



# INNOVATION & IDEATION

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# AGENDA

- » 12.30-13.30 Exposition of anomalies
- » 13.30-13.45 Break
- » 13.45-14.45 Lecture on innovation and ideation
- » 14.45 Groupwork

# PHASE 3 IN THE ME2-MODEL



# DIFFERENT LEVELS OF INNOVATION

## RADICAL INNOVATION

Major developments which will cause changes in the society, lifestyle or habits. Will often be followed by several incremental innovations



## INCREMENTAL INNOVATION

Incremental innovation: Smaller developments, where you typically transfer a technology or process to a new market or use the same technology or process in a new way



# MAYBE MORE OF A CONTINUUM



RADICAL

INCREMENTAL

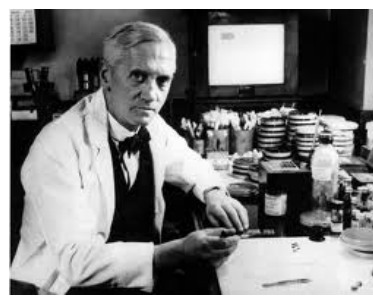
# PRODUCT, SERVICE, PROCESS = SYSTEM

- » Component knowledge: Knowledge about each of the components
- » System knowledge: How the components are linked together

# HENDERSON & CLARK'S MATRIX

	Components	
	Reinforced	Overtured
System    Unchanged Changed	<b>Incremental innovation</b>	<b>Modular innovation</b>
	<b>Architectual innovation</b>	<b>Radical innovation</b>

# RADICAL INNOVATION





# ARCHITECTURAL INNOVATION

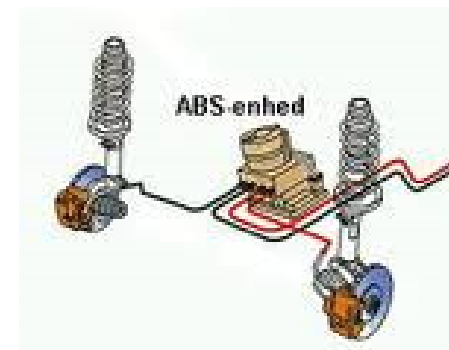
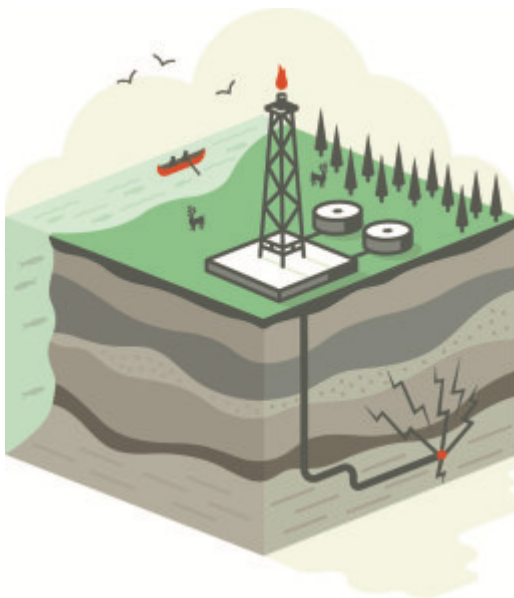


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# MODULAR INNOVATION

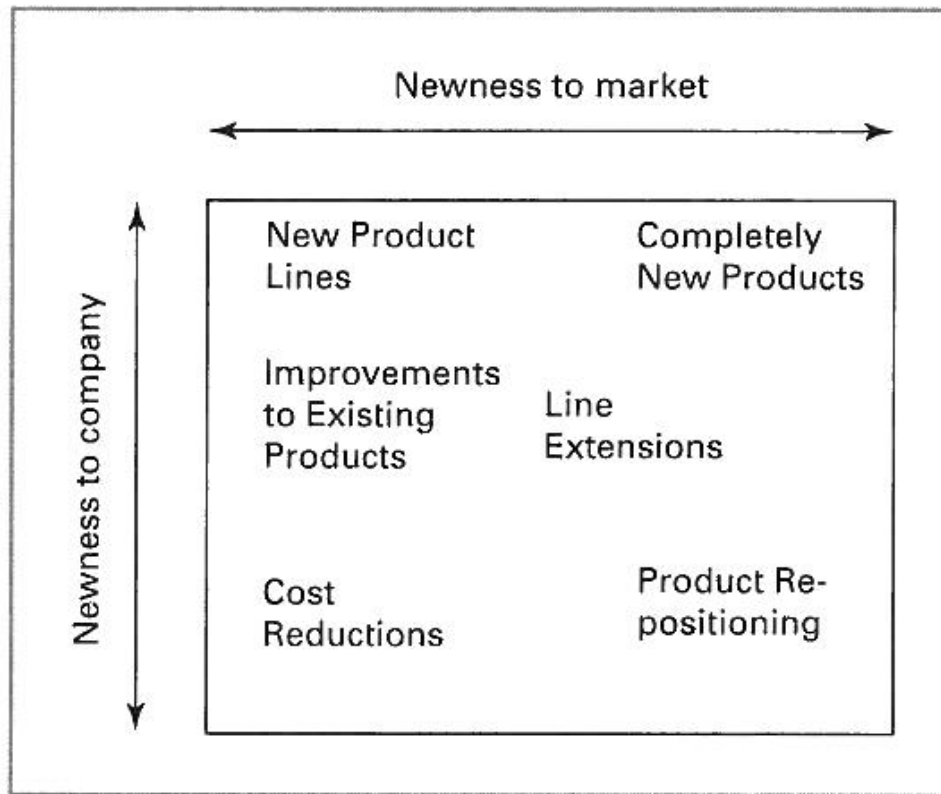
## Waterless Fracking



# INCREMENTAL INNOVATION



# NEW TO THE MARKET OR THE COMPAN

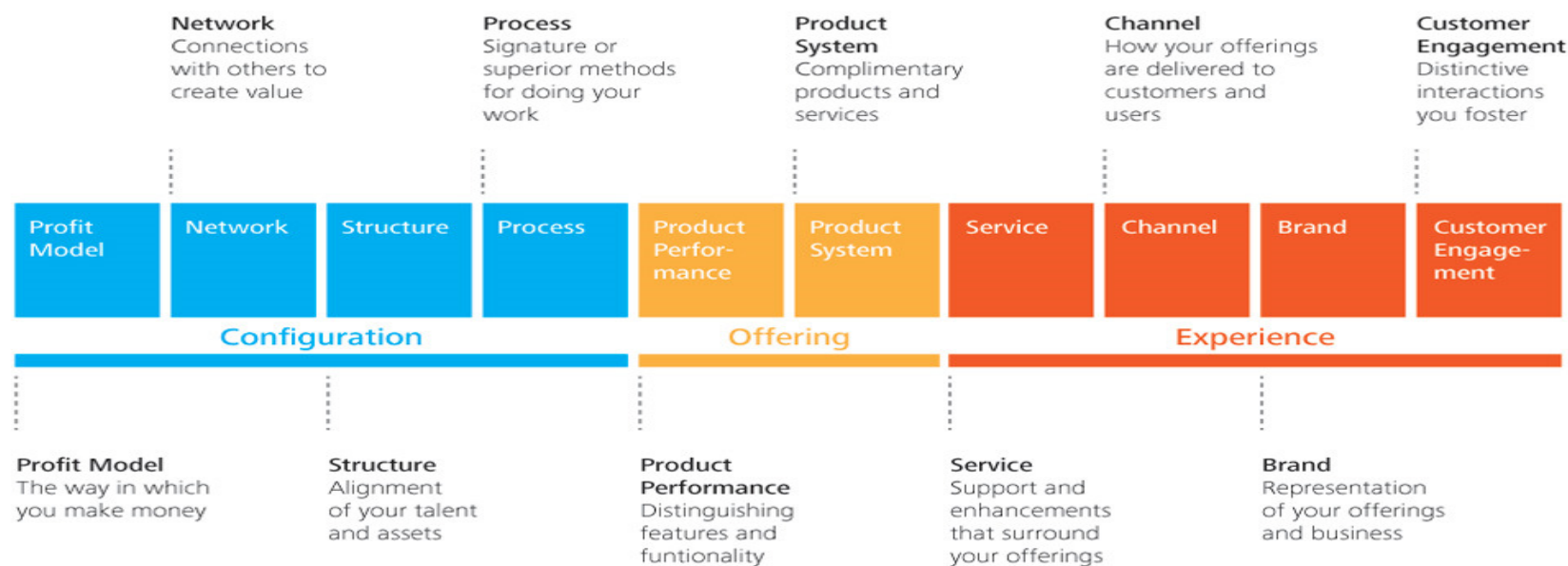


**FIGURE 1.2** Degrees of innovation

*Source:* Adapted from Cooper (2001)

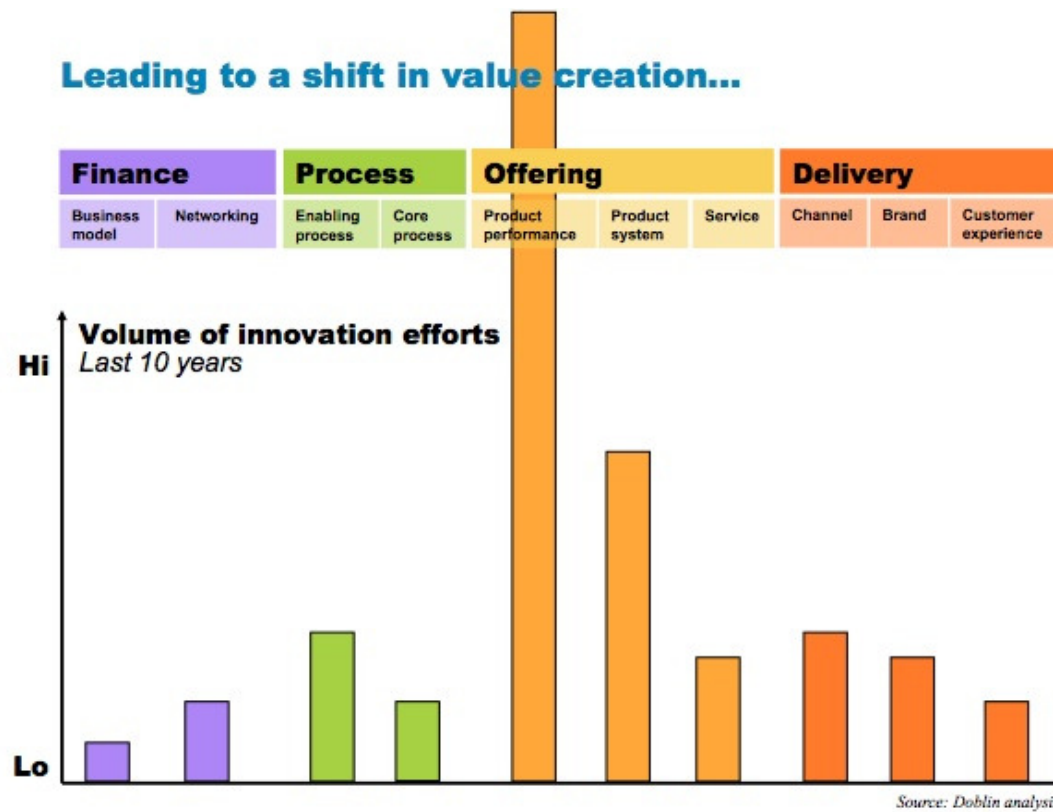
# KEELEY (2013)'S 10 TYPES OF INNOVATION

**Figure 1. The Ten Types of Innovation®**



Source: *The Ten Types of Innovation* [Doblin]  
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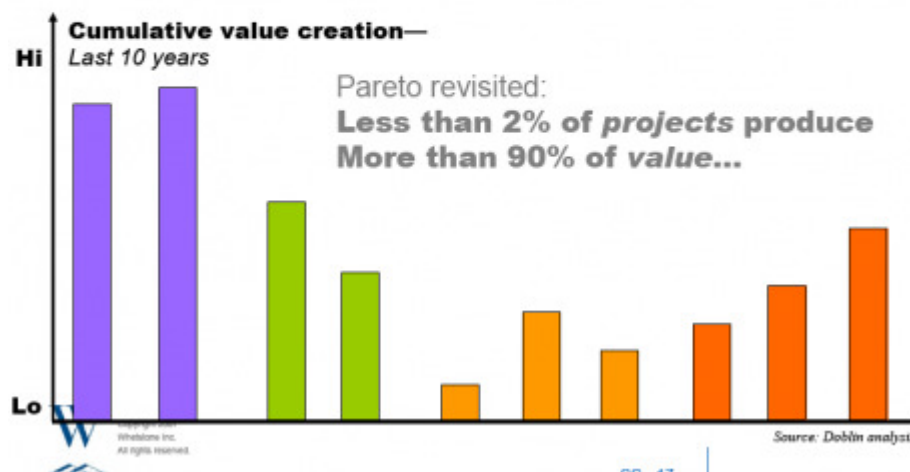
# THIS IS WHERE THE RESOURCES ARE SPENT



# THIS IS WHERE THE VALUE IS CREATED

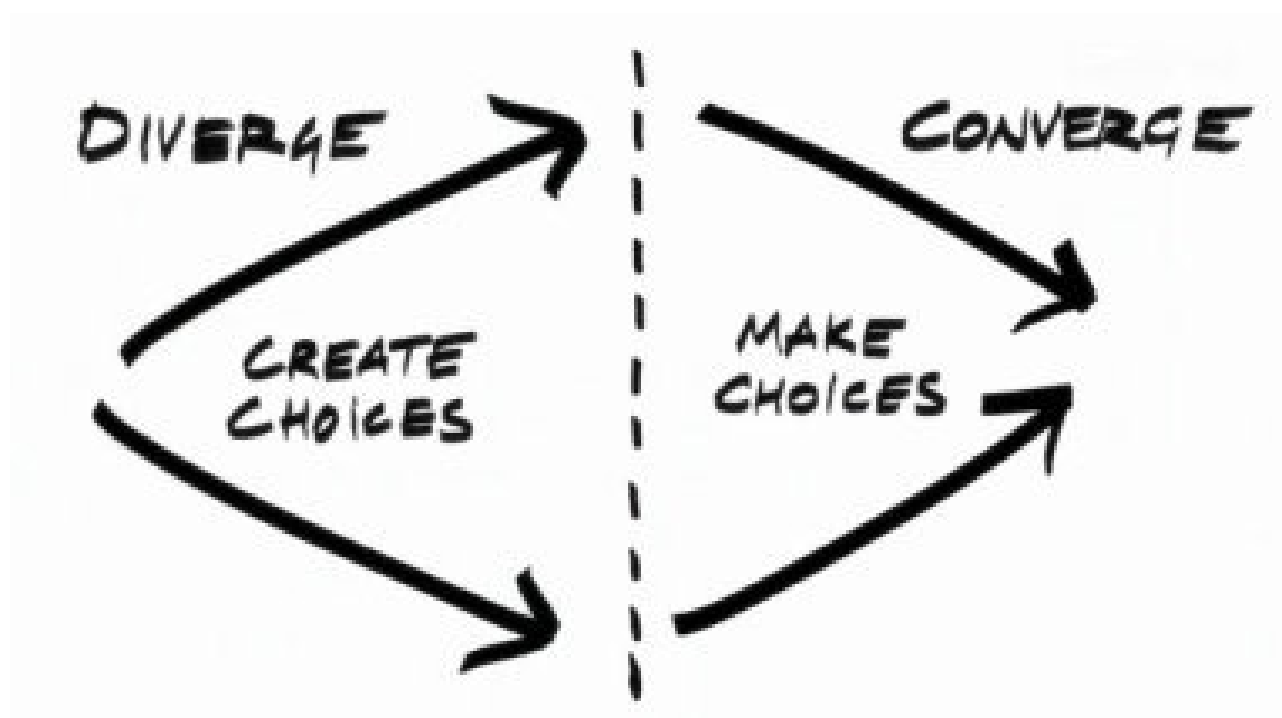
## A shift in value creation...

Finance		Process		Offering			Delivery		
Business model	Networking	Enabling process	Core process	Product performance	Product system	Service	Channel	Brand	Customer experience



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# DIVERGENT AND CONVERGENT THINKING





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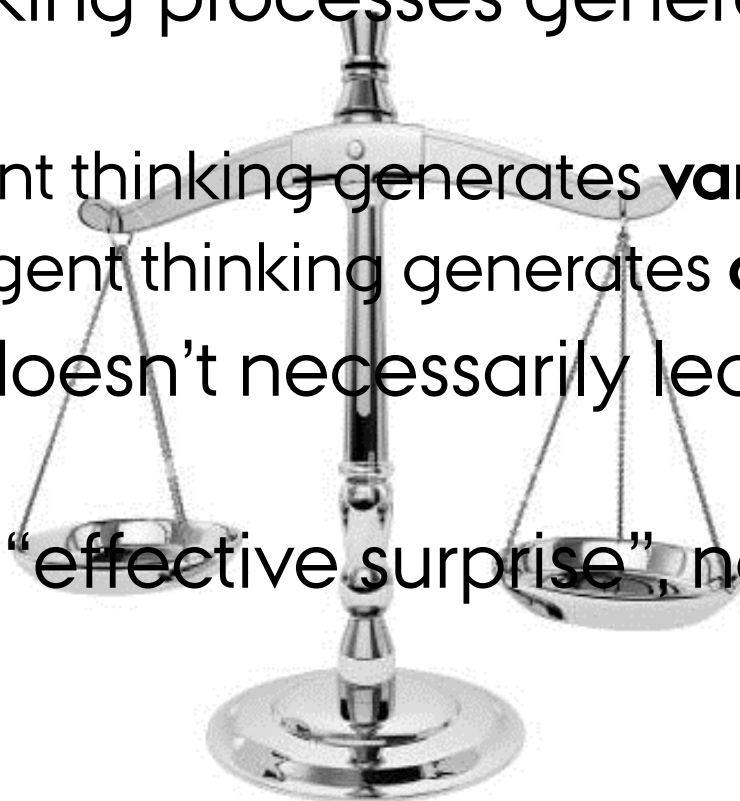
	Convergent	Divergent
<b>Typical processes</b>	<p>Being logical Recognizing the familiar</p> <p>Combining what “belongs” together Homing in on the single best answer Reapplying set techniques <b>Preserving the already known</b> Achieving accuracy and correctness Playing it safe Sticking to a narrow range of obviously relevant information Making associations from adjacent fields only</p>	<p>Being unconventional Seeing the known in a new lighting Combining the disparate</p> <p>Producing multiple answers</p> <p>Shifting perspective Transforming the known Seeing new possibilities</p> <p>Taking risks Retrieving a broad range of existing knowledge Associating ideas from remote fields</p>

# CONVERGENT AND DIVERGENT THINKING


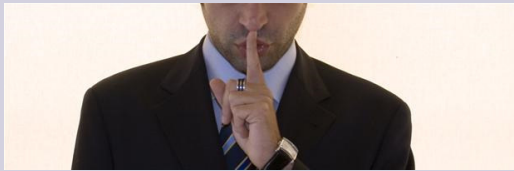

	Convergent	Divergent
<b>Typical results for the individual</b>	<p>Greater familiarity with what already exists</p> <p>Better grasp of the facts</p> <p>A quick, “correct” answer</p> <p>Development of a high level of skill</p> <p>Closure on an issue</p> <p>A feeling of security and safety</p>	<p>Alternative or multiple solutions</p> <p>Deviation from the usual</p> <p>A surprising answer</p> <p>New lines of attack or ways of doing things</p> <p>Exciting or risky possibilities</p> <p>A feeling of uncertainty or excitement</p>

## NOT EITHER OR

- » Both thinking processes generate ideas, but
  - » Divergent thinking generates **variability**
  - » Convergent thinking generates **orthodoxy**
- » Novelty doesn't necessarily lead to creativity
- » Need for “effective surprise”, not mere surprise



# BRAINSTORMING (OSBORNE, 1953)

Quantity	Hold back criticism
	
Encourage wild ideas	Build upon the ideas of others
	$1 + 1 = 3$

# BARRIERS

- » Fear
- » Blindness to possibility – how we perceive things (Shoes in Africa)
- » Criticism & skepticism (the automatic "no", training in critical thinking)
- » Collective monologue
- » "No" and it's ugly cousin "Yes...but"
- » Rash conclusions (premature convergence, J-preference?)
- » [Striim, 2006, Sejer Jakobsen 2003, Hansen & Byrge 2008, Jacob Vind]

# OTHER DIVERGENT TECHNIQUES

- » Reverse brainstorming
- » Stakeholder role play
- » Visual technique
- » Change the perspective
- » The Kipling method
- » Why why why
- » 60 ideas in 10 minutes (Chaos pilots)
- » Go and observe and/or observe some stakeholders
- » Mind-mapping
- » Walk-and-talk

# REVERSE BRAINSTORMING

- » Try to formulate your need in a negative/reverse way in order to see things from the upside down.
- » If you for instance are working with customer service then try to make a list of all the ways that you can deteriorate the customer service in.
- » This can provide you with new perspectives and insights about customer service.

## STAKEHOLDER ROLE PLAY

- » Use the overview of stakeholders that you made last Tuesday.
- » Each group member chooses a key stakeholder that he/she will represent
- » Discuss needs and possible solutions



## VISUAL TECHNIQUE

1. Take a random picture from a selection, which has nothing to do with your challenge
2. One group member describes what he/she sees on the picture.
3. The other groups members generate ideas based on what they see and hear.
4. Remember to record the ideas



# SEE PROBLEMS FROM NEW PERSPECTIVES

1. Choose a number of roles e.g. a profession like a police officer or a famous person (known by most people)
2. How would x solve this problem?
3. Which ideas are useful?



# THE KIPLING METHOD

- » *"I have six honest serving men*
- » *They taught me all I knew*
- » *I call them What and Where and When*
- » *And How and Why and Who"*

» Rudyard Kipling poem

- » What is the challenge?
- » Where is it happening
- » When is it happening?
- » Why is it a challenge?
- » Who is it affecting?
- » How can you solve this challenge?

» <http://creatingminds.org> og Jacob Vind

## WHY WHY WHY → ROOT CAUSE

### » Example:

- » Why do we need to solve this problem =  
loosing market shares
- » Why are we losing markets shares =  
expensive spare parts
- » Why do we use expensive spare parts =  
only one supplier

### » Taiichi Ohno, Toyota

# ASSESSING OPPORTUNITY DOABILITY (READ ET.AL. (2010))

	Feasability	Value
<b>Market</b>	<b>Is it doable?</b> Technolgical feasibility Market feasibility Economic feasibility	<b>Is it worth doing?</b> Financial feasibility
<b>Personal</b>	<b>Can I do it?</b> What will it take to do it? Who else do I need?	<b>Do I want to do it?</b> What turns me on about it? Why do I want to do it? Exit strategies

# PUGH-MATRIX

Concept Selection Matrix											
1. Date: 10/10/06											
2. Objective: Design a transportation system to get to class											
3. Target Customer: Average MTU student											
4. Customer Requirements	5. Importance Weighting Factor (1-3-5 scale)	Walk	Drive	Bike	Snowmobile	Take the bus	Telecommute	Fly out of CMX	Segway Transporter		
low cost	5	5	1	5	1	5	5	1	1		
reliable, year-round	5	5	5	1	1	5	9	1	5		
flexible to class schedule	3	5	5	5	5	1	9	1	5		
short commute time	1	5	9	9	5	5	9	9	9		
comfortable	3	5	9	5	5	9	9	5	5		
safe	5	5	9	5	5	9	9	9	5		
marketing - fashionable, status symbol	1	5	9	9	9	1	1	9	9		
can socialize on the way	3	5	5	1	1	5	1	5	1		
environmentally friendly	5	5	1	5	1	1	5	1	5		
Totals		45	53	45	33	41	57	41	45	0	0
9. Weighted Totals		155	155	131	87	151	207	111	131	0	0

## DOT VOTING

- » Give each person the same amount of stickers or other items to vote with
- » You could use (prioritized) criteria
- » If you like you can give the ideas that weren't given enough votes in the first round a second chance

# IDEA SELECTION MATRIX

<b>HARD</b> Ease of implentati on	<b>WAIT</b>	<b>INVESTIGATE</b>
	<b>PLAN (NICE TO HAVE)</b>	<b>GO (QUICK WINS)</b>
<b>EASY</b> <b>LOW</b> Effect on buttom line figures <b>HIGH</b>		



# GUIDELINE 1 IDEATION WORKSHOP

- » Start with a nearly traditional brainstorm: write down all your initial ideas on post-its individually, put the post-its on the table and start adding to those through traditional brainstorming
- » Try out 2-3 other ideation techniques
- » Sort all the generated ideas – some of them can probably be merged
- » Make a rough sorting: get rid of the ideas which are too boring, too impossible ...

## GUIDELINE 2 IDEA SELECTION PHASE

- » Use at least one of the techniques to select the ide(as) you would like to continue to work with during the rest of the course.
- » It can be a number of ideas that are interconnected you can use to create a concept around