

การผลักดันผลงานวิจัยผ่านช่องทาง Crowdfunding

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The Rise of the Frugal Economy





PALO ALTO – In a famous 1937 essay, the economist Ronald Coase argued that the reason Western economies are organized like a pyramid, with a few large producers at the top and millions of passive consumers below, is the existence of transaction costs – the intangible costs associated with search, bargaining, decision-making, and enforcement. But with the Internet, mobile technologies, and social media all but eliminating such costs in many sectors, this economic structure is bound to change.

Indeed, in the United States and across Europe, vertically integrated value chains controlled by large companies are already being challenged by new consumer-orchestrated value ecosystems, which allow consumers to design, build, market, distribute, and trade goods and services among themselves, eliminating the need for intermediaries. This bottom-up approach to value creation is enabled by the horizontal (or peer-to-peer) networks and do-it-yourself (DIY) platforms that form the foundation of the "frugal" economy.

Two key factors are fueling the frugal economy's growth: a protracted financial crisis, which has weakened the purchasing power of middle-class consumers in the West, and these consumers' increasing sense of environmental responsibility. Eager to save money and minimize their ecological impact, Western consumers are increasingly eschewing individual ownership in favor of shared access to products and services.



Crowdfunding: ช่องทางที่เร็วขึ้นในการผลักดันสิ่งประดิษฐ์ไปสู่นวัตกรรม





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Be a part of making the world's first people powered tablet, running Sailfish OS 2.0.

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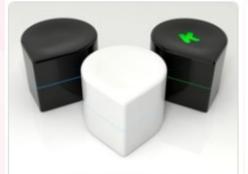
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ZUtA Labs Ltd.

Finally! Mobile printing is really here! A printer that goes where you go & prints from your phone on any size page! The future is now!

Jerusalem, Israel

Successfully funded!

\$511,662 Funded 127%

funded pledged May 10 2014



Desktop 3D Scanner

CADScan

An easy-to-use, low-cost 3D scanning system that captures full colour, accurate 3D object data in minutes.

O Chester, UK

Successfully funded!

£97,264 Funded

funded pledged Mar 19 2013

no time for chit chat the world awaits my glory!

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PEBBLE IS BORN

2012

Pebble: E-Paper Watch for iPhone and Android

by Pebble Technology



68,929

\$10,266,845

pledged of \$100,000 goal

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seconds to go

Funded!

This project was successfully funded on May 19, 2012.

April 12 update - We're absolutely blown away by your support, Kickstarter. \$1M in 28 hours!



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Pebble Time - Awesome Smartwatch, No Compromises

\$20,338,986

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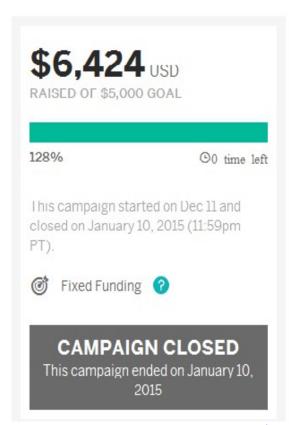


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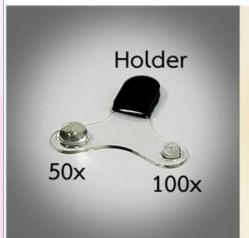
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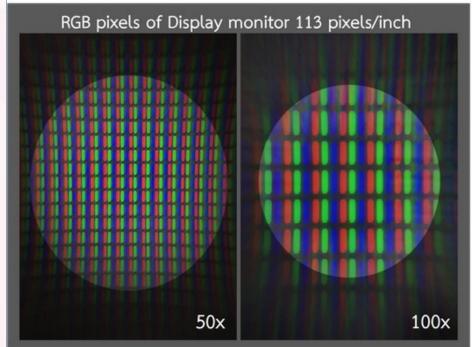








Here, we offer TWI-VIS, a dual microscope lens which has two magnifications (50x/100x) in a single piece. Then, you can enjoy both in just one order!!



A dual microscope designed in a trillium-like shape can be easily sticked on both front or back camera. Also, it comes off without leaving any residues. Whatever devices you have, cell phone or tablet, the TWI-VIS works well with any smooth surface.



\$19 USD

Early bird - TWI-VIS with case

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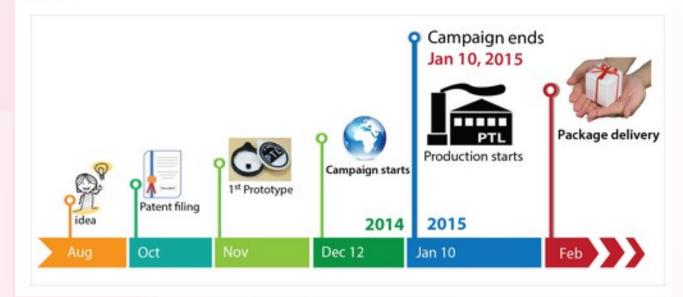
TWI-VIS with case

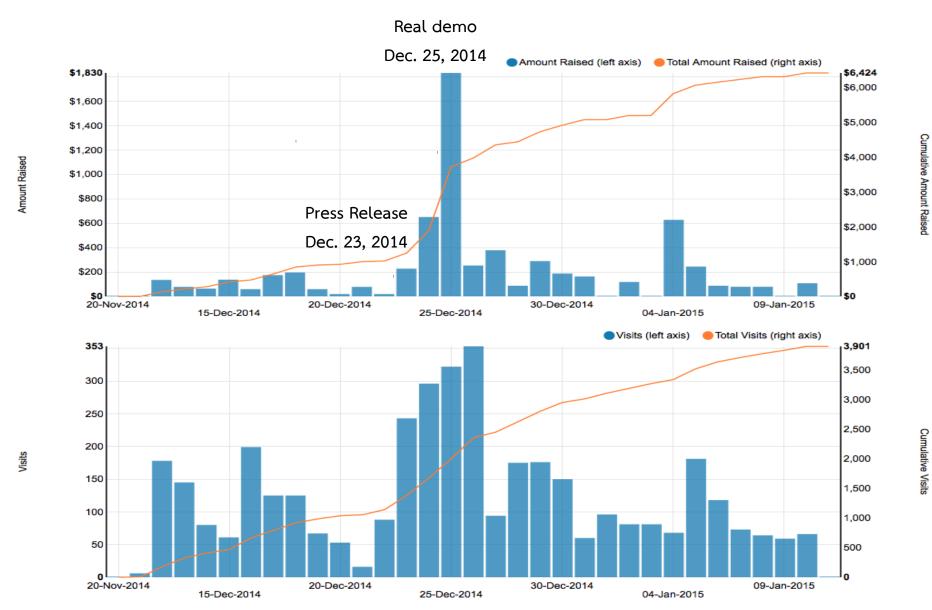
TWI-VIS 50/100x lens with case. Free economy International shipping worldwide.

Estimated delivery: February 2015

28 claimed

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PHP Code Generator



scriptcase.net

Develop complete web applications Forms, Reports, Grids, Charts, PDF

Freelance Developer

Build a Free Website

Your own Bicycle café

Crowdfunding Investments

- Launcht: Launcht is one of the best known white-label crowdfunding platforms out there. They are based in Boston, MA and help customers create crowdfunding platforms for nonprofits, universities, startups, and more. Pricing information: Setup \$495-\$5,995.
 Ongoing \$295/mo & 1% of all funds raised \$495/mo & 1% of all funds raised.
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- CrowdfundHQ: "The fastest, easiest way to create a successful crowdfunding site. No coding required. Best pricing in the industry." Prices range from \$60-\$200 per month.
- Towema: "The easiest way to launch a personalized crowdfunding platform." Prices range from \$500-\$1,500 per month.

Open Source Crowdfunding Platforms

- Catarse: Catarse is an open source crowdfunding platform that was created in Brazil.
 Judging from the last time I used the code base, it will require a good amount of manipulation and bug fixing if you'd like to use it to create a crowdfunding site. It's easiest to set up with PayPal. Once you do get it working to your needs, it's awesome and performs the job well. You can see it in action here.
- Spot.us (Crowdfunded Reporting): Spot.us is a community funded reporting
 platform. There is also an open-source version on github. It uses the Ruby on Rails

WordPress Themes for a Crowdfunding Platform

- Ignition Deck: Ignition Deck is a popular wordpress crowdfunding plugin and crowdfunding theme. Pricing ranges from \$79-\$349. Extensions include WePay, Amazon Payments, and MixPanel Analytics.
- Fundify: Fundify is a wordpress crowdfunding theme by the popular theme marketplace, ThemeForest. It costs \$60, integrates with WePay and PayPal, and supports flexible and fixed fundraising options.
- FundingPress: FundingPress is another theme created by ThemeForest that you can
 use to create a crowdfunding platform. It costs \$55 and has a bit of a different layout than
 Fundify.