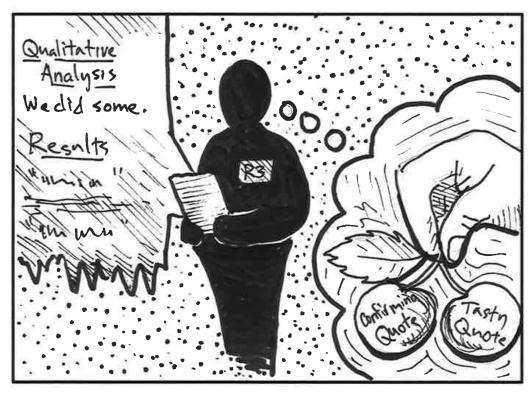
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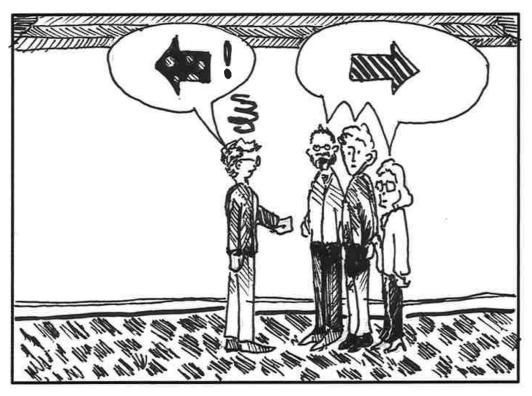
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B is for the Best Practice that I Couldn't Sustain



C is for the Citation that Was Really Needed



D is for the Debate that I Should Have Conceded



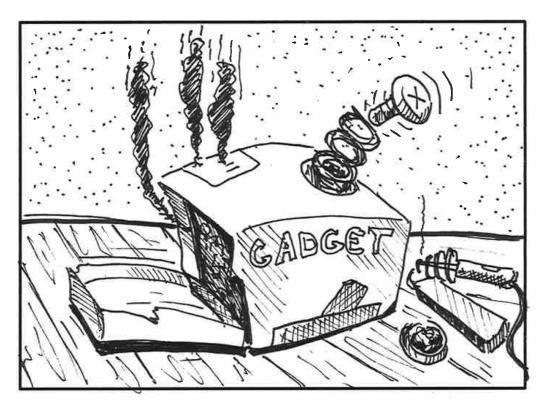
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F is for the Framing that Promised Too Much



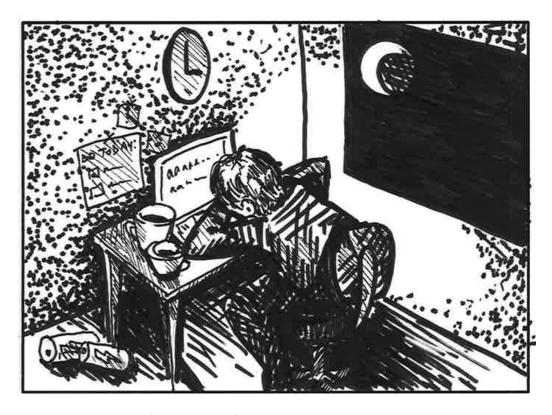
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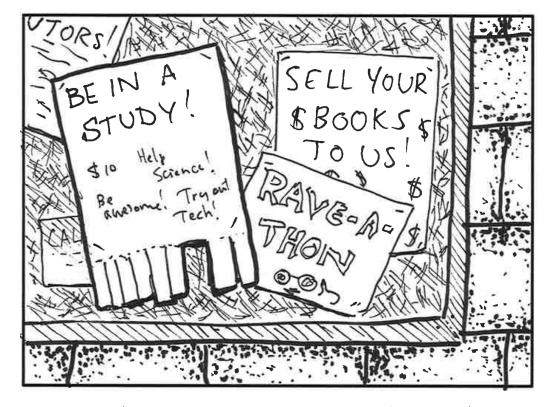
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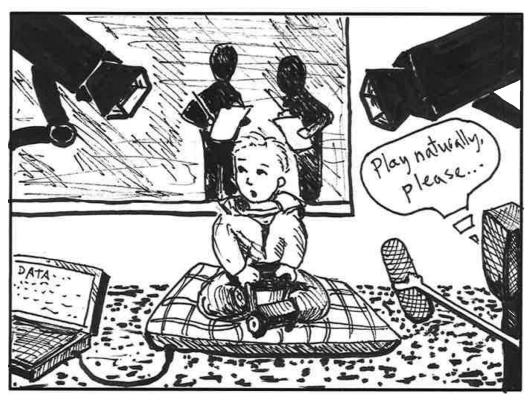
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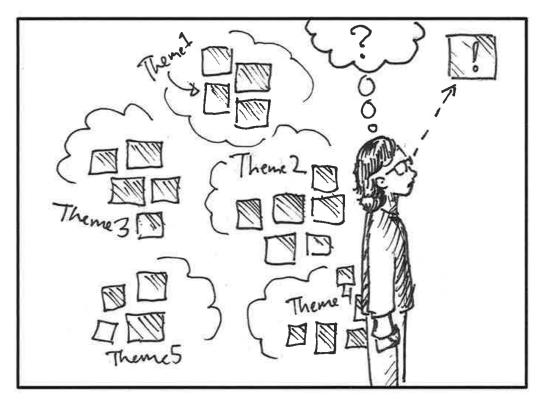
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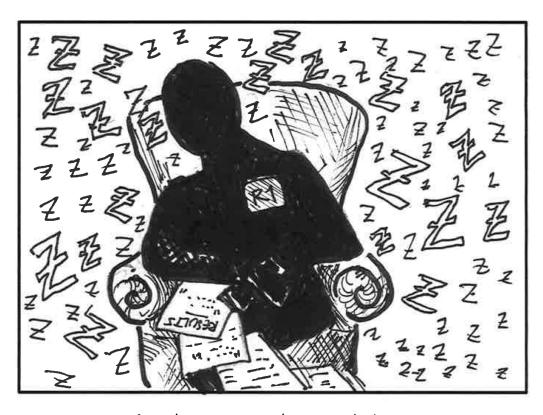
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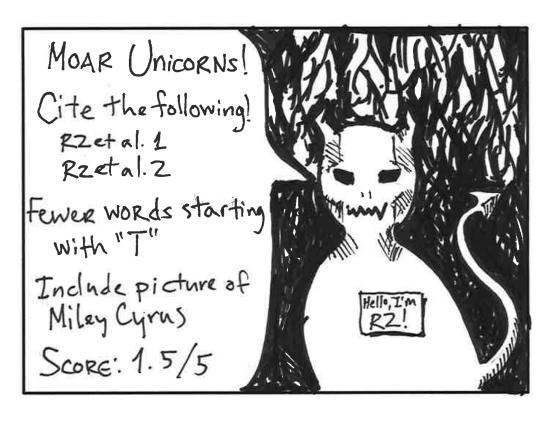
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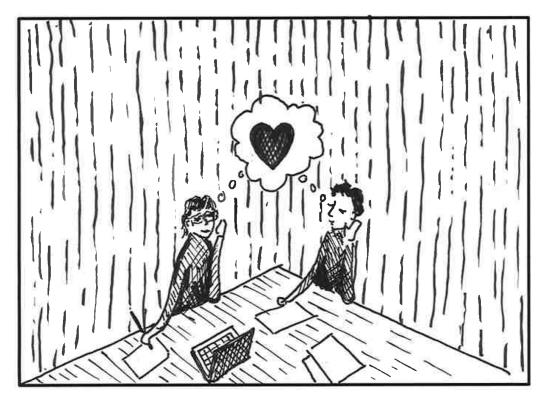
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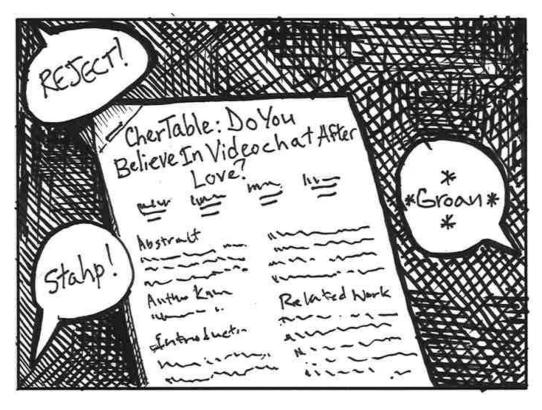
Q is for the Quotes that Failed to Excite



R is for Review Two that Just Wasn't Right!



S is for the Side Project with that Special Someone



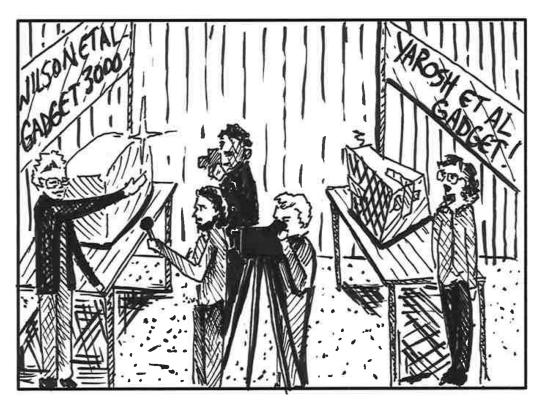
T is for the Title with a Terrible Pun



U is for the Undergrad Who Never Got Data



V is for the Version that Never Got to Beta



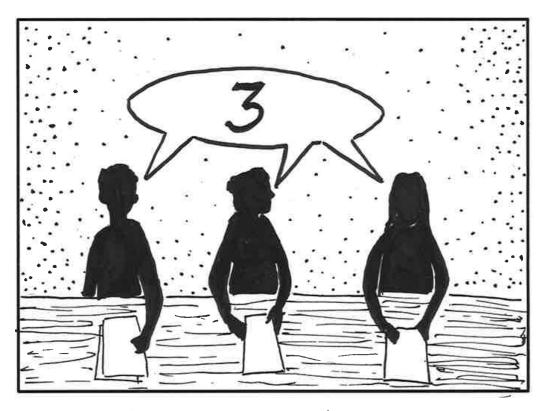
W is for Wilson, A.—Always First to the Tech



X is for the  $X^2$  Which I Didn't Check



Y is for Yelling in a Rebuttal: "I Don't Agree!"



Z is for Zero Reviews Higher Than Three

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