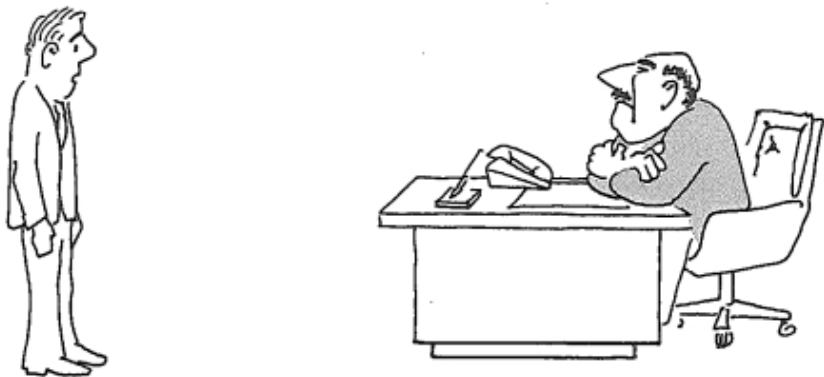


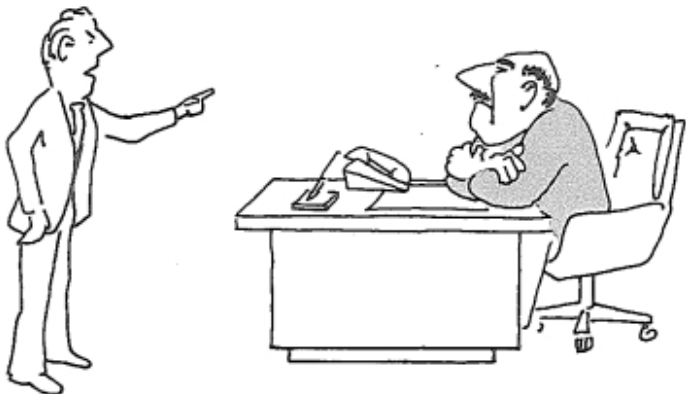
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**“I can’t find an efficient algorithm, I guess I’m just too dumb.”**

Garey and Johnson, *Computers and Intractability*, Freeman, 1979; pg 2



**“I can’t find an efficient algorithm, because no such algorithm is possible!”**

Garey and Johnson, *Computers and Intractability*, Freeman, 1979; pg 2



“I can’t find an efficient algorithm, but neither can all these famous people.”