

Using Computer Simulations for Experiments

on Alternating Current.

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Research Background

Problems

- 1. The physics equipment **not enough**.
 - 2. The experimental is dangerous.



Research Background

To solve a problem



1. Buy a new physics equipment.



2. Changes: subject, curriculum. director.





3. Change: Me

Research Background

Solve a problem by simulation.

Problems and tasks for physics teaching in alternating current which cannot be done by equipment.

Create simulation by MS EXCEL



Objectives

- 1. Develop physics simulation.
 - 2. Study the achievement
 - 3. Study the attitudes.



Conceptual Framework

Ind Var Learning by computer simulation

experiments on AC.

Dep Var Achievement on AC

Outcomes Students learn the new process

in new ways.

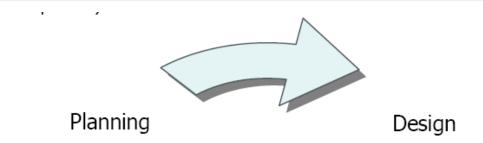
Software simulation experiments on AC

1.Participants

- Grade-12 students at Secondary Satuek
 Secondary School .
 - 2. There were 45 students.
 - Purposive sampling technique.



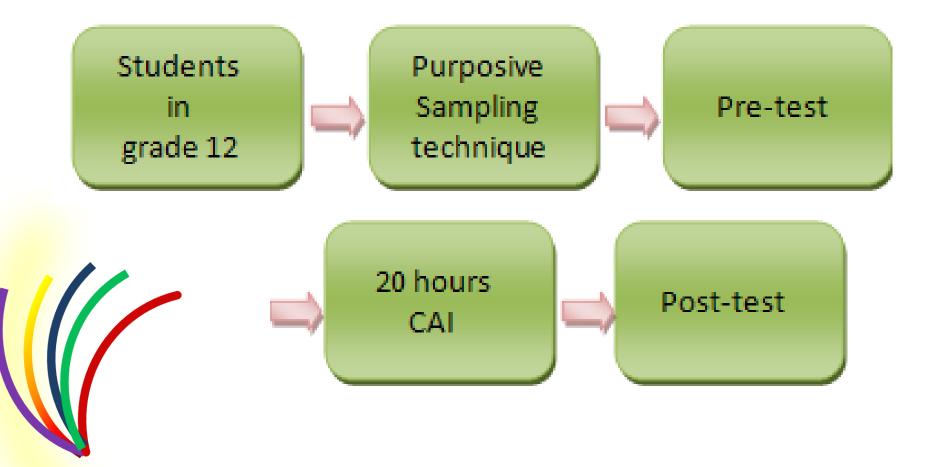
2.Design and Development







3.Study design.



4. Data collection.

Pre/Post-test scores on the alternating current were the major dependent variable in this validation.



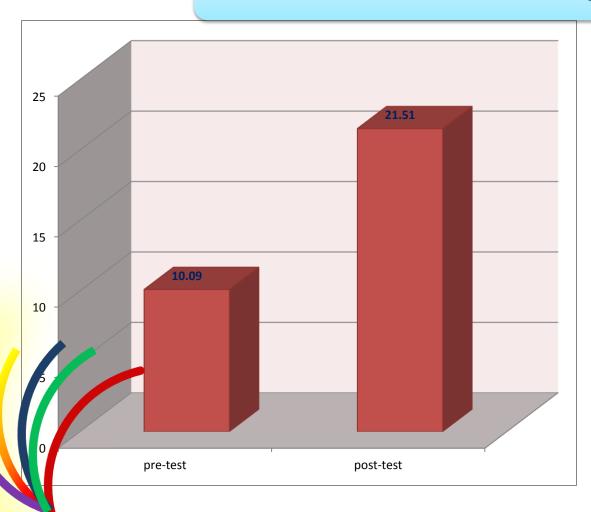
5. Data analysis.

- Descriptive statistics
- The class normalized gain (g)



Results.

1. Descriptive statistics.



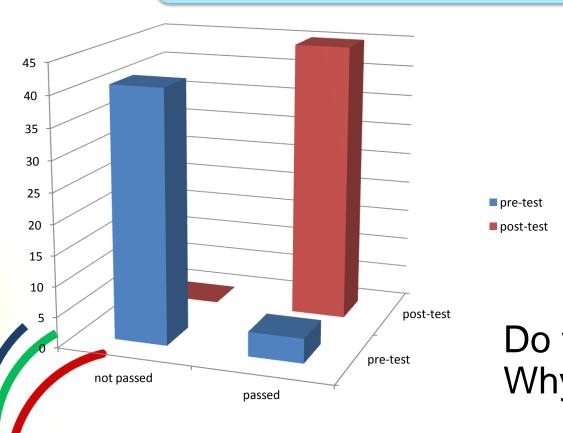
Demographic data presented as Mean±SD

Pre-test = 10.01 ± 3.01

Post-test = 21.51 ± 3.30

Results.

1. Descriptive statistics.



4(8%) students passed pre-test

45(100%) students passed post-test

Do you know? Why are they passed?

Result.

2.The class normalized gain (g).

$$g = \frac{\left(post - testaverage(\%) - pre - testaverage(\%)\right)}{\left(100 - pre - testaverage(\%)\right)}$$

$$g=0.57$$
 Was medium



Result.

3. Student's attitudes

The attitudes score was 4.01 ± 0.25 .

The student's attitudes toward to used of computer simulation was highly positive.



1.Simulation.

Simulations offer very important tools used in research and techniques for understanding real physical laws and phenomena.



2.Successfully.

The computer simulations for experimental on AC is a useful and effective aid for teaching AC principles to students. The students enjoyed the learning process.



3. Curriculum integration





successfully

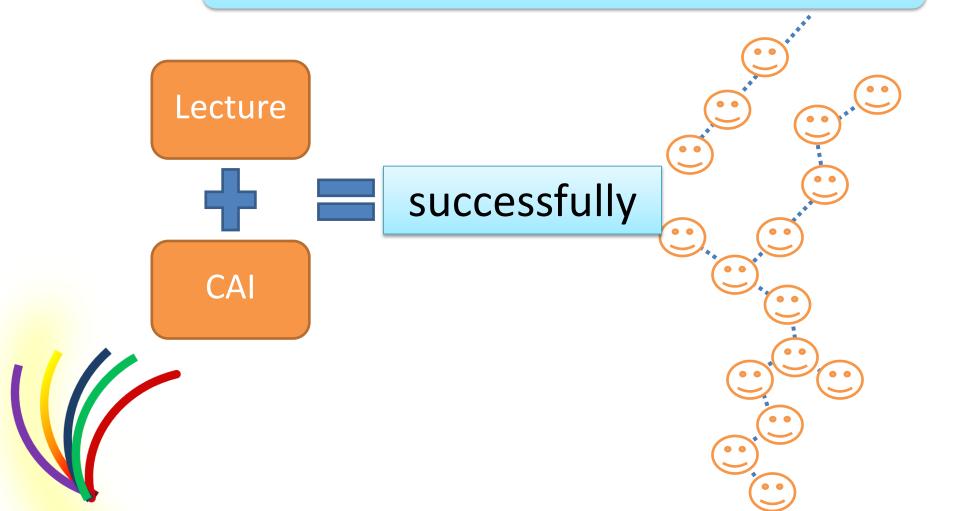




successfully



3. Curriculum integration



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Many Thanks Ministry of Education Office of Education Council