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The present invention relates to an Efficient Obstacle Detection and Avoidance System for Autonomous Robots using advanced intelligent techniques integrated with LiDAR technology. The system employs a Hybrid Capsule Network (CapsNet-CNN) in conjunction with the Elephant Search Algorithm (ESA) for real-time obstacle detection, classification, and dynamic path optimization. The LiDAR sensor captures environmental data, which is preprocessed to extract relevant features, such as obstacle distance and position. These features are passed through the CapsNet-CNN for accurate obstacle classification and spatial relationship understanding. The Elephant Search Algorithm is then utilized to optimize the robot's path, ensuring efficient navigation by avoiding detected obstacles and minimizing energy consumption. The hybrid approach of CapsNet-CNN and ESA allows for enhanced decision-making, real-time adaptation, and precise navigation in complex environments. This invention improves the autonomous robot's ability to operate safely and efficiently, making it suitable for a wide range of applications, including mobile robotics, warehouse automation, and autonomous vehicles.

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