

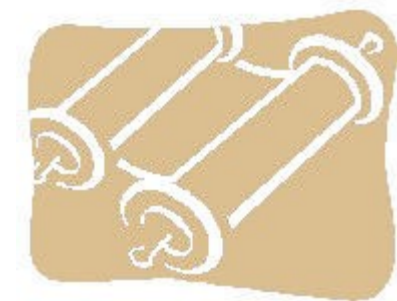
# WikiCreole and its practical applications

## The Future of Wiki Interaction



### Problem

- \* Hundreds of wiki engines
- \* Hundreds of different markups
- \* Difficult to use multiple engines



### History

- \* Ward Cunningham coined Creole
- \* Common markup, not a standard
- \* Use elements from existing wikis



### Process

- \* Analyzed existing wiki markups
- \* Came up with element subset
- \* Discussed at WikiSym
- \* Introduced wiki workflow
- \* Discussed proposals
- \* Consensus-driven, not voting



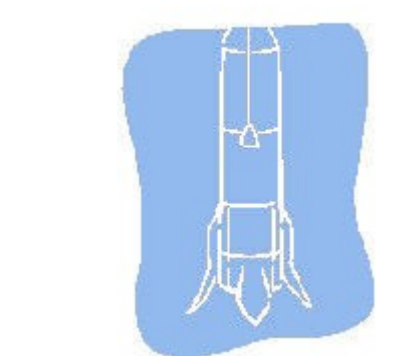
### Solution

- \* Agreement reached months later
- \* Reasoning documentation
- \* Empirical analysis
- \* Archived discussions



### Implementation

- \* 10 wiki engine supporting
- \* PEAR Wiki Filter
- \* Radeox



### Future

- \* Compromise among developers
- \* Cooperation uniting wikis
- \* Use in non-wiki technologies

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