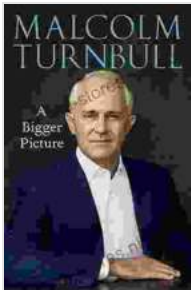


Seeing the Bigger Picture With Daniel Kahneman and Olivier Sibony's New Foreword



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In their new foreword to the book *Noise*, Daniel Kahneman and Olivier Sibony provide a timely reminder of the importance of understanding and mitigating noise in our decision-making.

Noise is the random variation in judgments and decisions that occurs even when people are trying to be objective and rational. It can be caused by a variety of factors, including individual biases, cognitive limitations, and environmental factors.

Kahneman and Sibony argue that noise is a serious problem because it can lead to poor decisions, wasted resources, and missed opportunities. They provide a number of examples of how noise has affected decision-making in a variety of contexts, including:

- **Investing:** Noise can lead to investors making poor investment decisions, such as buying stocks that are overpriced or selling stocks that are undervalued.
- **Forecasting:** Noise can make it difficult to accurately forecast future events, such as economic growth or the weather.
- **Risk management:** Noise can make it difficult to accurately assess risk, which can lead to organizations taking on too much or too little risk.
- **Strategy:** Noise can make it difficult to develop and implement effective strategies, as it can lead to decision-makers being swayed by irrelevant or misleading information.

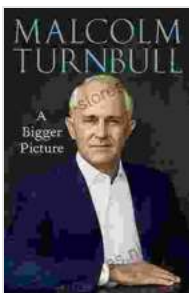
Kahneman and Sibony offer a number of recommendations for how to mitigate noise in decision-making. These recommendations include:

- **Increase the number of decision-makers:** The more people who are involved in a decision, the less likely it is to be affected by noise.
- **Use structured decision-making processes:** Structured decision-making processes can help to reduce noise by forcing decision-makers to consider all of the relevant information and to weigh the pros and cons of each option carefully.
- **Be aware of your own biases:** Everyone has biases, but it is important to be aware of them so that you can avoid letting them influence your decisions.
- **Use data to inform your decisions:** Data can help to reduce noise by providing you with a more objective view of the situation.

Kahneman and Sibony's new foreword to Noise is a valuable resource for anyone who wants to make better decisions. By understanding and mitigating noise, we can all make better decisions that lead to better outcomes.

Additional Resources

- Noise: A Flaw in Human Judgment by Daniel Kahneman, Olivier Sibony, and Cass R. Sunstein
- Noise: A Flaw in Human Judgment by Daniel Kahneman and Olivier Sibony
- The Hidden Biases That Shape Our Judgments by Daniel Kahneman



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