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Computer Learning



Type your search here
Google Search I'm Feeling Lucky

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← To set options

To process your search Jumps you directly to the first selection in the search

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Google

Breakdown of a search result

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Web address

Stored pages to see older versions of the same page

See other sites that are similar

Quick description

Note: Some features are a bit hidden

To see a complete list do a search for *more Google products*

Use Google as a...

Calculator - Enter calculations or conversions

Examples:

5+2*2 2^20

Half a cup in teaspoons

160 pounds * 4000 feet in calories



Newspaper -

Search latest news stories

Type in keyword to search for relevant news



Phonebook for Residences

Phonebook: Peter Parker, New York City
401-331-6929



Weather - search for weather info

Example weather Providence, RI

Weather for Providence, RI

70°F

Overcast

Wind: NE at 8 mph

Humidity: 88%



Fri
76° | 63°



Sat
75° | 62°

Stock Quotes - get

stock and mutual fund info

type in stock symbols

Example: AAPL

[AAPL](#) (APPLE COMPUTER)

13 September 2005 AAPL



Translator

Translate messages or whole web pages into variety of languages



Finance -

Range of information about stocks, mutual funds with charts, news and fundamental financial data



Movie listings - Find reviews and show times for movies playing near you, type movies or the name of the film

Movies: 02906

Title of Movie, 02906

Currency Converter -

3.5 USD in GBP

5 British pounds in South Korean money

Currency of Brazil in Malaysian money

Your Personal Librarian



Scholar -

Find scholarly literature, peer-reviewed papers, theses, books, preprints, abstracts and technical reports from all of research.



Definitions - Use Google to get definitions

Example: define: internet



Book Search - Search the full text of books

Read scanned books online and/or buy books directly



Patent Search - search the full text of the U.S. patent corpus and find patents that interest you.



Alerts - Receive news and search results via email

Type in your email and the keyword that will search news articles and then send them to you

Fact Q&A - Type a fact based question and see an immediate answer at the top of your search results page

The population of Rhode island?


What currency is used in Algeria?


[Bono](#) — Place of Birth: Dublin, Ireland





Catalogs - Search mail-order catalogs


Other searches

 **University Search** - Search a specific school's website very much like site search but specifically university sites

 **Images** - Search for images on the web More than two billion images indexed and available for viewing. Scan is often outdated

 **Street Maps** - Find U.S. street maps by typing in an address and press map. See standard maps, satellite images and hybrid information


 **File Types** - Search for certain file formats Search for files to view or download. Find MS office, Corel, Postscript, Lotus and PDF files
Example: form 1040 filetype:pdf - finds the tax worksheet in PDF form


 **Notebook**
Clip and collect information as you surf the web


 **IGoogle**
Add news, games and more to the Google homepage

Google video  
Search for videos on Google Video and YouTube


Watch, upload and share videos


Directory - Browse the web by topic Search by keywords in specific categories
 Example:
Reference > Libraries > Subject Specific > Medical


 **Groups** - This is an online discussion groups or mailing lists that helps groups of people communicate using email and the web


 **Products** - Search for products for sale online Click the Froogle button and then your search,
Example: Sony camera

Site Search - instead of looking through a website search through it for specific keywords "Site" followed by a colon enables you to restrict your search to a specific site.
Example: 60's cars site:amazon.com

 **Search By Number**-Bypass other sites looking for information
Parcel tracking numbers (USPS FedEx UPS), patents, Vehicle ID (VIN) numbers, UPC codes, area codes, Patent numbers, FAA airplane, FCC equipment and IDs registration numbers
Example:
1Z9999W99999999999

Track a flight: Type in an airline and the flight number Example:
United 11 

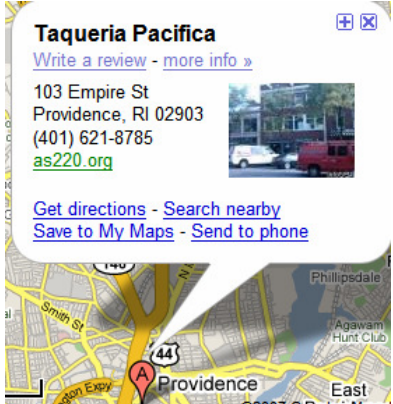
Google Checkout 
You can quickly and easily buy from stores across the web and track all your orders and shipping in one place.

Blog Search - Find blogs on your favorite topics 
Explore the blogging universe more effectively
Find out what people are saying on any subject of your choice.

Google Reader
Your inbox for the web
Keep up with your favorite websites.
Checks your favorite news sites and blogs for new content.

Goog-411
Search for local businesses using your voice, from any phone, for free.
Dial 1-800-GOOG-411.

Local Search - Search for local business and services
Type in a category or a business name and a zip code



The screenshot shows a Google Local Search result for "Taqueria Pacifica". At the top, there's a title "Taqueria Pacifica" with a plus and minus icon. Below it is a link "Write a review - more info >". The address is "103 Empire St Providence, RI 02903" with a phone number "(401) 621-8785" and a website "as220.org". There's a small photo of the restaurant. Below the address are links for "Get directions - Search nearby" and "Save to My Maps - Send to phone". At the bottom is a map showing the location in Providence, RI, with a red pin and a white callout box.