

# intelligibility and clarity of texts and communications...

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i'm interested in the above, especially in contexts of legal documents, consumer protection, standard contracts etc.  
i'm looking for research, line of thought etc., that argues that complexity of and un-intelligibility of "legalities" is redundant and un-necessary, and serves political and corporational goals (keep the masses ignorant about their rights/obligations). other possible connections would be from information theory etc.  
i have an intuition that the the intelligibility and clarity of texts could/should be measured and quantified  
i will be thankful for any comment, reference etc.  
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