

Google StreetView API Overview

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1 API Usage and Pricing

Unfortunately, while Google StreetView supports historical data, the StreetView API does not. This means getting pictures of houses over time will not be possible. Only the most recent image is provided.

In order to use the streetview API an API key and a signature. Both of these are obtained via the Google Maps Platform. In short, a billing account and a project have to be set up. Google provides \$200 worth of the API for a month, as well as a \$300 trial. Google prices the API at \$140 for 20 000 street-view images.

Google provides a program for some institutions to receive free credits. They list university faculty interested in using Google Streetview for a course, as well as disaster responses as eligible for receiving credit. This program is probably worth applying to.

- Google Maps API pricing.