

## Introducing Thinking Bicycle

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Side projects are a great way to experiment with things you personally find interesting.

They are a great way to learn new things, and to experiment with great ideas.

- You need one!
- Don't be worried about success, it's just a toy/experiment/learning experience/whatever.
- Do something out of your comfort zone.
- Do something you personally will find interesting.

I think you should reach for the stars with your toy projects.



Because even if you fail, you'll probably come up with some cool stuff on the way.

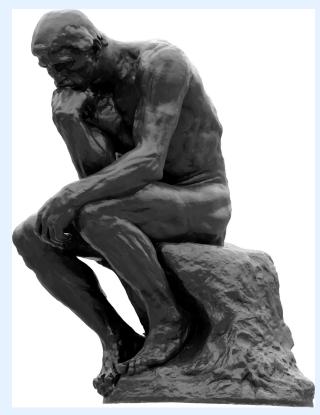


#### I made a website!



(It's not quite that bad.)

## It's called Thinking Bicycle.

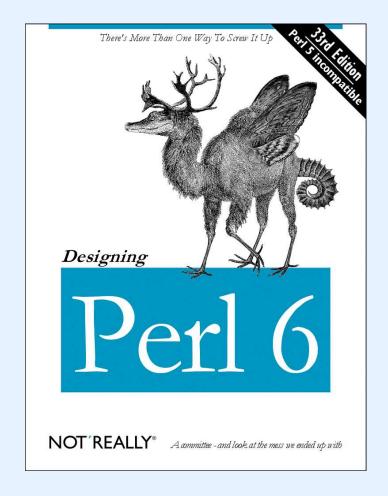




Like so many websites, it's eternally under construction.



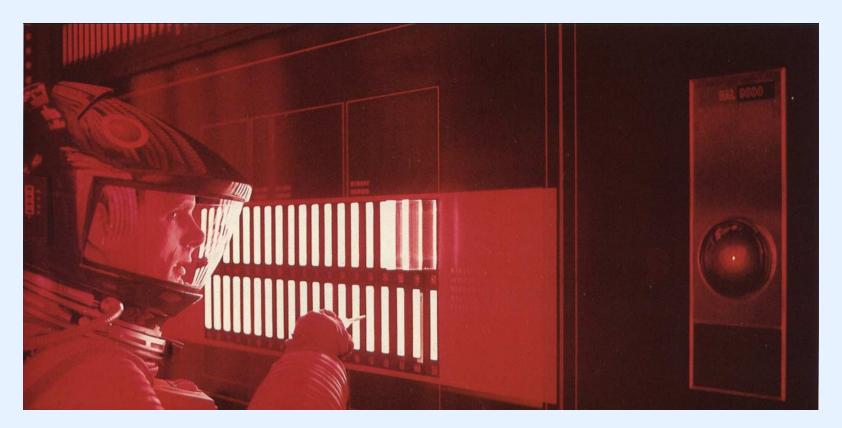
I'm going to talk some about long-term goals, but I'm not trying to sell vaporware.



# What was the original goal of this project? I've always been really interested in AI ...



#### ...Real AI.



If it can't become a murdering Machiavellian psycopath, it's not *real* AI.

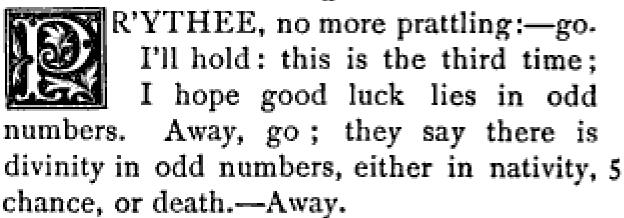
I've started from scratch three times with this project, but I think I'm on the right track now.

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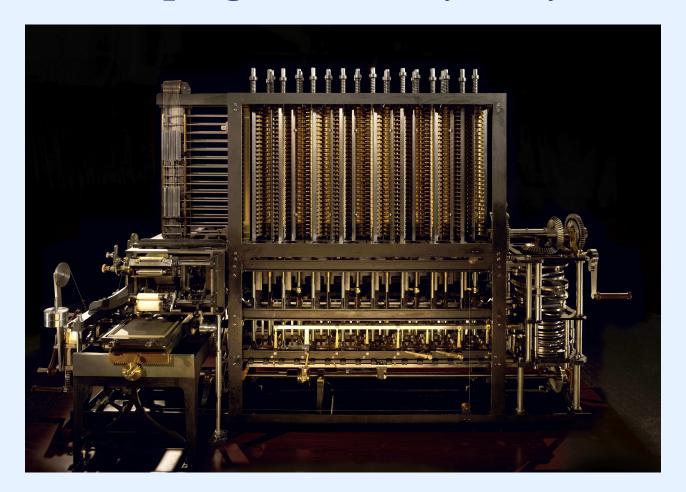
SCENE I.—A Room in the Garter Inn.

Enter FALSTAFF and Mistress QUICKLY.

Falstaff.



### We need programmability everywhere.

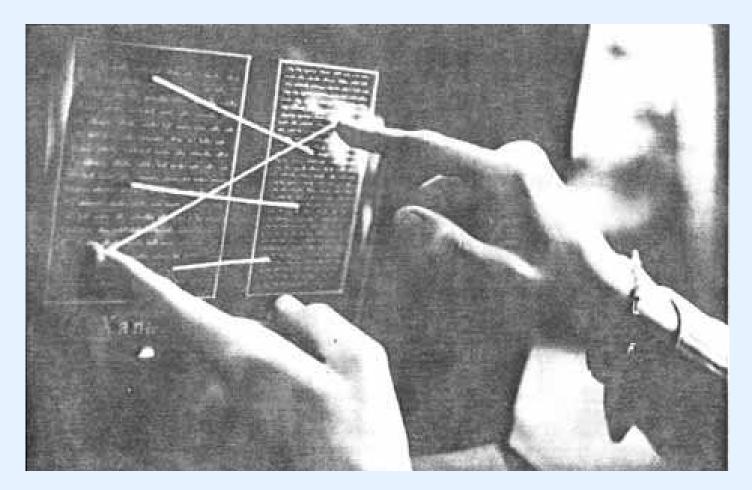


## We need a whole lot of human-curated information, all interconnected.

- Links
- Keywords
- Tags, bookmarks, shares
- Forums, chats, messages
- Notes
- Databases
- Spreadsheets

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## We need xanalogical transclusions everywhere.



We need lots of real data about everything.

And then we can finally get started on the future of human-computer interaction.



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