


Web Search at 15

What's available

- Number of pages indexed
 - 7/94 Lycos -
 - 95 - 10^6 millions
 - 97 - 10^7
 - 98 - 10^8
 - 01 - 10^9 billions
 - 05 - 10^{10} ...
- Types of content
 - Web pages, newsgroups
 - Images, videos, maps
 - News, blogs, spaces
 - Shopping, local, desktop
 - Books, papers, many formats
 - Health, finance, travel ...


How it's accessed



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Support for Searchers

- The search box
- Spelling suggestions
- Query suggestions
- Auto complete
- Inline answers
- Richer snippets
- But, we can do better



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