



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public  
So many speculations, so little truth underneath

Aug 19, 2010



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Blame no one. Expect nothing. Do something meaningful.

Aug 17, 2010



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The IT Crowd fan?

Aug 15, 2010



Mike Nguyen - \: I dunno.. the show is so deceiving. Although the geekiness is cool.. it's WAY too cool!!! So cool that I wished I worked in their dept!!! :( Aug 15, 2010



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爱过之前叫做孤单，爱过之后叫做寂寞。

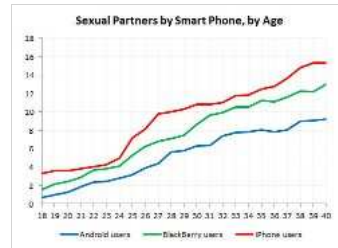
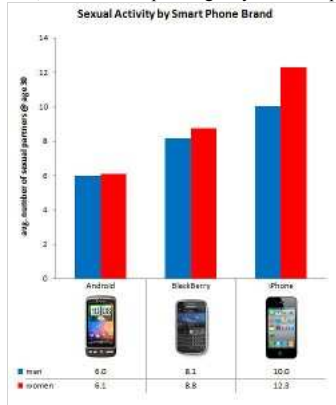
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Well, one reason explaining why someone picks up iPhone.



[iPhone Users Have](#)

[Twice as Much Sex as Android Users \(Plus! Sexiest Cameras\)](#)

Dean Budd - Zero times two still equals zero! Aug 15, 2010



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他，中国第一清官，副厅级巡视员，跟国家领导人有亲戚关系，去西方考察访问只带三个随从，从不警车开道，也不用公款吃喝，有时甚至要自己找饭吃。三随从因太清苦常闹辞职。他在西方考察多年，见过多位外国元首，成绩很大，回国后也没要求升官，一生教书育人，死后无任何家产。他，就是唐僧。

她，丈夫在河北当建筑工人，工程塌方，被砸死在下面。她要求赔偿，包工头不肯。她起诉到法院，败诉。她上诉，再次败诉。她只好上访，从山东一次次来到河北，当局抓她，关她，在精神病院喂她吃药。她逃了出来，上网求助，被屏蔽、被删帖。她不会翻墙，一天天坐在墙下哭，最后终于把墙哭倒了。她，就是孟姜女。



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哄领导开心就叫做假，哄群众开心就叫做秀，哄自己开心就叫做梦。



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Aug 14, 2010

OpenSolaris becomes the first casualty after Oracle swallowed Sun. Who will be the next?

[\[Phoronix\] Farewell To OpenSolaris. Oracle Just Killed It Off.](#)

Kieran Simpson - Open JDK? Aug 14, 2010

Angelos Megremis - I think that Google can probably wipe Oracle out without even breaking a sweat. I'm hoping they do. The way they're acting, they deserve it. Aug 15, 2010

Dean Budd - WTSSHHH! Get back to making money for Oracle! WTSSHHH! Vote with ya feet! ;) Aug 15, 2010

Angelos Megremis - We're not the ones making money for Oracle, their sales people are! We get brought in when people have bought their products, without even knowing how they'll use them yet! Aug 15, 2010

Dean Budd - By becoming experts in the tech! <haha> wtssshh! Aug 15, 2010

Angelos Megremis - We all go where the money is, dude. I've been disillusioned to find that there is little room for idealism in corporate IT. :-/ Aug 15, 2010

Dean Budd - You're obviously not wearing a Che Guevara T-Shirt right now... Aug 15, 2010

Angelos Megremis - Nope. Smart casual. Not even runners. Aug 15, 2010

Kieran Simpson - It's not so much a lack of room for idealism; it's that we as a profession aren't respected. The reason that Oracle's sales team succeeds is that they pitch it to the people who make the decisions who aren't knowledgeable enough to smell the BS, and who think they know more than us. Aug 15, 2010

Dean Budd - Hear hear! <applause> Aug 15, 2010

Angelos Megremis - I don't think it has anything to do with respect for the profession. The entire concept of IT is as, probably, much a mystery to said decision making tools as is the concept of "No, this \$10K DSLR will not make you produce better photographs than your pocket cam if you're, otherwise, useless". The mistake here is that WE don't have sales guys as good as Oracle's. If we did, our opinions would carry more sway. Aug 15, 2010

Kieran Simpson - It's an attitude towards the profession that I believe shows that we aren't respected. You don't hire a civil engineering firm and tell them how to build your building. You may have input into certain requirements, like you want every office to have feature X. But the core building decisions are left to the firm. That's why you pay them. The client should focus on their core business, negotiating a feature set and letting the engineers build what they build best. Aug 15, 2010

Angelos Megremis - Yes, but... If you're building a house, and you're hiring a small 5-man builder team you've only heard of from a friend/neighbor, or smth, you will "keep a close eye on them", etc. Whereas if you go for a large outfit, they'll make you feel stupid to even open your mouth for anything that would divert them from their cookie cutter constructions.

In other words, respect is earned. We can't just go and say "we're awesome, X previous client will attest to that, pay us money". Aug 15, 2010

Dean Budd - What if the big company keeps building crap houses (that cost the earth) that you have to spend all your money and time fixing (for years after you bought it) and your "business partner" (who knows better about these things) still insists on using them? Aug 15, 2010

Angelos Megremis - In the end it all comes down to this: having people give you/us the "override priority", ie take our word over others, is something that is earned in street cred, not protested. Aug 15, 2010

**Dean Budd** - Your logic is flawless... you have just converted me into an Oracle believer! *LOL!* Aug 15, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - I am not advocating for Oracle. I am simply saying that protesting that we don't have our client's ear is self-righteous, and indulgent, at best. We can dispense advice until the cows come home, but, until there is a strong perception of us formed in the receiver's minds, that advice is as worthy of attention as the advice of the milkman.

It's standard socio-interactive principles, it is our mistake that the conversation flow should be any different because we are discussing IT with the client. Aug 15, 2010

**Dean Budd** - Your Cow and Milkman logic is flawless! *LOL!* Aug 15, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - Dude, do you know any other form of conceptualizing your thoughts, apart from packaging in sarcasm for contrast?

Or, alternatively, what I said made perfect sense to me. If you have a counter argument, feel free to share it. Otherwise...? :) Aug 15, 2010

**Dean Budd** - *Moo?* Aug 15, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - ... otherwise stop wasting bandwidth and do some work! :) Aug 15, 2010

**Dean Budd** - Get back to making money for Oracle! *wtssshhh <haha>* Aug 15, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - lol

I'd be guessing "making money for Oracle" also paid for your last PC upgrade, dude. :) Aug 15, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - Oracle has bought MySQL, and might kill it.  
Oracle has begun starving PGSql by withholding use of infrastructure that Sun was allowing.  
Oracle is going after Google for being dodgy with their java-but-not-Java implementation.

I, for one, would like to welcome our new PL/SQL overlords.

**sigh...** Sun was the one place that I sort of was hoping I could one day work at. They were the hippies of IT, without emptying your fridge. Or perhaps more the Buddhist monks of IT...?

Who is there left to look up to? Aug 16, 2010

**Dean Budd** - Google! Aug 16, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - Hardly. I don't really buy their "do no evil" mantra. They do give back to the community, but their actions seem, to me, simply like a bid for community acceptance. They are more Microsoft, and far less Sun.

Sun was sustaining some, seemingly, truly selfless activities. I think they were real idealists. And that is probably reflected by the cumulatively large developer walkout when Oracle took over. Google is not like that.

Of course, you could argue that that's why Google can fight back, and, possibly, even turn the tables on, Oracle, whereas Sun was bought out. Aug 16, 2010

**Dean Budd** - Sun were a bunch of wimps who laid down and *let the tanks roll over them...* they should have rigged explosives to all the main support columns and started a campaign of guerilla warfare *<he says while wearing his Che Guevara t-shirt>* Aug 16, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - I read a funny, yet poignant, comment I read was as follows (and I paraphrase): Money is Oracle's only metric. I was also the only metric that Sun didn't have, and look where it got them. Aug 16, 2010

**Dean Budd** - It got them respect! :) Aug 16, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - It also got them killed. I wish they had survived. I wish they had remained a success story, and a mecca for developers. Aug 16, 2010

**Dean Budd** - Yoda: *Train yourself to let go... of everything you fear to lose*

*<haha>* Aug 16, 2010

**Kieran Simpson** - I don't think Sun were a bunch of wimps. There's too much generalising. In any company there's the engineers and the bean counters. If the company is non sustainable then how are those engineers going to get paid? So when Larry came along of course the pencil pushers would have loved it. The engineers turned to the simplest form of guerrilla warfare - they left. Which also solves the money problem if there's noone left to pay :)

I'd have no problem working for Google, except that I don't want to move to Sydney. If Google opened a Melbourne office, I'd consider applying. Aug 16, 2010

**Dean Budd** - I don't think you got the joke... I wasn't seriously condoning the use of explosives and guerilla warfare... or for people to wear *Che Guevara* t-shirt's for that matter... *<haha>* Aug 16, 2010

**Kieran Simpson** - One never knows with you Kiwis :) You're such socialists over there - you got rid of software patents :p Aug 16, 2010

**Dean Budd** - *<haha>* But only through the liberal use of explosives and guerrilla warfare! Aug 16, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - I'd like to work at Google simply because there's a lot of bright minds there. But, at the same time, the impression I have from online commentary is that Sun was any engineer's paradise, whereas Google is the young hip engineer's mecca. Aug 16, 2010

**Terrence Miao** - Some final salt.

Sun is an engineering company. Oracle is a sales company. In reality, sales companies not always but most time beat engineering companies, except Google. Microsoft and Apple are sales companies too.

Most engineers are lack of abilities like business astute, financial provision and management, mastership of communication in subtle situation. Can't shine and present themselves well in front of public make them short to reach the bar.

Regarding to Google, no argument it's engineers' dream company, but why don't join or marry Google in another way.

You can set up your business, build large customers base and make it thrive. Lure, fondle, molester, or whatever you can do to Google, and let Google buy you out. So you don't need to go through interview process, you can pick up where you want to work. Aug 16, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - Damn, Terrence, that was disturbing to read. Molest Google? There's limits, dude. :)

As for Oracle, and MS, I don't quite agree that they are sales companies. We all know the trivia around MS's rise to power, yes. And nobody likes them as a member of the IT ecosystem. However, so many of us make a living off of their products and platforms.

Something similar could be said for Oracle.

The fact of the matter here also is that Sun, to my [granted - hugely limited, at least compared to some seasoned old-timers] knowledge, never had the chance to become such a huge target simply because they never undertook such ambitious projects. Aug 16, 2010

**Dean Budd** - Hey! Leave Microsoft alone... I've actually softened up to ol' Bill over the years. (After all that pain he put me through writing 16bit Windows 3.1 Applications)

*But won't somebody think of the mosquito's!* Aug 16, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - lol

You actually got to play with MFC then? Aug 16, 2010

**Dean Budd** - Microsoft Fried Chicken? Sure did! I still have that terrible taste in the back of my mouth... Aug 16, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - BS. I'll bet you were a VB boy, and I'm not talking about the beer. :) Aug 16, 2010

**Dean Budd** - <haha> VB is for people who find basic Computer Science concepts too overwhelming and dread-inducing! People who wouldn't know recursion from their purse!

I was all Visual C++ back then buddy! Aug 16, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - Dean, I know all the "cool kids" talk about "cee plus plus", but you were doing VB, mate.

hehee Aug 16, 2010

**Dean Budd** - Terrence... can you please disable comments. But just after I have the last say! <haha> Aug 16, 2010

**Angelos Megremis** - nyawwww Aug 16, 2010

**Terrence Miao** - Without the business cunningness of Bill Gates and aggressiveness of Steve Palmer, MS won't be today's MS. In Technical history, Average Joe won most race than intelligent Smart Pants. Good artists copy, great artists steal.  
Aug 17, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 13, 2010

**Water melon is not only for eating**



carved from fruit | Mail Online

[Amazing sculptures](#)



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 12, 2010

**PSP on Android**

☐ ☐ [Sony Ericsson PSP Go Android 3.0 Gingerbread Gaming Smartphone Coming Soon? \[New Rumors Says Sony Ericsson Is Working on Gingerbread Gaming Platform & PSP Go-Like Smartphone\]](#) » TFTS – Technology, Gadg...



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 11, 2010

**Election Communication Forum 2010** - Minister for Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy, Senator Stephen Conroy, Shadow Minister for Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy, The Hon. Tony Smith MP, and Greens ICT spokesperson, Senator Scott Ludlam participated in a election forum focused on ICT issues on Tuesday, 10 August.

[Election Communication Forum 2010](#) [Election Communication Forum 2010](#)

**Kieran Simpson** - Good debate. Aug 11, 2010

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**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 9, 2010

Federal opposition's wireless-centric policy would take the country backwards.

Oops, wrong button, and kill the patient.



[Industry slams Opposition's wireless broadband plan | The](#)

[Australian](#)

**Mike Nguyen** - We're screwed either way.. :( Aug 10, 2010

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**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 9, 2010

女孩说：我怀孕了。男人继续低头吃饭，说：我早结扎了。女孩愣了一会儿：我和你开玩笑呢。男人抬起头看了她一眼，喝了口水说：我也是...

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**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 9, 2010

人的一生好像乘坐北京地铁一号线：途经国贸，羡慕繁华；途经天安门，幻想权力；途经金融街，梦想发财；经过公主坟，遥想华丽家族；经过玉泉路，依然雄心勃勃...这时，有个声音飘然入耳：乘客你好，八宝山快到了！顿时醒悟：人生苦短，何不淡然。

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**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
Wanna order some dessert, Sir?

Aug 9, 2010



[World's priciest pud goes on sale... for a wallet-shredding £15,730 | Mail Online](#)

[Just desserts?](#)



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
iPod with touchscreen, iPhone 5 which will fix "Death Grip" problem, new 7" iPad mini if current iPad can't fit in any pockets or undies...

Aug 7, 2010

Have you bought any Apple's products during the last 6 months? Congratulations, your investment will worth less than half of money you put in in the next 6 months.

**Worth buying?** Unless Apple still has its "Open Sesame" magic to keep positive suckers in-flow, the long term view of the company is quite shabby.

Astute investors should maintain **VOID** call to Apple's products. Of course, there is no way you can prevent some buffoons who reckon investment is purely like toss a coin.



[Leaked Details On 2010-2011 iPods, iPhone 5, Bumper 2 + iPad mini |](#)

[iLounge Backstage](#)

**Mike Nguyen** - "Have you bought any Apple's products during the last 6 months? Congratulations, your investment will worth less than half of money you put in in the next 6 months."

I lol at this comment. Your non-Apple computer loses half its value within the 1st day of purchase. Sorry Terry, your Apple hateboi bashing are getting old & senile. Apple still has good products (even with some of its short givings) and people will still enjoy it. Other companies playing catchup is the testimony to their success & innovation. Aug 8, 2010

**Tony Szabo** - ^^ What he said! lol There's a reason millions upon millions of people all over the world have bought (and will continue to buy) their products.. Aug 9, 2010

**Dean Budd** - Millions of people have bought (and will continue to buy) Oracle products too, and we know what that says about them! **BAM!** <haha> Aug 9, 2010

**Mike Nguyen** - Ah.. Oracle. It depends on which product you mean. If it's back to their DB roots - they either destroyed everyone or owned them. Also it's never really by choice. Take Java for instance. Aug 9, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 6, 2010

"Any architect can design a desk that will cost 5000 kronor," Ingvar Kamprad, founder of Ikea wrote in his *A Furniture Dealer's Testament*. "But only the most highly skilled can design a good, functional desk that will cost 100 kronor. **Expensive solutions to any kind of problem are usually the work of mediocrity.**"

So start a product everybody wants and needs. Make sure the design is simple and functional but also beautiful.

This is the exactly same principle not only to furniture design, but also to house and software.

**Dean Budd** - Ahhh yes... *Keep It Simple Stupid* (The **KISS** Principle) Aug 8, 2010

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**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 6, 2010

Croc-zilla



[Pictured: The 6.5m crocodile which terrorized an Aboriginal community | Mail Online](#)

**Dean Budd** - Good God! Look at the size of that truck! Aug 6, 2010

**Mike Nguyen** - How many loafers can you make outta that one?? Aug 8, 2010

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**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 5, 2010

Vernon Hill, one of the bank's founders, tempted to build an IT system of his own? "I hate programmers," replies this dyed-in-the-wool entrepreneur. "They only cause trouble."



[Banking and IT: Computer says no | The Economist](#)



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 5, 2010

Both of us were fortunate to grow up with parents who taught us some tremendously important values. Work hard. Show respect. Have a sense of humor. And if life happens to bless you with talent or treasure, you have a responsibility to use those gifts as well and as wisely as you possibly can. Now we hope to pass this example on to our own children.

- Bill and Melinda Gates

**Mike Nguyen** - Also helps if you have a few millions dollars around & immune to business ethics. Aug 5, 2010

**Kieran Simpson** - Hear hear. Aug 5, 2010

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**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 5, 2010

Surprise surprise, Oracle chief Larry "Big Mouth" Ellison is among them.

Check Giving Pledge website.

[Larry Ellison, George Lucas Join Billionaires in Buffett-Gates Charity Pledge - WSJ.com](#) [The Giving Pledge](#)

**Kieran Simpson** - Larry's just doing it for the attention. Aug 5, 2010

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**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 2, 2010

There is no way you can run away from **invincible** Facebook. Even you are not a registered user!



[Delhi Police Use](#)

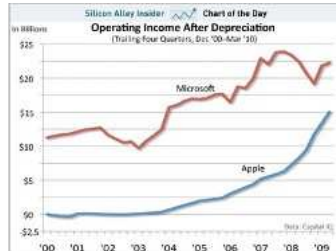
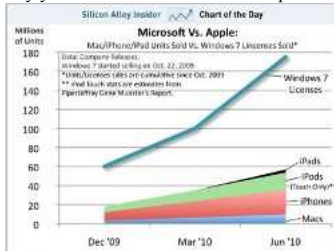
[Facebook to Track Scofflaw Drivers - NYTimes.com](#)



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 2, 2010

Why you want to invest MS and sleep with them.



[10 Reasons You Should Love Microsoft \(MSFT\)](#)

**Angelos Megremis** - It's dead, Jim. Aug 2, 2010

**Terrence Miao** - Sharepoint is disappointing. Not a wiki like "wiki" at all. It integrated with Office documents better, but lack of main search feature is useless to store all the Office documents there. You can use cheaper solution like shared drive instead! Aug 2, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 2, 2010

Access it from your iPhone OS 4.0.1, 3.2.0, 3.2.1.

[JailbreakMe 2.0](#)



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Aug 1, 2010

Software development estimates are just that: estimates. They are not a delivery date guarantee.

**Dean Budd** - "estimate" and "guarantee" are even spelt differently! <haha>

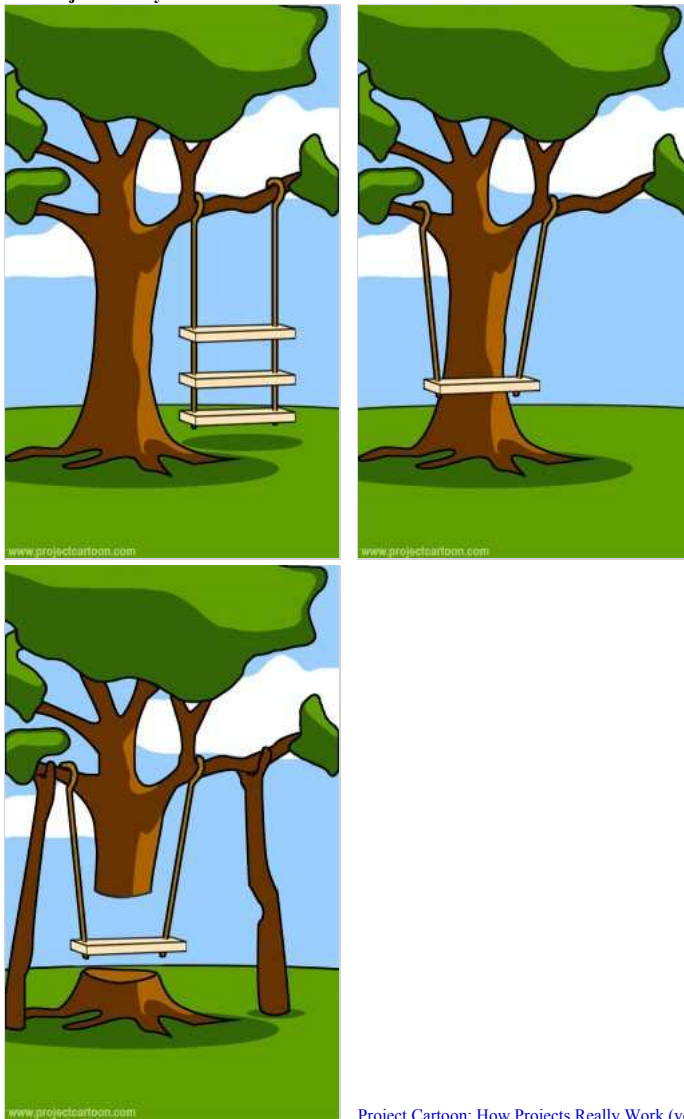
I've always been an advocate of estimation in a time-agnostic unit... like Story Points. Aug 1, 2010





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How Projects Really Work

Aug 1, 2010



Project Cartoon: How Projects Really Work (version 1.5)



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public  
A security researcher at Black Hat forced two ATMs to spit out bundles of cash thanks to security weaknesses in the machines.  
☐ [Black Hat: Australian researcher uses flaws to force ATMs to spit out cash &gt; Application Flaws &gt; Vulnerabilities & Exploits &gt; News &gt; SC Magazine Australia/NZ](#)

Aug 1, 2010



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public  
淡定 - unflattered and unflappable.

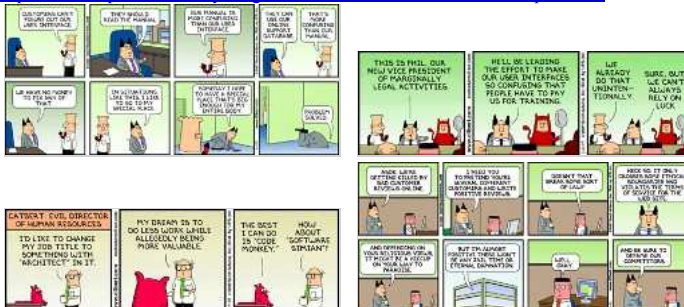
Aug 1, 2010



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public  
Dilbert on User Experience

Jul 29, 2010

<http://www.90percentofeverything.com/2009/05/26/dilbert-on-user-experience/>





Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 29, 2010

Chinese mocking version of the latest Amazon Kindle eBook - **Shanda Bambook**



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 29, 2010

Future cop, better than the Segway transported crap.



[C.R.A.B. Police](#)

[Robot](#)

**Dean Budd** - That's ridiculous! I just need to run through a doorway! <haha>

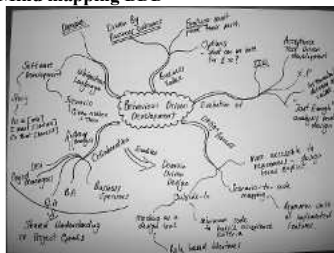
Unless of course it can spew out mini-spiders... Jul 29, 2010



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Jul 28, 2010

**Mind mapping BDD**



**Dean Budd** - Ubiquitous Language, Domain Driven Design, "Just Enough" Analysis and Design...

That's the kind of talk I like to hear! Jul 28, 2010



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 28, 2010

Are Apple's products over-engineered? Like this latest **Magic** trackpad?

Magic mouse just looks like a compensation for Apple's sleeky but anti-ergonomic aluminum keyboard. But Magic trackpad maybe is the fix for magic mouse wireless reception problem?

Cost around \$200, including the battery charger, Apple really has the "magic" to reach deep in someone's pocket. Don't know what's a wired mouse unable to do, like this Apple's obsession of "Pad" thingy, which only costs as little as \$10?



**Tony Szabo** - lol... I'd rather use this than a mouse (was looking for something like this for my pc ages ago). Holding a mouse in your hand is **much** more uncomfortable than something like this, especially for the wrists. And at £59 I'd buy one, but I won't! :) Jul 29, 2010

**Mike Nguyen** - Like what Tony says. Terry, you'd be surprised! The trackpad is one of the MacBook Pro's appeal Jul 31, 2010



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Jul 28, 2010

What the first 3D Video Camera looks like



[For £1,300, a new dimension in camcorders | Mail Online](#)

[3D home movies:](#)



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 28, 2010

Bugatti Veyron Super Sport has set a new production car land speed record, hitting 267.91 mph to be precise, or 431.072 km/h.

[Bugatti Veyron - Super Sport - Official Video](#)  
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**Terrence Miao** - Watch Top Gear episode 5 this season. Veyron world record making; Veyron times on Top Gear track; Tom Cruise and Cameron Diaz on the show, also memorial of the best F1 driver Ayrton Senna. Jul 28, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 27, 2010

A bank is a place where they lend you an umbrella in fair weather and ask for it back when it begins to rain.

**Robert Frost**

**Mike Nguyen** - & you work for the bank! Jul 27, 2010

**Tony Szabo** - aka "The Umbrella Company" (boom tish!) Jul 27, 2010

**Mike Nguyen** - ZOMBIEZ & pretty hawt girls in short shorts! Jul 27, 2010

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**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 26, 2010

Jailbreaking on iPhone now is official legal.



[Victory for Geeks as US eases Apple's grip on software | The](#)

[Australian](#)

**Mike Nguyen** - As long as people don't jump & down when they get malware or viruses on their iPhone. Apple extended their grips on the iPhone for a reason. Nevertheless, the iTunes is still my beef. I shouldn't have to go through that rubbish of an app (well for the Windows version anyway) just to drop in a file... Jul 26, 2010

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Jul 24, 2010

**Michael Jackson**



**Dean Budd** - Is he black? Is he white? Somebody tell me! Jul 26, 2010

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**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 24, 2010

**Borat in Le Tour de France 2010**



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 23, 2010

Holy moly, \$35 laptop!



[India's \\$35 laptop](#) [India's \\$35 laptop](#) [India develops 35-dollar laptop for schools](#)

**Terrence Miao** - Hope Indians are not bamboozling people this time.

**Why India's \$35 Tablet May Be Just a Dream** -<http://www.wired.com/gadgetlab/2010/07/india-35-tablet/> Jul 24, 2010

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**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 22, 2010

A 40-ton whale flipped into the air and landed on a yacht off the coast of Cape Town, South Africa.



[Forty-ton whale lands on yacht during Cape Town sailing trip -](#)

[Telegraph](#)

**Mike Nguyen** - LIES! This is another example of BP's poorly orchestrated photoshop. Just like this one:

<http://weirdnewsfiles.com/wp-content/weirdnewsuploads/sharkhoax.jpg> Jul 22, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 21, 2010

Broadband and Communications Minister Stephen Conroy would be the undisputed winner of "Enemy of the State" award because of his notorious content filter policy, but that doesn't mean to return the power to Coalition which its leader Tony "The Mad Monk" Abbott who is radical and extreme conservative, with the desire to axes \$43 billion National Broadband Network (NBN) project determinately, bring Australia back to The Middle Age, and resort to cannibalism.

**Kieran Simpson** - How do you get the cannibalism bit? Jul 21, 2010

**Terrence Miao** - Speculation mate, full speculation :- ) Jul 21, 2010

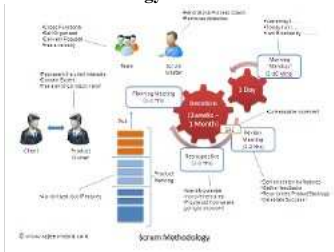
**Terrence Miao** - I'm still tossing which ransom is the better offer: NBN with content filter built-in, or content filter without a Broadband Network to bundle. Jul 22, 2010



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Jul 21, 2010

**Scrum Methodology**



Liked by: **James Gemmell**

**Dean Budd** - Worthy of hanging on the wall! Jul 21, 2010

**Terrence Miao** - I will stick with the original "felicicator", personne qui fait des compliments.

Because I reckon in each Scrum team, need a person as a cheerleader (lady preferred), to make you feel good and happy after so many backlogs burnt down. Jul 21, 2010

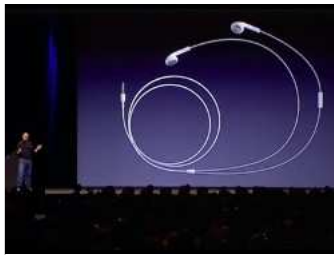
**Dean Budd** - BURN those Backlogs! Jul 21, 2010





**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
**Paid so much, get so little**

Jul 21, 2010



[10 Ways To Fix Your iPhone 4 Antenna Problem](#)

**Kieran Simpson** - A few of those are bound to give you cancer. Jul 21, 2010

**Mike Nguyen** - The headband is cute ;) Jul 21, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
**The Abbott Family**  
[The Abbott Family](#) [The Abbott Family](#)

Jul 20, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
**How to make authentic Miso soup**

Jul 20, 2010



[Soup Recipe \(Food & Drink: Japanese\)](#)

[How To Make Miso](#)

**Dean Budd** - Mi so, Mi so....

I'll stop. Jul 20, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 20, 2010

### Craft of the 21st century



[Boeing's 787](#)

[Dreamliner promises to make jetlag and air sickness a thing of the past | Mail Online](#)

**Angelos Megremis** - Sounds promising. However, I'm pretty sure all of the amenities will be left out of the order sheets submitted by the likes of Virgin, Jetstar, etc.

That said, I just flew Melb-Sing on the A380. I was sitting 3rd row from the front of the economy class, so just a few meters from the leading edge of the wing. And booooy was it quiet. It wasn't quiet enough that you can ignore and sleep, but it was enough so as to ignore with earphones on.

Looking forward to trying out the 787. Jul 20, 2010

**Tony Szabo** - Shotgun the seat facing the 60" Plasma! Those babies better recline!! lol Jul 20, 2010

**Dean Budd** - I'll be too busy dancing in the Disco! Jul 20, 2010

**Tony Szabo** - LOL Hey I don't see a pole in that photo! Jul 20, 2010

**Dean Budd** - :| Jul 20, 2010

**Tony Szabo** - awww <shoves a \$20 down> First night hey??

lol ;) Jul 20, 2010

**Dean Budd** - <starts dancing again> Jul 20, 2010

**Tony Szabo** - LOL! There ya go! Jul 20, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 19, 2010

The Nude Blacks are to take on the Welsh Leeks in the annual nude rugby international in Dunedin.

Play was brought to a brief halt when a female streaker ran onto the pitch; the men were good sports and lifted the lass in the lineout before she ran away with the ball to score a try – and then regain her modesty.



☐ [Nude rugby a hard match in Dunedin \(contains nudity\) - Story - National - 3 News](#)

[Nude rugby a hard match in Dunedin \(contains nudity\) - Story -](#)



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 19, 2010

**Be a good citizen - obey the laws, respect other people**

☐ ☐ ☐ [Victoria Police Online News Centre](#)

**Mike Nguyen** - There ought to be more fashion police patrolling the streets! Pajamas gray tee & matching shorts in public should be outlawed!!! >> Terry Jul 19, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 18, 2010

The BBC has been given exclusive access to film the world's most advanced fighter jet - the F-35 Joint Strike Fighter, built by Lockheed Martin for the US and UK military.



[BBC News - Inside the F-35 Joint Strike Fighter](#)

**Mike Nguyen** - This jet fighter reminds me of a certain project ;) Jul 18, 2010

**Dean Budd** - Ummm... The project you're referring to more closely resembles a *Penny Farthing* bicycle! Jul 18, 2010

**Mike Nguyen** - Now you're just being mean Deano! Jul 18, 2010

**Dean Budd** - You left the door wide open comparing it to something as awesome as the F35... ;) Jul 18, 2010



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 18, 2010

**Boeing 787 Dreamliner made her debut in International Air Show in Farnborough**



[BBC News - Dreamliner lands at Farnborough](#)



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 17, 2010

The octopus, Cassandra, preference for Julia Gillard was clear. Despite being a solitary animal, she wrapped her long arms around the Prime Minister's photo.

Her reaction to the Opposition Leader's image was less enthusiastic: she turned a defensive black colour.



[Gillard's chances get a legs-up](#)



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 17, 2010

**The Stockholm subway system is said to be the world's longest art exhibit - 110 kilometers long**

<http://cid-6113e465ebbcfd7.photos.live.com/play.aspx/%E7%BE%8E%E8%BD%AE%E7%BE%8E%E5%A5%82%E7%9A%84%E7%91%9E%E5%85%B8%E5%9C%B0%ref=1>



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 17, 2010

The property market in Melbourne's traditional dick head suburbs including South Yarra, Surrey Hills, Middle Park and Toorak experienced negative growth but trumped in ass end suburbs like Dandenong, Rosebud and Broad Meadows according to quarterly figures released by the Real Estate Institute of Victoria.

<http://www.smh.com.au/business/market-moves-confirm-rises-20100718-10g05.html>

Mike Nguyen - Oh noes! I'm sure those doctors/dentists/druglords are shaking in boots over this one. Jul 18, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
思想是人活着的灵魂。

Jul 16, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
Modern Browsers Comparison

Jul 16, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 16, 2010

An Australian company on Thursday launched a free tool it says offers web browsers a world-first opportunity to view the Internet in three dimensions.

[ExitReality - The Entire Web in 3D](#)



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 15, 2010

Hayao Miyazaki, legendary animator and director at Studio Ghibli, has made his opinion of the iPad very clear, and it's in no way flattering.



[Hayao Miyazaki Compares iPad Use To Masturbation | Kotaku](#)

[Australia](#)

**Mike Nguyen** - Coming from a Japanese - why aren't I surprised? lol Hayao is old & cynical... oh wait - so r u! Jul 15, 2010

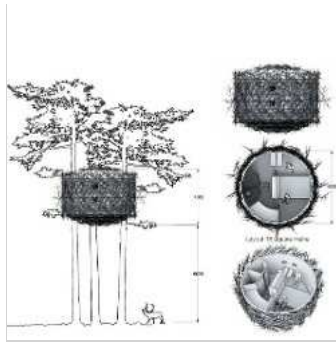




**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 15, 2010

All the rooms are suspended in the trees and each are designed by different architects. Here the Mirrorcube reflects the surrounding forest.



[Design Will Save the World](#)

[Stunning Swedish Treehotel Opens This Weekend! | Inhabitat - Green](#)



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 15, 2010

Pity! He almost made in the this year final around of Darwin Award.



[I only wanted to pat it, says victim of Fatso the 5m croc | The Australian](#) [Croc man just wanted to pat Fatso | Courier Mail](#)



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 15, 2010

Free rubber "bumper" case, Apple's 3rd try to fix iPhone 4G antenna reception disaster.



[Apple to break silence as furore grows over iPhone 4 reception problems | The Australian](#)

[Apple to break silence as furore grows over iPhone 4 reception](#)

**Terrence Miao** - More cover-up, or shit cleaning from Apple's free Bumper for iPhone 4 -

<http://www.theage.com.au/digital-life/iphone/competitors-lash-out-at-apple-over-distortions-20100719-10glz.html?autostart=1> Jul 18, 2010

**Terrence Miao** - Jason Wong, a 29-year-old college mathematics lecturer in Southern California, said he plans to return his iPhone 4. "I feel it is kind of stupid to have paid \$US200 for a phone that I can't hold in the natural way," he said. Jul 18, 2010

**Mike Nguyen** - "I feel it is kind of stupid to have paid \$US200 for a phone," he said.

There.. fixed. Jul 18, 2010





**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
**Trading up on artificial intelligence**

Jul 14, 2010



[Hedge funds turn to artificial intelligence for market decisions | The](#)

[Australian](#)

**Mike Nguyen** - Ahh.. at least this time they got those pesky nerd programmers to blame when the market crashes again...  
Jul 14, 2010

**Tony Szabo** - The BA's got the requirements wrong!! <hides> lol Jul 15, 2010

**Mike Nguyen** - BA: LIEZ! Jul 15, 2010

**Kieran Simpson** - Or the government caves to ad campaigns and gives Skynet whatever it wants. Jul 15, 2010

**Mike Nguyen** - WOW! Who's going to oust Gillard this time round?? bounds to be messy - redheads won't leave without a bitter fight to the end. Jul 15, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
I ◀◀ REWIND ▶▶ PLAY || PAUSE ■ STOP ▶▶ I FORWARD

Jul 14, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 13, 2010

Windows XP, which debuted nine years ago in 2001, the best OS made by Microsoft so far, will continue to be with us for yet another decade.

Microsoft announced on July 12th 2010 that it would allow some Windows 7 customers to buy Windows XP "downgrade" licenses until January 2020. Those licenses allow customers to swap out the newer operating system and instead install a legal copy of the older one.

[Microsoft extends Windows XP downgrade rights until 2020 - Computerworld](#)



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 13, 2010

I've worked in an economy that **rewards someone who saves the lives of others on a battlefield with a medal, rewards a great teacher with thank-you notes from parents, but rewards those who can detect the mispricing of securities with sums reaching into the billions.** In short, fate's distribution of long straws is wildly capricious.



[Warren Buffett pledge as part of the \\$600 billion challenge - Jun. 16,](#)

[2010](#)



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 12, 2010

An unfashionable non-conductive tape can save iPhone 4.

According to Apple, any phone will lose signal strength when gripped in certain ways. Apple's way of course...

☐ [Consumer Reports Electronics Blog: Lab tests: Why Consumer Reports can't recommend the iPhone 4](#)

**Kieran Simpson** - An iPhone without fashion is no Apple product to Steve. Jul 12, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public

Jul 12, 2010

To be JQuery or not to be JQuery; to be GWT or not to be GWT. That is the question.

JQuery is perfect when you have a HTML interface, and want to 'enhance' it; GWT is perfect if you have no idea about JavaScript.

[jQuery vs GWT - jQuery Forum](#)

**Dean Budd** - Awesome article. I've used both quite heavily now and agree that it depends on what kind of project you're working on. If you have a designer creating the markup, you have no choice really but to use JQuery. I think GWT has to be a little slower because *everything* is done in JS. There is no HTML (worth mentioning) to speak of.

I *really* like both frameworks, however, managing large amounts of Javascript (JQuery) can quickly become a nightmare (for some reason developers don't use as much discipline with JS as they do with Java), which is why I would lean towards GWT for larger projects. Jul 12, 2010



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 11, 2010

After Nigeria was eliminated from the world cup 2010 the Nigerian goalkeeper Vincent Enyeama (淡定哥) personally offered to refund all the expenses of fans that travelled to South Africa.

He said he just needs their bank details and pin numbers to complete the transaction.



Dean Budd <haha> Jul 11, 2010

Kieran Simpson The blank cheque of internet banking. Jul 11, 2010



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 10, 2010

Economy invasion: Italian government is to sell off hundreds of treasures to reduce its national debt.



[For a few million, the chance to grab your own piece of Italy: Treasures put up for sale in battle against soaring national debt | Mail Online](#)



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 9, 2010

Bloody Apple is disintegrating this world.



Dean Budd I just can't wait till they release *whatever it is* they're going to release next! I'm saving my money already!  
Jul 9, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
Another glorious day for democracy!

Jul 9, 2010

And Taiwanese reckon their country, actually it's tiny island, is the most democratic place on the planet.

Politicians are like spoiled kids, or un-trained puppies. You need keep spanking, or whipping them to let them know who the boss is.

☐ [Brawl breaks out in Taiwan parliament - The Irish Times - Thu, Jul 08, 2010](#) [Taiwan parliament brawl - no comment](#) [Taiwan parliament brawl - no comment](#)



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
Man is born free but is everywhere in debt.

Jul 8, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
The Bugatti Veyron 16.4 Super Sport has taken back the land speed world record for a production car.

Jul 8, 2010



[landspeed world record at 268mph](#)

[Ehra Lessien Ehra Lessien](#) [Bugatti Veyron 16.4 Super Sport sets](#)

**Mike Nguyen** - It's still hideously fugly Jul 8, 2010

**Tony Szabo** - u serious??? it's awesome dude!! Jul 9, 2010



**Terrence Miao** - Buzz - Public  
'Octopus oracle' keeps perfect record as Germans demand he's turned into paella  
☐ ☐ [World Cup &#39;octopus oracle&#39; keeps perfect record](#)

Jul 8, 2010

**Terrence Miao** - Octopus "Oracle" Paul (or Paolo, as Italian media claimed as their own the "psychic" and revealed he was caught in Italian waters, and not off Britain as previously claimed) has correctly predicted all seven match of Germany in World Cup 2010, also correctly predicted Spain beat Holland in the final! Jul 11, 2010



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 7, 2010

### Job title inflation or title fluffing

KIM JONG IL, the North Korean dictator, has 1,200 official titles, including guardian deity of the planet, supreme commander at the forefront of the struggle against imperialism and the United States, eternal bosom of hot love and greatest man who ever lived.

It's not ever better in Western world.

Do you know what people are doing with these titles? Media distribution officers, Recycling officers, Sanitation consultants, Techniciennes de surface...

Far from providing people with more security, fancy titles can often make them more expendable. Companies might hesitate before sacking an IT adviser. But what about a chief scrum master? The essence of inflation, after all, is that it devalues everything that it touches.



[Schumpeter: Too many chiefs | The Economist](#)

**Dean Budd** - That's *exactly* why I always put "Uber" before all of my titles! Jul 7, 2010

**Kieran Simpson** - Uber-sheep f.... Has a nice ring to it. Jul 8, 2010

**Dean Budd** - And *there's* the punch-line! Jul 8, 2010

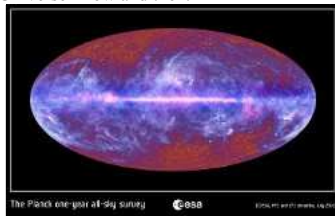
**Mike Nguyen** - 'supreme commander at the forefront of the struggle against imperialism and the United States' ZOMG!!!  
Jul 8, 2010



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 7, 2010

### Universe - now and then.



[ESA Portal - Planck unveils the Universe – now and then](#)



Terrence Miao - Buzz - Public

Jul 6, 2010

The interactive graphic above shows the overall debt levels for a wide range of countries, based on data supplied by the McKinsey Global Institute.

The polls in Spain				
Country's ranked by the probability of debt position				
	% of GDP, 2008, forecast	Est. 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012	Est. 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2134, 2135, 2136, 2137, 2138, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2143, 2144, 2145, 2146, 2147, 2148, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2154, 2155, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2160, 2161, 2162, 2163, 2164, 2165, 2166, 2167, 2168, 2169, 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DEBT is as powerful a drug as alcohol and nicotine.

Sarah Jessica Parker and her Manolo Blahniks will be out; Grandma Walton and her sensible apron will be in.



[The age of easy credit and its aftermath: Is there life after debt? | The](#)

[Economist](#)

Mike Nguyen - Funny... They've just made Sex in the City 2! Jul 6, 2010

Tony Szabo - Yep! Money vanishes into thin air just like smoke and liquor! Jul 7, 2010

Mike Nguyen - Takes one to know one eh Tony? Jul 7, 2010

Dean Budd - Hey! Leave smoke and liquor out of this! And also thin air! Jul 7, 2010

Tony Szabo - Takes one loan to know you're in debt, yep! lol <waves at mum and dad>

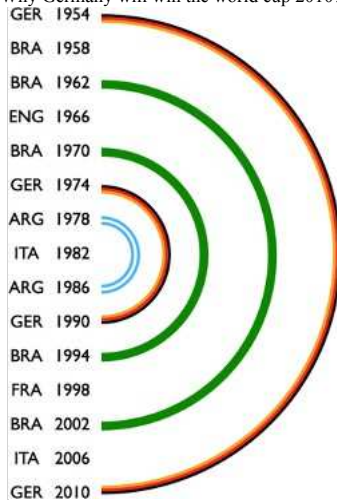
hahahahaha If it wasn't for money you'd **have** no smoke and liquor, or thin air! lol Jul 7, 2010



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Why Germany will win the world cup 2010?



[Statistical Graphics and more » Blog Archive » Why Germany wins the 2010 World Cup](#)

Terrence Miao - I'd rather believe Oracle Octopus 'Paul' than human being mathematicians now. Jul 8, 2010



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Concentrate on software. Don't try to do everything yourself like Apple. There will be no Google Nexus Two.



[Google&#39;s Eric](#)

[Schmidt: You can trust us with your data - Telegraph](#)

Dean Budd - He's wearing a suit. So **instantly** I don't trust him... <haha> Jul 5, 2010

Mike Nguyen - As opposed to sweaty blue shirts? <http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=6304687408656696643#>

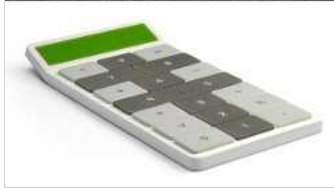
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Hopscotch Calculator

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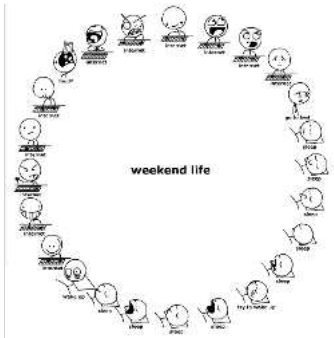
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Weekend life

Jul 5, 2010



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Standing as a candidate of Australian Sex Party?

Jul 4, 2010

Sex and politics have officially come together, with the Australian Sex Party obtaining approval from the Australian Electoral Commission for registration as a political party.

The party's convenor and likely future candidate Fiona Patten said:

"The fact that the AEC spent so much time considering the word 'sex' further exhibits our need for honest and open discussion about sexual matters - be they censorship, education, health or discrimination ones."



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Frugality is the new fashion.

Jul 4, 2010

A good example is Porsche 918 Spyder concept (will get production approval soon). It uses an average of 3.0 litres of fuel per 100km, or 23 per cent less than the Toyota Prius.



[Porsche 918 Spyder](#)



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Frugality is the new fashion.

Jul 4, 2010

**Mike Nguyen** - cough coming from a guy that wears his pajama shorts into work! Jul 4, 2010



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有大需要时来，始能成大事业；无大把握而去，终难得大机缘。 - 阎锡山

Jul 3, 2010



[astonishing tapestries look just like photographs | Mail Online](#)

[Jill Draper&#39;s](#)



It was your money in the first place anyway. The Government just "borrow" it, use it, and interest free.



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Flying car ready for takeoff

Jul 1, 2010



[Mirror, signal, lift-off: Car that turns into a plane in 15 seconds prepares for take-off | Mail Online](#) [First Flight: "Flying Car" Terrafugia Transition Roadable Aircraft First Flight: "Flying Car" Terrafugia Transition Roadable Aircraft](#)

**Dean Budd** - Good luck trying to get a run up like that in a traffic jam! <haha>  
Can't wait till they go VTOL Jul 1, 2010

**Kieran Simpson** - The tech will probably get more viable in the next decade. Getting people trained how not to kill each other will be the hard part. Jul 1, 2010

**Mike Nguyen** - Phhhh... Back To The Future 2 promised to much & yet delivered so little :( I want my hover boards  
damnit! Jul 1, 2010



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"The razor-toothed piranhas of the genera Serrasalmus and Pygocentrus are the most ferocious freshwater fish in the world. In reality they seldom attack a human."

The world record is 35.54sec typed it correctly using Swype on smartphone.  
[Swype off the fierce piranhas: new way to type on mobile touchscreens | The Australian](#)



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Jun 30, 2010

Swimming pool tops hotel towers in Singapore

