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For the items that we are going to judge one against another, we use a scale of 1-10 to rate them and then we multiple that number by the weight to get the total # for that cell.

Discussion: During the design process or problem solving we need to apply convergent thinking to narrow our option to a selection. When we have many options and are not comparing any to an existing one, the best option is to create a decision matrix where we establish a set of judgment criteria down the Y axis and weight each to its importance to judge our possibilities.

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requirements	environment			
	simple			
	low cost			
	Total=			

