

Vocabulary #7

antiseptic

(adj) preventing infection or decay

- **anti = against**



cascade

(v) pour; rush; fall



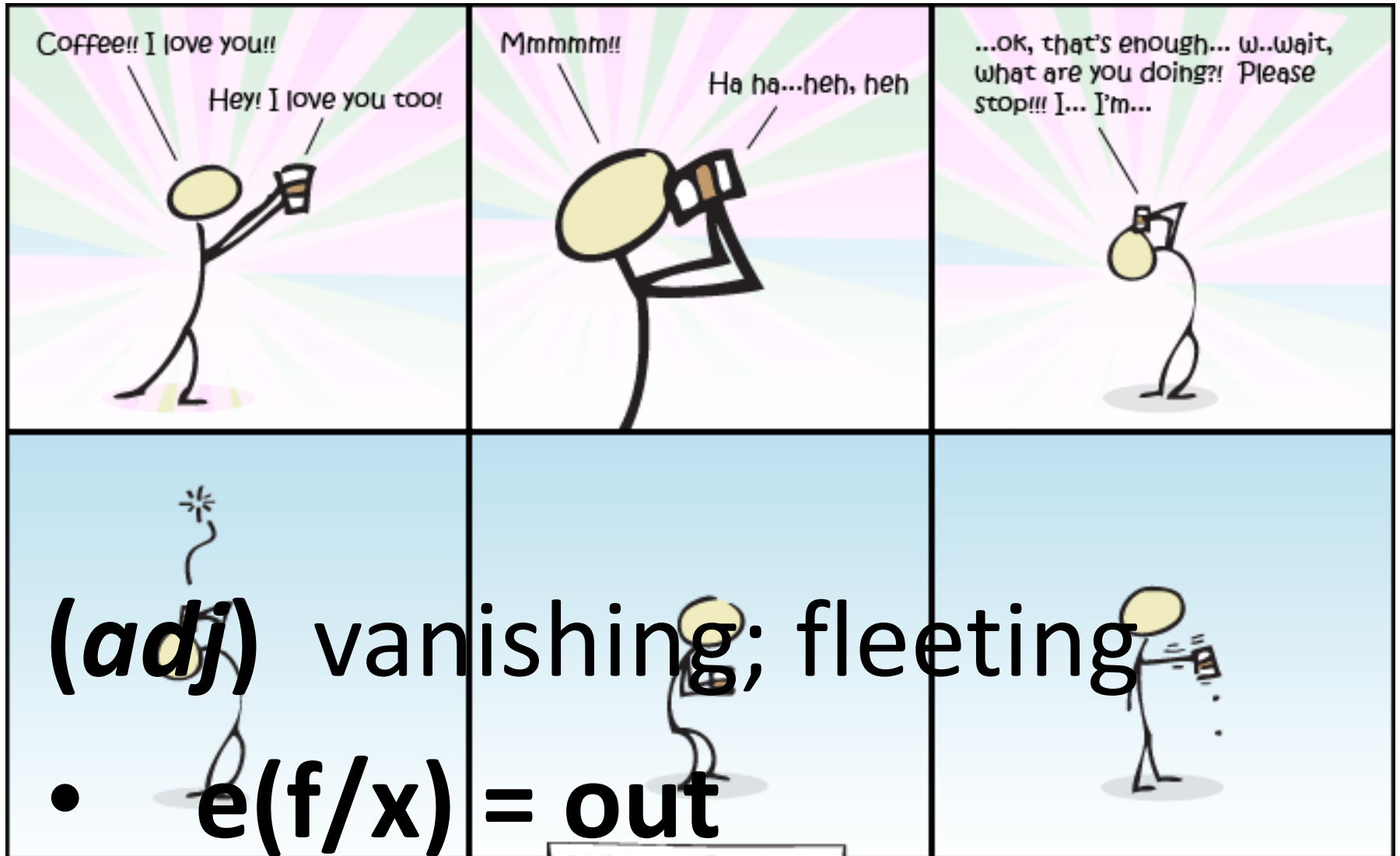
deleterious

(*adj*) harmful to health,
well-being

- de = down
- let = little
- ous = full of



evanescent



gainsay

(v) to deny or contradict

Visual Vocab

GAINSAY

VERB

You just cannot seem to agree on things, you simply dispute and contradict everything, in other words, you gainsay.



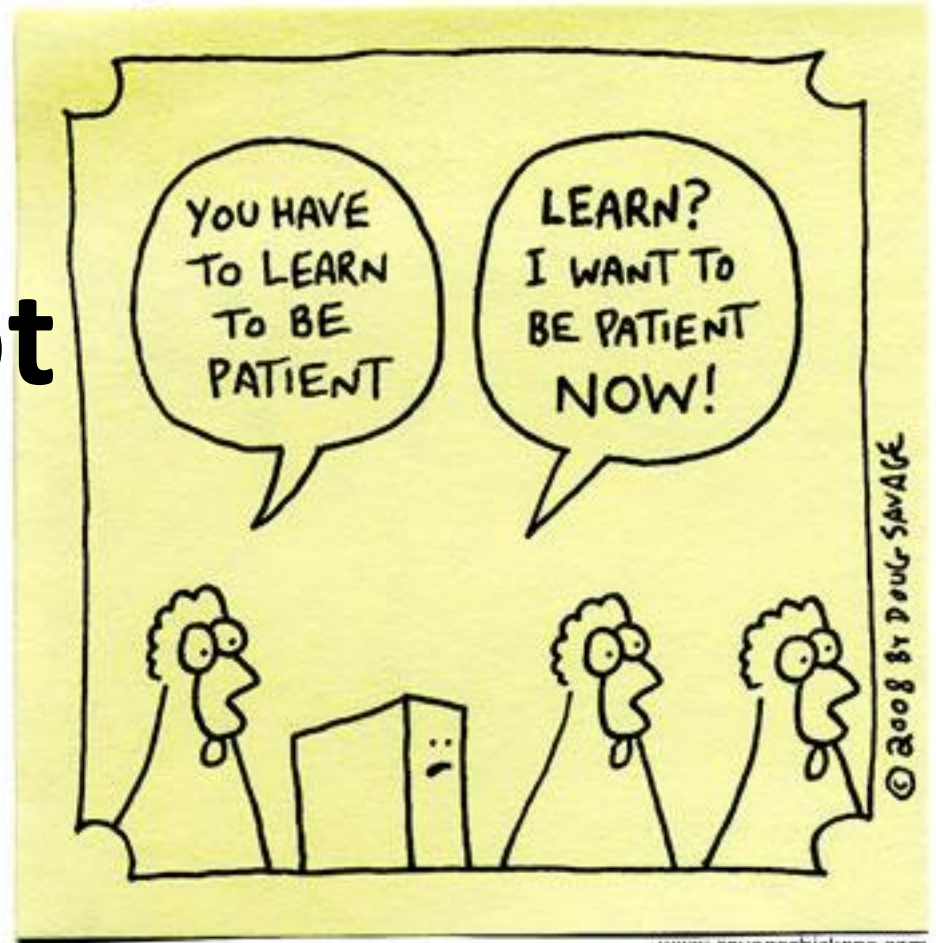
indulgent

(*adj*) lenient;
patient

- **in = in or not**

Savage Chickens

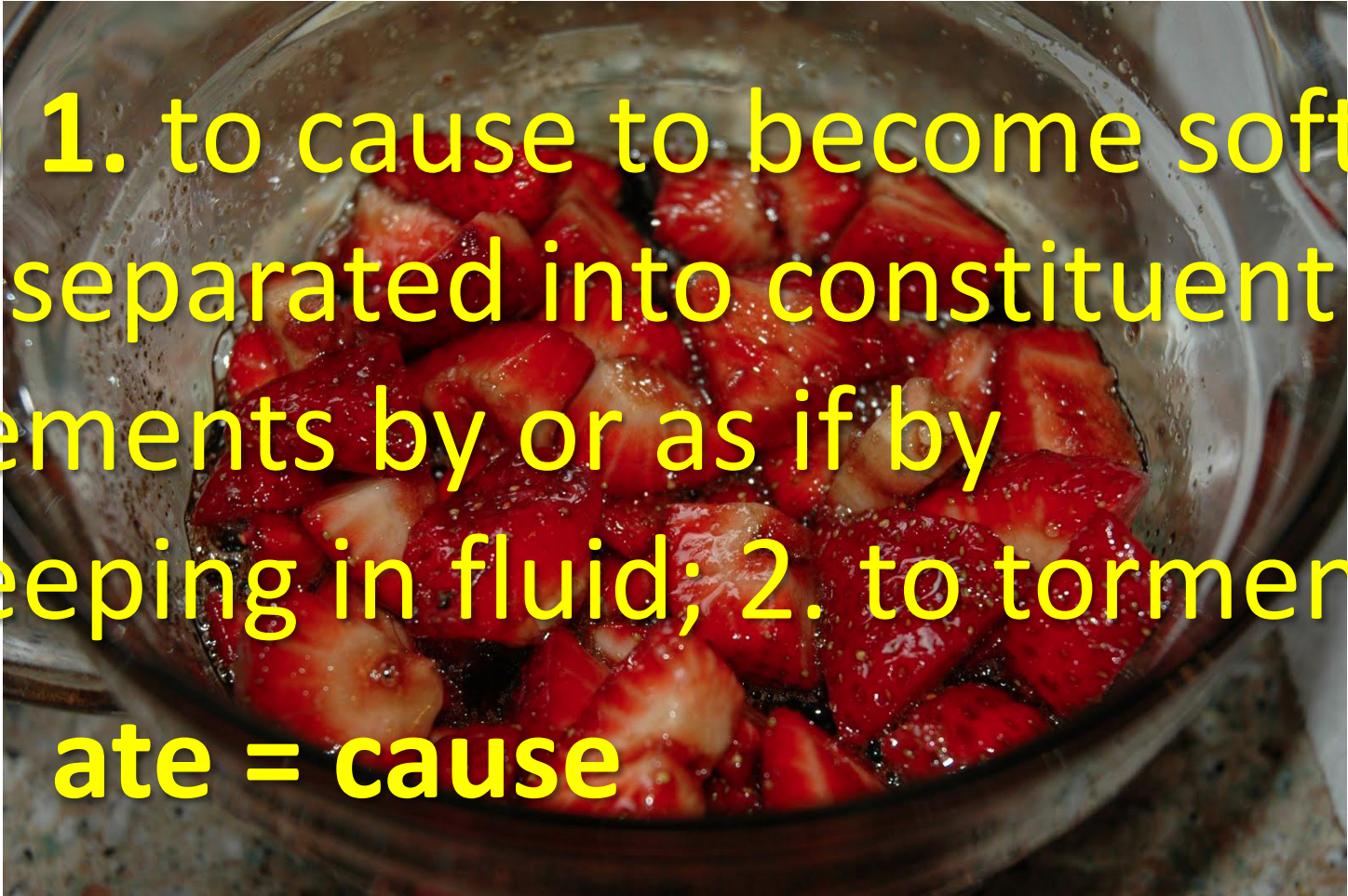
by Doug Savage



macerate

(v) 1. to cause to become soft or separated into constituent elements by or as if by steeping in fluid; 2. to torment

- ate = cause



ostensible

(adj) apparent; declared

OSTENSIBLE

What seems to be but isn't!

Ostensible is what appears
to be as such but not necessarily

so...



quiescent

(adj) inactive; at rest



saturnine

(*adj*) heavy; grave; gloomy

- **ine = nature of**



trek

(v) to make a journey



welter

(*v*) to roll about or wallow



condition

(*n*) factor affecting something (the game)

- con = together
- tion = act or state



FATIGUED

You are very tired.
You cannot run or charge.
Take a -2 penalty to Str and Dex.
Becoming fatigued again makes you exhausted instead.
Resting for 8 hours removes this condition.

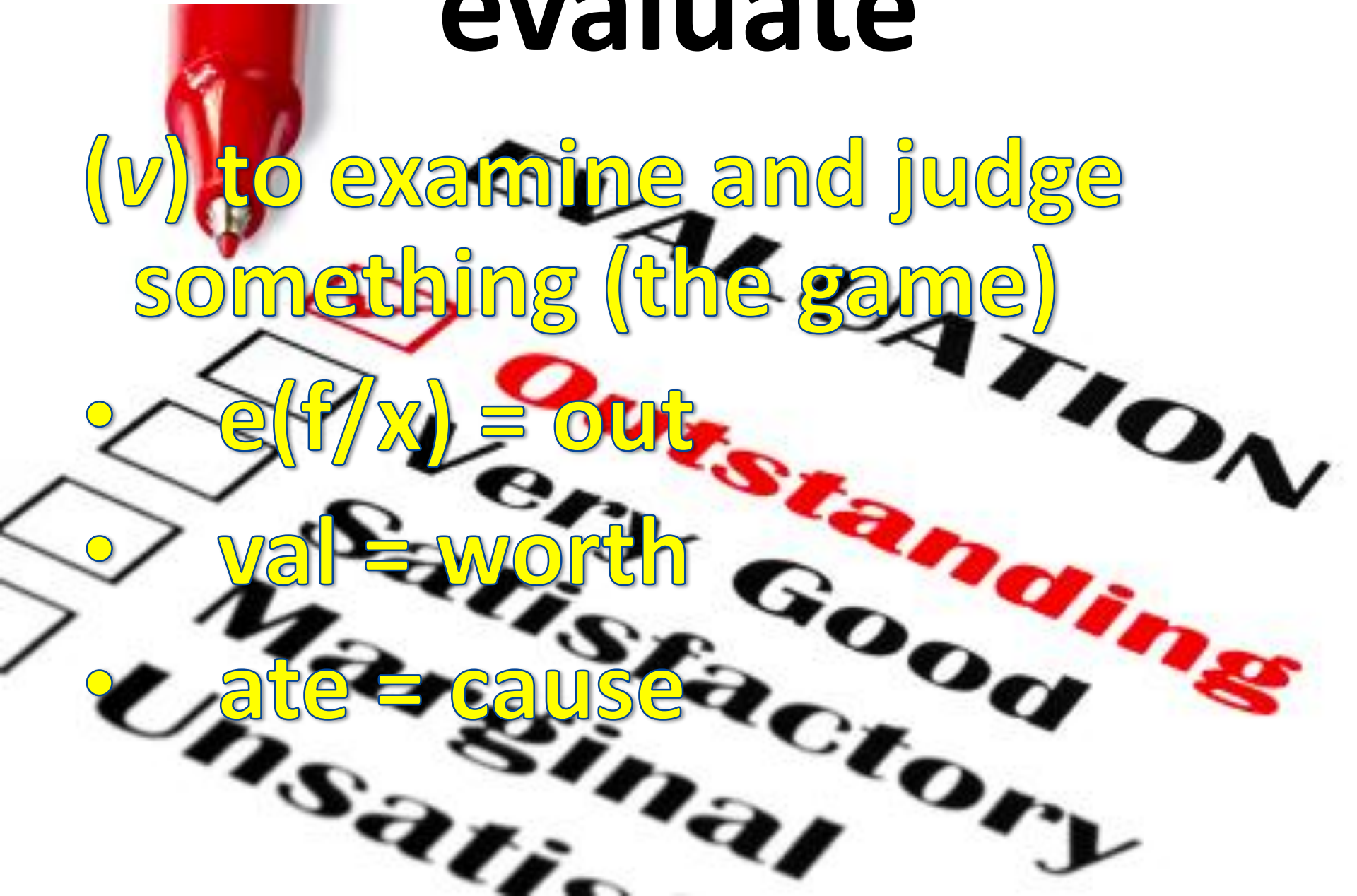
So... Tired...

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evaluate

(v) to examine and judge something (the game)

- $e(f/x) = \text{out}$
- $\text{val} = \text{worth}$
- $\text{ate} = \text{cause}$



mechanics

FRUSTRATING

(*n*) how something (the game) works

- ics = art

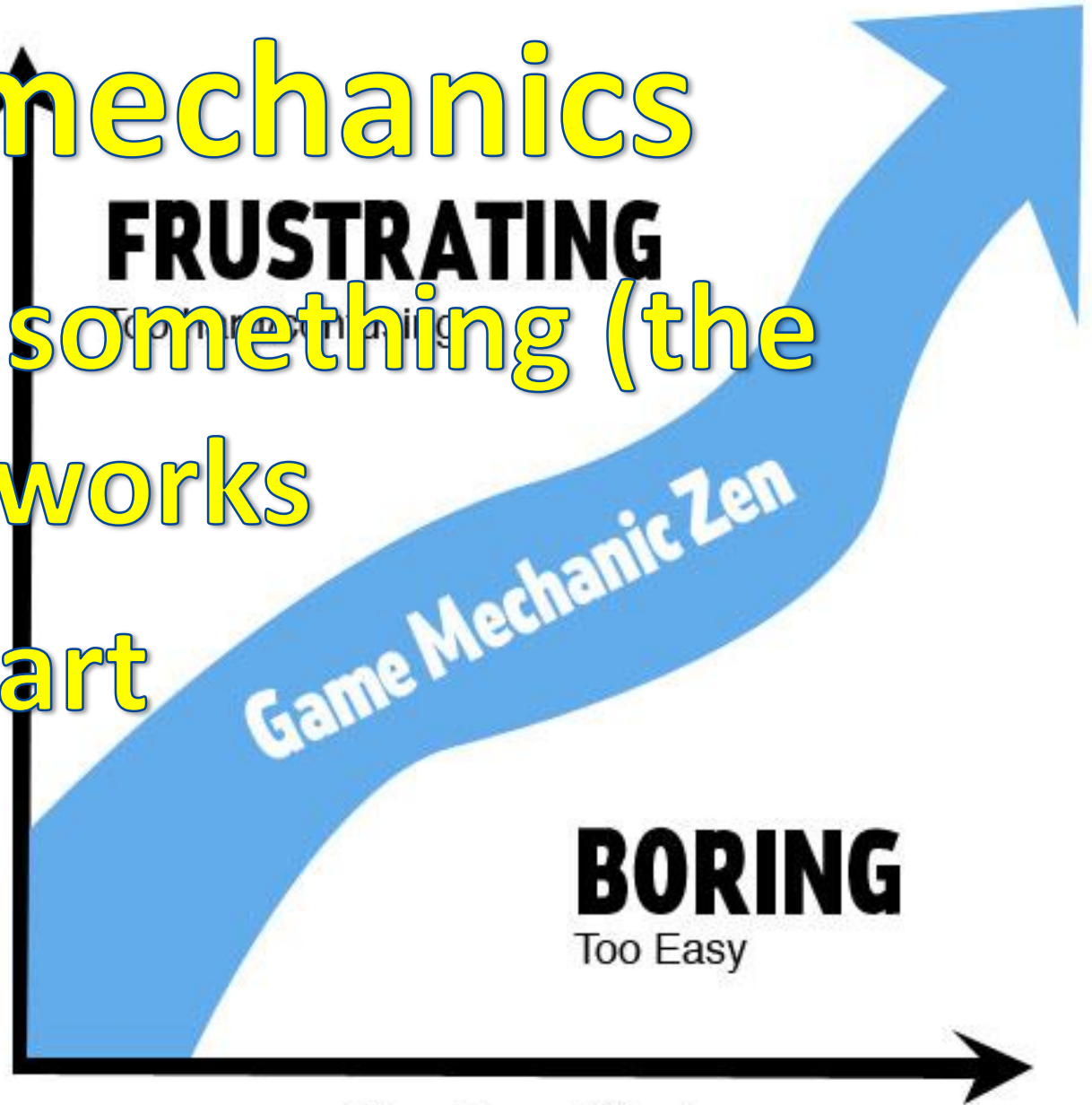
Difficulty

Game Mechanic Zen

BORING

Too Easy

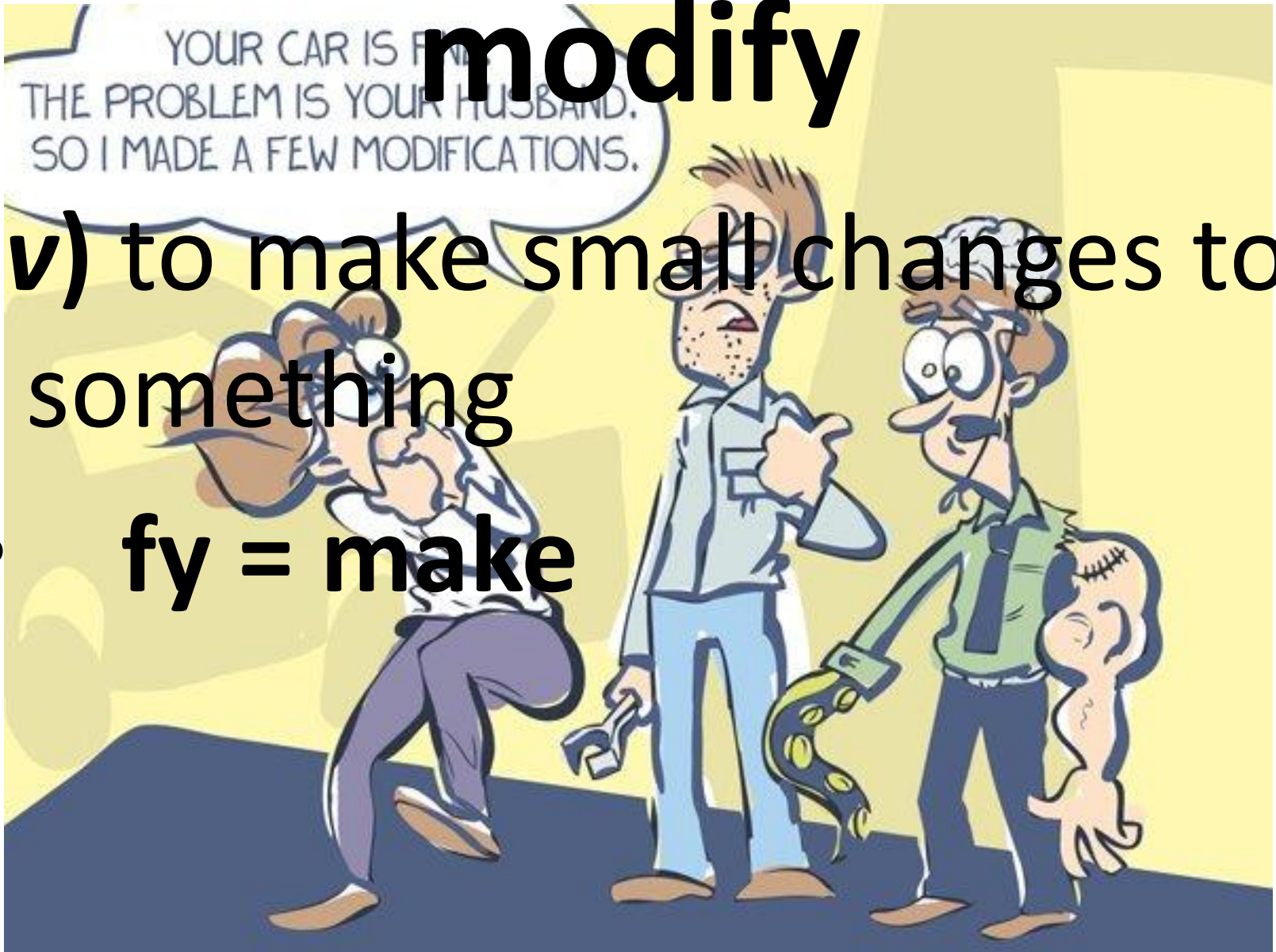
Time Spent Playing



modify

(v) to make small changes to something

- fy = make



playtesting

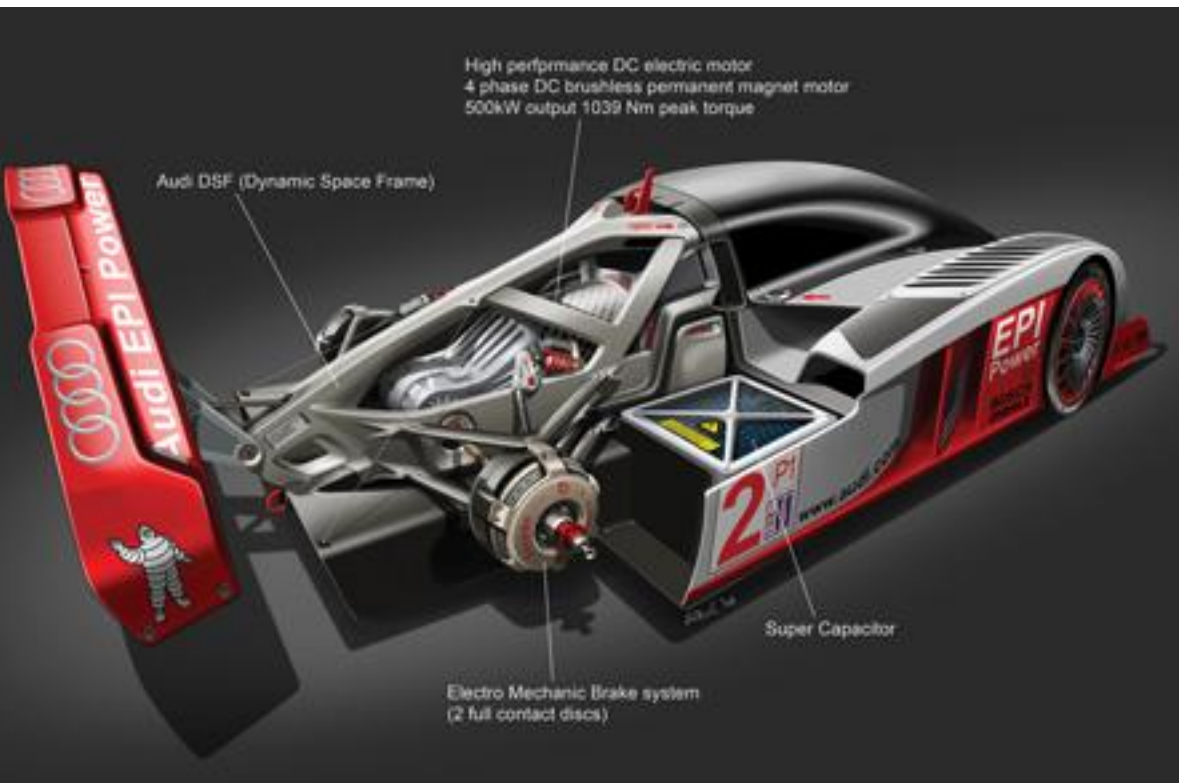
(v) attempting to play the game to determine strengths and weaknesses of the game, rules, etc.



prototype

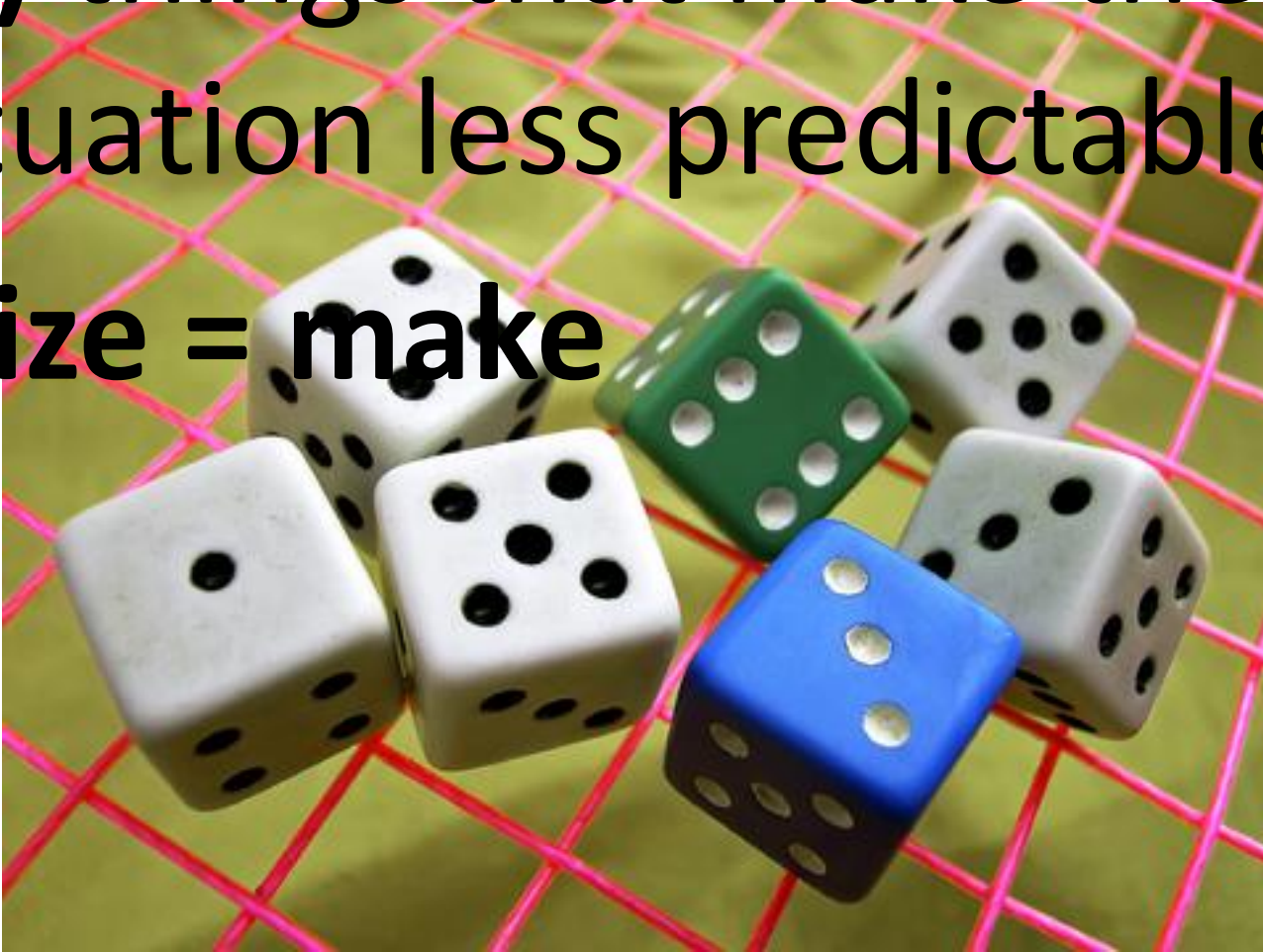
(*n*) original used as a model

- **proto = first**



randomizer

- (n) things that make the situation less predictable
- size = make



tweak

(v) to adjust something
slightly

OH MAN!!

**THAT IS WAY
TOO MUCH**

PRESSURE!

