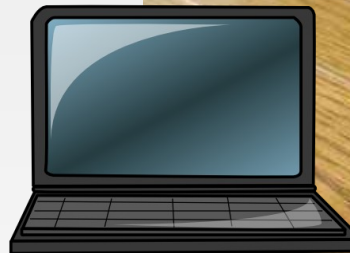
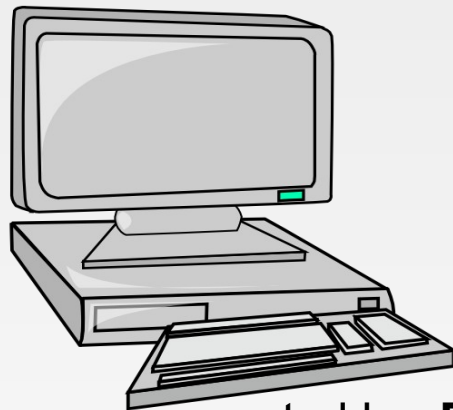
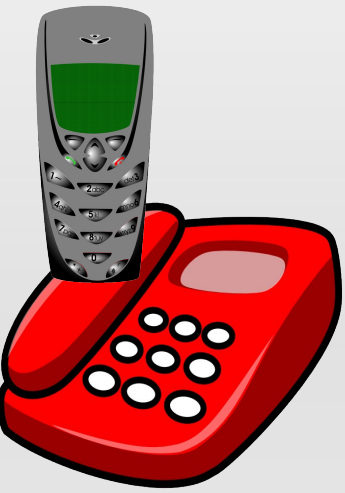


Information and Communication Technology: TECHNOLOGY (EXTENDED MEANING)

TECHNOLOGY



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Question # 3



3. What is the ICT?

ICT = Information and Communication Technology



A "lexical approach":

3 (three, actually 4?)

words:

(1) TECHNOLOGY

(2) INFORMATION

(3) COMMUNICATION



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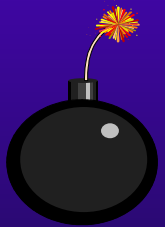
The ISOLATED
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MEANING



Technology:

◆ The ISOLATED meaning

◆ The EXTENDED meaning



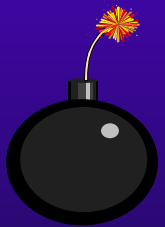
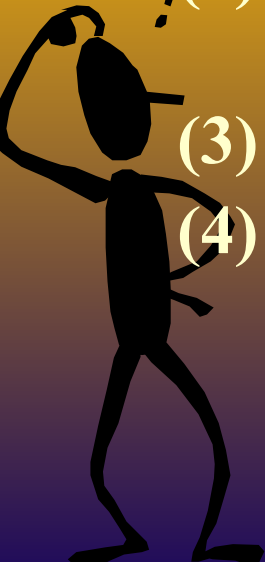
Technology:

◆ The EXTENDED meaning

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(classical books for examples)

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The extended meaning of technology

- *Rogers* [1986, page 1]



Technology is a **design** for **instrumental action** that **reduces the uncertainty** in the **cause-effect relationship** involved in achieving a **desired outcome** [*Rogers*, 1983, p. 12]

The extended meaning of technology

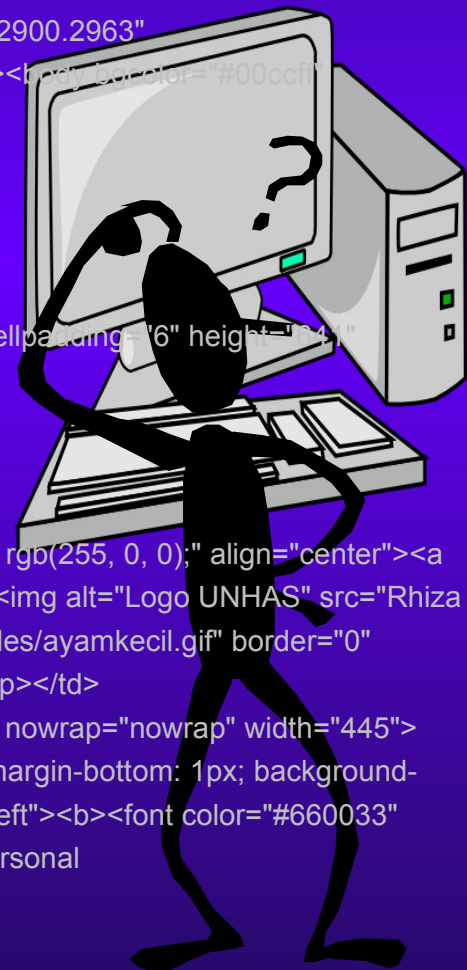
- **Rogers [1986, page 1]**

A technology usually has both:

- a hardware aspect
- a software aspect

andhumanware !

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- Another example:

(in Bahasa Indonesia)

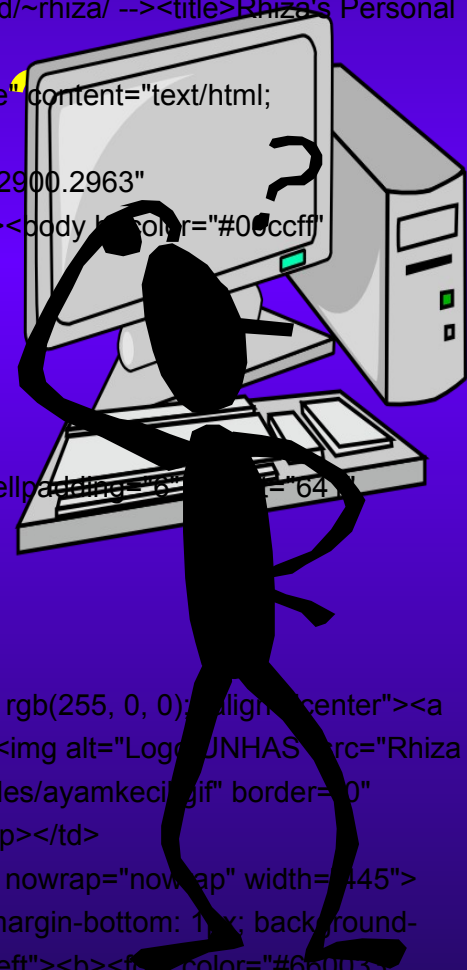
“PENGUASAAN TEKNOLOGI”

What's the meaning of the word “*menguasai*”? Is

“*menguasai*” = to be able

- to own?
- to use?
- to make?
- to understand how it works?
- to repair, to troubleshoot.....?

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- Other examples:

The "level" of technology????

- **HIGH TECH --> SOPHISTICATED**
- **LOW TECH --> SIMPLE**
- **APPROPRIATE TECHNOLOGY**

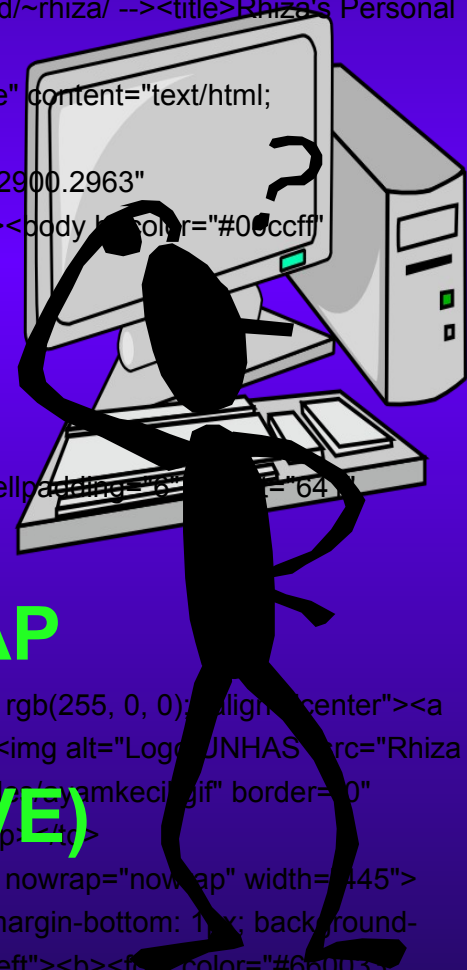
Economic issue :

EXPENSIVE (CAPITAL INTENSIVE) vs CHEAP

Labor issue:

AUTOMATIC vs MANUAL (LABOR INTENSIVE)

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