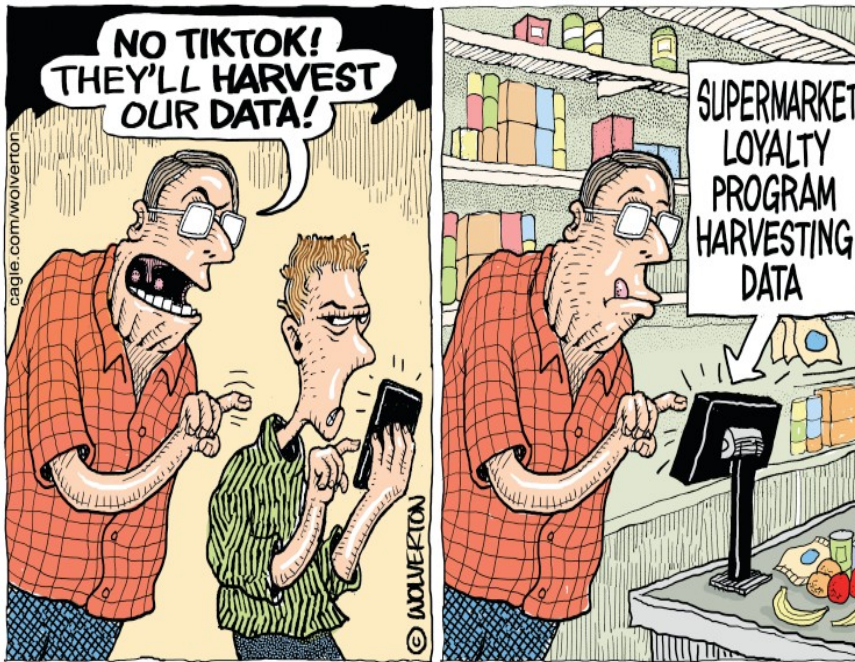


Is TikTok a threat? Should we ban it?



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1. What are these cartoons saying about calls to ban the Chinese-owned TikTok app as a threat to national security?
2. Some critics warn that China could access TikTok users' data. Do you think U.S. spy agencies gather online users' data?
3. China loudly criticized calls to ban TikTok, but it bans almost all American social media apps – from Facebook to Instagram. Do you think we should ban TikTok? Why or why not?
4. Do we need laws to protect all user data collected by tech firms?
5. Do you ever dream of becoming an influencer on TikTok?

Between the lines

"In most ways, they're like most of the Big Tech companies. They can use Americans' data any way they want." - U.S. Rep. Jan Schakowsky (D-III.)

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