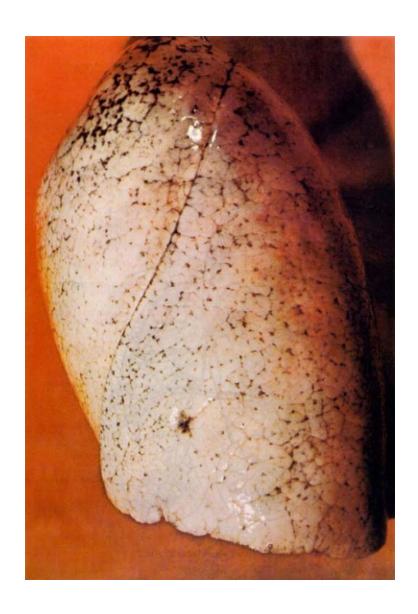
Advertising...

Mock or recreate assignment

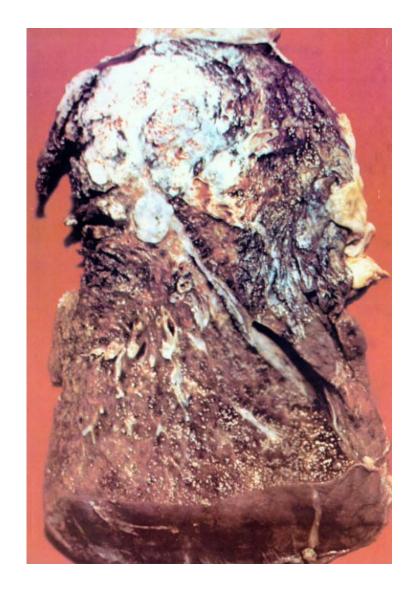


Most often, the purpose of advertising is to sell a product (regardless of what it is.)



Clean, healthy, lung (above) Lung cancer (right)

Even if that product is harmful to the user...

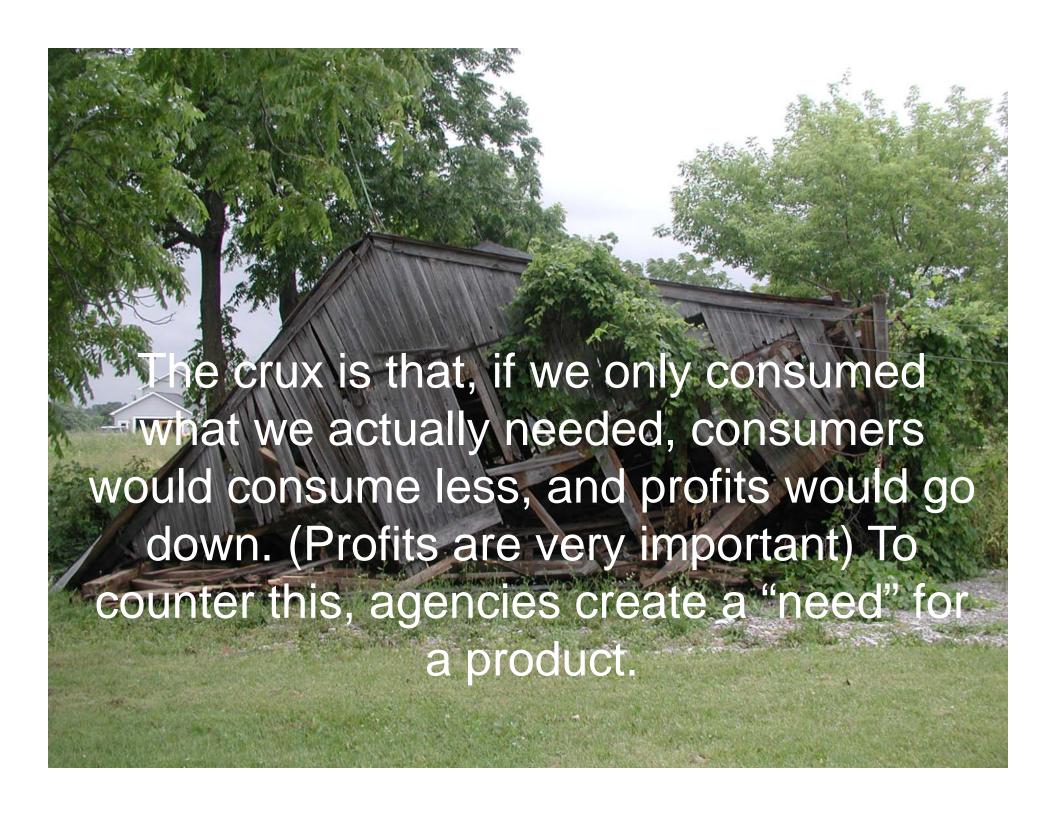


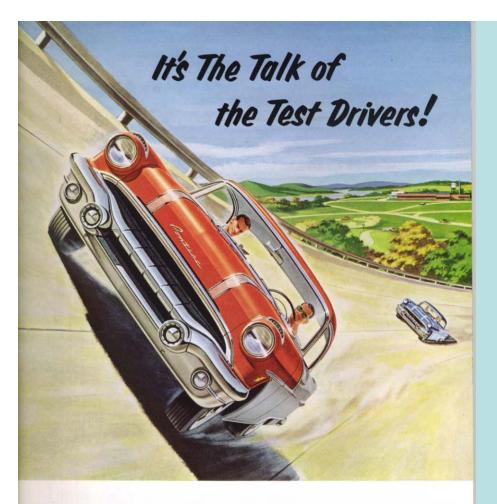
Nevertheless, we are humans, we have desires and we do need <u>some</u> products (food, shelter, and clothing.)











THE FABULOUS '56 PONTIAC WITH A BIG AND VITAL GENERAL MOTORS "AUTOMOTIVE FIRST"!

Believe us—it isn't easy to impress a test driver!

But they're cheering Pontiac in a big way.

What's set them buzzing is that big and vital General Motors "First" combining:

Pontiac's new big-bore Strato-Streak V-8 with the terrific thrust of 227 horsepower.

General Motors' new Strato-Flight Hydra-Matic* that gentles this mighty "go" to smoothness beyond belief.

You don't need a test track to prove that here is the lift of a lifetime.

Traffic tells you. Here's "stop-and-go" response as fast as thought itself. A hill helps. High or low, it's left behind without a sign of effort. And passing definitely pins it down. Gun it and instant, flashing power sweeps you swiftly by the loitering car ahead. No drag, no lag—just safe and certain "go"!

There's plenty more to charm you. The safety of big new brakes, a steady ride, advanced controls. Glamorous new beauty.

But, above all, it's that fabulous new "go" that gets you!

Drive a Pontiac today for a glorious double thrill. There'll be pride in your heart, a torrent at your toe-tip. What more could anyone want?

"An extra cost ontio

'56 PONTIAC

Making products obsolete is one way of continuing to sell a product.

Hence having new cars every model year, making the older models obsolete.

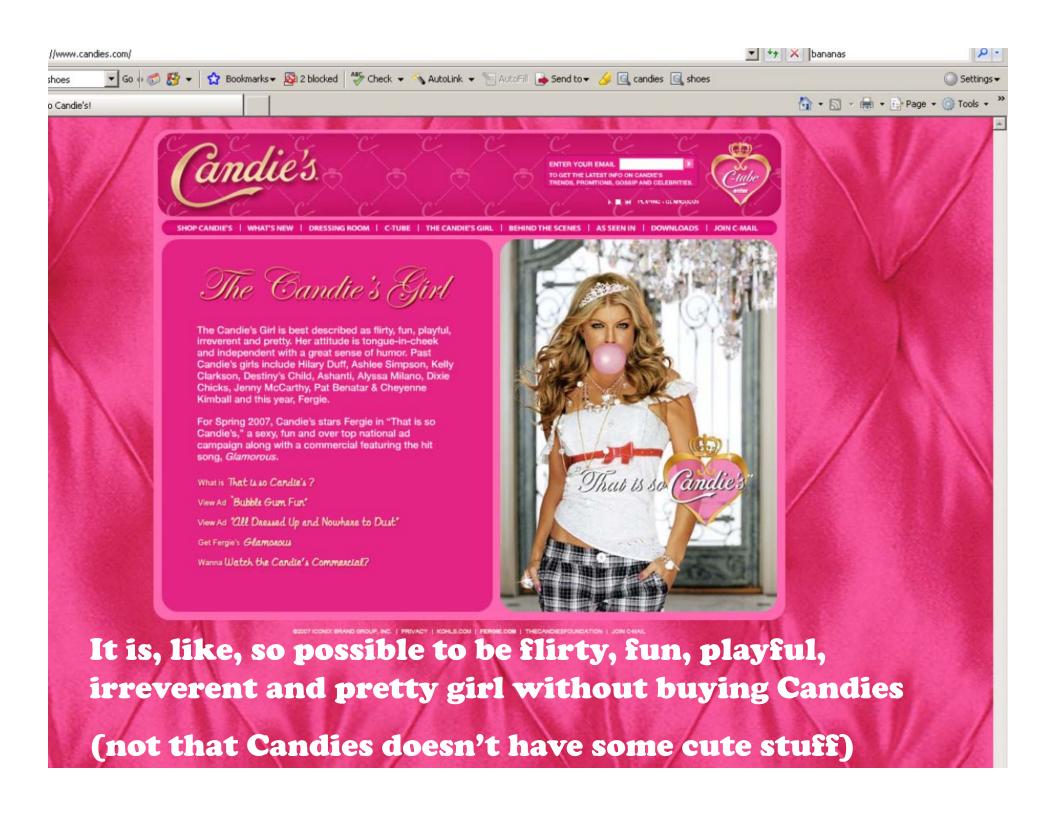
The point being that a car really is just a car.

PONTIAC MOTOR DIVISION OF GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION



Another way is that instead of trying to sell a product on its qualities, you associate it with a style of life that your consumers want to be associated with.

This is known as "Lifestyle" advertising





The theory is that if you buy product "x" you will become the person seen using the product in advertisements. (Cars, booze and cigarettes are notorious for this.)



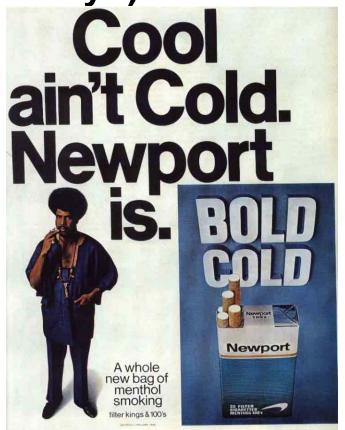
Reality







"Cool" has been very popular as of late... say, oh the past 30 years (nice photo reference, hey?)





NEW YORK, NY—DJ Johnny Woo, still suffering from amnesia, was spinning last night at Club Nine when Colin Pearsall, Club Nine's head bartender, asked Woo what he wanted to drink. Woo

know why he was so surprised."

surprised Woo a Heineken.

Fans at Club Nine were not surprised at all though by the presence of the green bottle next to Woo. "I've seen him

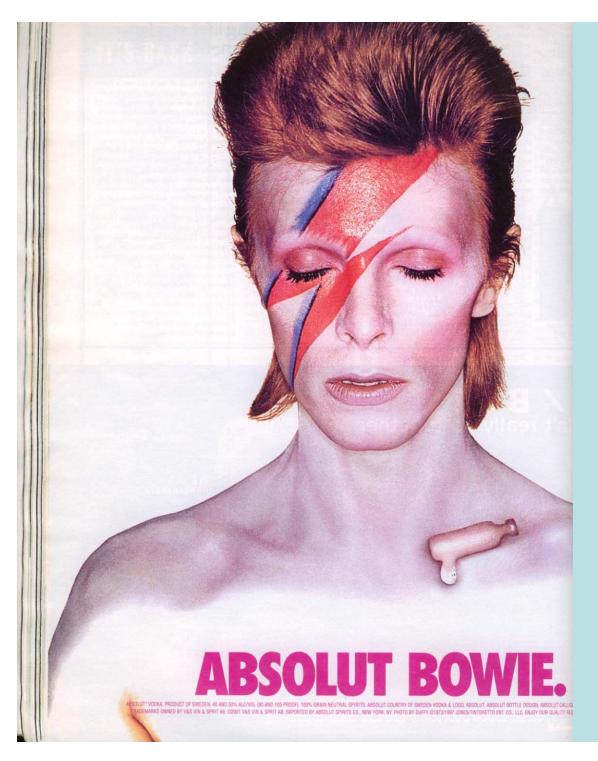
responded, "The usual." Pearsall handed a

When asked about the surprised expression on his face Woo said, "I remember liking beer a lot but everything else is a blank."

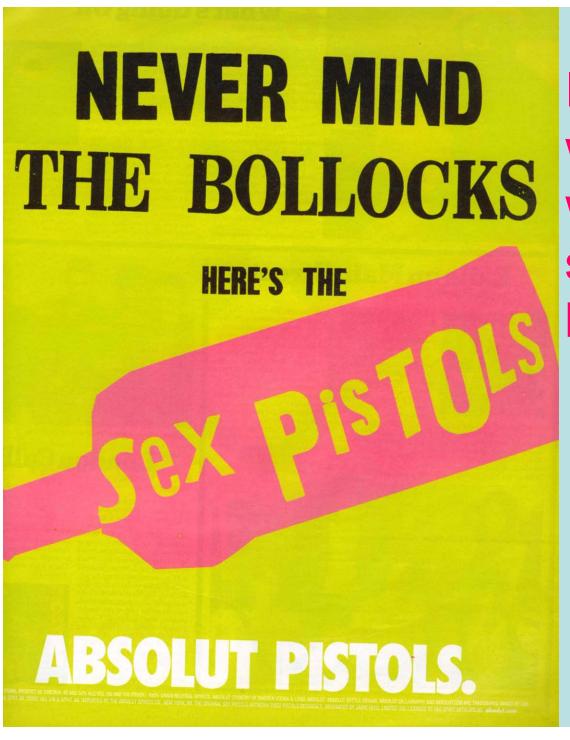
heineken.com/headlines

Another interesting idea for an ad campaign, but nowhere in the ad does it mention the actual merits of the product being advertised.

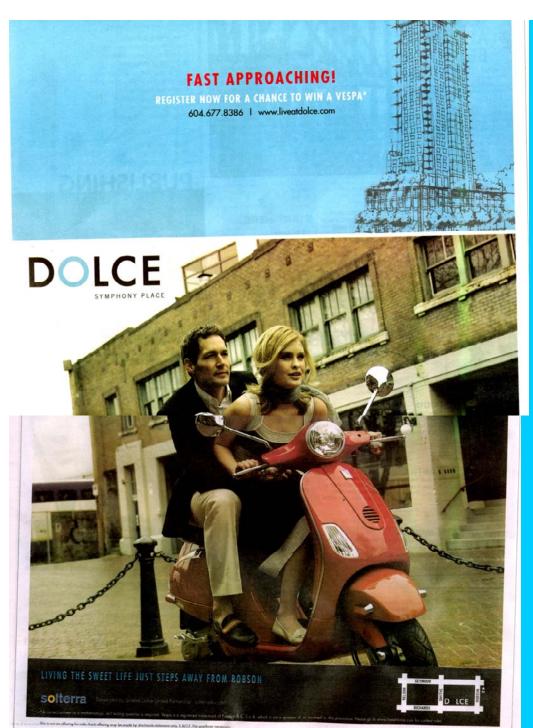
What demographic is this aimed at?

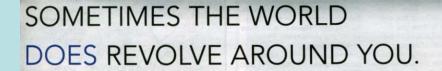


What does David Bowie know about Vodka?



I'm not sure whether Sid would be sickened...or honoured









At Watercolours in Burnaby, you truly are at the centre of it all. Take the SkyTrain to a downtown restaurant or a hockey game at GM Place.

Visit the farmers' market at Deer Lake Park or walk to the shops at Brentwood Town Centre.

Urban living with a spin.

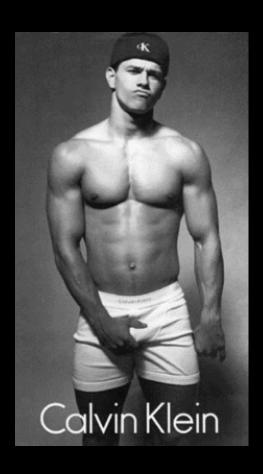


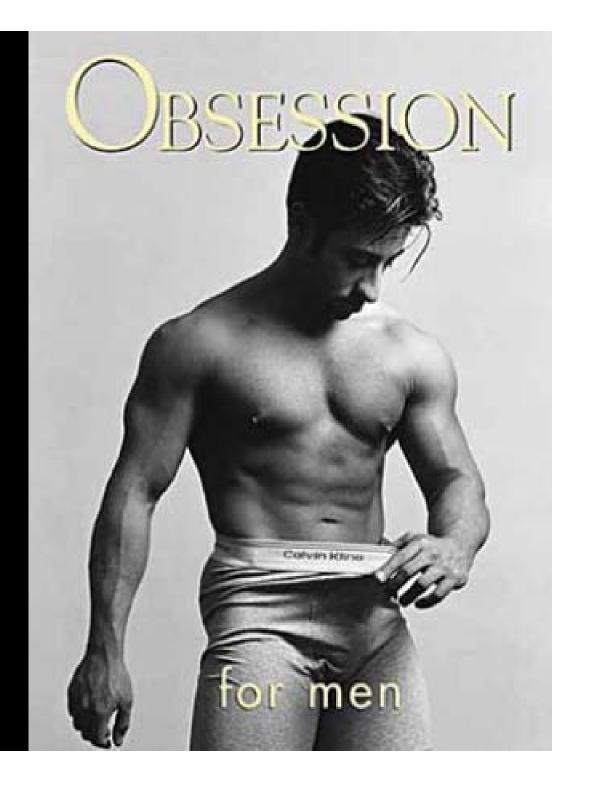




"This is all very informative" I'm sure you're thinking...but so what...

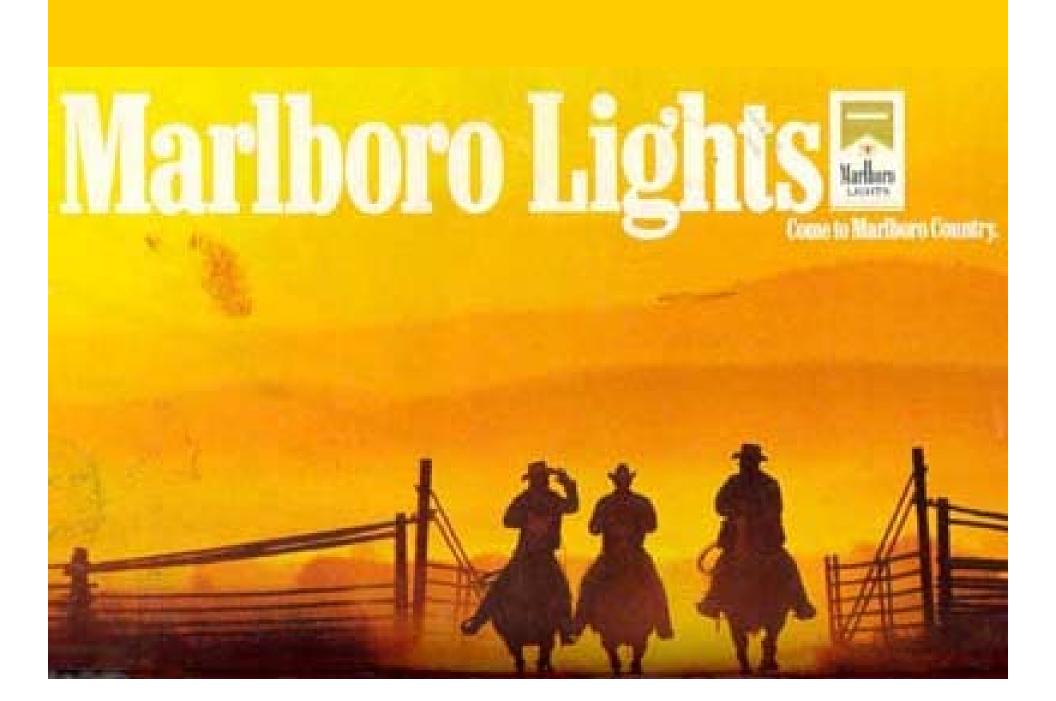
Well, a bunch of people have been making spoof ads for a while that lampoon the absurdity of some advertising campaigns...







for women

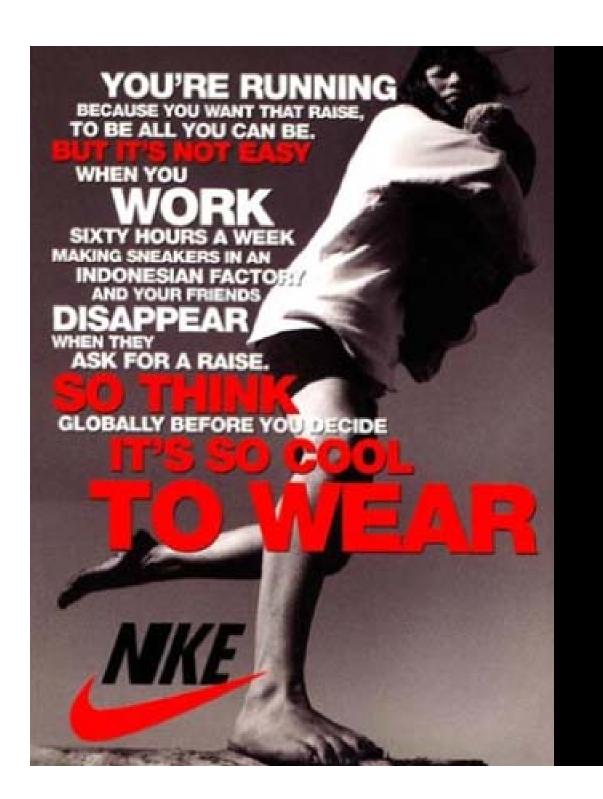


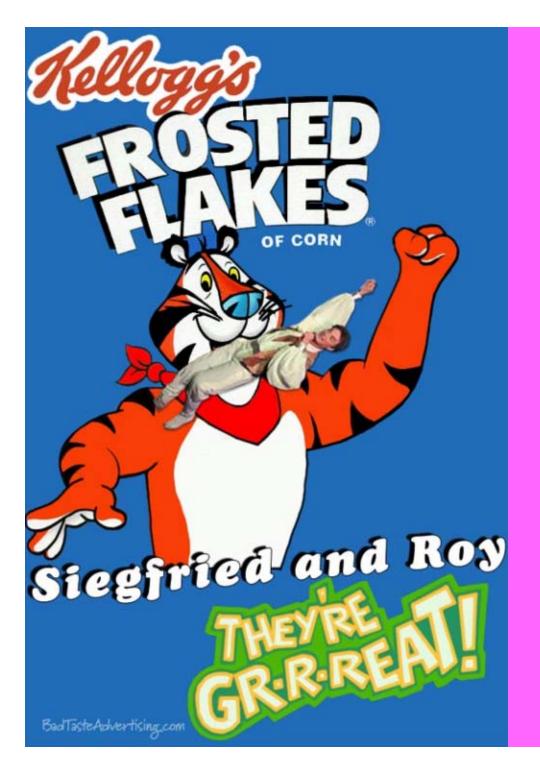


Marlboro Country.









Finally, to end on a high...or low, note!