

# Technology

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*Technology is the use of increasingly accurate, self-evident, and reproducible information to replace time, energy and matter.*

*The benefit of technology is NOT in what it lets people accomplish, but in how it improves the character of people.*

*When technology becomes sufficiently obsolete, it becomes an art form.*

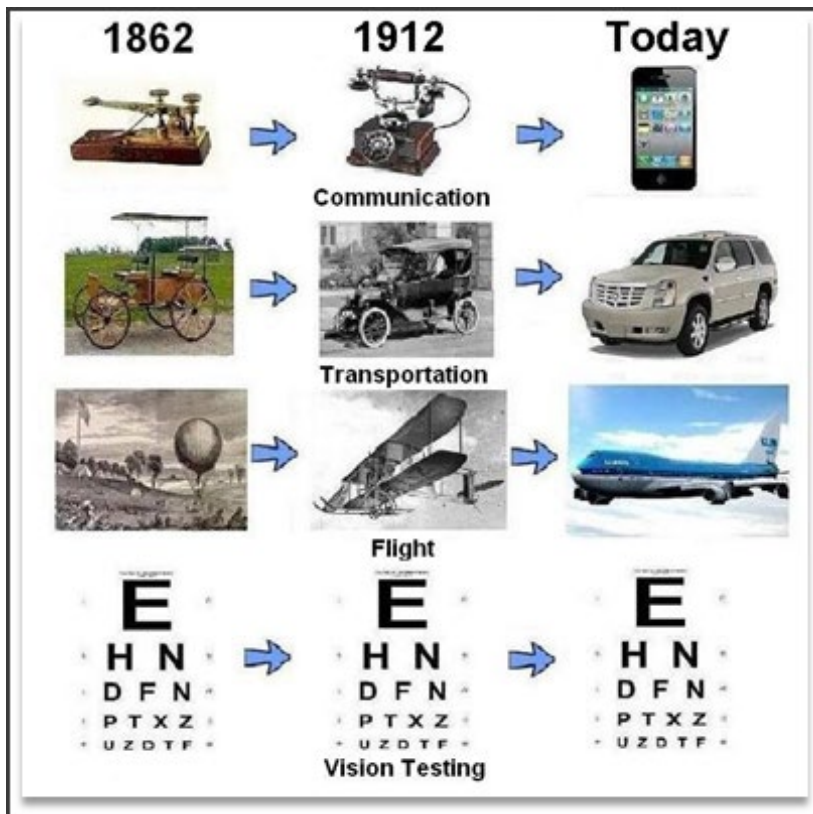
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*The first rule of science is to challenge your own assumptions.*

- [Anonymous](#)

## 163 Years of Technology

Snellen letter-based "technology" is now obsolete



*"Technology is our word for stuff we don't understand."*

- [Douglas Adams](#)

[Jacob Bronowski](#), *"The Ascent of Man"*

*"It is important that students bring a certain ragamuffin, barefoot irreverence to their studies; they are not here to worship what is known, but to question it."*

[Arthur C. Clarke's Three Laws](#)

1. *"When a distinguished but elderly scientist states that something is possible, he is almost certainly right. When he states that something is impossible, he is very probably wrong."*

2. *The only way of discovering the limits of the possible is to venture a little way past them into the impossible."*

3. *Any sufficiently advanced technology is indistinguishable from magic."*

From the "Gates of Repentance" Prayer Book (Chasidic, 18<sup>th</sup> Century)

*"Just as the hand, held before the eye, can hide the tallest mountain, so the routine of everyday life can keep us from seeing the vast radiance and the secret wonders that fill the world."*

**The Scientists' Prayer:**

*"Blessed art thou, Lord our God, Sovereign of the Universe, who enlightens us with Your Commandments and allows us to use honest weights and measures to better see and understand the Universe and You."*

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