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BELIEF CONSISTENCY

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CONSISTENCY BETWEEN BELIEF & ATTITUDE

- Global evaluations toward object or issue
- Like or dislike
- e.g.
 - prison is bad
 - new car is cool

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- Pieces of information(facts) about something
- More specific
- e.g.
 - Moon is made of rock

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 One way to look at the consistency between belief and attitudes is to examine how people rationalize things

e.g. If you believe that <u>SONY</u> is the <u>BEST</u>
manufacturer, you will persuade yourself that they
have the most desirable qualities





