

## NEGOTIATION CHECKLIST



- ☐ Do I know the **ZOPA** (my & their red line)?
- ☐ Do I know the customer's bigger picture (more than the PCB) of their needs, and how we can I add value to that?



- ☐ Do I have **alternatives**, that can either reduce our costs or make the customer more willing to pay?
- ☐ Do I have a **BATNA**?
- ☐ Have I sent an **agenda**, with the price discussion in the end?
- ☐ Do I know **who** will be at the negotiation?
- ☐ Have I eaten?
- ☐ Is my calendar open after this meeting?





## Remember!



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- ✓ My goal is to: Build strong relationships

  - ✓ Learn about their needs ✓ Show the value we can add to them ✓ Cooperate together with the customer to come
  - ✓ Customer's are usually selective with information
    - it's their job to push the price down!

  - √ I am one of few they can trust ✓ Walking away from a bad deal is NOT a loss!
  - ✓ Our strategy HMLV is usually more expensive, but a lower total cost for customers with these needs

    - ✓ Pretend the person is trying to help me win the order ✓ Be soft on the person (in a strange way), and be curious about their
      - ✓ Don't drip Never give away anything without asking for something in return!



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