 他造了一个机器人。
> Tā zàole yí gè jīqìrén.
> He made a robot.

无人机 無人機
wúrénjī drone / unmanned aerial vehicle

二维码 二維碼
èrwéimǎ 2D barcode / matrix code / QR code

> 这个二维码说什么?
> Zhège èrwéimǎ shuō shénme?
> What does the QR code say?

智能
zhìnéng intelligent / able / smart (phone, system, bomb etc)

> 我家的灯是智能的。
> Wǒ jiā de dēng shì zhìnéng de.
> The lights in my home are smart.

充电 充電
chōngdiàn to recharge (a battery) / to recharge one's batteries (through leisure) / to update one's skills and knowledge

> 我得给它充电。
> Wǒ děi gěi tā chōngdiàn.
> I need to charge it.

电池 電池
diànchí battery / electric cell

> 他回收电池。
> Tā huíshōu diànchí.
> He recycled batteries.

屏幕
píngmù screen (TV, computer or movie)

> 只是在屏幕上闪了一下。
> Zhǐshì zài píngmù shàng shǎnle yíxià.
> It's just a blip on a screen.

功能
gōngnéng function / capability

> 请在手机上开启定位功能。
> Qǐng zài shǒujī shàng kāiqǐ dìngwèi gōngnéng.
> Please enable the location feature on your phone.

软件 軟件
ruǎnjiàn software

> 电脑里的软件需要更新了。
> Diànnǎo lǐ de ruǎnjiàn xūyào gēngxīn le.
> The software on the computer needs updating.

发明 發明
fāmíng to invent / an invention / to elucidate / to develop with insight

> 爱不过是发明。
> Ài búguò shì fāmíng.
> Love is only an invention.

产品 產品
chǎnpǐn goods / merchandise / product

> 本产品产自中国。
> Běn chǎnpǐn chǎn zì Zhōngguó.
> This product was made in China.

网络 網絡
wǎngluò network / Internet

> 我讨厌网络。
> Wǒ tǎoyàn wǎngluò.
> I hate the internet.

智能手机 智能手機
zhìnéngshǒujī smartphone

> 这部智能手机多少钱?
> Zhè bù zhìnéngshǒujī duōshǎo qián?
> How much is this smartphone?

直播
zhíbō to broadcast live / live broadcast / to livestream / direct seeding

> 她每晚都在家直播做饭。
> Tā měiwǎn dōu zàijiā zhíbō zuòfàn.
> She livestreams herself cooking at home every night.

研制 研製
yánzhì to research and manufacture / to research and to develop

> 科学家们在研制新电池。
> Kēxuéjiāmen zài yánzhì xīn diànchí.
> The scientists are developing a new kind of battery.

开发 開發
kāifā to exploit (a resource) / to open up (for development) / to develop

> 政府打算开发这片山区。
> Zhèngfǔ dǎsuàn kāifā zhè piàn shānqū.
> The government plans to develop this mountain area.

应用 應用
yìngyòng to put to use / to apply / practical / applied (science, linguistics etc) / application / practical use / app

> 有它的应用吗?
> Yǒu tā de yìngyòng ma?
> Is there an app for that?

先进 先進
xiānjìn sophisticated / advanced (technology etc) / meritorious / exemplary (deeds etc)

> 他家的电器都很先进。
> Tā jiā de diànqì dōu hěn xiānjìn.
> All the appliances in his home are very advanced.

操作
cāozuò to work / to operate / to manipulate

> 她不会操作这台机器。
> Tā búhuì cāozuò zhè tái jīqì.
> She cannot work this machine.

设备 設備
shèbèi equipment / facilities / installations

> 这是台旧设备。
> Zhè shì tái jiù shèbèi.
> This is an old device.

系统 系統
xìtǒng system

> 请更新系统。
> Qǐng gēngxīn xìtǒng.
> Update your system.

更新
gēngxīn to upgrade / to update / to replace the old with new / to renew / to renovate / to regenerate

> 我等待更新。
> Wǒ děngdài gēngxīn.
> I await updates.

升级 升級
shēngjí to go up by one grade / to be promoted / to escalate (in intensity) / to upgrade

> 两国的矛盾又升级了。
> Liǎng guó de máodùn yòu shēngjíle.
> The conflict between the two countries has escalated again.

高科技
gāokējì high tech / high technology

> 现在的手机都是高科技。
> Xiànzài de shǒujī dōu shì gāokējì.
> Today's phones are all high-tech.

创新 創新
chuàngxīn to bring forth new ideas / to blaze new trails / innovation

> 老师说，教育也需要创新。
> Lǎoshī shuō, jiàoyù yě xūyào chuàngxīn.
> The teacher said education needs innovation too.

电器 電器
diànqì appliance / device

> 远离电器设备。
> Yuǎnlí diànqì shèbèi.
> Keep away from the electrical equipment.

家电 家電
jiādiàn household electric appliance

> 新房子里还缺少一些家电。
> Xīn fángzi lǐ hái quēshǎo yìxiē jiādiàn.
> The new house still lacks some household appliances.

机器 機器
jīqì machine

> 机器发了很多电。
> Jīqì fāle hěn duō diàn.
> The machine generated large amounts of electricity.

安装 安裝
ānzhuāng to install / to erect / to fix / to mount / installation

> 我想安装一台电话。
> Wǒ xiǎng ānzhuāng yì tái diànhuà.
> I want to have a telephone installed.

电动 電動
diàndòng electric-powered / video game

> 我买了辆电动汽车。
> Wǒ mǎile liàng diàndòng qìchē.
> I bought an electric car.

鼠标 鼠標
shǔbiāo mouse

> 请帮我拿一下鼠标。
> Qǐng bāng wǒ ná yíxià shǔbiāo.
> Please help me get the mouse.

充电宝 充電寶
chōngdiànbǎo power bank / portable charger

> 充电宝能带上飞机吗?
> Chōngdiànbǎo néng dàishàng fēijī ma?
> Can I take a power bank on the plane?

数据线 數據線
shùjùxiàn data cable

> 新买的数据线太短了。
> Xīn mǎi de shùjùxiàn tài duǎnle.
> The data cable I just bought is too short.

人工智能
réngōngzhìnéng artificial intelligence (AI)

> 我儿子在大学学人工智能。
> Wǒ érzi zài dàxué xué réngōngzhìnéng.
> My son is studying artificial intelligence at university.

便捷
biànjié convenient and fast

> 这个城市的地铁很便捷。
> Zhège chéngshì de dìtiě hěn biànjié.
> This city's subway is very convenient.

性能
xìngnéng function / performance / behavior

> 这辆车的性能非常好。
> Zhè liàng chē de xìngnéng fēicháng hǎo.
> This car performs very well.

平板电脑 平板電腦
píngbǎndiànnǎo tablet computer

自动化 自動化
zìdònghuà to automate

> 我想把家里的灯自动化。
> Wǒ xiǎng bǎ jiālǐ de dēng zìdònghuà.
> I want to automate the lights in my home.

新能源
xīnnéngyuán new energy / alternative energy (energy from nontraditional sources, such as solar, wind, nuclear and hydrogen energy)

> 我打算买一辆新能源汽车。
> Wǒ dǎsuàn mǎi yí liàng xīnnéngyuán qìchē.
> I plan to buy a new energy vehicle.

高新技术 高新技術
gāoxīnjìshù high tech / high technology

> 高新技术让生活更方便。
> Gāoxīnjìshù ràng shēnghuó gèng fāngbiàn.
> High technology makes life more convenient.

多媒体 多媒體
duōméitǐ multimedia

> 教室里有一台多媒体设备。
> Jiàoshì lǐ yǒu yì tái duōméitǐ shèbèi.
> There is a piece of multimedia equipment in the classroom.