

## VERBAL HANDS-ON PROBLEM: 101 Uses and still counting

1. This is a verbal hands-on problem.
2. You will have two minutes to think and four minutes to respond. Questions count against your thinking time.
3. You will receive one point for each common answer. Humorous or creative answers will be worth 3 points. This is a subjective opinion on the part of the judge, and the judges' decision is final.
4. Your team will take turns in sequence. You may not skip your turn, nor repeat, nor pass. If one member of the team is stuck, the team is stuck.
5. Your Problem...In front of you is an item. You are to show how this item may be used in the everyday life of a creative Omer.
6. Once time begins, it will not be stopped. If the judge asks you to repeat your answers, clarify it or give another answer, it counts against your time. Speak loudly and clearly.

Reread the problem again before starting

### FOR JUDGES ONLY:

Search the house or the garage and find an item that is so unusual that the team members will have no idea what it is normally used for. This will force them to use their creative juices.

Team members do not have to use the items as they might normally be intended. Creative responses could be made by using the items in creative ways. After they complete this Spontaneous, switch the item out with an item that is very familiar to them, and run the Spontaneous again. A rubber band, a stir stick, a paper cup, etc.. Push the team to only answer creatively. Example: A coffee stir stick could be a pole-vault for a cockroach, or a tooth pick for an elephant.