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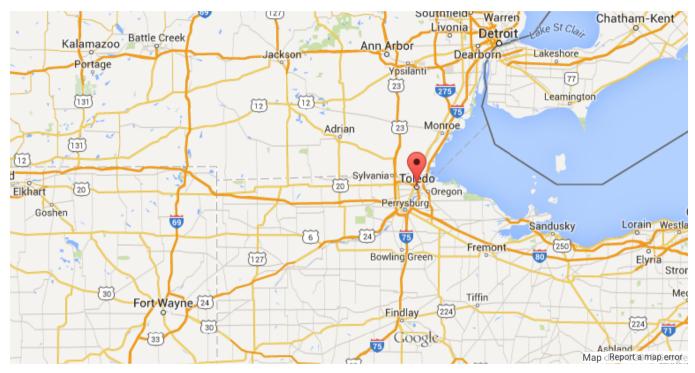
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## Region code biasing (US)



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var geocoder;
var map;
var query = 'Toledo';
function initialize() {
 geocoder = new google.maps.Geocoder();
 var mapOptions = {
    zoom: 8
 }
 map = new google.maps.Map(document.getElementById('map-canvas'), mapOptions);
  codeAddress();
function codeAddress() {
 var address = query;
 geocoder.geocode( { 'address': address}, function(results, status) {
    if (status == google.maps.GeocoderStatus.OK) {
      map.setCenter(results[0].geometry.location);
      var marker = new google.maps.Marker({
          map: map,
          position: results[0].geometry.location
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});
} else {
   alert('Geocode was not successful for the following reason: ' + status);
}
});
}
google.maps.event.addDomListener(window, 'load', initialize);
```

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