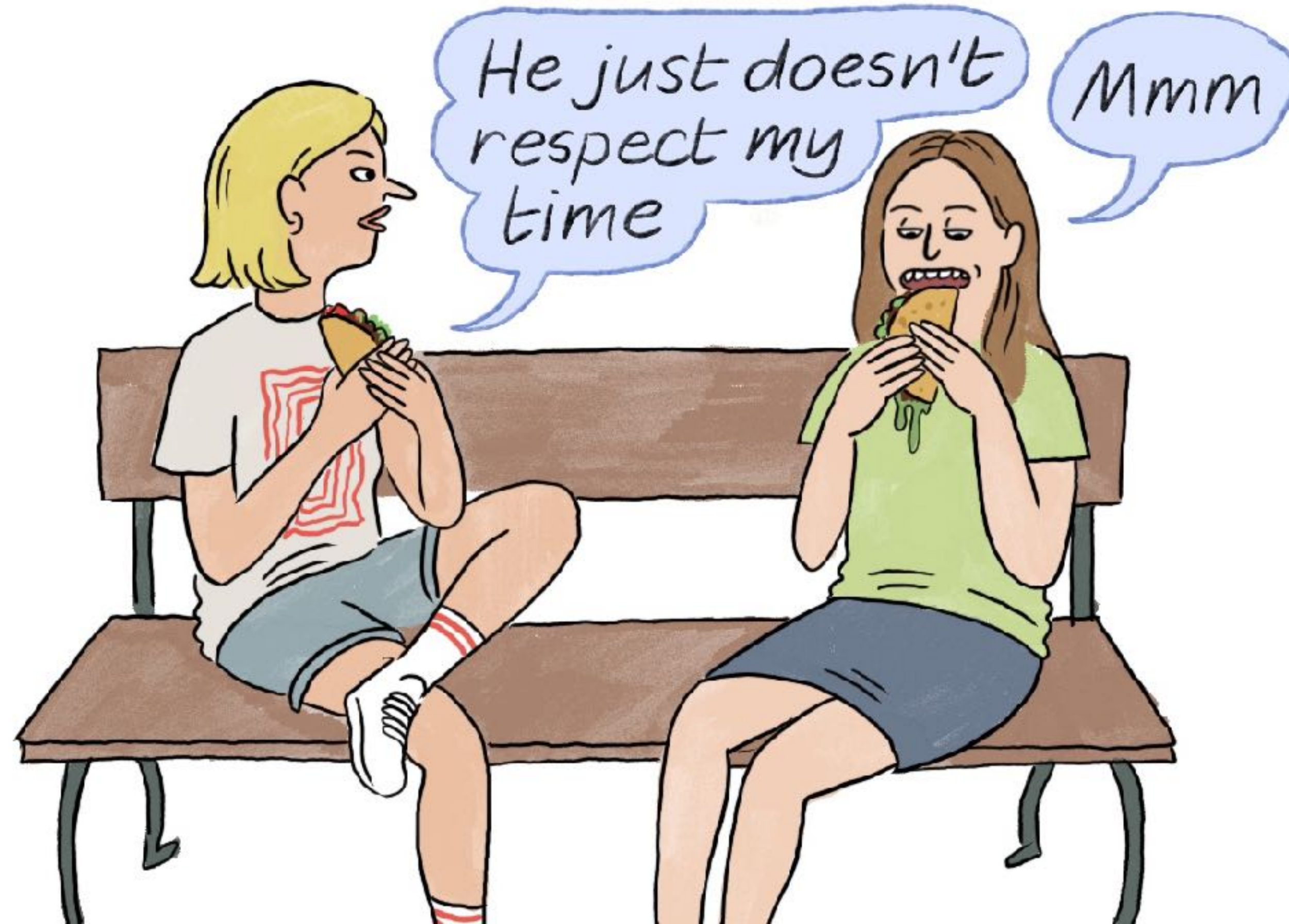




Guess what I
had for lunch

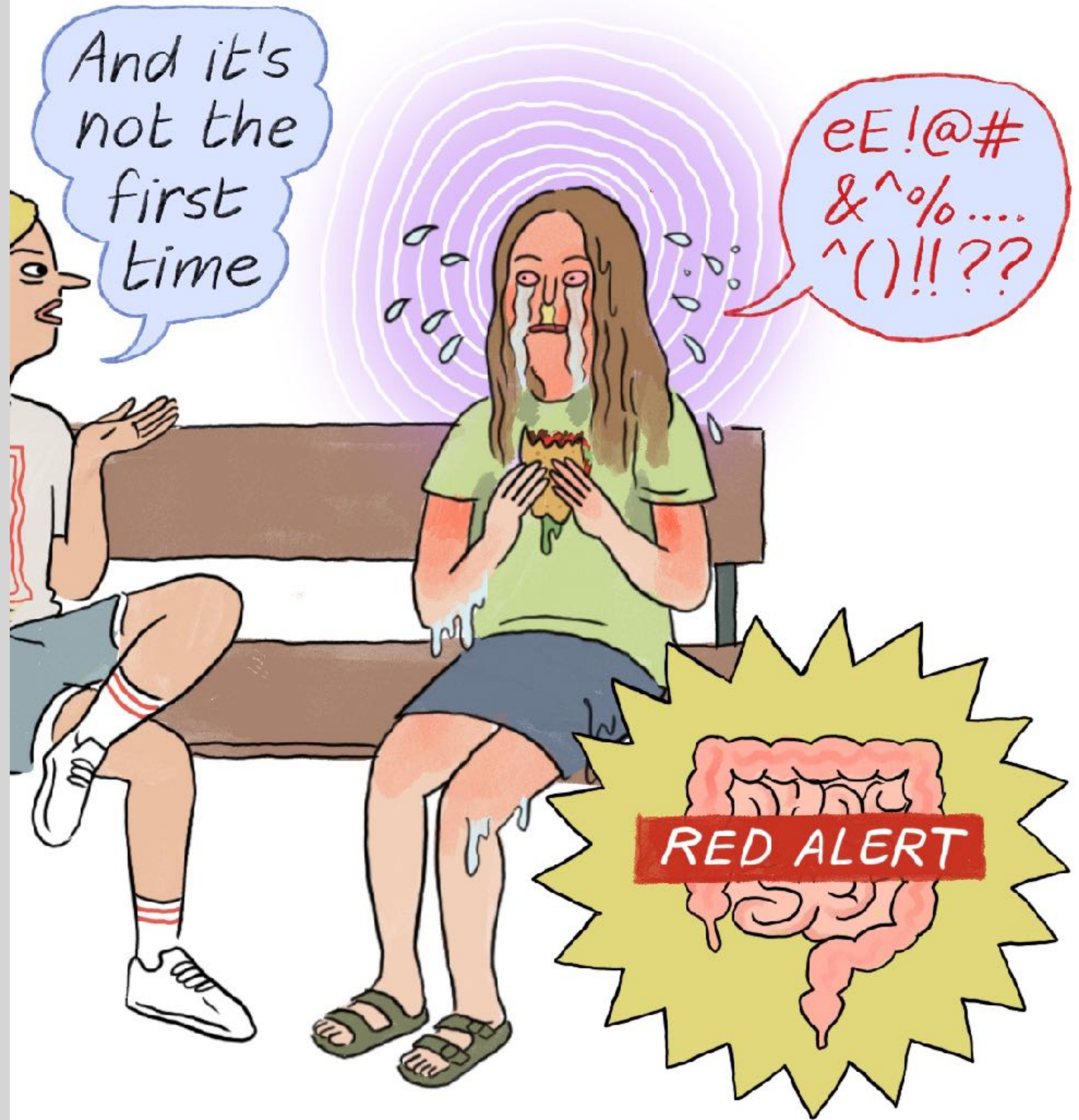


**TRYING TO MAINTAIN A
CONVERSATION AFTER
MISJUDGING THE SPICINESS
OF AN INNOCENT-LOOKING
GREEN SALSA**



Booking a meeting 10 minutes before the end of the day?! On a FRIDAY!





And it's not the first time

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RED ALERT

Maybe I should raise it with HR?



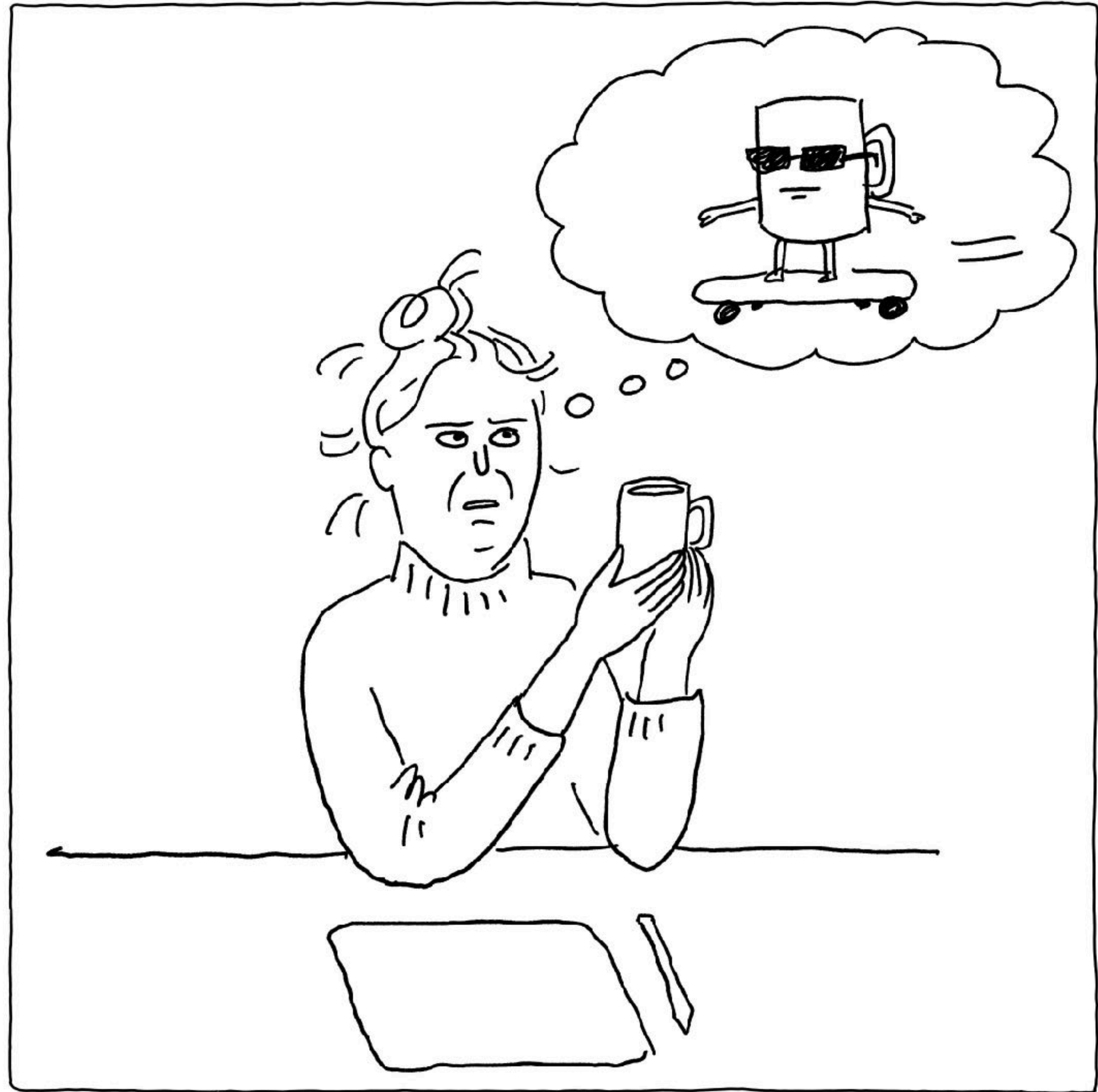
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Dress to Distress



My boyfriend owns a fleece
which can only be described
as harrowing

I explained how the fleece made me feel



And suggested some solutions





Pedicure



I was embarrassed to reveal
my feet to the pedicurist

And stressed by the thought
of the tools they might need
to tackle them

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A drill?

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A drill?



A welder?

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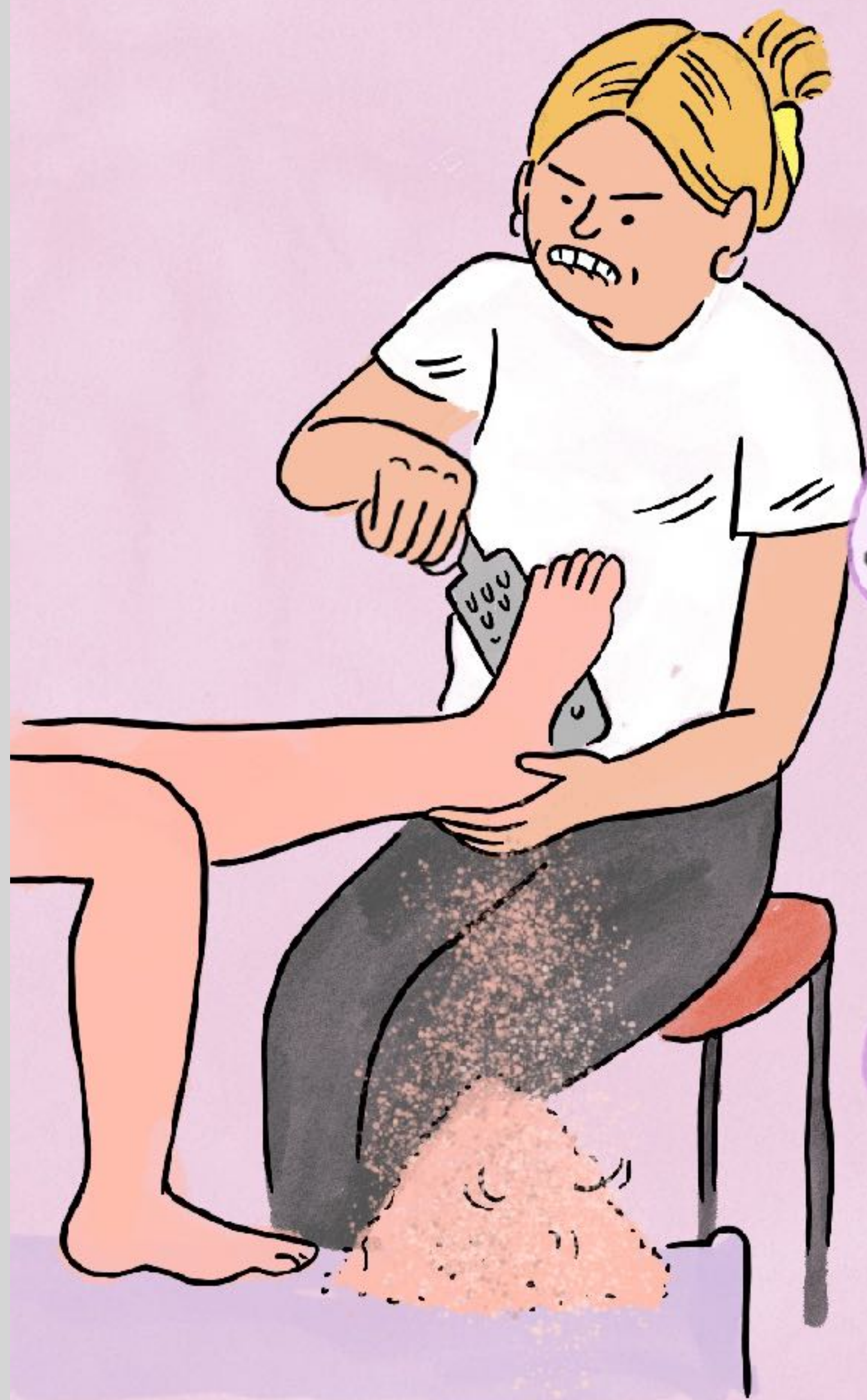
A Geiger counter?



A drill?



A welder?



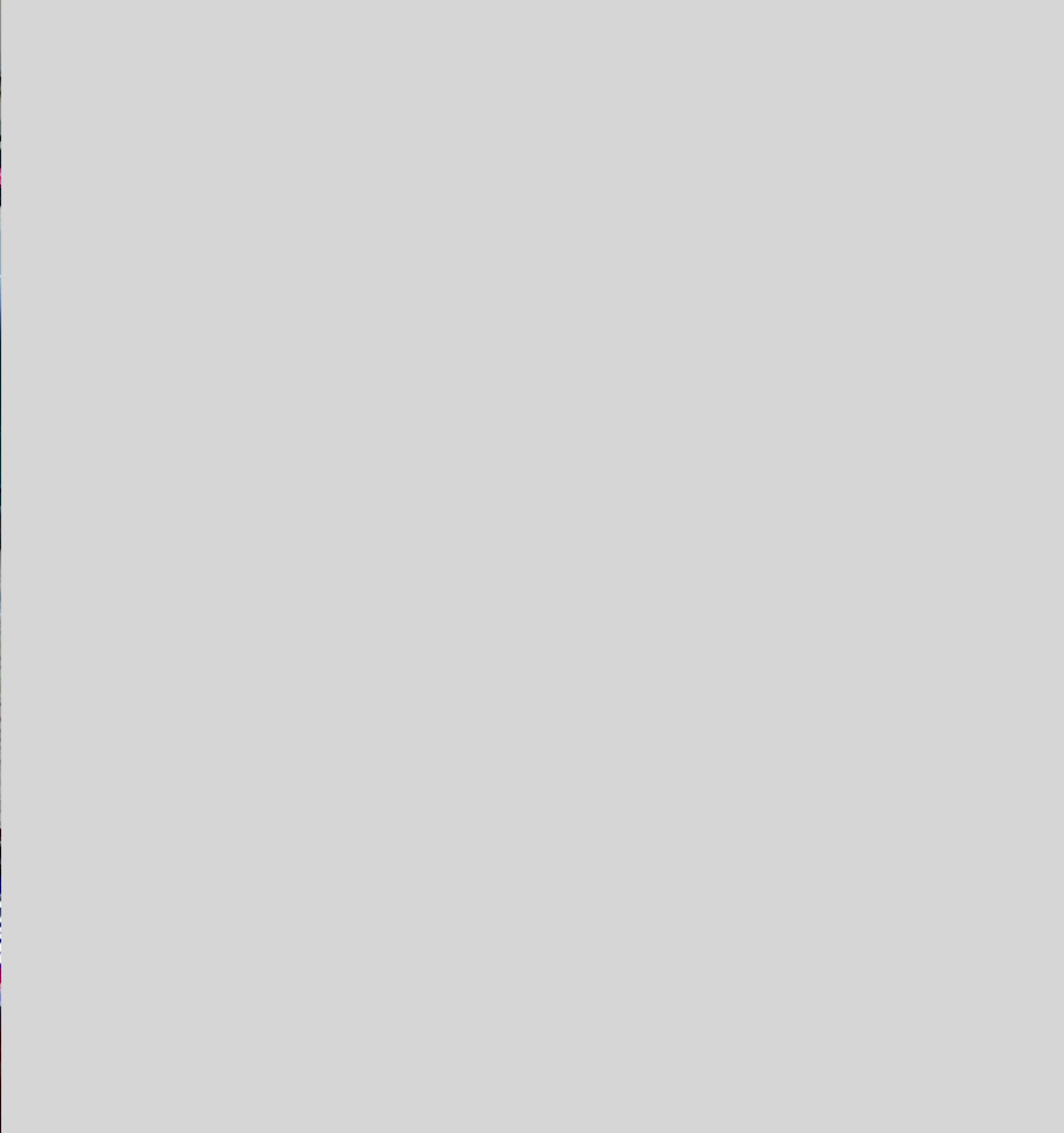
In reality
she just
tirelessly
grated them
down until
they were
soft, pink
and several
shoe sizes
smaller

Before painting my nails and
slathering my feet in lotion



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As I walked out the salon the
sunshine bounced off my
oiled-up little doll feet







My sports bra is so intense it basically inverts my boobs



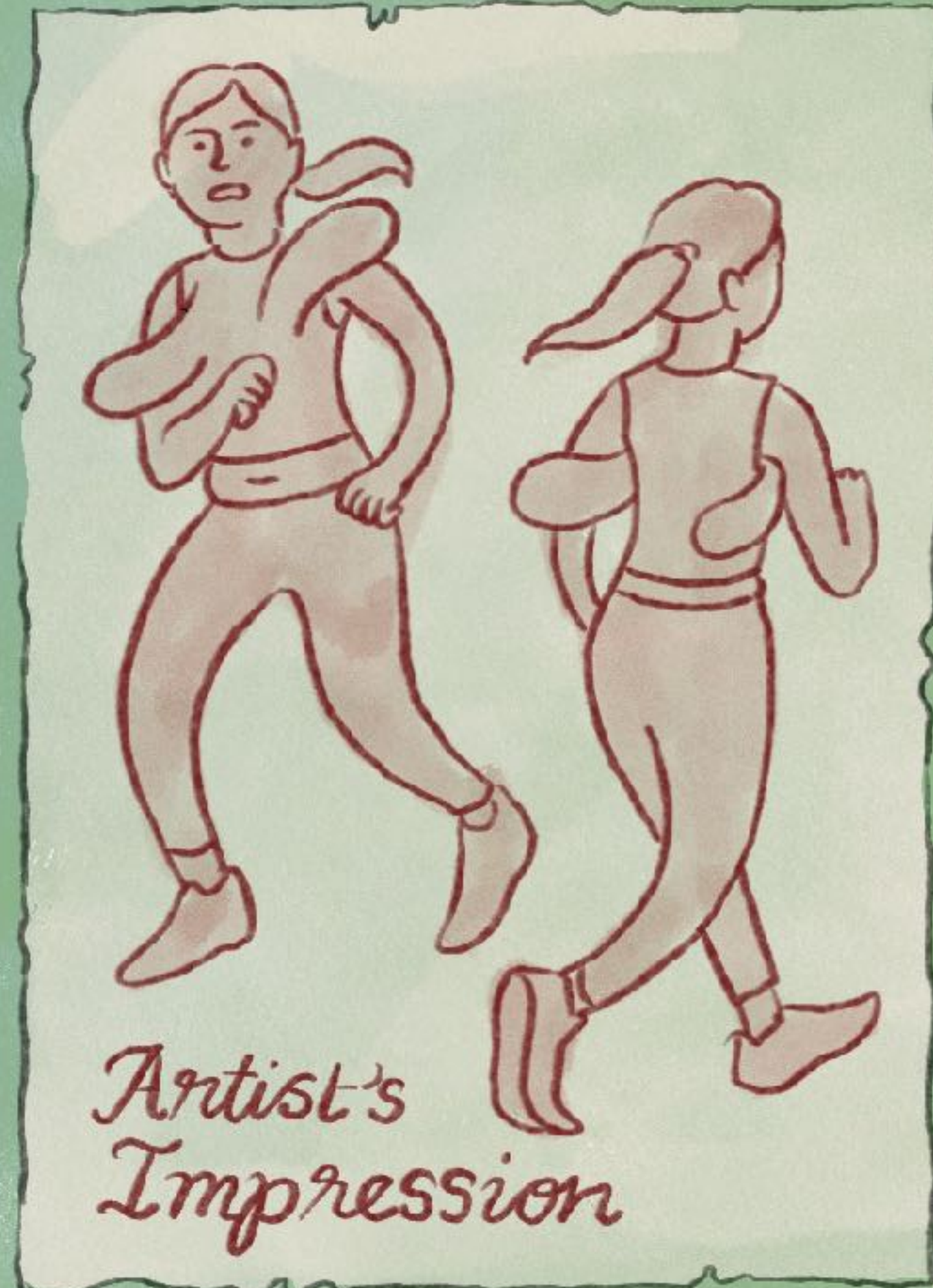
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METAMORPHOSIS



I've realised that dating someone means trying to slowly, imperceptibly, morph from the version of yourself you initially presented, into your authentic self



It can't be a rushed process. I once asked

Can I squeeze that blackhead on your chin?

And he was like

What?!

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And I realised I'd prematurely revealed my true form so I had to be like

Kidding!



Cleaning my flat before he comes over does, in a way, feel like false advertising



Removing my nightstand taramasalata... What web of lies am I weaving?



But eventually
I am free to
be myself

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But eventually
I am free to
be myself

And then one
day I realise-
he too has been
morphing into
his authentic
self



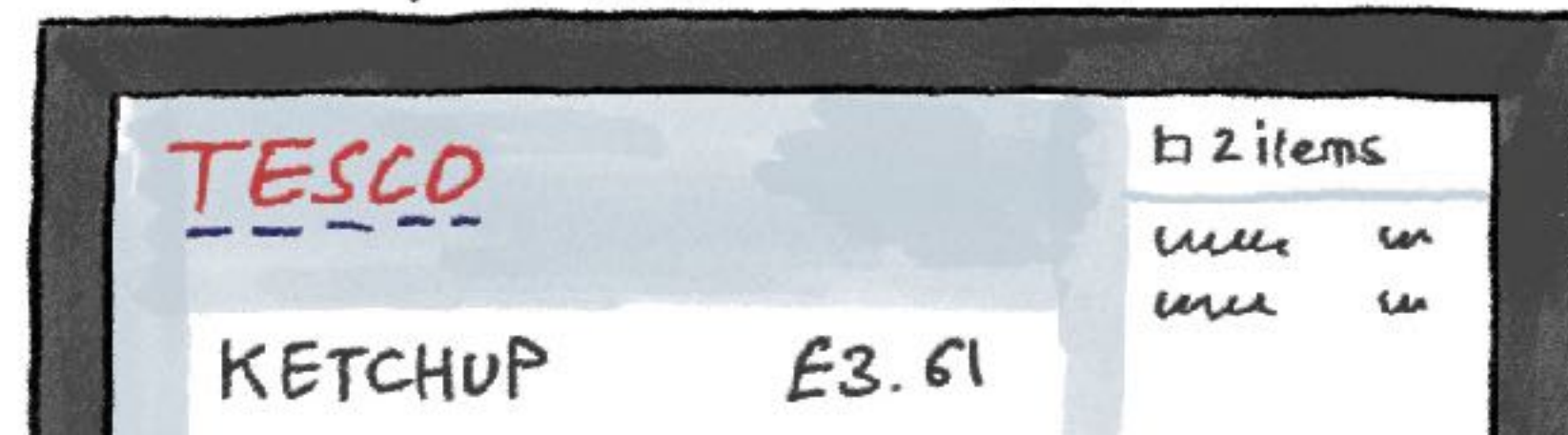
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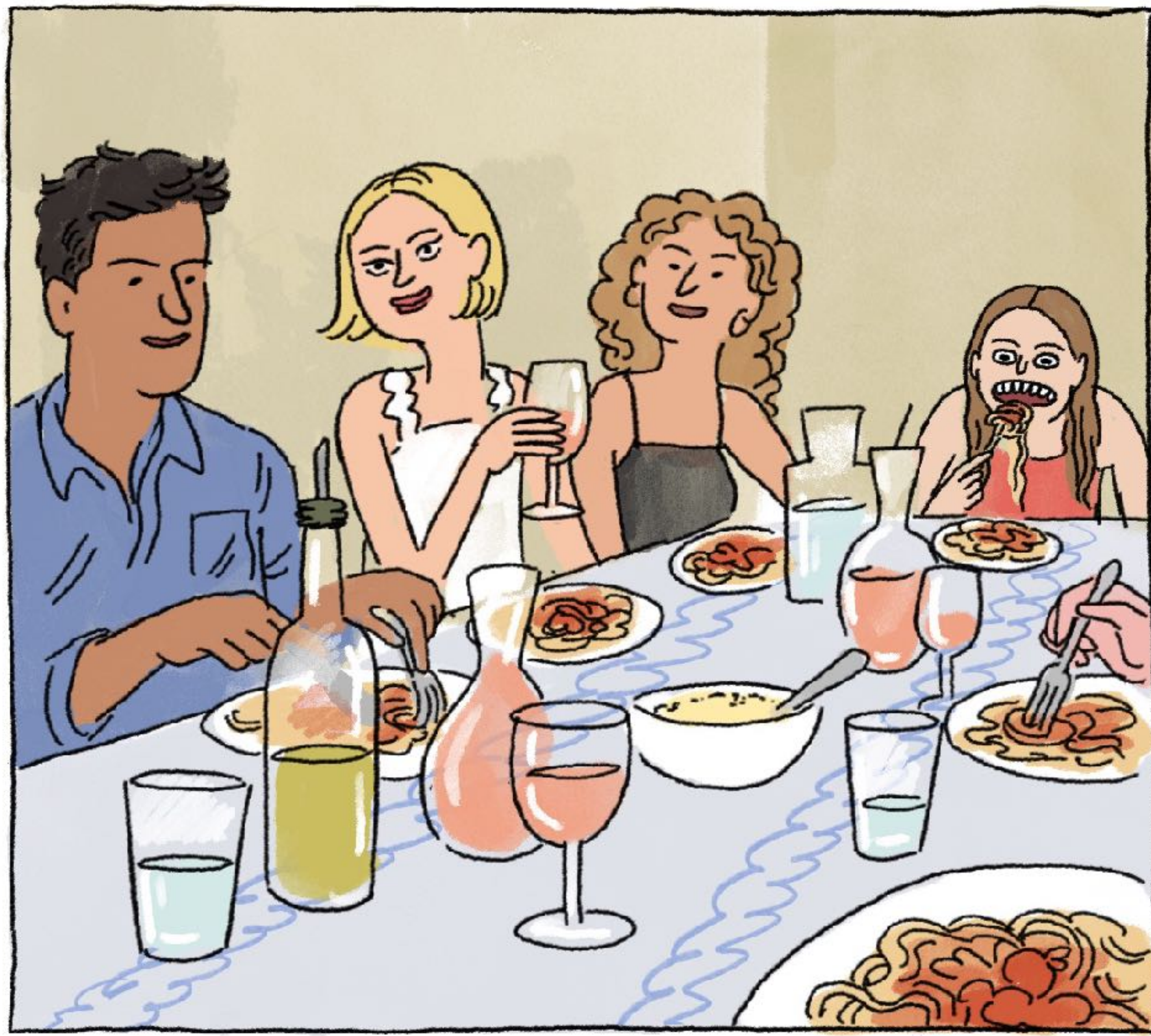
BEING CONFRONTED WITH MYSELF



In the
self-
checkout
camera

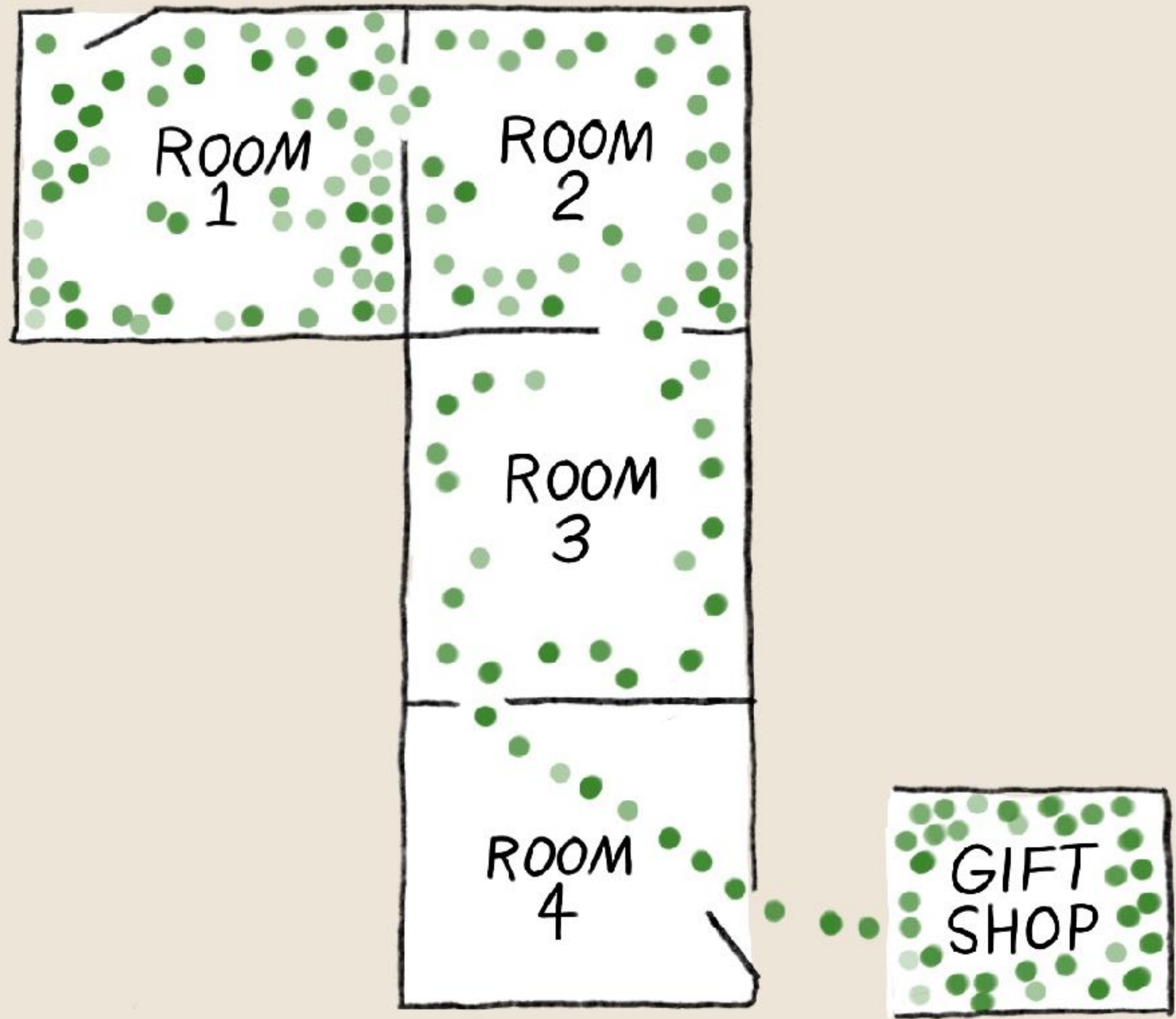
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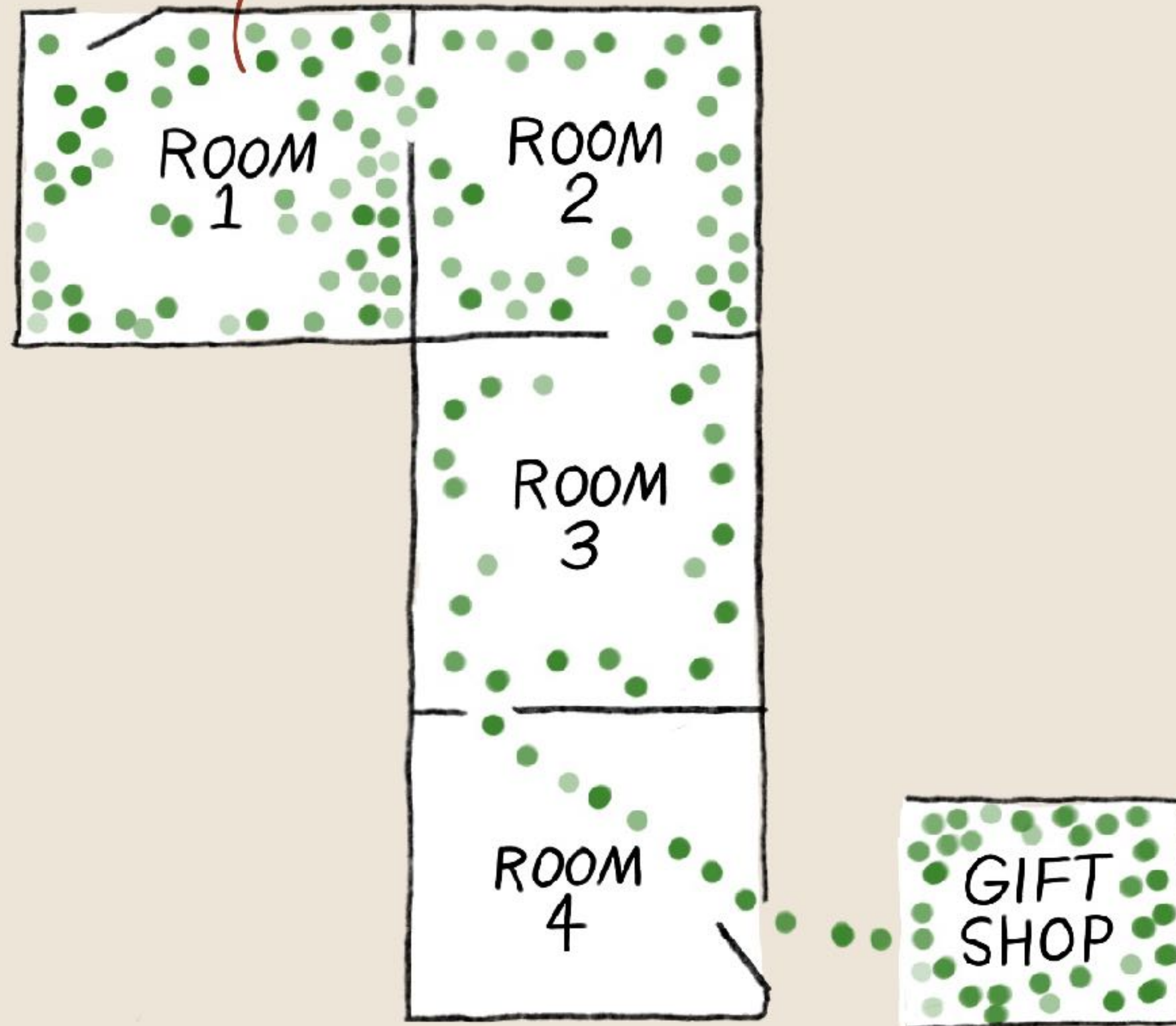
In a friend's Instagram post

Art Gallery



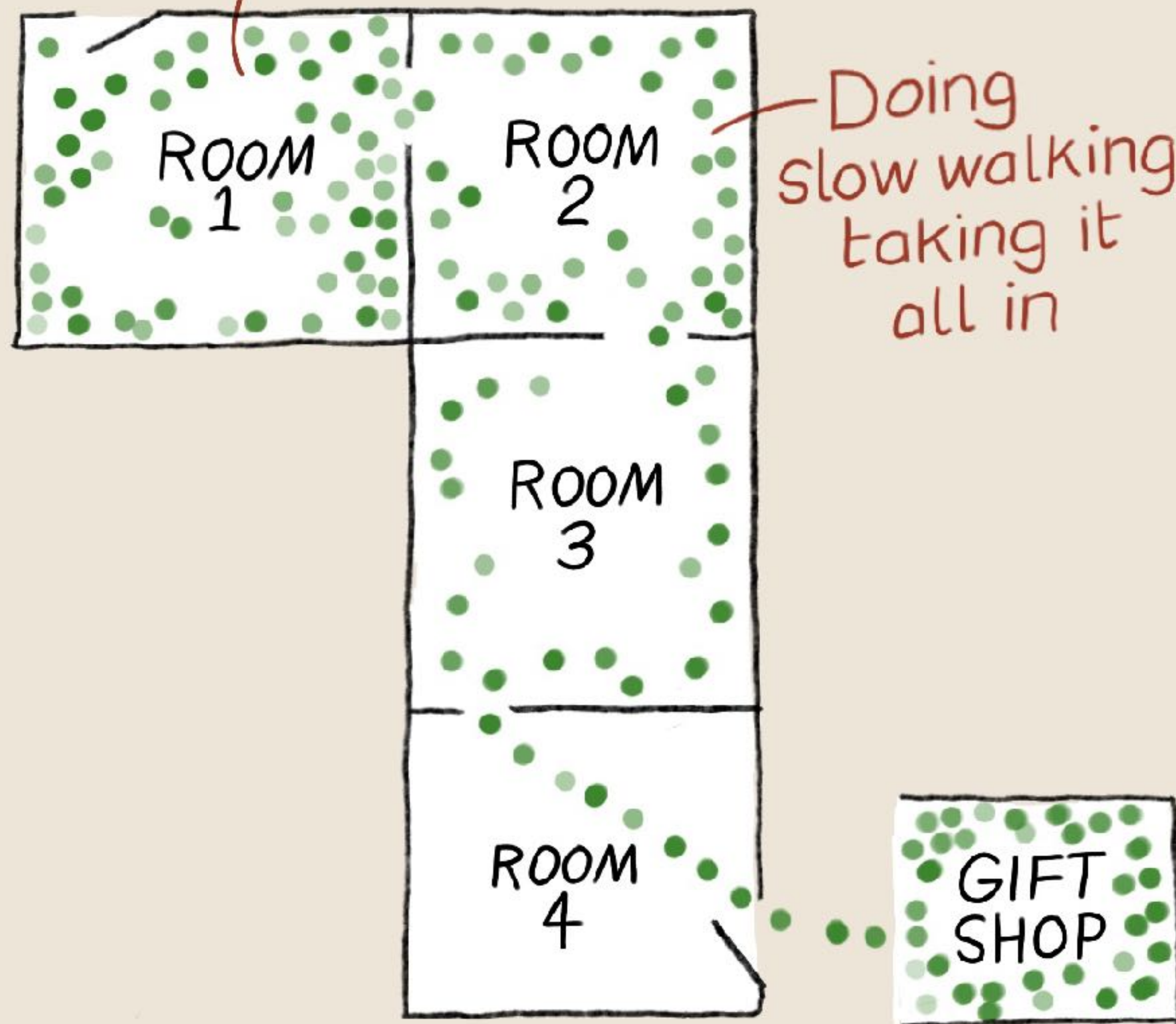
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Feeling cultured; enriched



Art Gallery

Feeling cultured; enriched



Doing slow walking taking it all in

GIFT SHOP

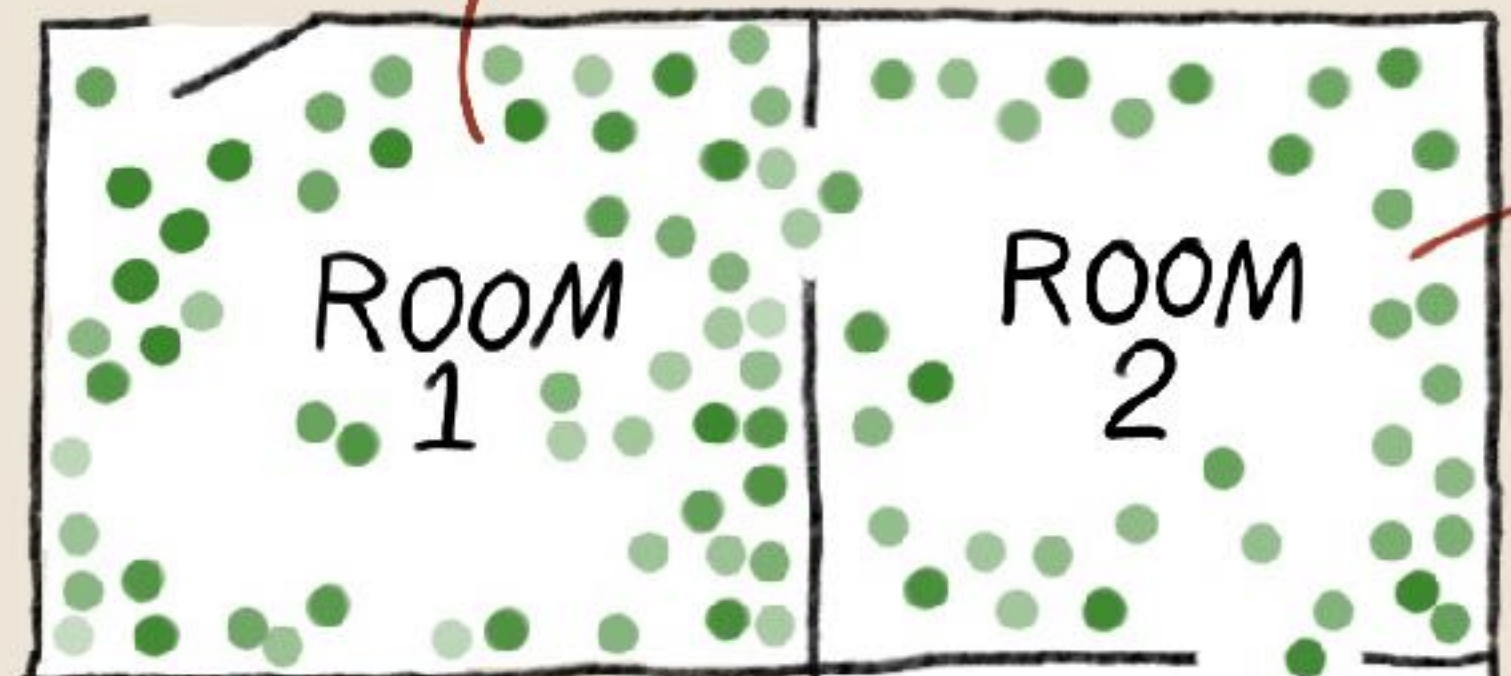
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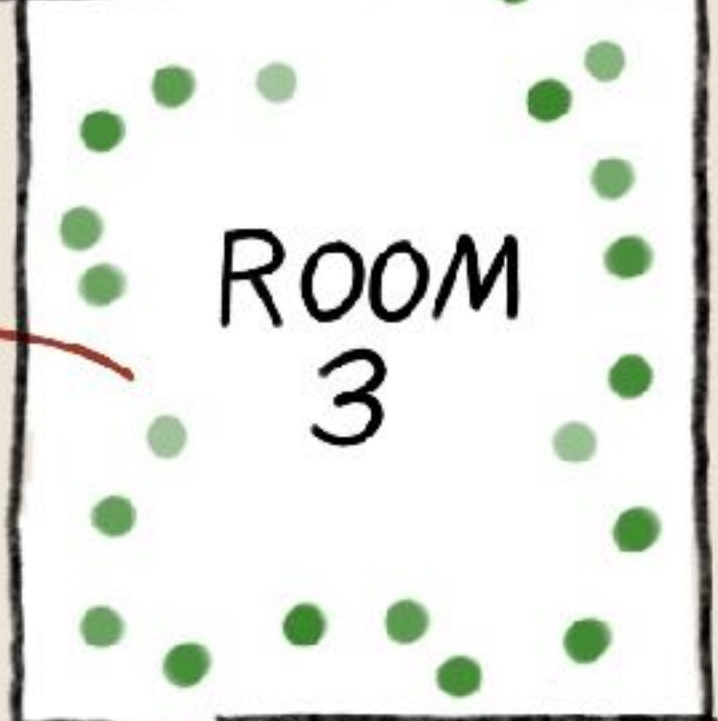
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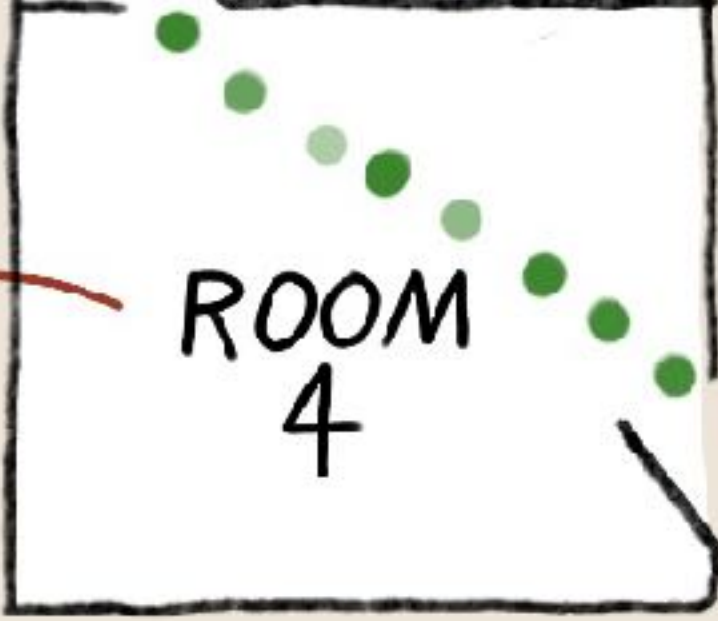


Doing slow walking taking it all in

OK, think I get the gist

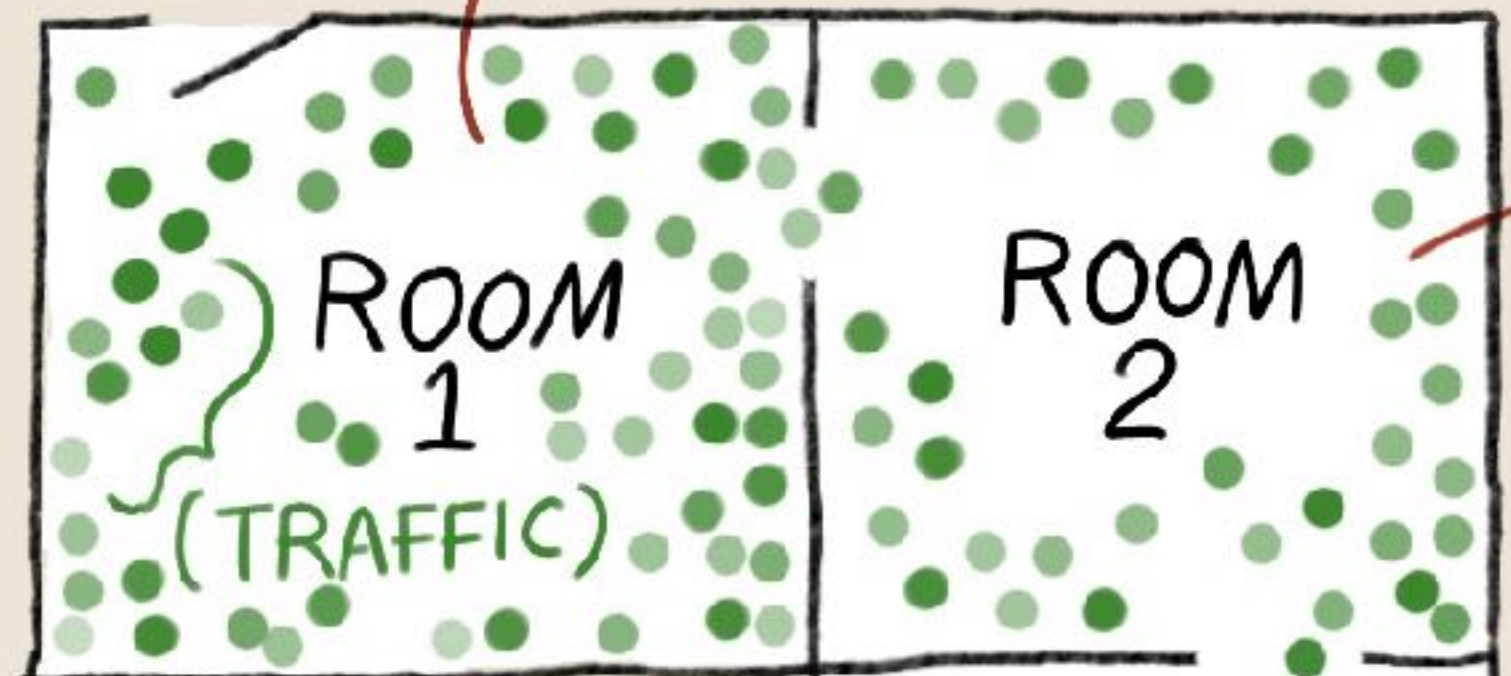


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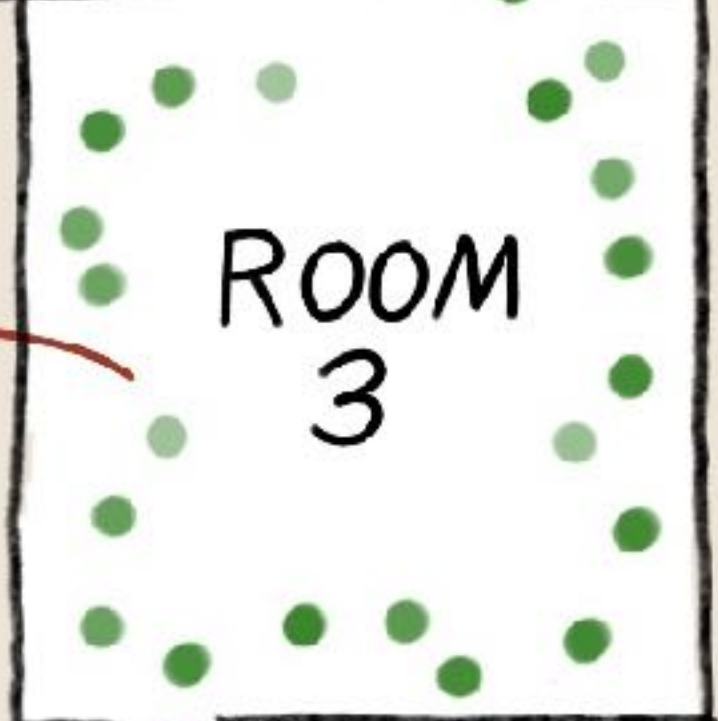
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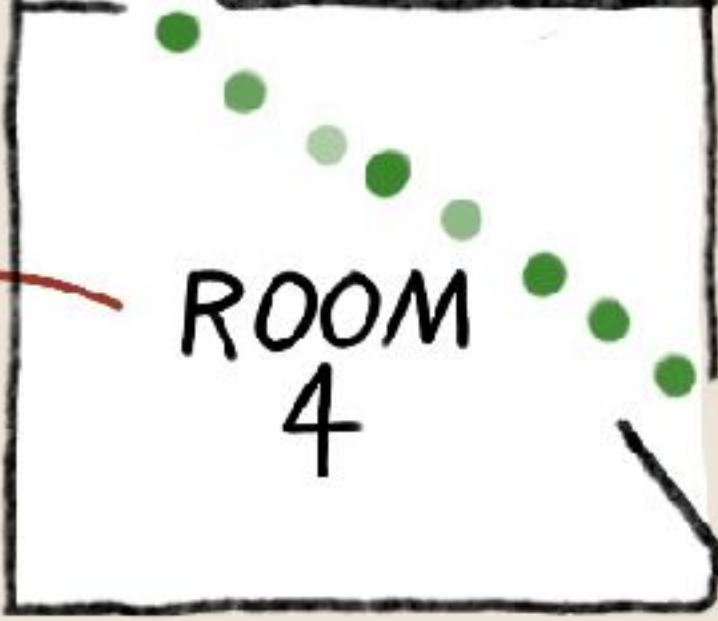


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Ooh, Keyrings



UNPACKING



DAY 1

We both need
to lie face down
for a bit

DAY 3

The unpacking has barely started. I keep my door closed so my flatmate can't see how I'm living



DAY 7 I think the drawers have started feeding the suitcase. How has this happened? Will I ever know peace?



DAY 9

I'm preparing to mobilise
a counter-attack, to
besiege the suitcase
and regain control of
the bedroom floor



Fake Nails



I got fake nails for the first time and found myself completely mesmerised by the devastating beauty of my own hands

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I hurried home to show my flatmate, who said

Oh nice



That's all you have to say? Are we looking at the same hands?

Over the next few days I found as many ways as possible to showcase my nails. I did a lot of :

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GASPING



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GASPING



HOLDING MUGS



Over the next few days I found as many ways as possible to showcase my nails. I did a lot of :



GASPING



STEADYING MYSELF ON PUBLIC TRANSPORT



HOLDING MUGS





I also discovered
that by dimming
your laptop
screen, you can
admire the
reflection all
day



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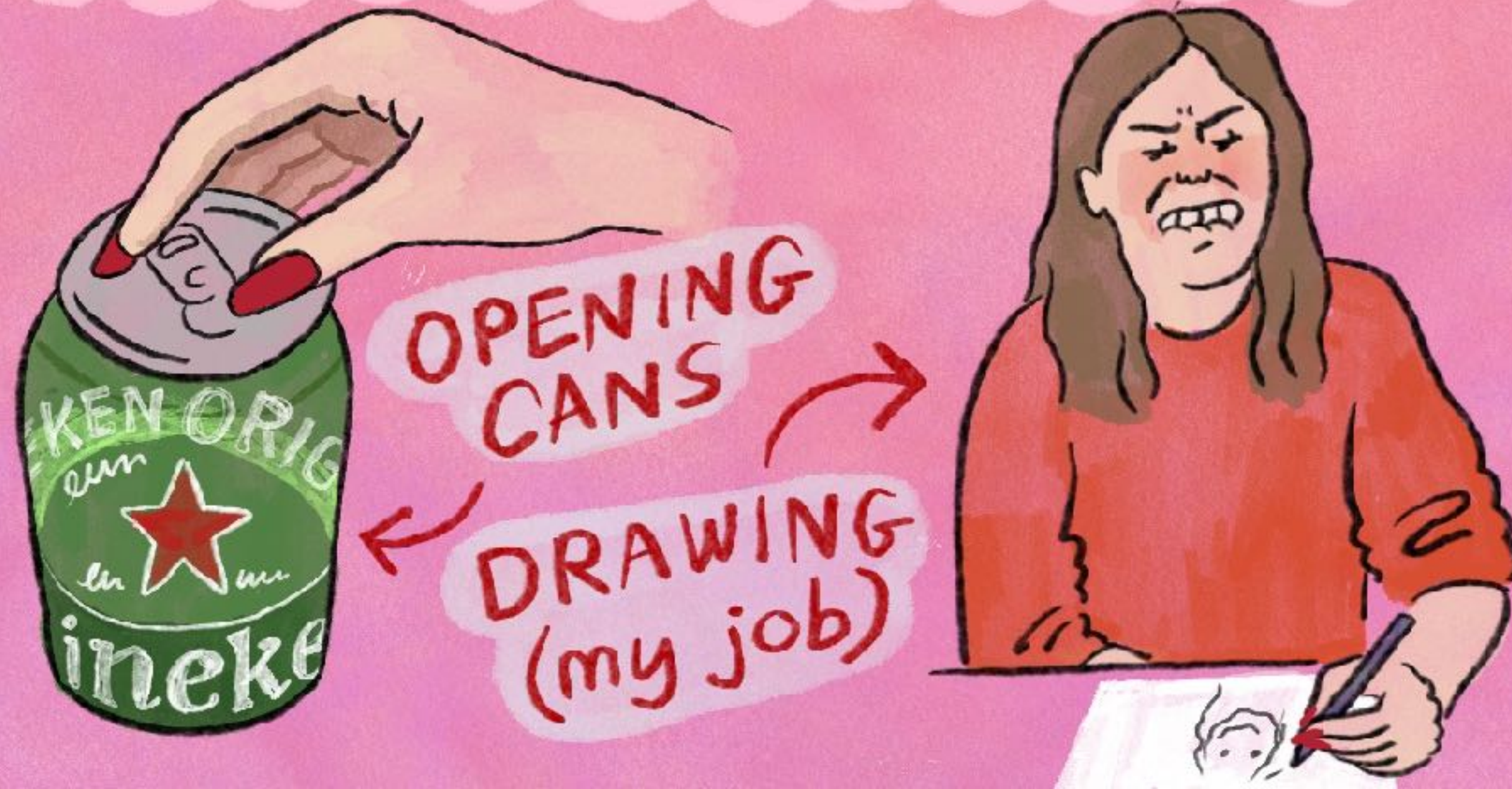


OPENING CANS



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DRAWING (my job)

But sadly, all good things come to an end



And with each nail I lost

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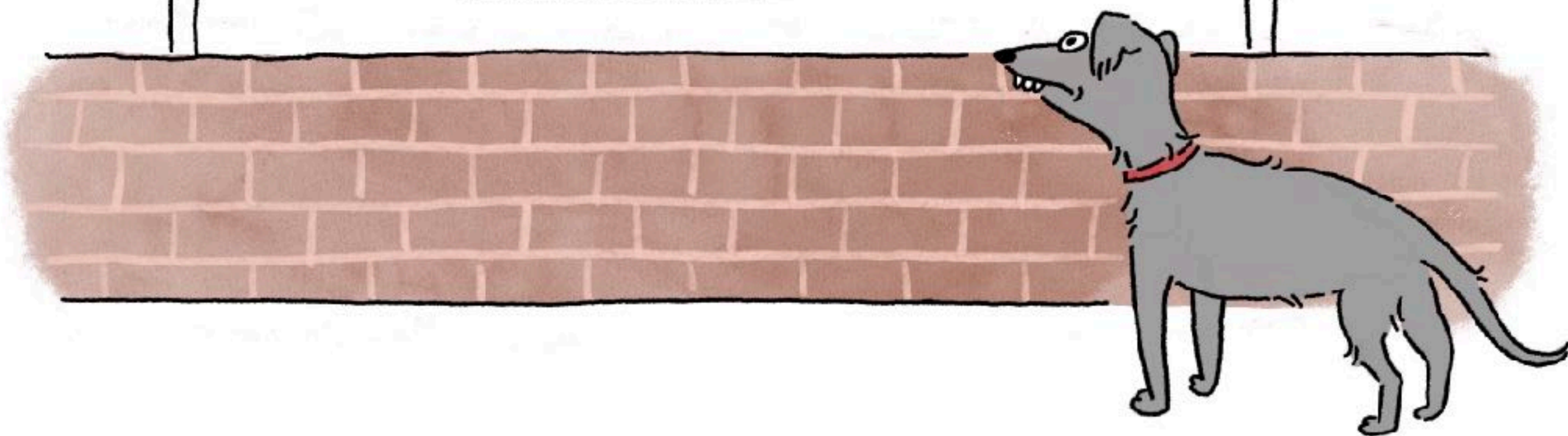
... I felt myself reverse-

metamorphosing back
into the
sad little

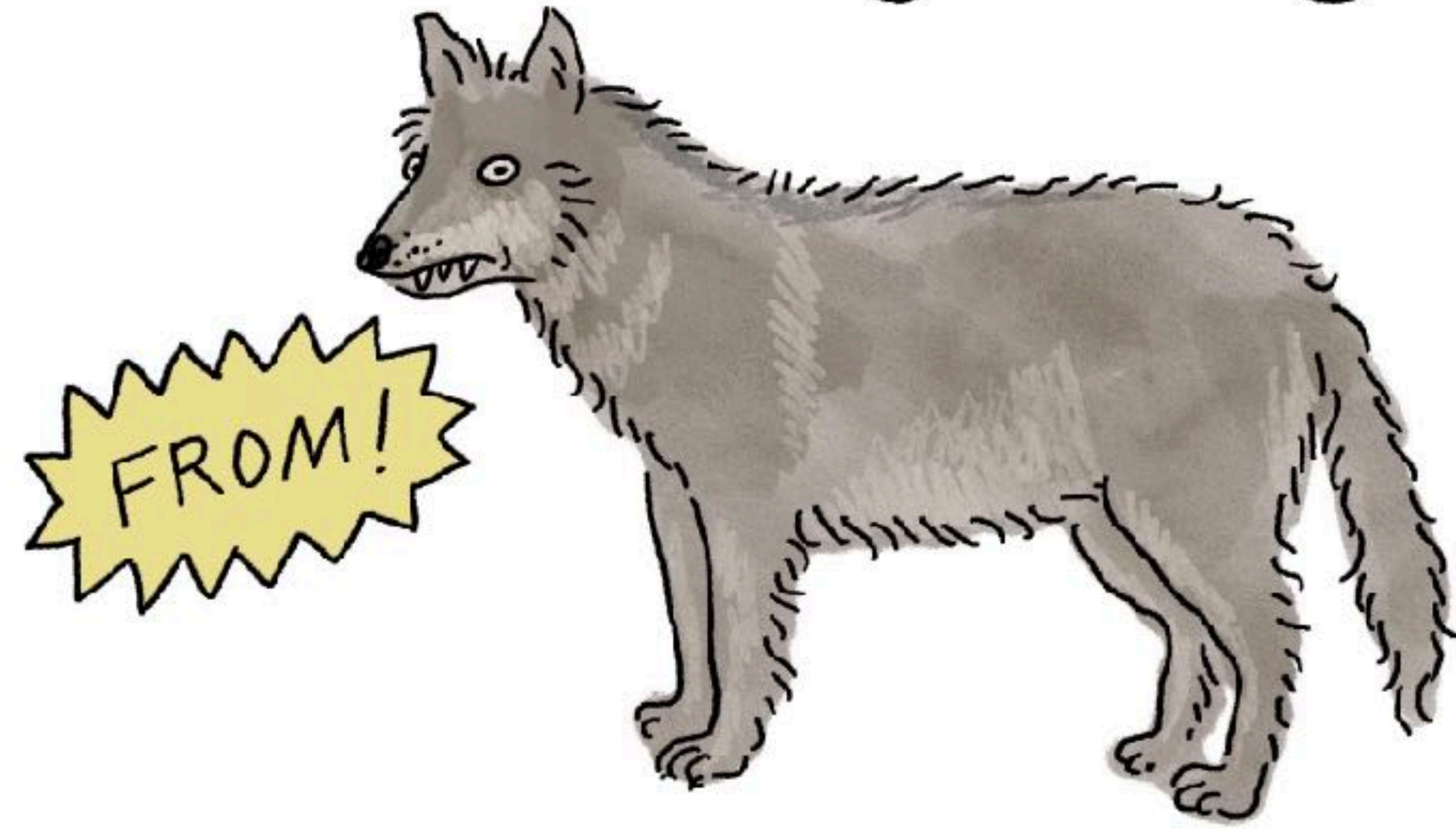
larva
I'd been
before



Dolce & Gabbana has released
a perfume for dogs



Which is just the latest manifestation
of an ever-evolving beauty standard



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Domestication has meant you no longer have to BE fierce



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Domestication has meant you no longer have to BE fierce



But you have to LOOK fierce

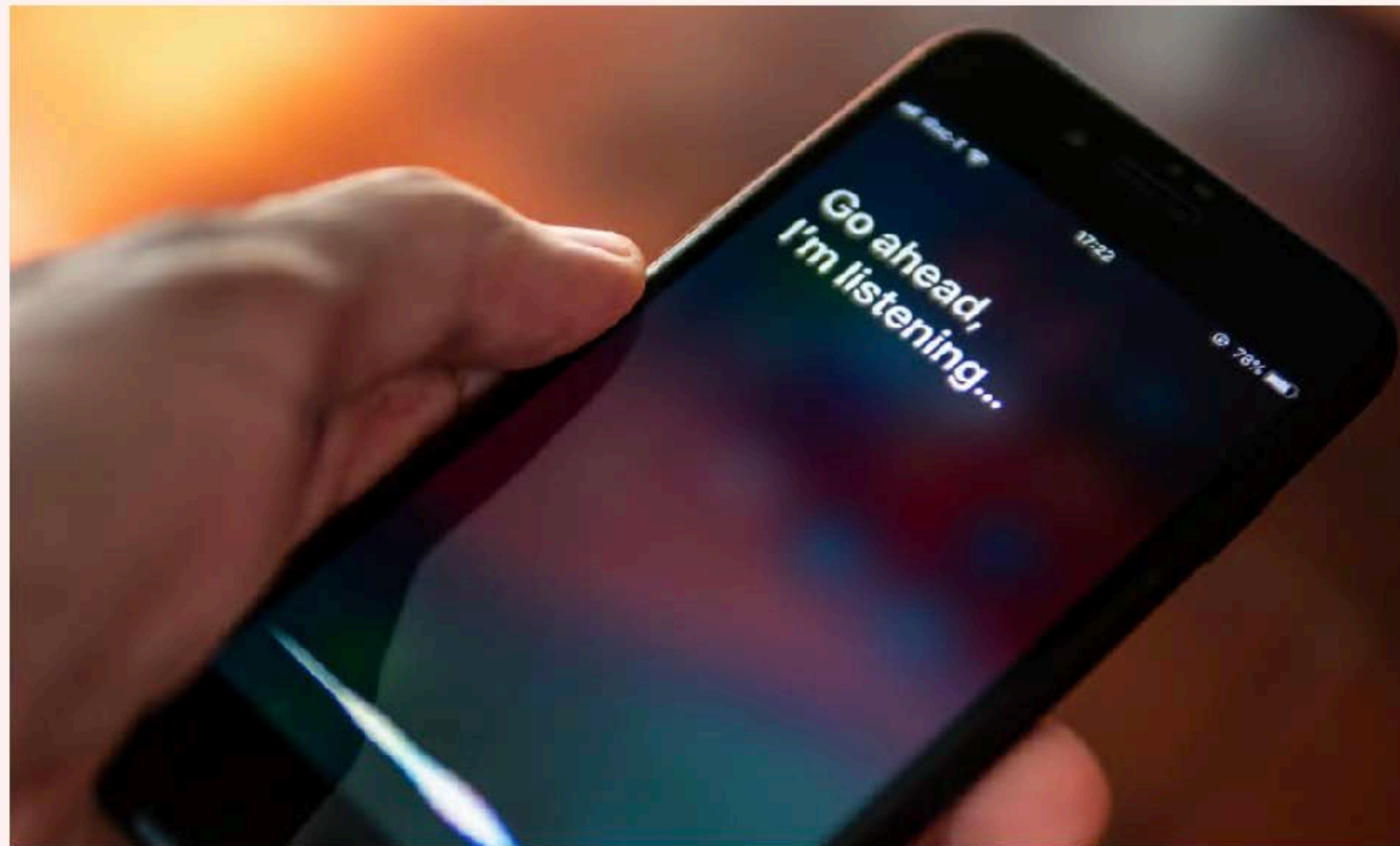


OpenAI's new GPT-4o model offers promise of improved smartphone assistants

Alex Hern

UK technology editor

System can operate directly in speech, speeding up responses and noticing voice quirks, but it still needs the power of Siri



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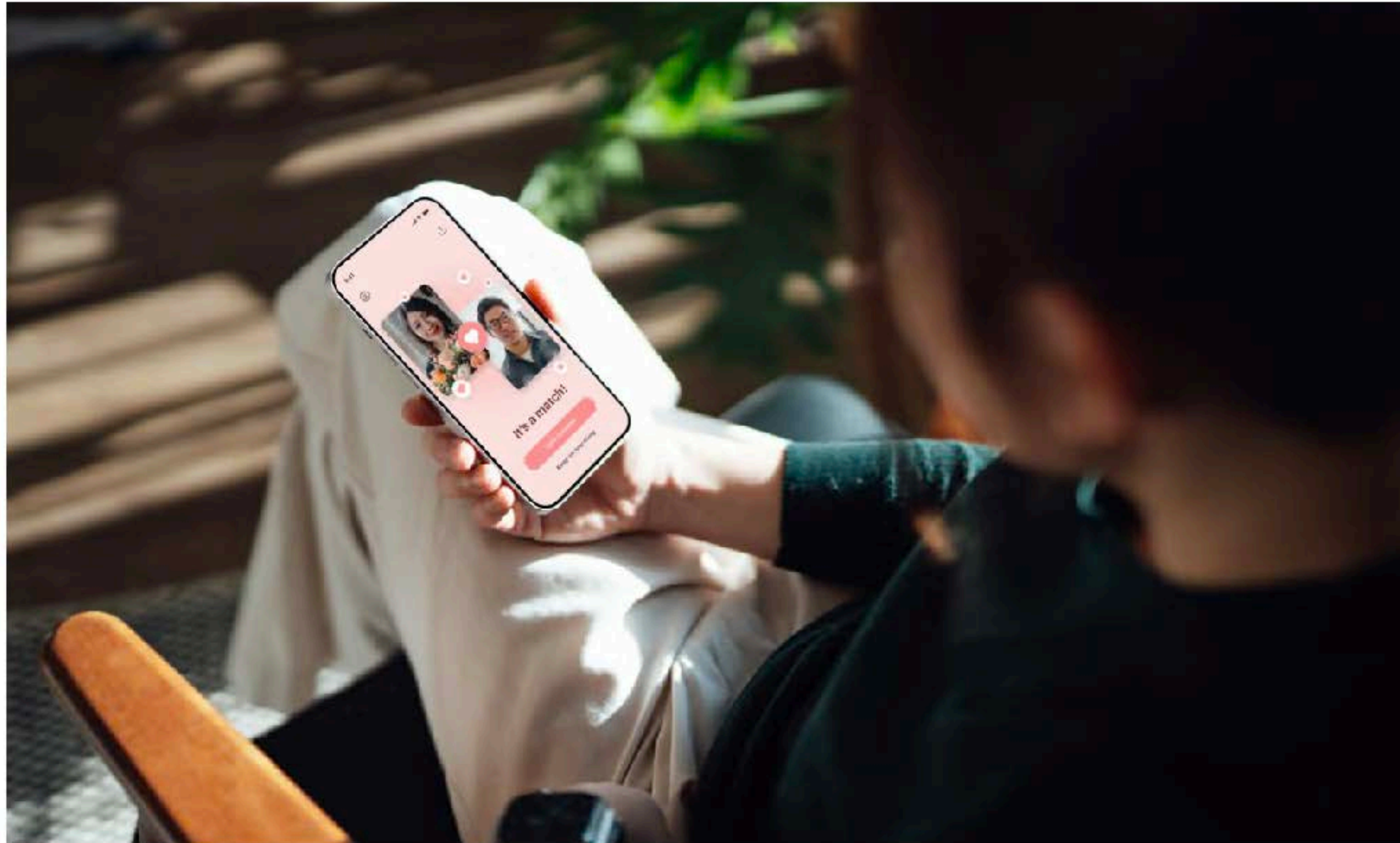
I TOOK
THE LIBERTY
OF BOOKING
YOU A
HAIRCUT,
JASON



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Are dating apps fuelling addiction? Lawsuit against Tinder, Hinge and Match claims so

Platforms accused of encouraging compulsive use by gamifying users' attention and romantic investment

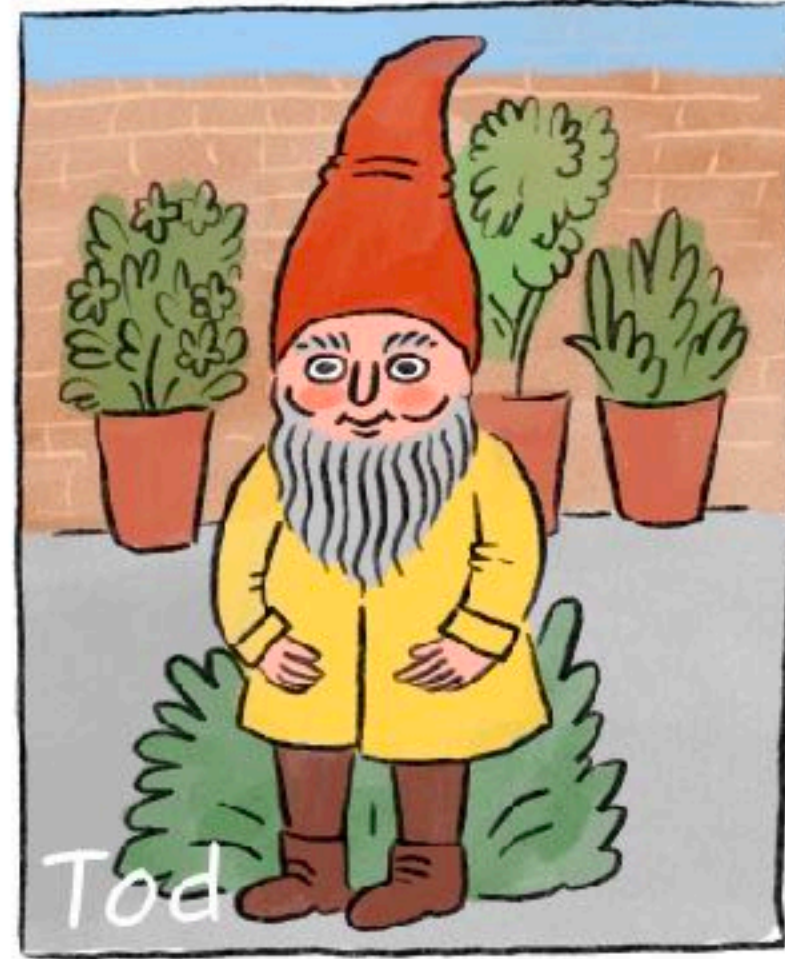


📷 Online dating experts say the lawsuit reflects a broader backlash to the way apps are gamifying human experience for profit. Photograph: Oscar Wong/Getty Images

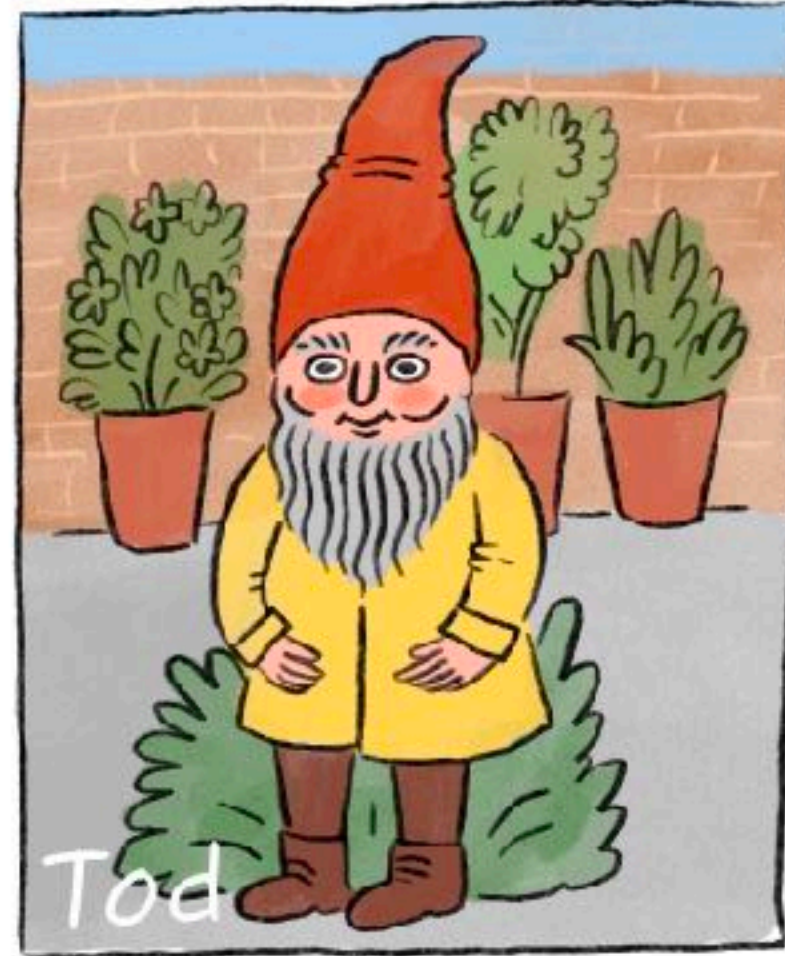
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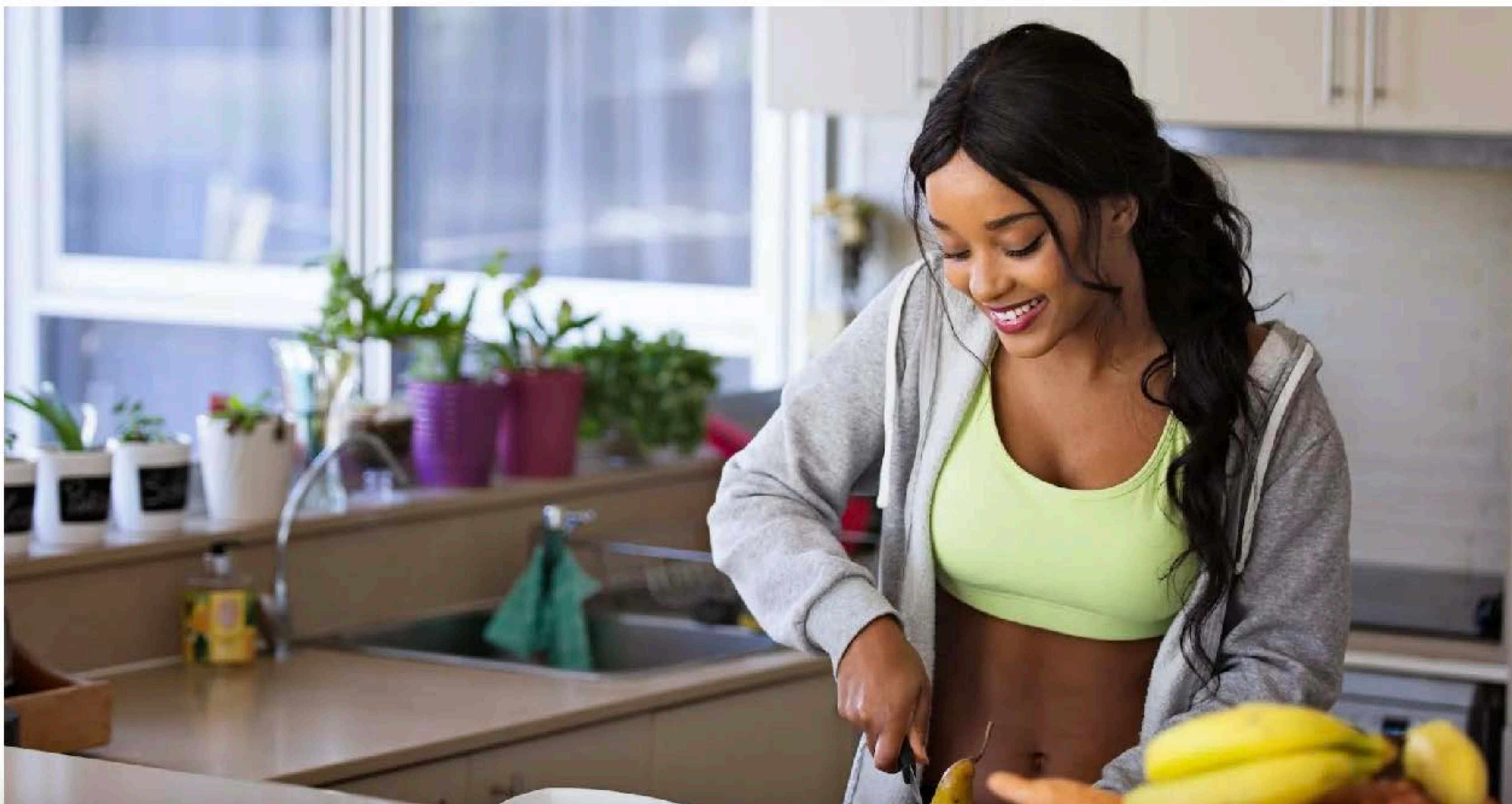
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FITNESS

20%
OFF

GYM MEMBERSHIP

NO EXCUSES

**NEVER. STOP.
SHREDDING.**

LET TODAY BE THE
DAY YOU STOP SAYING
TOMORROW AND
THEN WHEN TODAY
IS YESTERDAY
THERE WILL BE
NO LOOKING BACK



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'Alien: Romulus' Tops \$314 Million Worldwide As 2nd-Biggest 'Alien' Film

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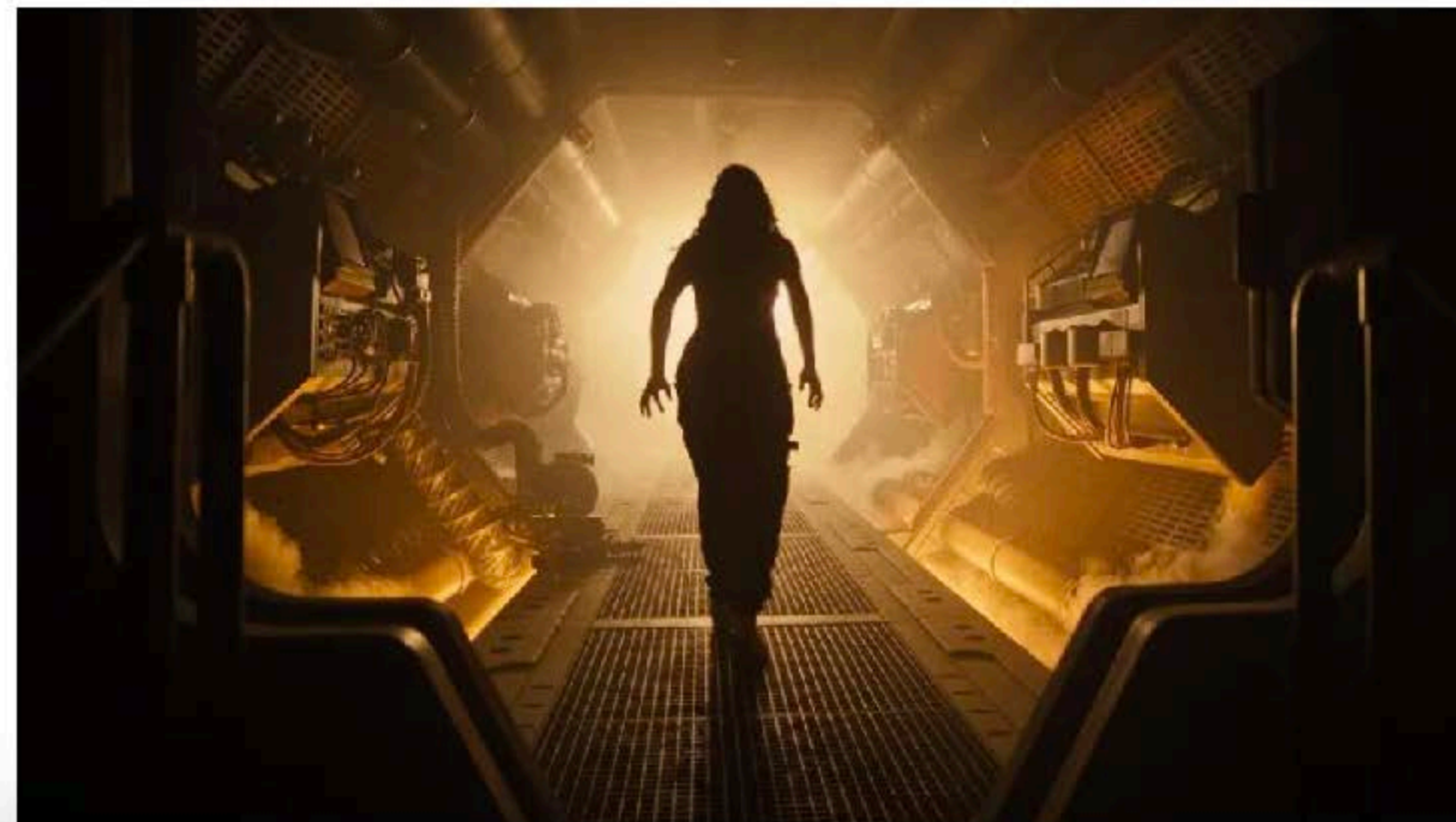
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 Widely hailed as one of the best chapters in its 45-year sci-fi horror saga, *Alien: Romulus* topped \$314 million worldwide this weekend as already the second-biggest film of the seven-film franchise.



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TYPES OF ALIEN IN FILM



SHAGGABLE, NON-THREATENING ALIEN

Want it
to live



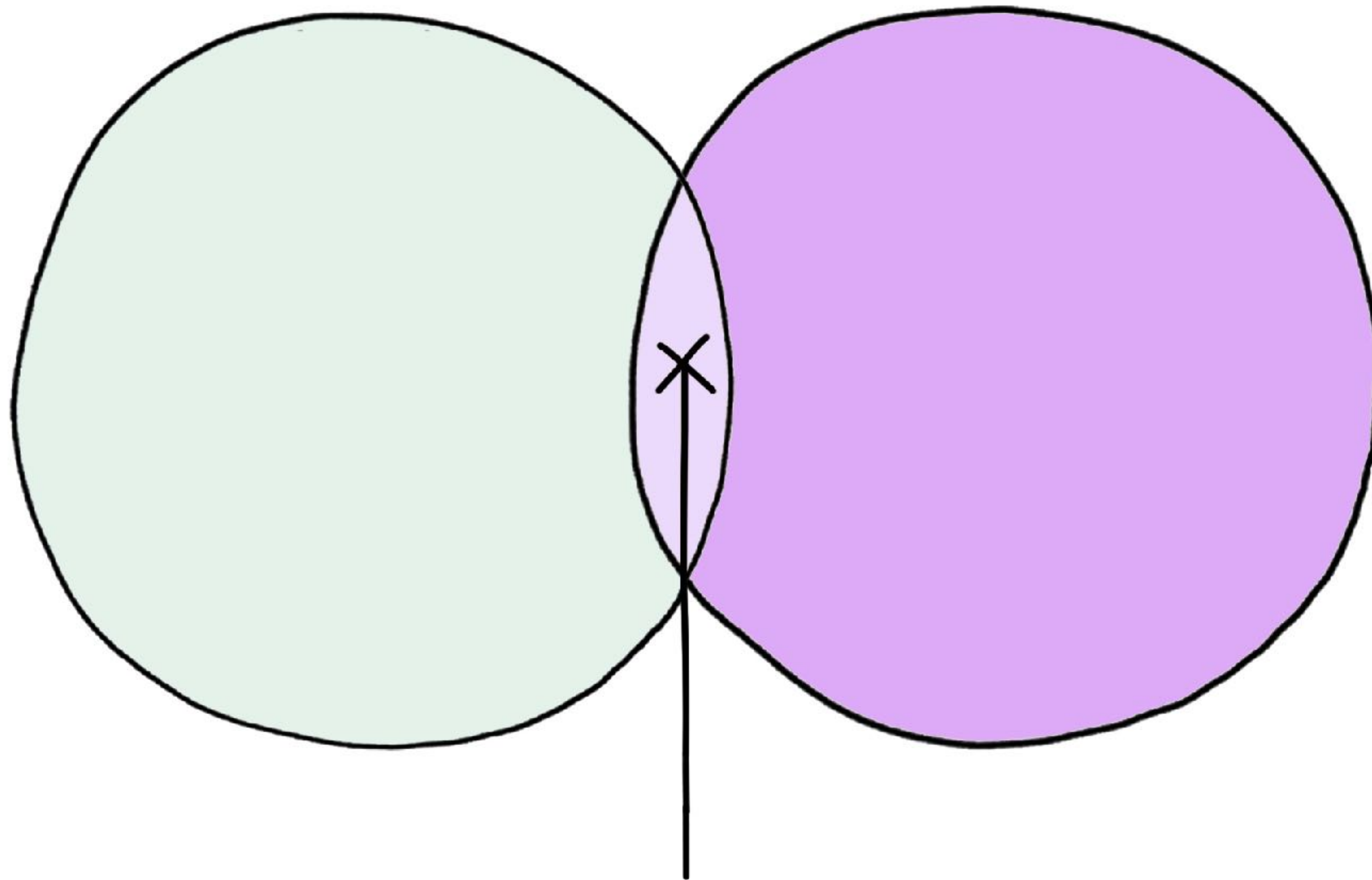
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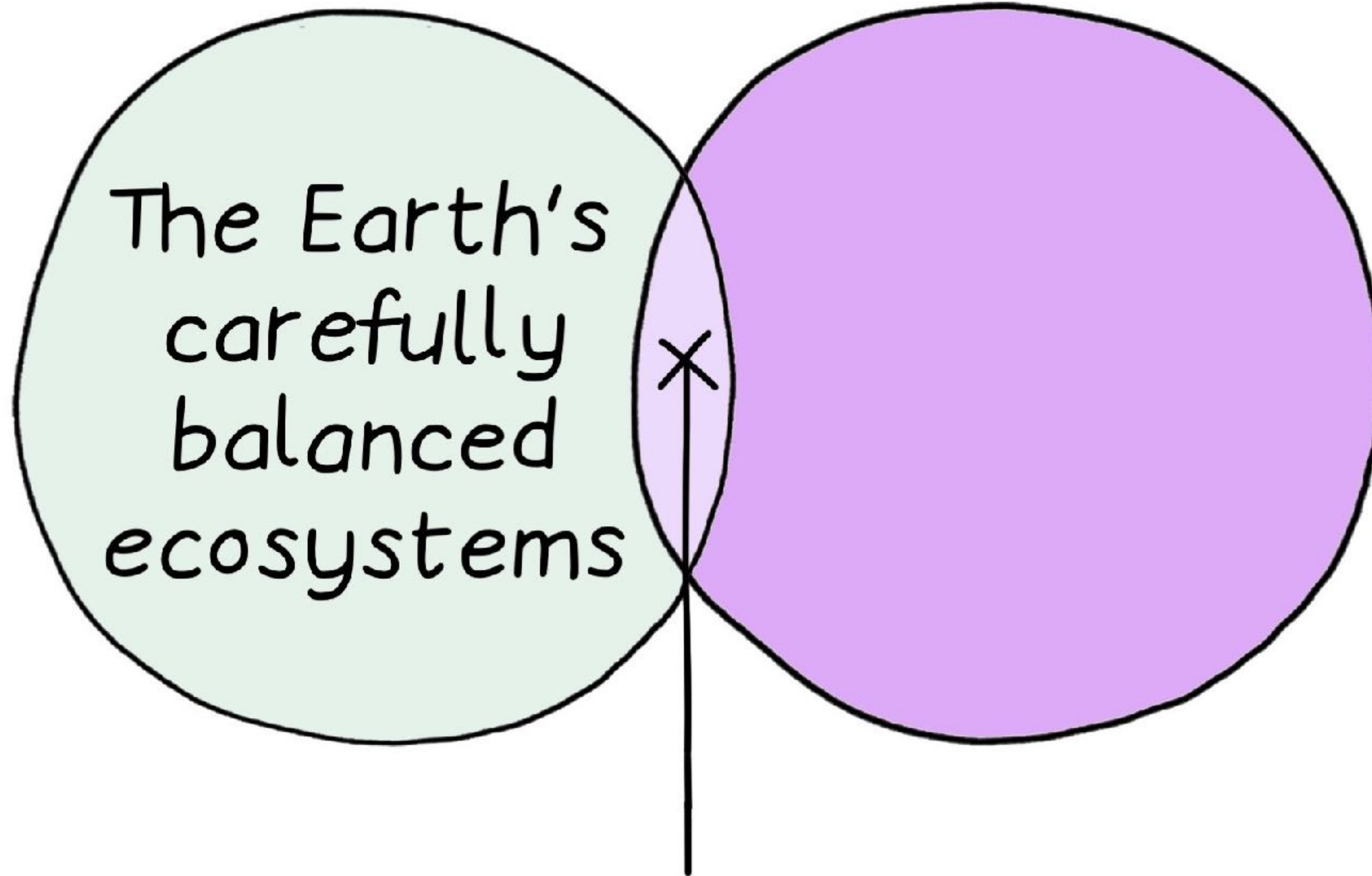


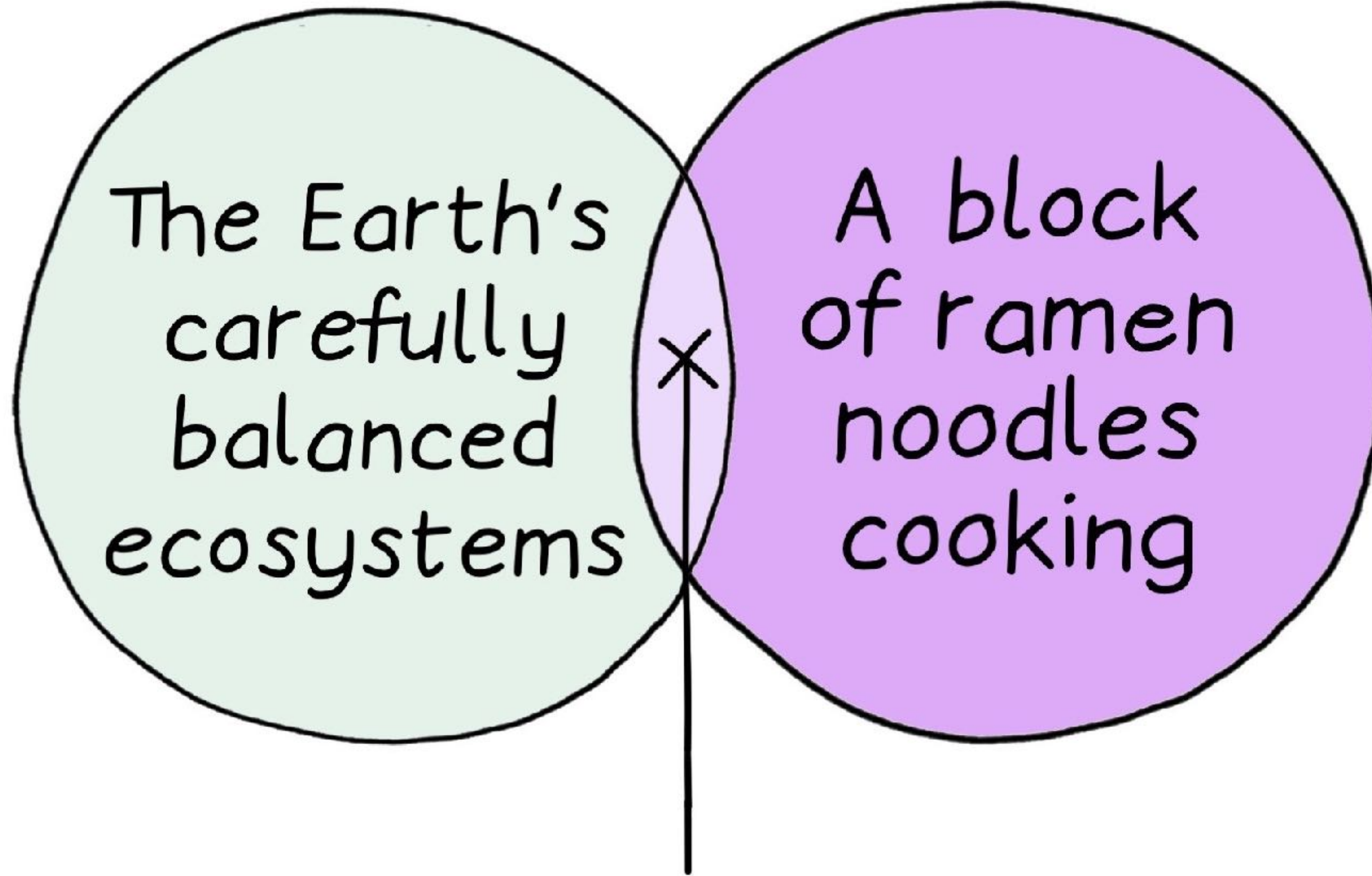
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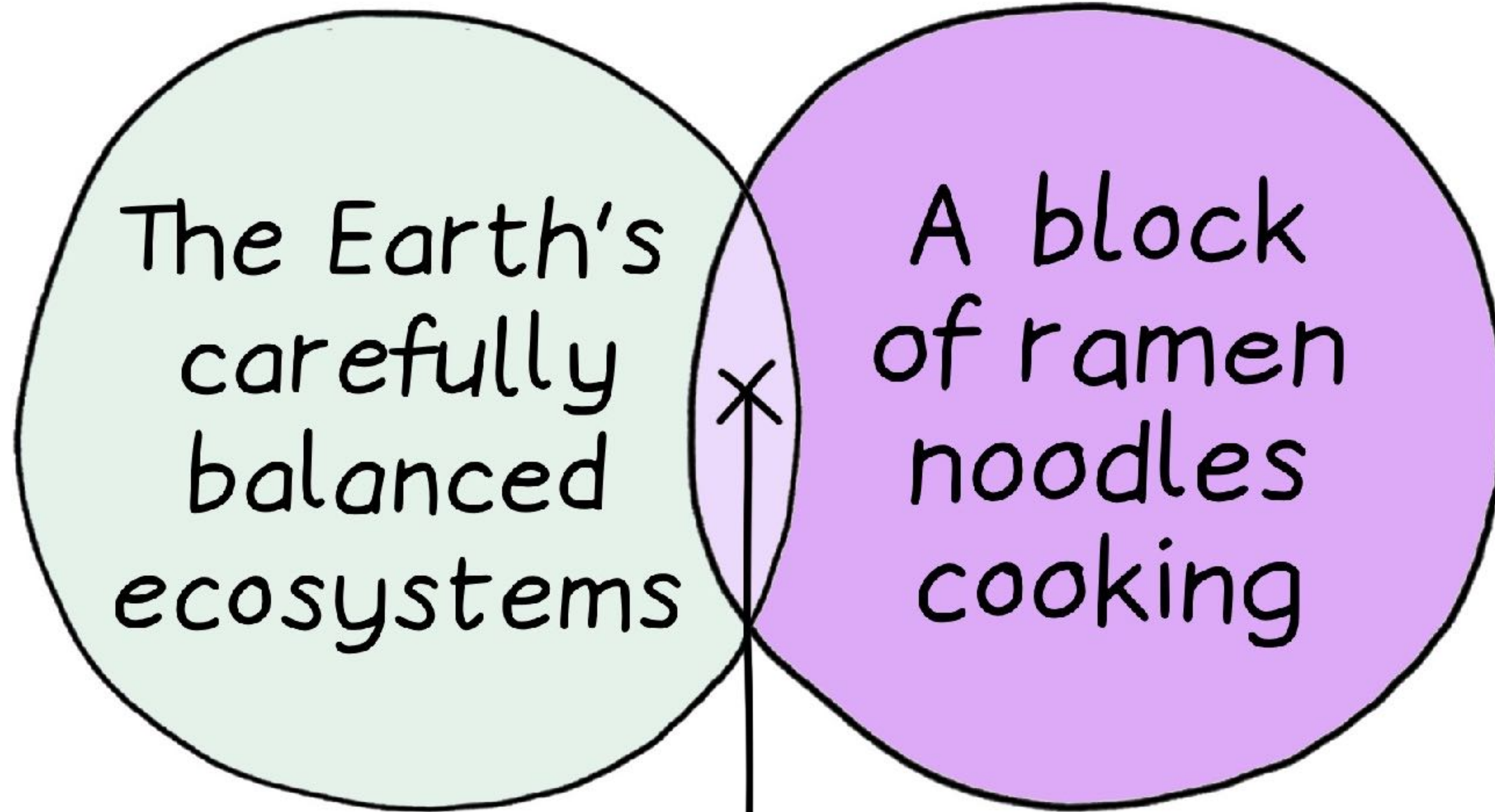




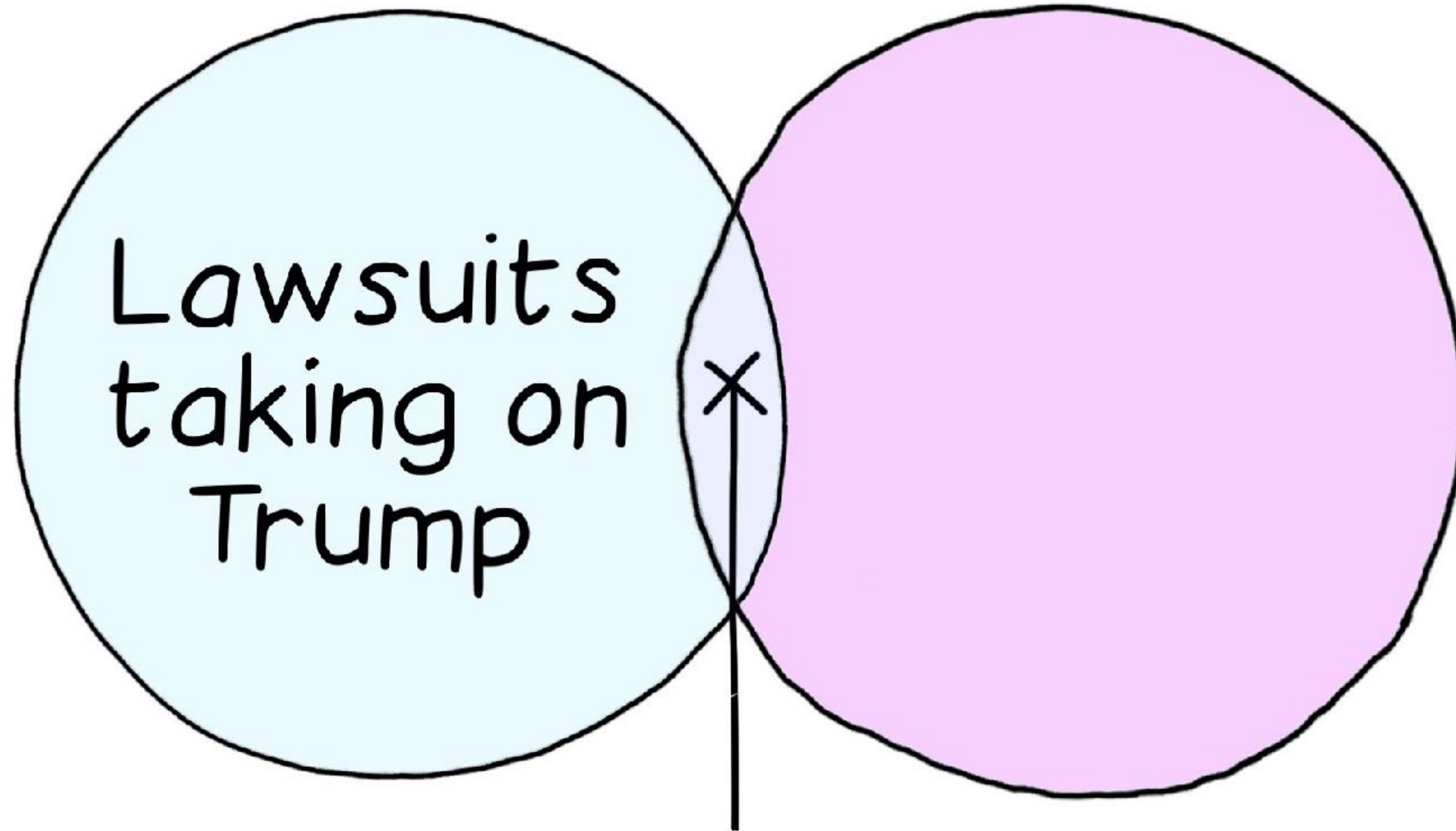


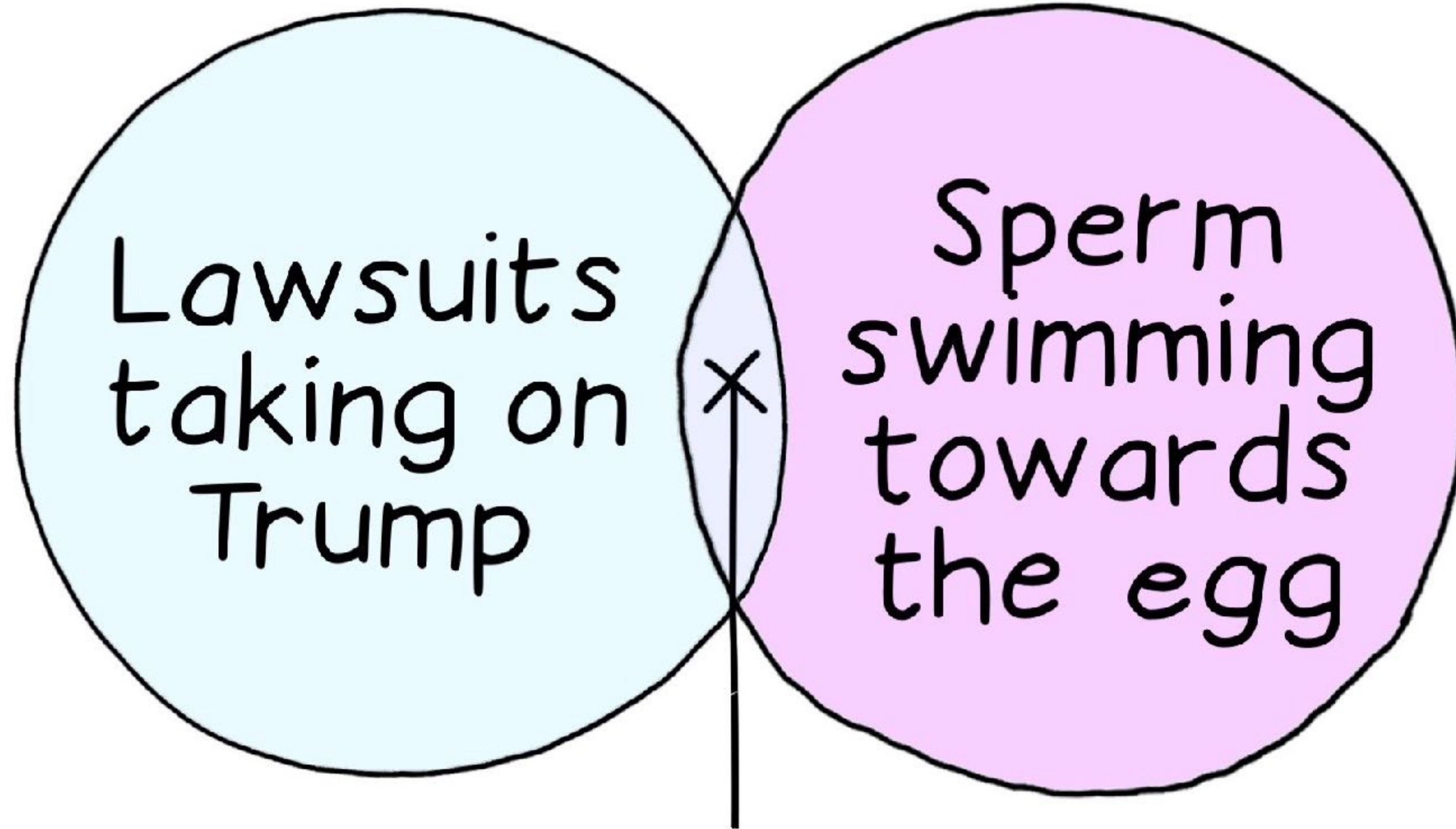
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ecosystems

A block
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noodles
cooking



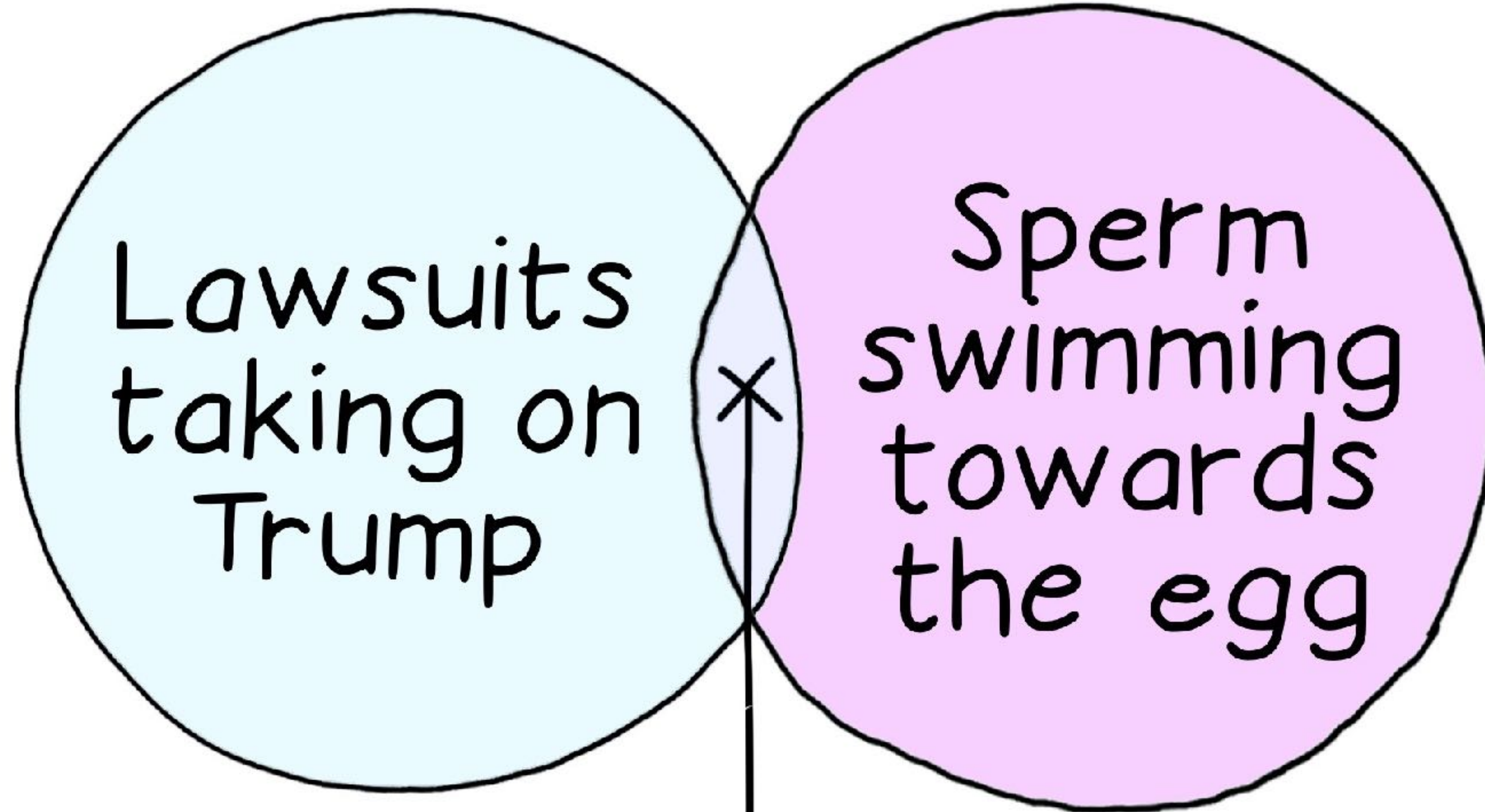
Unravelling as it heats up



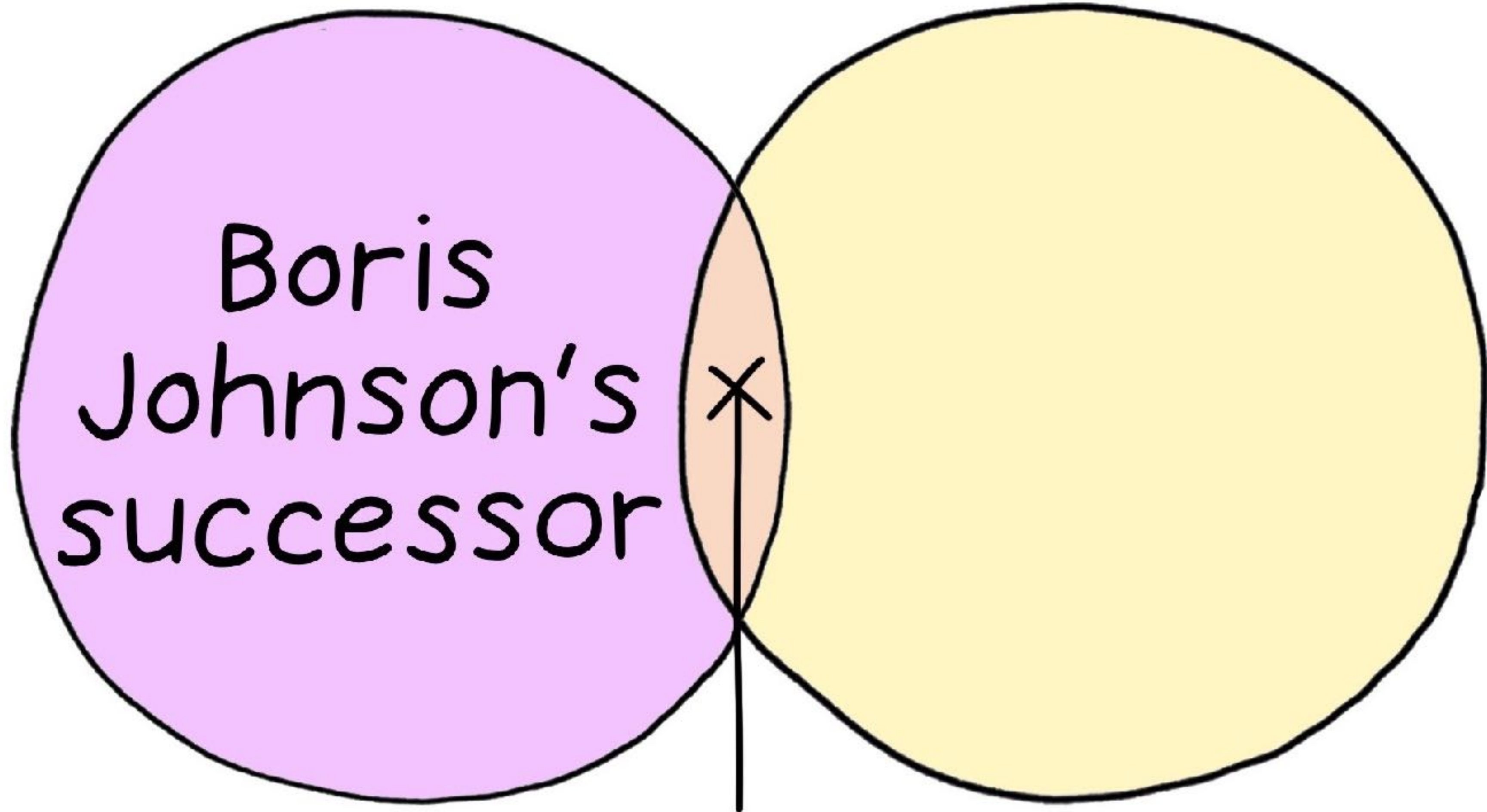


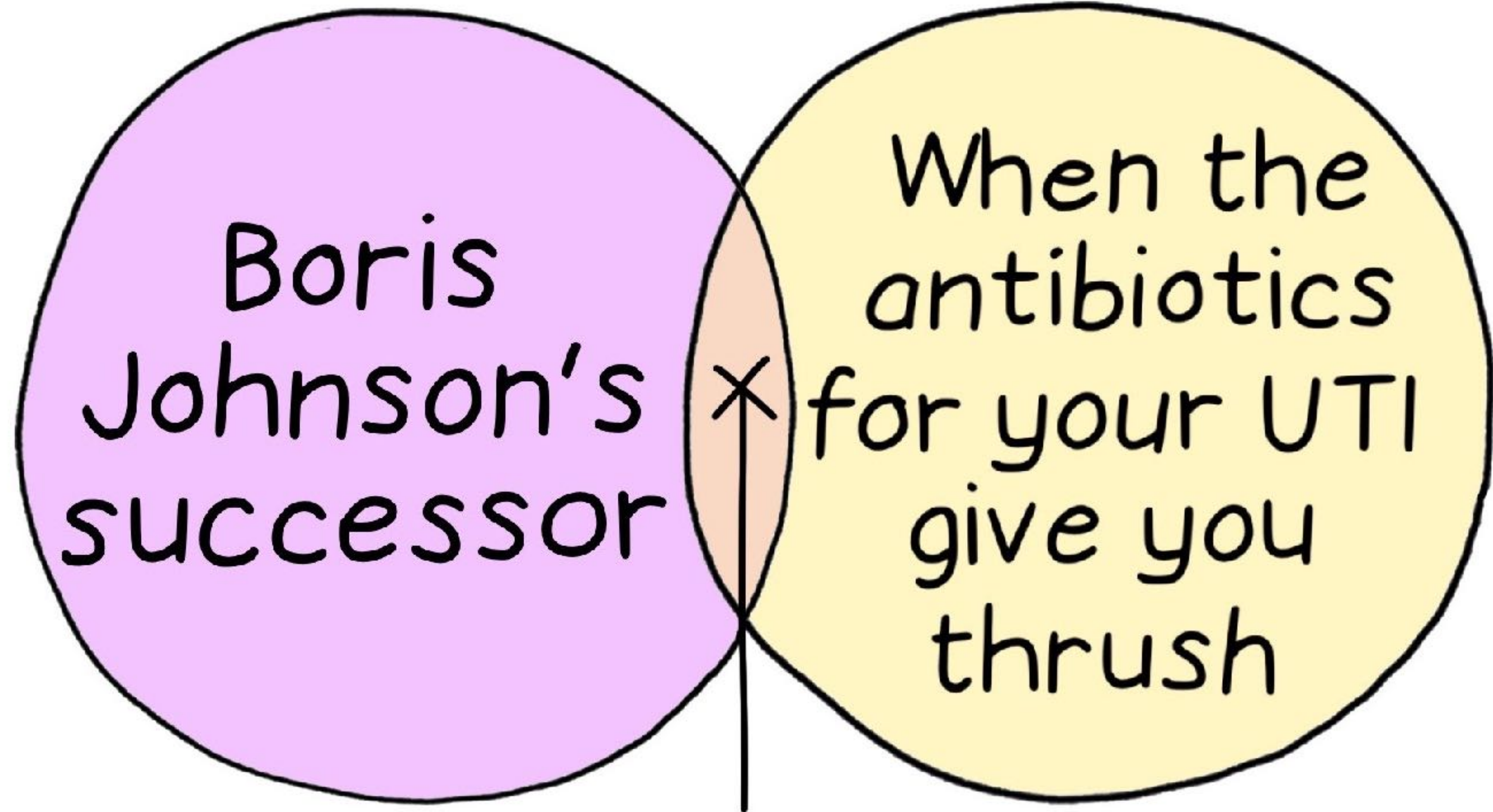
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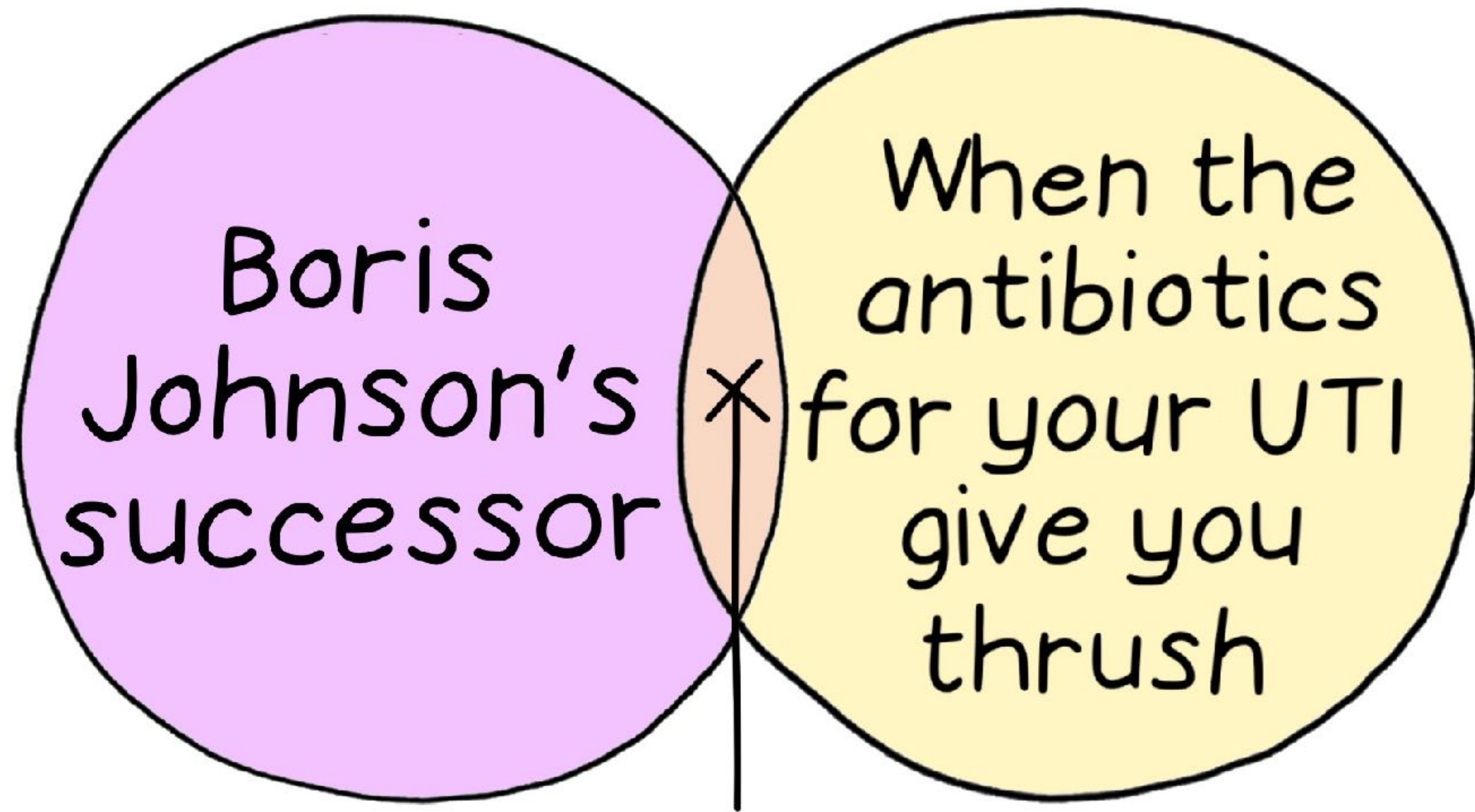
Sperm
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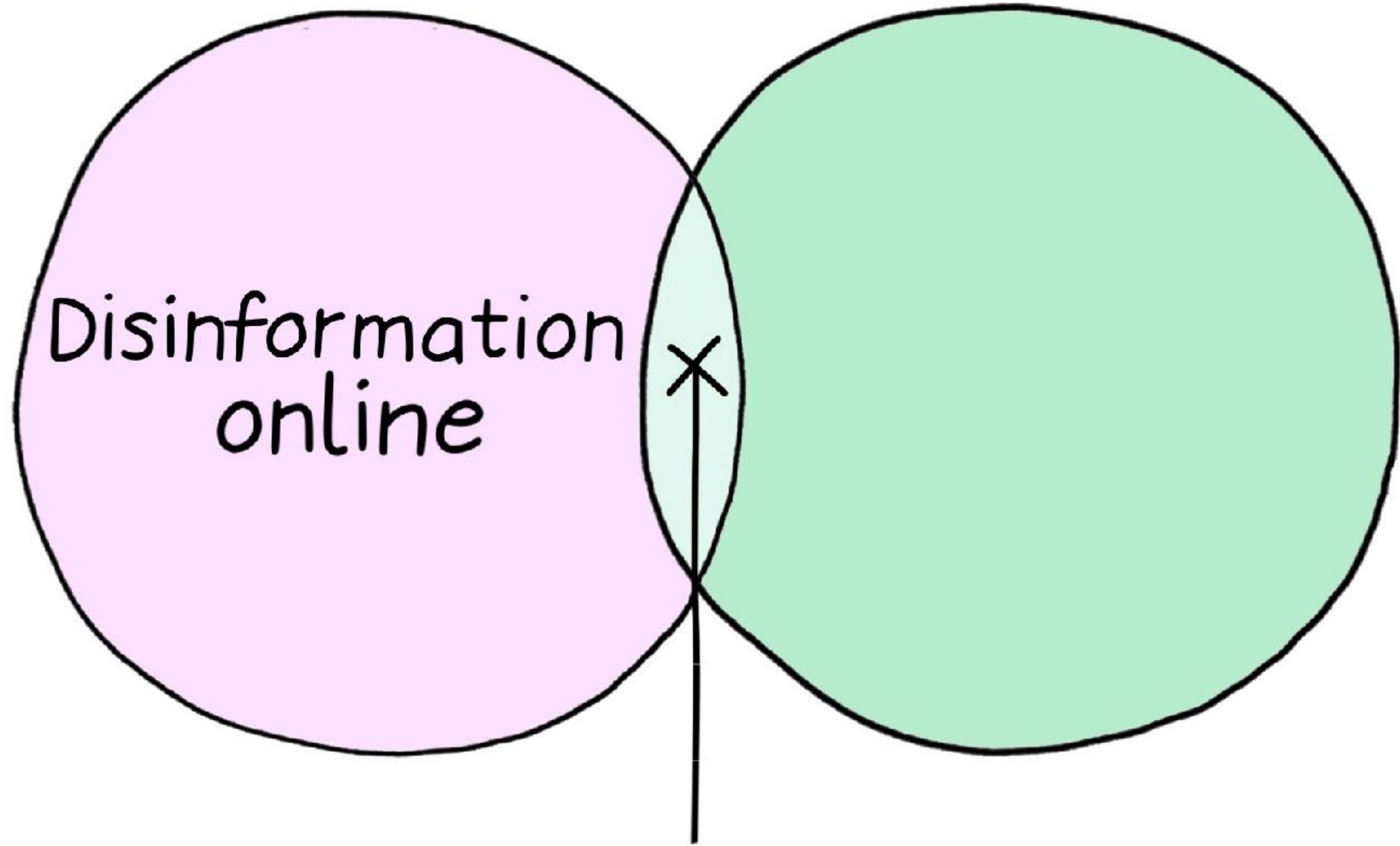
Millions trying to get there,
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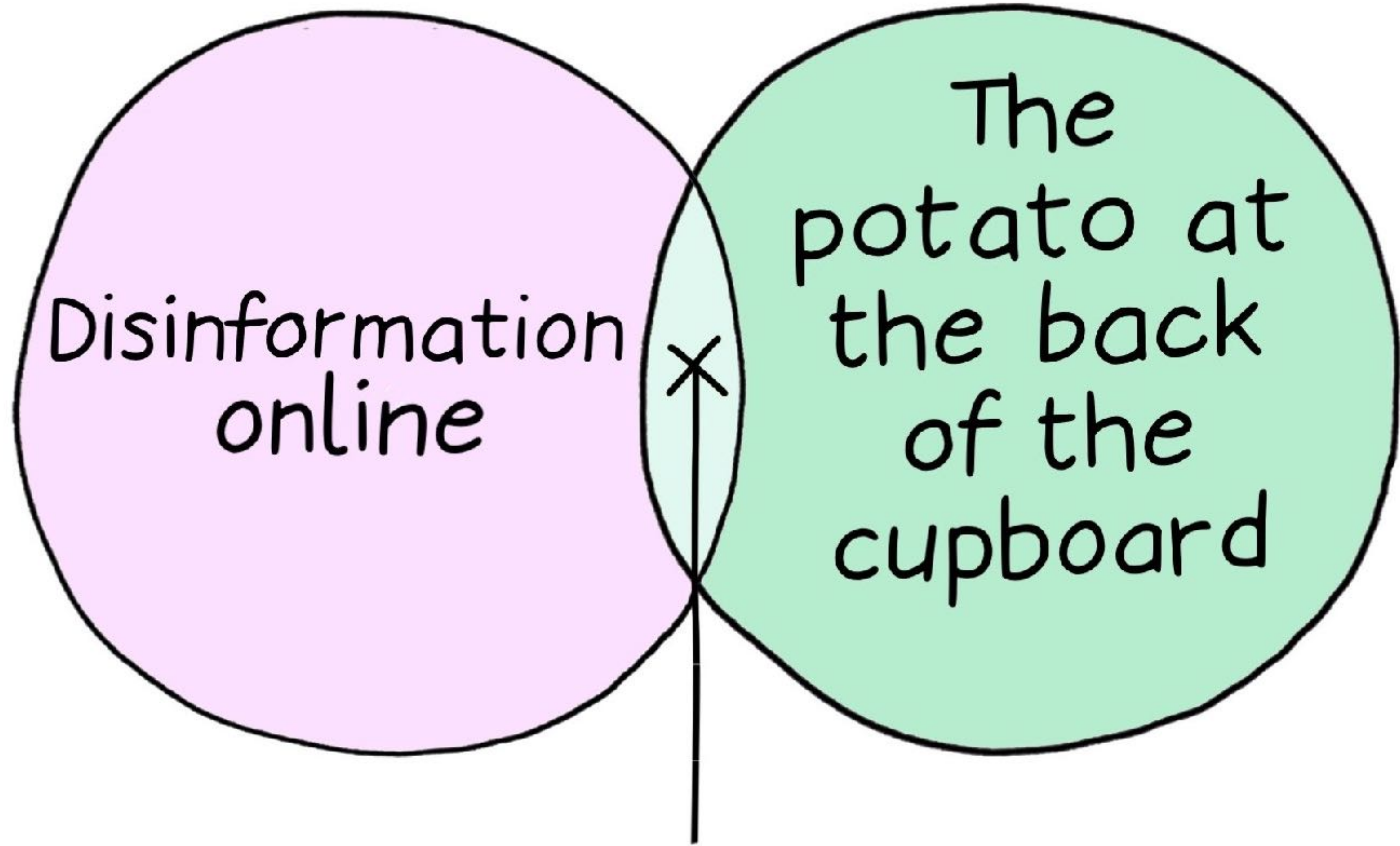


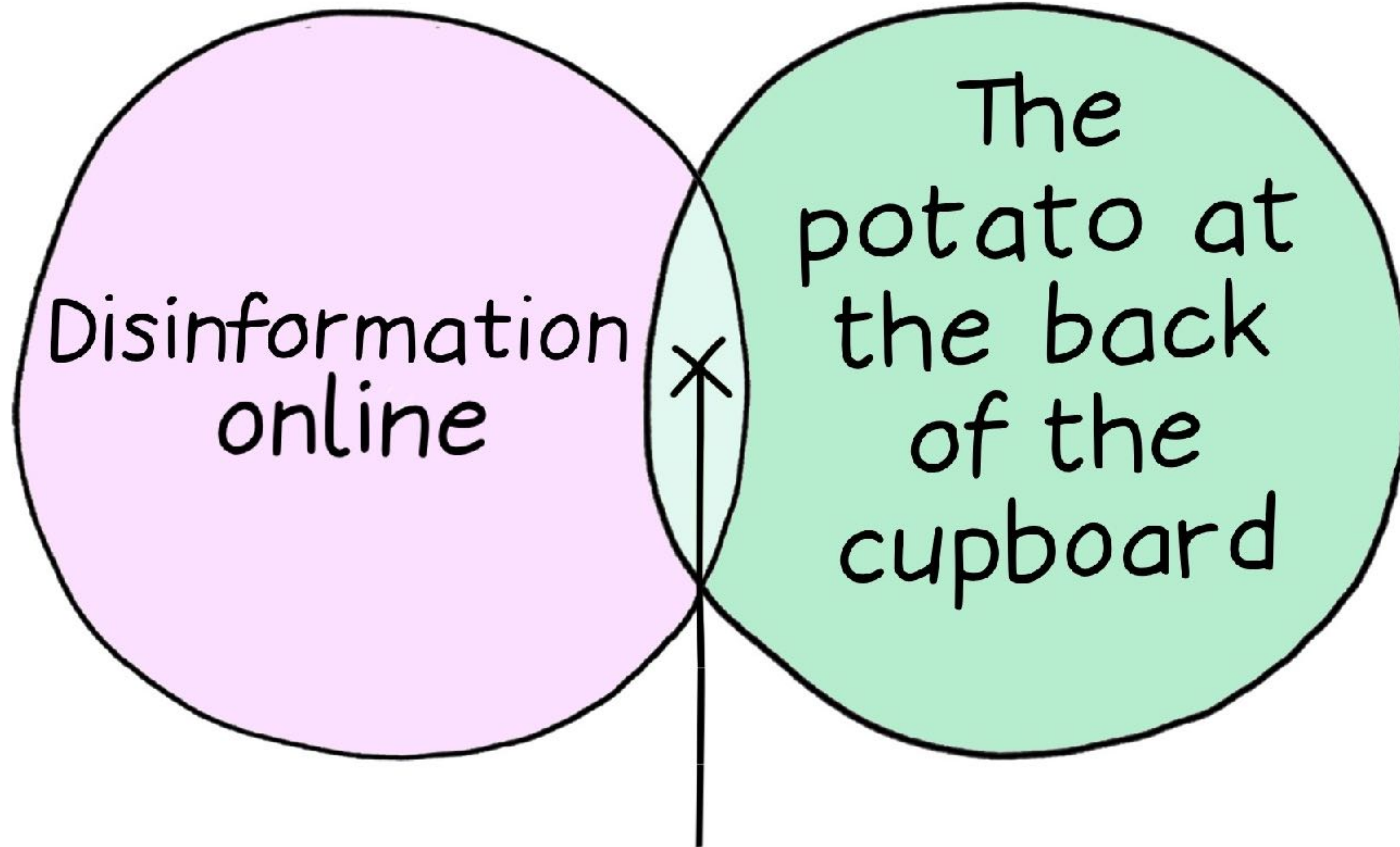




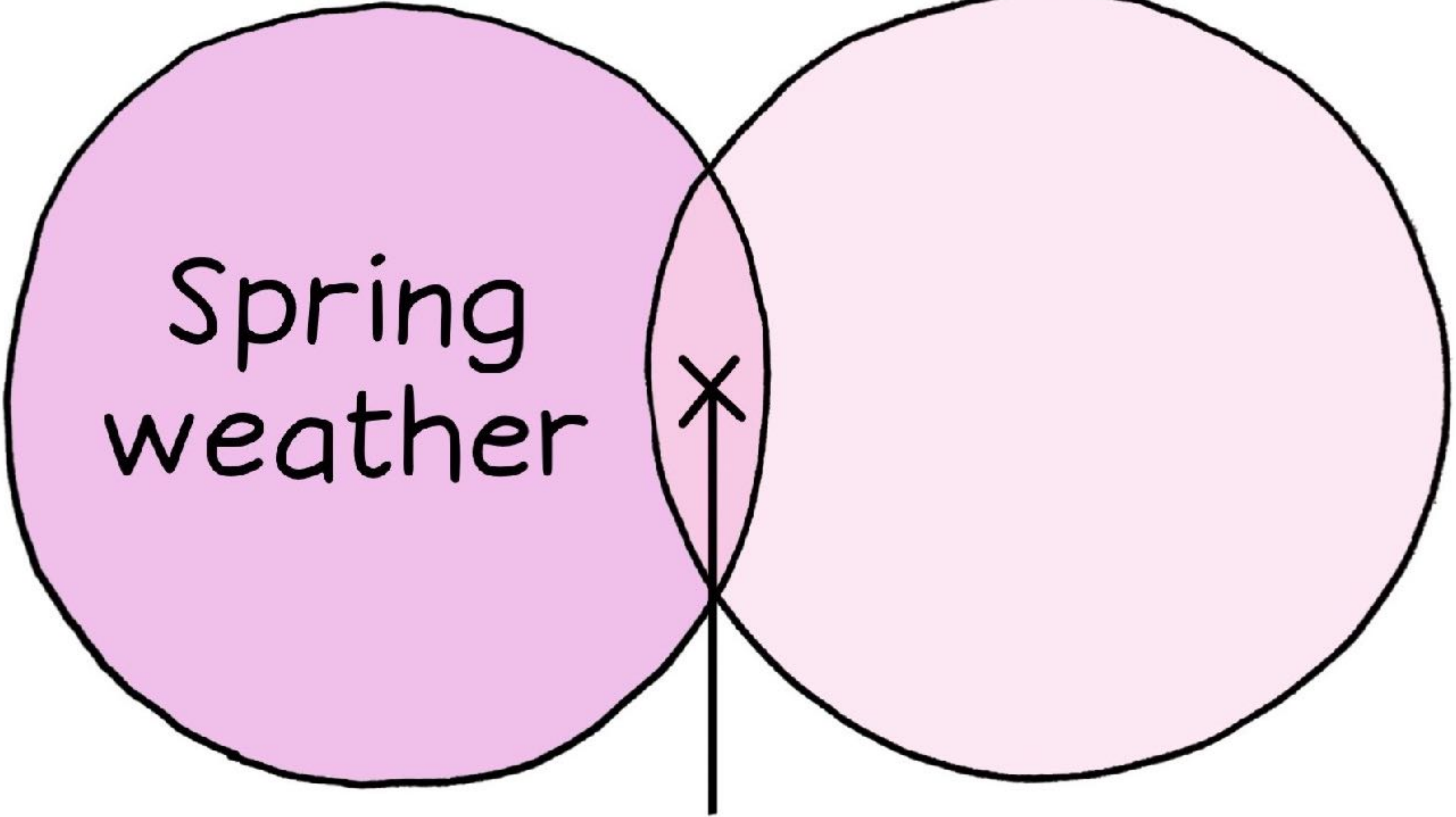
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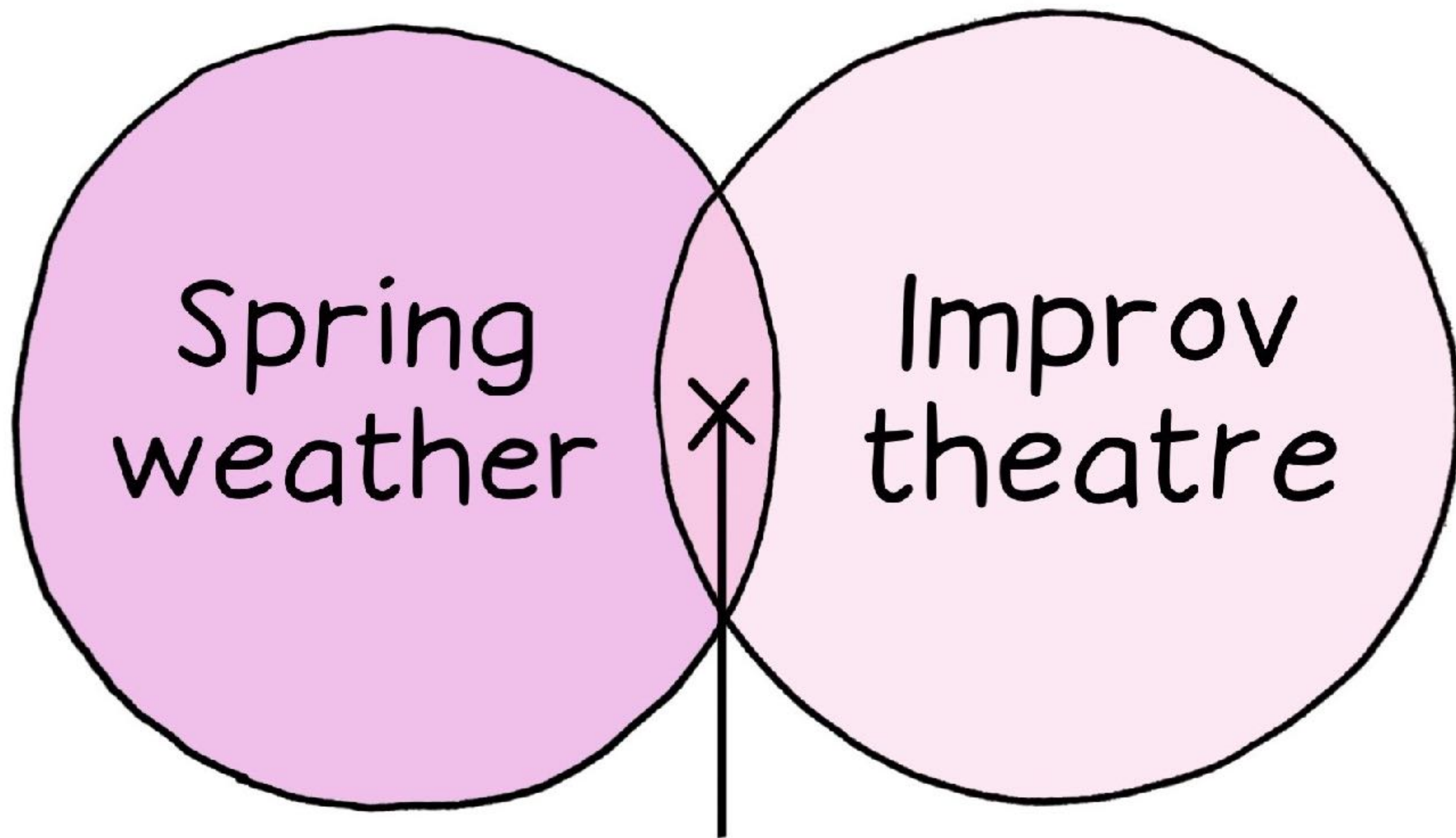


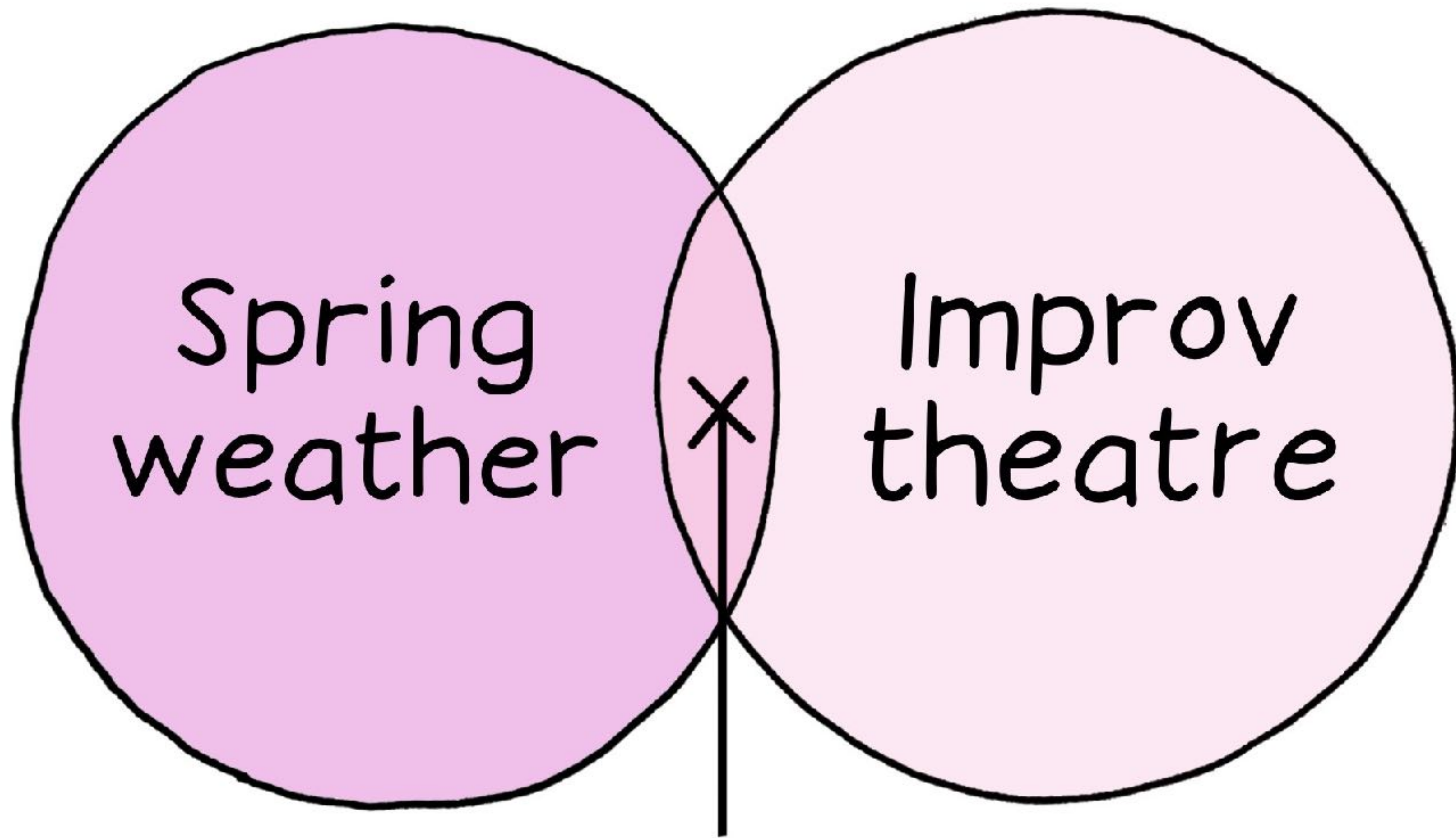




Sprouting in the
dark recesses







No idea where
it's going next

GLASTONBURY

