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Exploring Computer Science #22

Crash Course #10

Early Programming

1. How do programs get into a computer's memory?
2. What industry had the first programmable equipment?
3. Punched cards were a cheap, reliable, and human readable way to store what?
4. How were plug boards used on the first programmable computers?
5. What new feature did Stored Program Computers add to improve computer programming?
6. What was the first method for loading a program into a computer's memory?
7. What was panel programming?
8. Why did even professional engineers and scientists struggle to use computers to their full potential?