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Google Like a Pro!

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A. Any time I have a question
B. A few times a day
C. Occasionally
D. What’s Google?
E. Is this a trick question? I only use library resources, of course.
What would you use Google to find?

A. Movie times
B. Statistics
C. Scholarly articles
D. Wikipedia
E. All of the above
F. No, really, this has to be a trick
Google search results can complement your research in traditional library databases.

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What can you find on Google?

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- Scholarly sources
- Statistical data
- Visual images

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Texting and Driving Fact - stoptextsstopwrecks.org
5 seconds is average time your eyes are off the road while texting.

Texting and Driving Statistics
Texting while driving is a growing trend, and a national epidemic, quickly becoming one of the country's top killers. Drivers assume ...

Distracted Driving | Facts and Stats | Texting and Driving
Distracted driving is any activity that could divert a person's attention away from the primary task of driving. All distractions endanger driver, passenger, and ...
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- Search only specific websites or types of sites with `site:` command

  - E.g., texting driving statistics site: .gov
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Google search for civil war:

- American Civil War - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia
  en.wikipedia.org/wiki/American_Civil_War
  The American Civil War, also known as the War Between the States, or simply the Civil War in the United States (see naming), was a civil war fought from 1861 ...
  Confederate States of America - Jefferson Davis - Secession - Gordon (slave)

- The History Place - U.S. Civil War 1861-1865
  www.historyplace.com/civilwar/
  An easy-to-use American Civil War timeline with many original photographs and interesting quotes.

- Civil War
  www.civilwar.com/
  CivilWar.com brings the American Civil War history to the Internet. The purpose of this site is to accurately present American History leading up to and through ...

- Civil War Glass Negatives and Related Prints - About this ...
  www.loc.gov/all/civilwar/photographs.html
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- American Civil War - Battles, Facts & Pictures - History.com
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www.civilwar.org/ Civil War Trust
The Civil War Trust website features the latest Civil War preservation news, battle maps for most major Civil War battles, history articles, photos, and so much...

Civil War Trust: Civil War Sesquicentennial Home
www.civilwar.org/150th-anniversary/ Civil War Trust
The Civil War Trust Civil War Sesquicentennial page offers up a wide range of historical articles and features focusing on the 150th anniversary of the Civil War.

A Brief Overview of the American Civil War - Civil War Trust
www.civilwar.org/education/.../civil-war.../overview.html Civil War Trust
The Civil War is the central event in America's historical consciousness. While the Revolution of 1776-1783 created the United States, the Civil War of...

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www.loc.gov/.../All Collections Library of Congress
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- Google automatically assumes “and” between each word
  - +,| , - And, or, Not
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EBSCO Support: How can I search for an exact phrase only?

NOT/n - LexisNexis(R) | Research Help
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quotes - Meta Stack Exchange
meta.stackexchange.com/.../results-not-shown-when-matching-words-are...
Mar 22, 2013 - I have not been able to figure out how to search for an exact phrase with quotes; there seems to be no way to escape literal quotes available.

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www.gameex.info › Sposoft Forums › GameEx › General
Aug 13, 2013 - 5 posts - 3 authors
If you try to search for an exact phrase with quotes, it ignores this and returns results for each word in the phrase returning too many results ...

Results not shown when matching words are in “quotes”
mall.512ks.com/.../results-not-shown-when-matching-words-are-in-ldqu...
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www.fifa.com/worldcup/  Fédération Internationale de Football Association  The Official Website of the 2014 FIFA World Cup Brazil™

Matches
The Official Match Schedule for the 2014 FIFA World Cup Brazil.

Groups
Groups and standings of the 2014 FIFA World Cup.

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CS Bruce - International journal of information management, 1999 - Elsevier
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