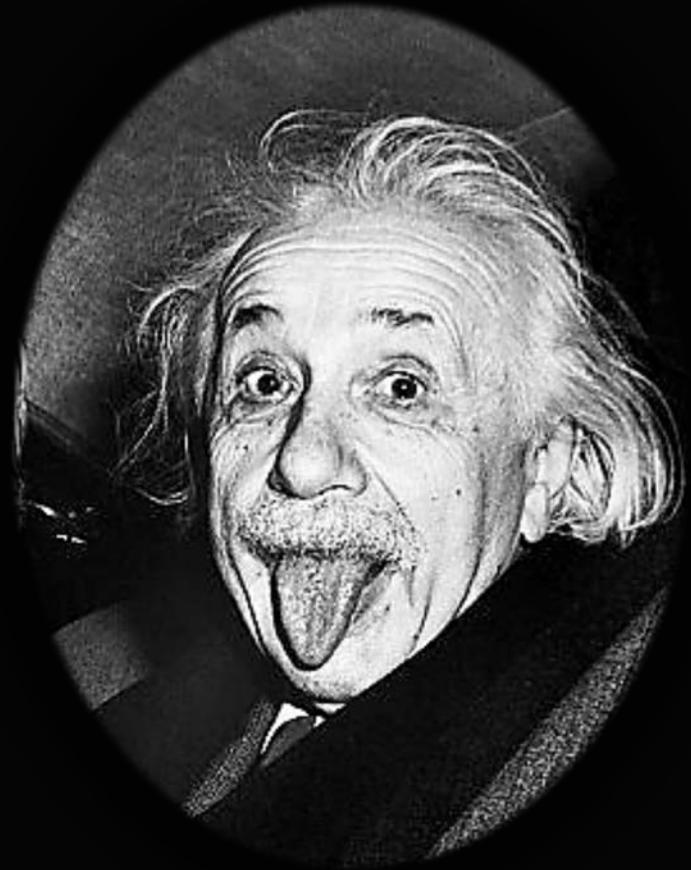


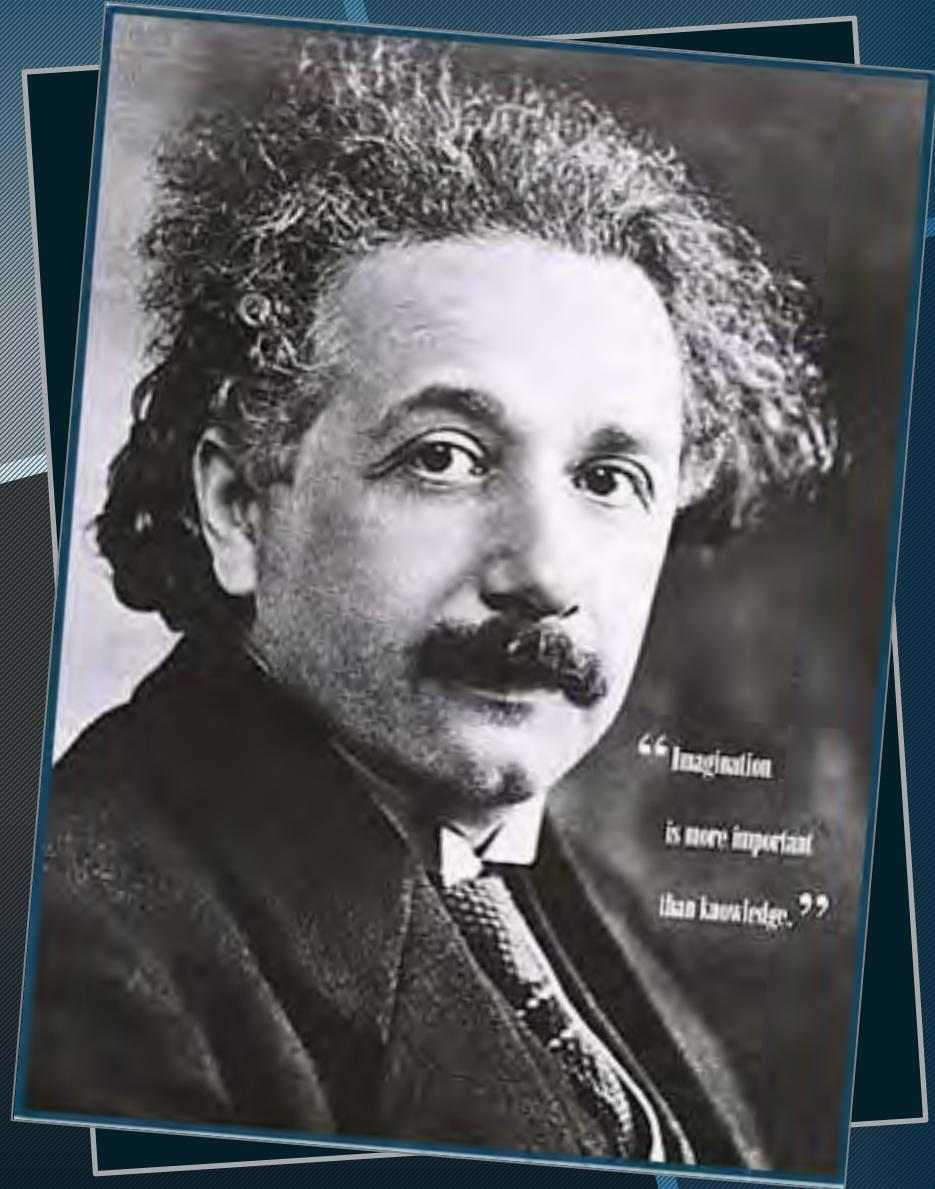
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Imagination
is more important
than knowledge

-Albert Einstein



Albert Einstein



$E=mc^2$

$$I_1 = (I_2 P)^x$$

I₁ = INNOVATION

I₂ = IMAGINATION

P = PEOPLE

IMAGINATION:

The ability to see what
is already there!

“Imagination is more important than knowledge” *Albert Einstein*

Imagine yourself on the tip of an arrow going faster than the speed of light; Einstein did and came up with the theory of relativity.

Pretend you are the Customer.
Pretend you are the “Product.”

CONVENTIONAL
WISDOM

USUALLY IS
 NOT



**Creativity always dies
a quick death in rooms
that house conference
tables.**



Number One Creativity Killer: “You can’t do that.”

Number One Creativity Catalyst and Motivator: “Being told you can’t do that.” Wanna bet? Get out of the way.

WE ARE MOST CREATIVE WHEN WE ARE MOST CONSTRAINED.





“There is a way...Find it”

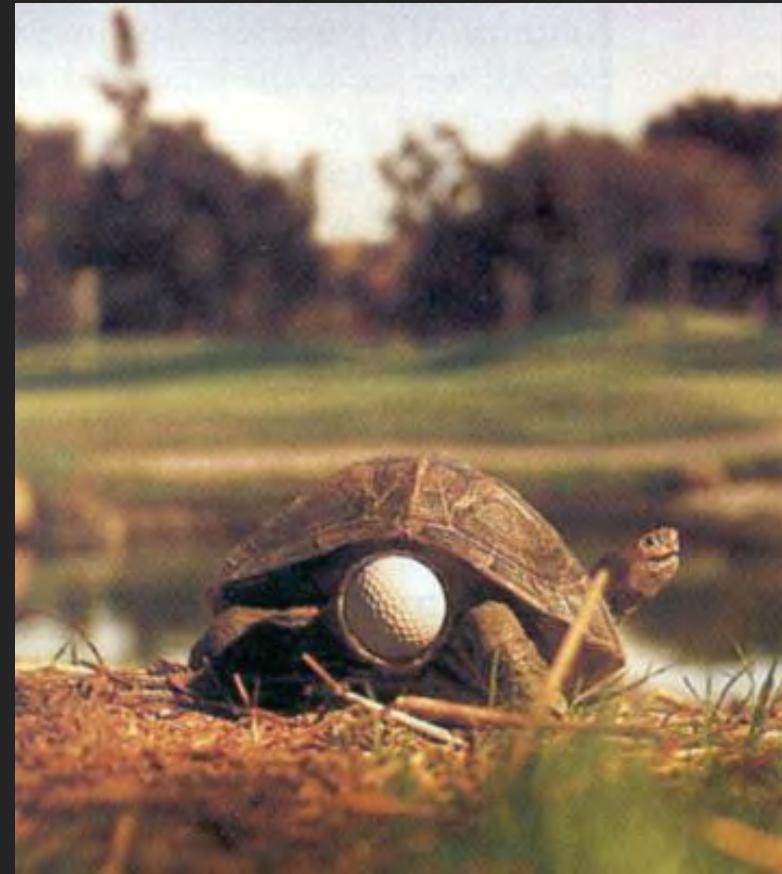
Thomas Edison

Find the Customer's PAIN

Ask Questions and Really Listen

The Pain May Not Be Obvious,
Search For It

Do What No One Else Wants To
Do





Tracking Results?

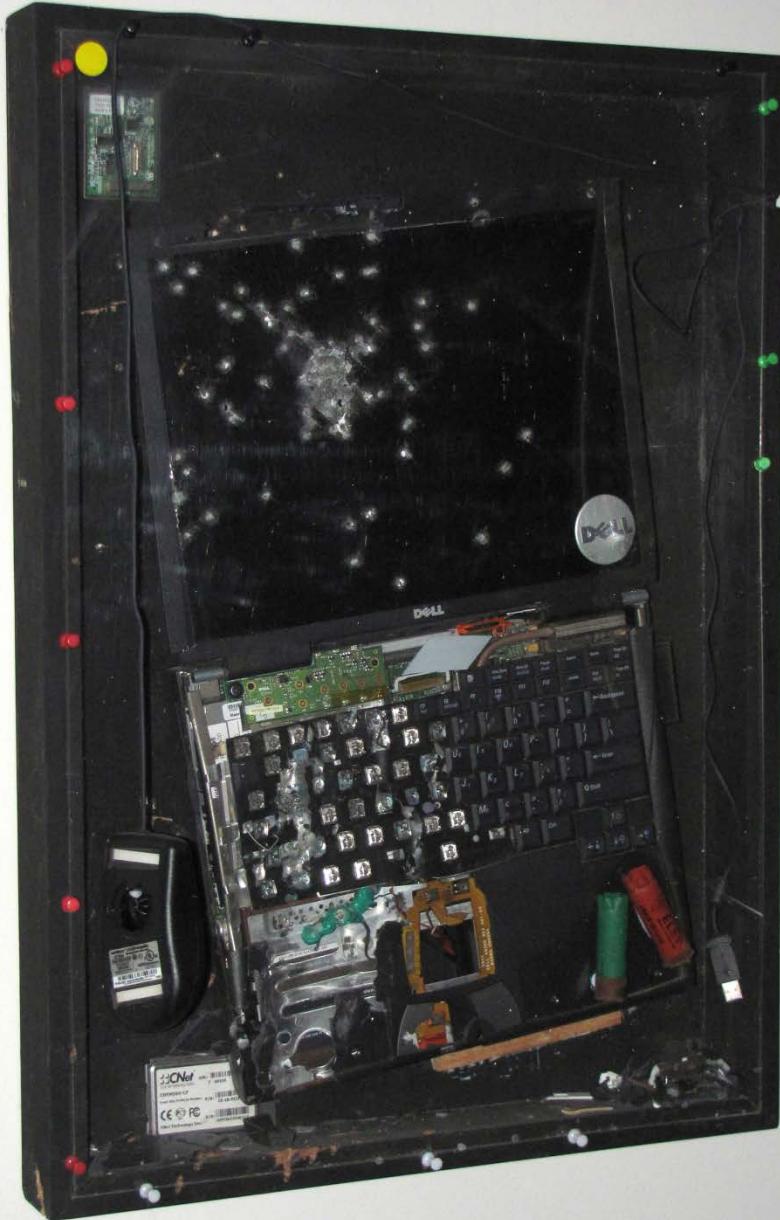
**IF YOU ONLY
FOCUS ON THE PROBLEM**



**YOU MIGHT
MISS THE EASY SOLUTION**







LAYERS OF COMPLEXITY

Breaking Through the Layers of Complexity

Managing Complexity

Imagining Complexity

When you are green, you are
growing.....

When you are not you rot.

If it is working keep doing it.
If it's not working stop doing it.

Literally...Put on a Different Hat

The 2 x 4 Between the Eyes

Upside Down, Sideways,
Backwards and Reversed

Same Word – Different Meaning
Same Picture – Different Meaning

Does form follow function?

If so, why?

Why can't function follow form?

**What do you want your product or service
to look like?**

Define then build?

CONVENTIONAL WISDOM USUALLY ISN'T!

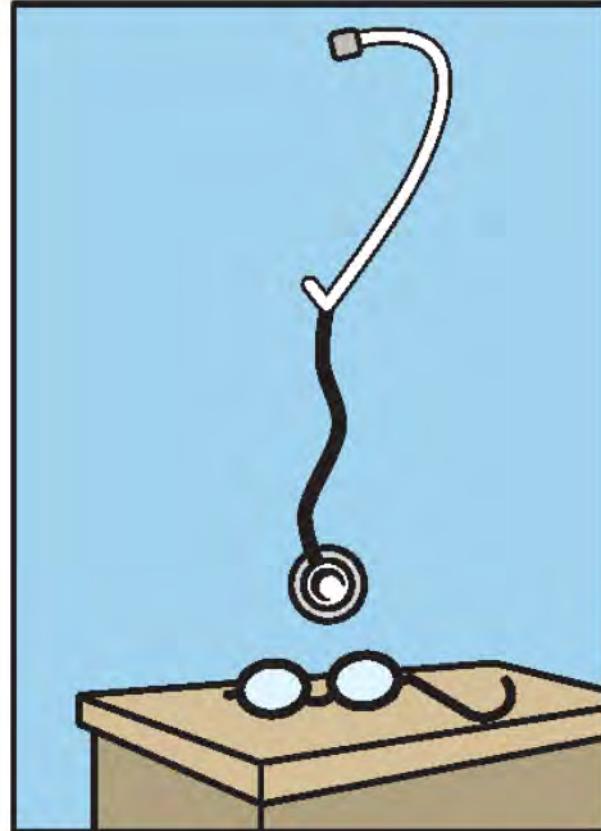




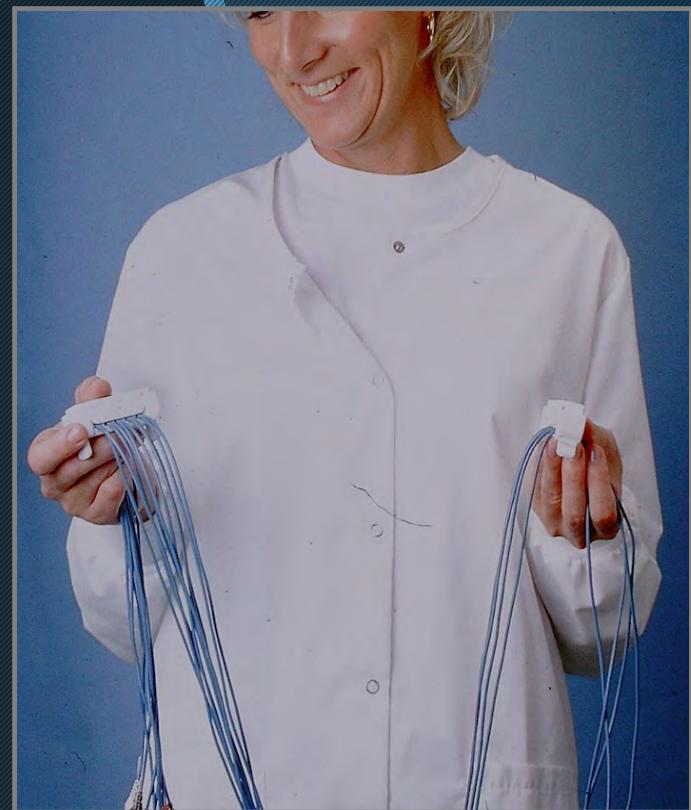
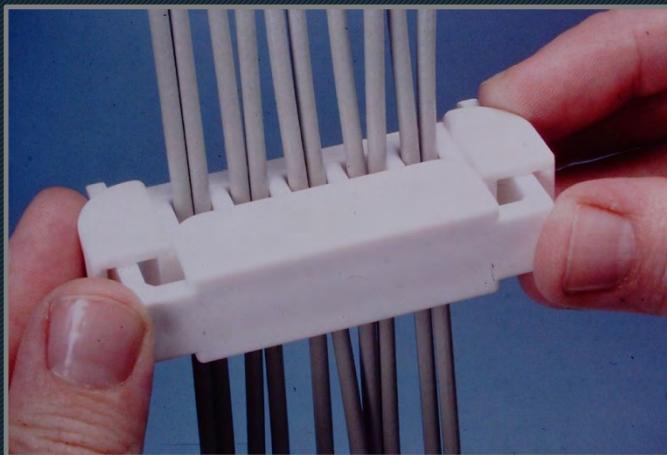
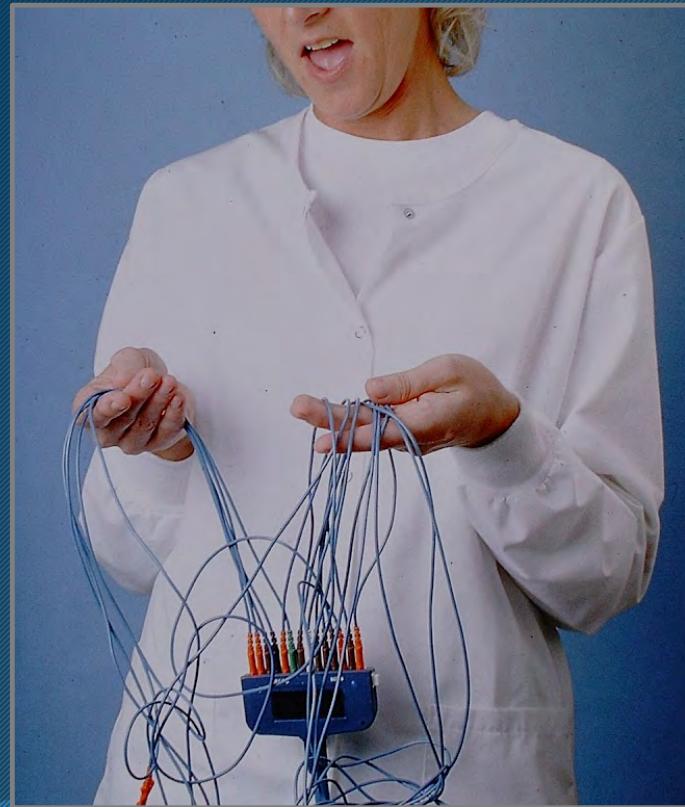


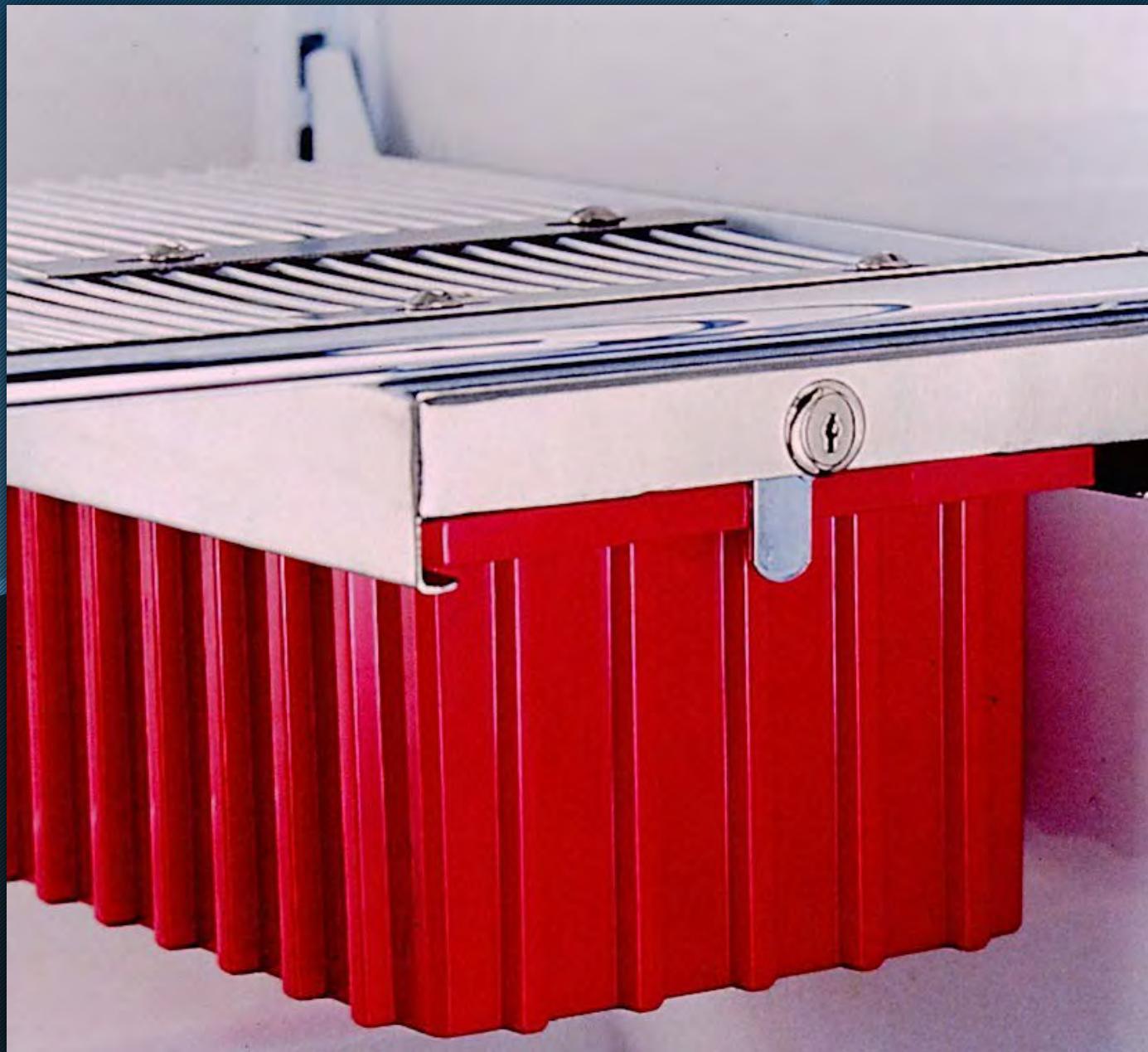


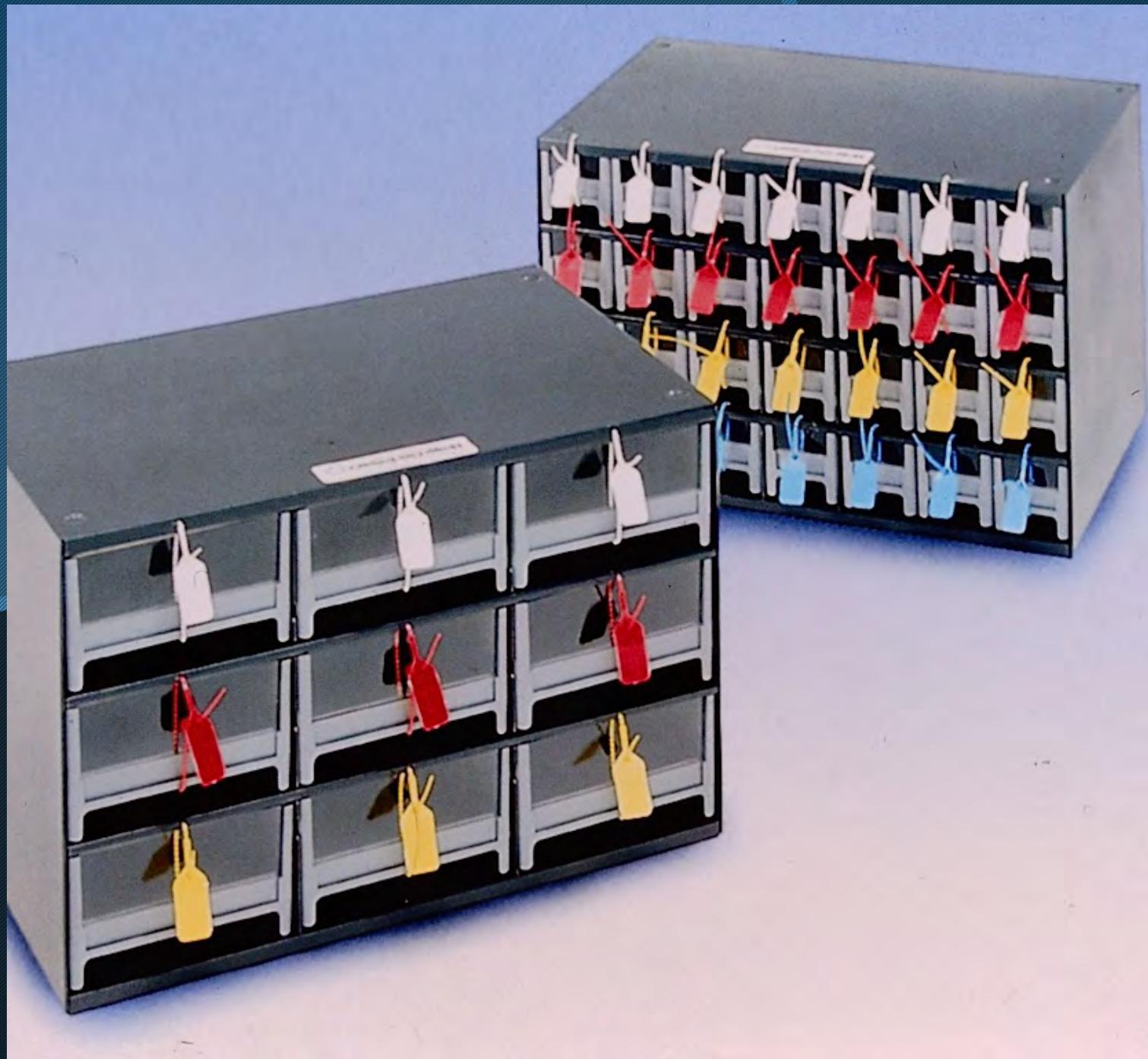


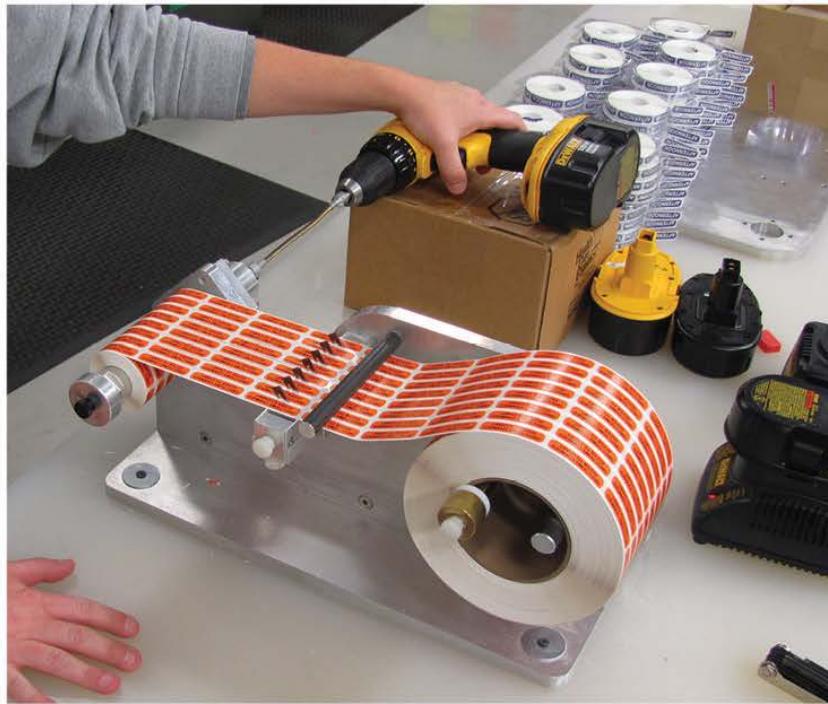


Van Gogh's Stethoscope









- Fail Fast, Fail Cheap.
- Failure is always an option, don't be afraid, TRY!
- The year Babe Ruth set the home run record, he also set the strike out record.
- You have to swing at the ball to hit it.

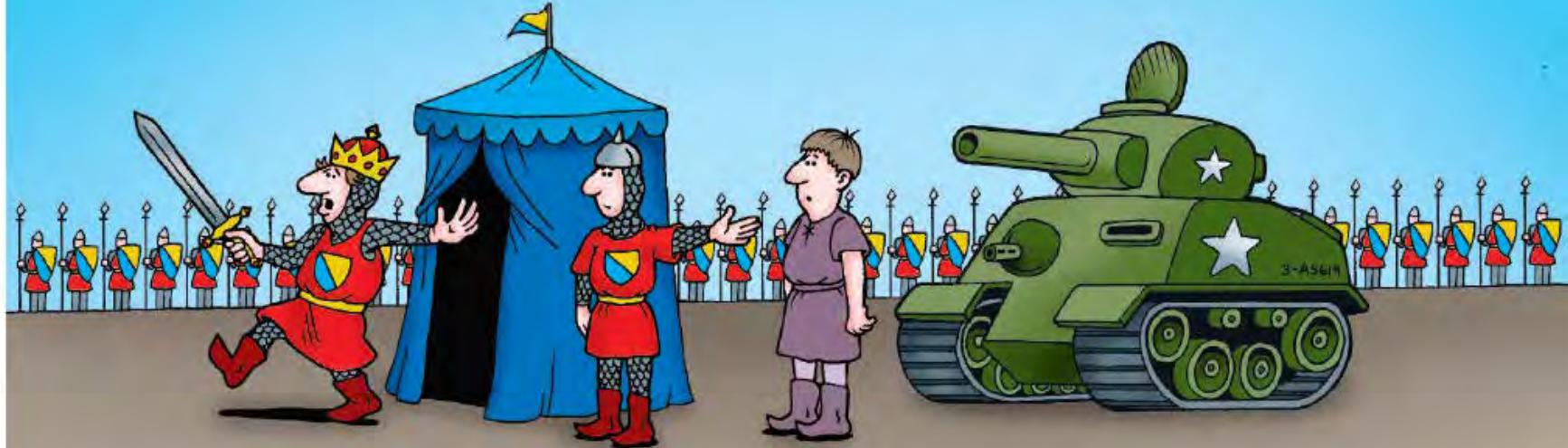


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Disposable Supply Cabinet





"I don't have time to see any crazy salesman;
I have a battle to fight."

The future is not what it use to be.

Seize the opportunities of time,
space and matter and you will create
the new economy....

If you don't keep up, you'll never
catch up.

Stan Davis from his book Future Perfect

“If you think that you can or
cannot do something, you are
right” *Henry Ford*

Find the “weird” part of your brain
and develop it.

“Never, never, never, never, never,
never give up” ... this was an entire
speech by Winston Churchill.

Kick Starting the Imagination & Finding Connections for Inspiration & Creativity



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Trade Journals



Travel



Museums



Scotch

Get a safe area where to work on relationship.
You can get there quicker if you use the mail. Not E-mail - regular old put-a-stamp-on-it mail mail.
If you can't be there in person, send a letter.
And if you have trouble finding

Unstructured Thinking and Hand Written Notes



Arts and Crafts Shows



Walking Through Retail Stores & “Observing”



Bull Sessions



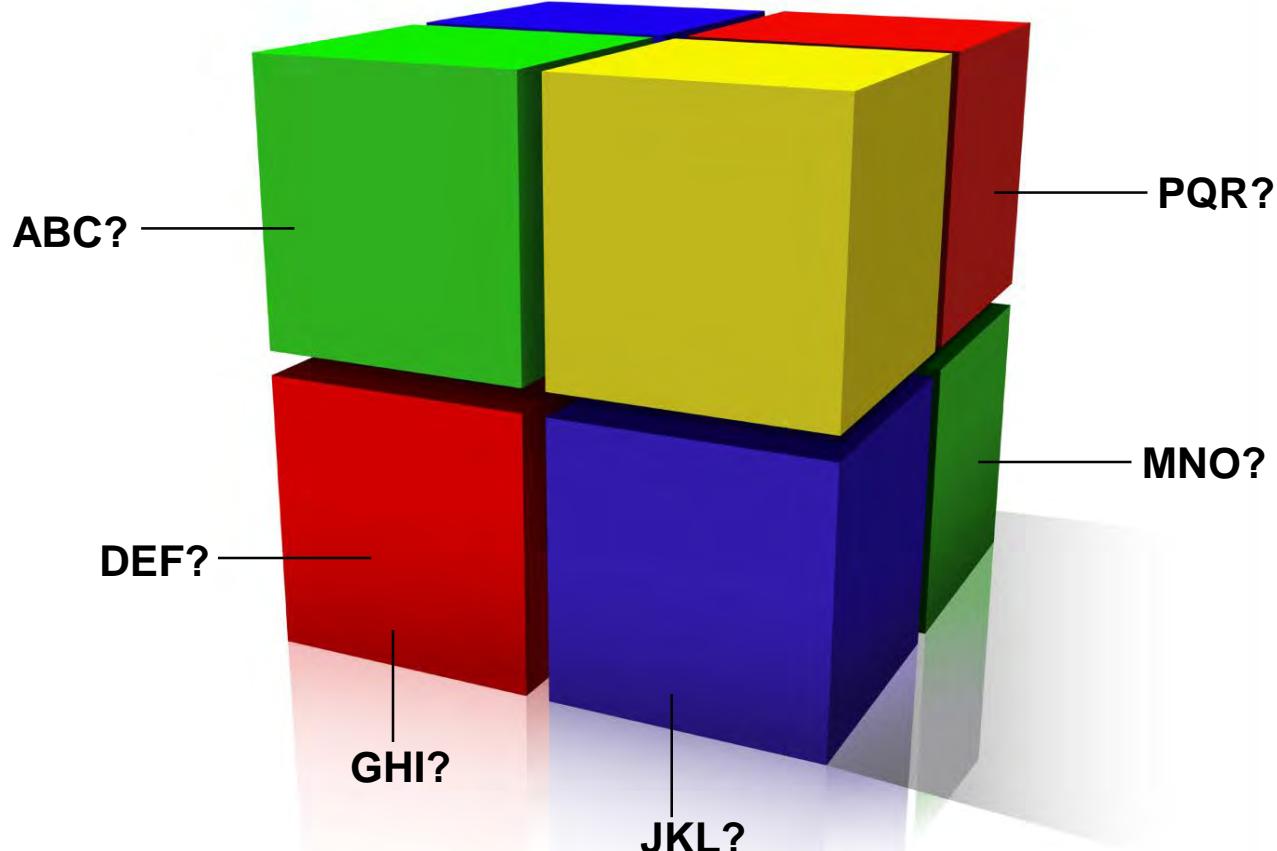
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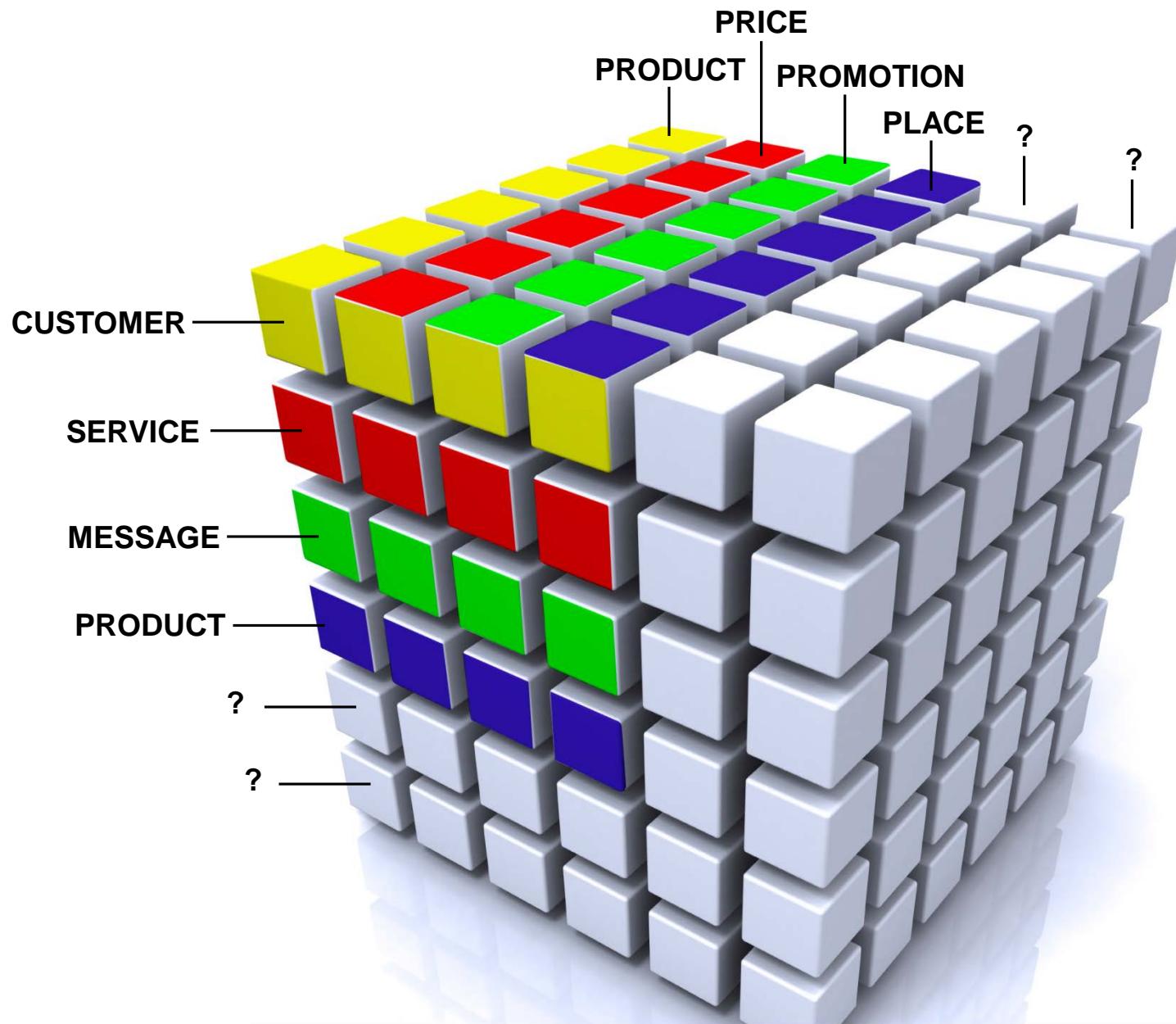
Cigars

Also, all kinds of information and ideas are hidden in books

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