

## Modernity and All That Jazz

### Description

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George Carlin telling about his “modernness”  
And...Chap and company tell us about more robust technology (blatantly lifted from a comment section on [Cdr Salamander](#)):Regarding “wheelbooks:”

I’ve been a staff weenie too long, but I remember the half hearted attempts (at spectacular cost!) the sub force made at updating tech. Problem was, paper’s a pretty good tech.

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You don’t have to reboot a wheelbook.

If a wheelbook falls in the water, you can retrieve the data.

Wheelbooks are EMP hardened.

If a wheelbook gets a virus, you just wipe it off and smack the guy who coughed on it.

Wheelbooks are backwards compatible. Upgrades are simpler than drag and drop.

In the event of a loss of power, your wheelbook is still perfectly useable.

Wheelbooks don’t accidentally send pr0n to five hundred of your closest friends.

If it’s ten seconds to live fire and the wheelbook is jostled and lands on the deck...you just pick it up and keep going.

Wheelbooks do not require Wheelbook IT admins, nor endless rules about what background can be put on the wheelbook.

If you have a dirty picture in your wheelbook you’re not very likely to get thrown off the boat and sent to jail.

Personal choice in wheelbooks is not prohibited.

Someone else’s personal choice in wheelbook will not cause your wheelbook to lose all the writing on the pages.

I could go on, but you get the point...

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Further augmented by other reasoned individuals, these add ons:

Wheelbooks aren't forbidden in SCFs

Wheelbooks won't shut down on you in the middle of a meeting when the battery rolls over and dies

– SJS

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Gravatar you don't have to worry about a cracked screen or broken/lost stylus.

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