

Google's Search Tools

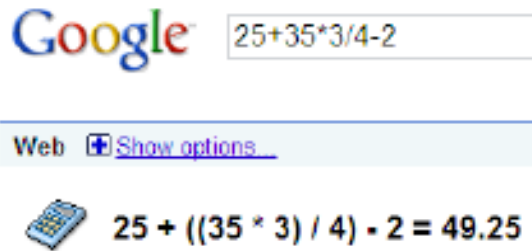
Google Search Tricks

In the Google search window, try the following:

- **Calculator**

Type a calculation and press enter
You will see the answer in the results window.
Use the asterisks "*" for the multiplication and the slash "/" for the division symbol.

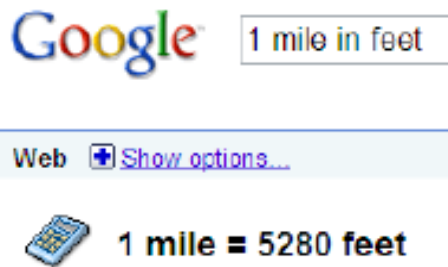
25+35*3/4-2



- **Conversion Tool**

Type something similar to one of the following and press enter:
Be sure to use the word "in"

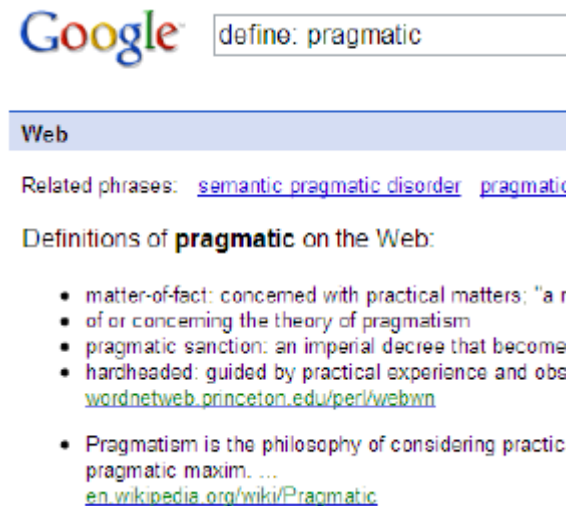
1 mile in feet
1 cup in tablespoons
100 dollars in Euros
180 c in f



- **Dictionary**

Type "define:" and then the word you want defined and press enter:

define: pragmatic
define: congruent
define: socialism



- **Weather**

Type the word “weather” and then the city (or city and state) and press enter to see conditions for the next 5 days:

Weather Wichita
Weather London
Weather Riverside, CA

The screenshot shows a Google search for "weather: riverside, CA". The results include a "Web" link with "Show options" and a weather summary for Riverside, CA. The current temperature is 52°F (°C). The current condition is "Partly Cloudy" with a wind of "SE at 3 mph" and humidity of "69%". A 4-day forecast is shown: Monday (67°F | 44°F), Tuesday (63°F | 44°F), Wednesday (67°F | 43°F), and Thursday (71°F | 42°F). Detailed forecast links are provided at the bottom.

- **Movie Search**

Type “movie:” and the zip code and press enter. This will return a list of theaters, movies, times, and even reviews!

movie: 92505
movie: 92408

The screenshot shows a Google search for "movie: 92505". The results are titled "Showtimes for Riverside, CA 92505". It includes a "Change Location" section with a text input and a "Change" button. A list of theaters and movies is shown, including "AMC Tyler Galleria 16" at 3775 Tyler Street, Riverside, CA. Movies listed include "Avatar 3D" (2hr 40min, Rated PG-13) and "Alvin and the Chipmunks: The S..." (1hr 28min, Rated PG). A "Daybreakers" link is also visible.

- **Flight Search**

Type the airline, or the airline code, and the flight number and press enter to see the flight status:

American 5324
AA 5324
Delta 78
DL 78

The screenshot shows a Google search for "Delta 78". The results include a "Web" link with "Show options" and a "Track status of DL 78 from Los Angeles (LAX) to" section. It shows the flight is on schedule for 25 Jan 2010, with a departure of 7:19 AM and an estimated arrival of 3:37 PM. The website www.flightstats.com is mentioned.

- **Time**

Type in “time” and the name of the city to see time in cities around the world:

time London
time Sao Paulo

The screenshot shows a Google search for "time London". The results include a "Web" link with "Show options" and a "Time" section. It shows the current time is 4:05pm Tuesday (GMT) - Time in London, L. Other times listed are 11:05am EST for London, Ontario and 10:05am CST for London, Arkansas.

- **Public Data**

To see trends for population and unemployment rates of U.S. states and counties, type “population” or “unemployment rate” followed by a state or county:

population CA
unemployment rate CA

Google population CA

Web [Show options...](#)

Population, California

 **36,756,666** - Jul 2008

Source: U.S. Census Bur
[Disclaimer](#)

1980 2008
www.google.com/publicdata

- **Local Search**


Find a store, restaurant or other local business. Type the business category and the location and it will return results right on the page, along with maps, reviews, and contact info:

Italian food 92505
Best Buy 92505

Google Italian food 92505

Web [Show options...](#)

Local business results for Italian food near Riverside, CA 92505

 **A** [Papa John's](#) - www.papajohns.com
10330 Hole Avenue, Riverside - (951) 271-1111
[1 review, directions, and more >](#)

B [Villa Amalfi Ristorante](#) - www.villaam.com
10 Clubhouse Drive, Norco - (951) 271-1111
"In using the web to decide on where to eat..."
[★★★★☆ 20 reviews, directions, and more >](#)

C [Bambino's Pizza & Italian Food](#) - www.bambinos.com
10971 Magnolia Avenue, Riverside - (951) 271-1111
[Directions and more >](#)

[More results near Riverside, CA 92505](#)

- **Currency Conversion**

Enter the conversion you'd like done into the Google search box and the answer will be provided directly on the results page:

150 GBP in USD
Euro in USD

Google 150 GBP in USD

Web [Show options...](#)

Free Currency Converter
www.google.com/Currency Quickly Convert Currency Free On Go

 **150 British pounds = 239.25 U.S. dollars**

Rates provided for information only - [see disclaimer](#). [More >](#)


- **Number Package Tracking**

Track packages by entering the tracking number for UPS, Fedex, USPS directly into the search box. The results will include quick links to easily track the status of shipment:

1Z9999W99999999999

Google 1Z9999W99999999999

Web [Show options...](#)

 **Track UPS package 1Z9999W99999999999**
www.ups.com

Special Numbers Search
Oct 16, 2009 ... For example, searching for a number like 1Z9999... example search: "1Z9999W99999999999". FedEx tracking numb

Google Search Tips

These tips will help you refine your Google search:

- Use quotation marks to search for a phrase: “cooperative learning”
- Restrict the search by using the minus “-” sign: If you want info about the ship but not the movie, try: titanic –movie
- Try a wildcard search using the asterisk “*”:
Don't enter: What is the capital of Kansas?
Enter: The capital of Kansas is *