Economic Aspects of Libre Software

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Assignment: "Leadbeater on open innovation"

Dynamics

- View the video
- Comment on the aspects that are more related to free software
- Select at least one of the following issues (next slides) and comment on it

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Pro-ams/prosumers

- http://www.clunkers.net/
- The role of pro-ams and prosumers to drive innovation.
- More examples of creativity driven by consumers??

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Creativity an innovation sources

- Big firms have a built-in tendency to reinforce past positive experiences...
- ... but that prevents disruptive innovation to show up.
- http://innocentive.com/



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Users can be producers

- http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Shanda
- http://wikifactcheck.org/
- NewsCorp. paywall vs. NYT URL-shortener (social media).

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