

# Google Dorking

## What is Google Dorking?

Google Dorking, also known as Google hacking or Google-fu, is a technique used by hackers or security researchers to find specific information on the internet using advanced search queries within Google's search engine. By using special search operators and syntax, users can narrow down search results to reveal sensitive information that is not normally accessible through conventional searches. This can include things like exposed network devices, vulnerable websites, login pages, confidential documents, and more. While Google Dorking can be used for legitimate purposes, it's also often associated with malicious activities like reconnaissance for cyber-attacks.

## Search Filters

Google Dorking involves using advanced search operations in Google to search for specific keywords, file types, or website parameters. These operators can be combined to create more powerful search queries that can reveal information that would not be easily accessible otherwise.

Some examples of advanced search operators used in Google Dorking include:

## 1. Site: This operator is used to search for a specific site.

The screenshot shows a Google search interface with the query 'site:facebook.com' in the search bar. Below the search bar, navigation links for 'All', 'Shopping', 'Images', 'Videos', 'News', and 'More' are visible, along with a 'Tools' link on the right. The search results indicate 'About 53,20,00,000 results (0.19 seconds)'. Three results are displayed, each featuring the Facebook logo, the domain 'facebook.com', and a specific URL. The first result is for 'Meta | Social Metaverse Company' with the URL 'https://about.facebook.com'. The second result is for 'Meta for Developers' with the URL 'https://developers.facebook.com'. The third result is for 'Meta for Business' with the URL 'https://business.facebook.com'.

Google site:facebook.com X [Voice Search] [Image Search] [Advanced Search]

All Shopping Images Videos News More Tools

About 53,20,00,000 results (0.19 seconds)

facebook.com  
https://about.facebook.com  
**Meta | Social Metaverse Company**  
We're building social experiences that keep your account secure and give you the power to make choices around how your data is used. [Learn more.](#)

facebook.com  
https://developers.facebook.com  
**Meta for Developers**  
Messenger Platform. Generate leads, drive sales, or provide customer service through a personal and convenient user experience. [Learn More ...](#)

facebook.com  
https://business.facebook.com

## 2. Filetype: This operator searches for a specific file type available on the internet.

The screenshot shows a Google search interface with the query 'Brute force filetype:pdf' in the search bar. Below the search bar, navigation links for 'All', 'Shopping', 'Images', 'Videos', 'News', and 'More' are visible, along with a 'Tools' link on the right. The search results indicate 'About 1,200 results (0.19 seconds)'. Five results are displayed, each featuring a university logo, the university name, and a PDF document title. The first result is from Adelphi University with the title 'What is the Brute Force Approach?'. The second result is from Barracuda Campus with the title 'Brute Force Attack - Barracuda Campus'. The third result is from the University of Central Florida with the title 'Brute Force'. The fourth result is from Portland State University with the title 'Brute Force Algorithms - Creating Web Pages in your Account'. The fifth result is from Sri Vidya College of Engineering & Technology.

Google Brute force filetype:pdf X [Voice Search] [Image Search] [Advanced Search]

All Shopping Images Videos News More Tools

About 1,200 results (0.19 seconds)

Adelphi University  
https://home.adelphi.edu/~siegfried.PDF  
**What is the Brute Force Approach?**  
What is the **Brute Force** Approach? • A straightforward approach, usually based directly on the problem's statement and definitions of the concepts involved.

Barracuda Campus  
https://campus.barracuda.com › pdf › article.PDF  
**Brute Force Attack - Barracuda Campus**  
**Brute force** attack is a technique used to explore an unknown value by systematically trying every key combination to gain access to the targeted resource.

University of Central Florida  
http://www.cs.ucf.edu/cop4516/notes/Brute...PDF  
**Brute Force**  
This general technique - using recursion to go through a search space where the recursive function takes in a partial solution and returns/processes all items ...


Portland State University  
https://web.cecs.pdx.edu/~black/Lectures/le...PDF  
**Brute Force Algorithms - Creating Web Pages in your Account**  
What is **Brute Force**? • force of the computer, not of your intellect. = simple & stupid just do it!  
55 pages

Sri Vidya College of Engineering & Technology


### 3. Inurl: This operator is used to search for a specific keyword in the URL of the website.

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 **WordPress Developer Resources**  
<https://developer.wordpress.org/reference/files/wp-login.php>


**File: wp-login.php - WordPress Developer Resources**  
File: wp-login.php ... Filters the link that allows the user to reset the lost password. ... Filters whether to display the Language selector on the login screen.

 **Facebook**  
<https://www.facebook.com/login>

**Log into Facebook**  
Log into Facebook to start sharing and connecting with your friends, family, and people you know.

 **Acunetix Web Vulnerability Scanner - Test websites**  
<http://testphp.vulnweb.com/login>

**login page - Home of Acunetix Art**  
If you are already registered please enter your login information below: Username : Password :  
You can also ...


 **WordPress.org**  
<https://wordpress.org/support/topic/can-it-work-on-wp-login-php/>

**Can it work on wp-login.php?**  
14 Nov 2023 — I am using BuddyBoss theme and platform, and those use wp-login.php as login


### 4. Allinurl: This Returns results whose URL contains all the specified characters.

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 **Microsoft Azure**  
<https://azure.microsoft.com/en-ca/get-started/azure-portal/>


**Microsoft Azure Portal**  
Build, manage, and monitor all your apps in Microsoft Azure Portal. A single, unified hub built for you, your team, and your projects.

 **Microsoft Azure**  
<https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/explore/>

**Get to Know Azure**  
Azure is a cloud platform with more than 200 products and services designed to help you bring new solutions to life—to solve today's challenges and create the ...

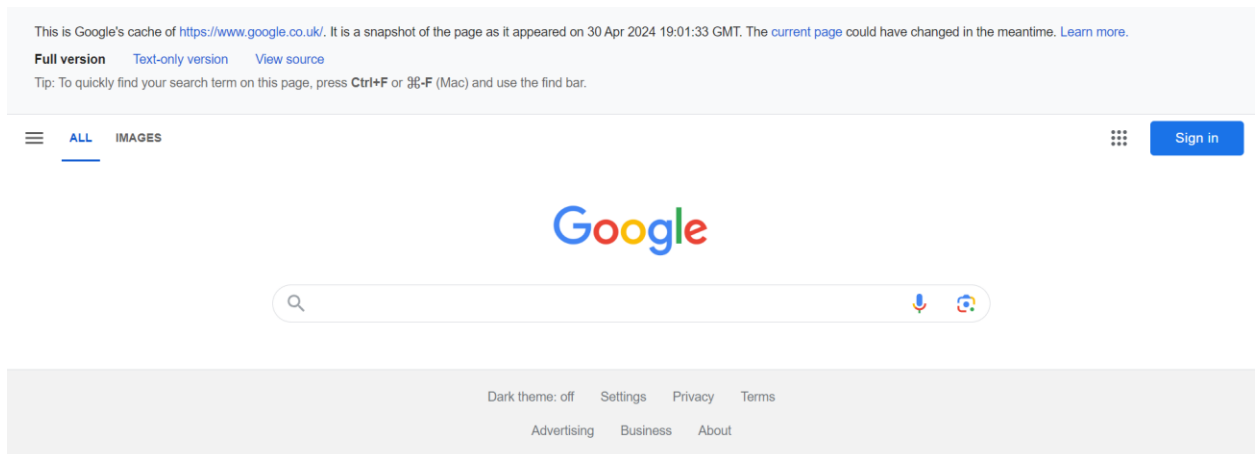
 **Microsoft Azure**  
<https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/solutions/>

**Azure cloud solutions**  
Extend your existing network to Azure using fully managed services to connect, deliver, and protect both cloud-native and hybrid applications.  
[Azure AI](#) · [Development and testing](#) · [Web3](#) · [DevOps](#)

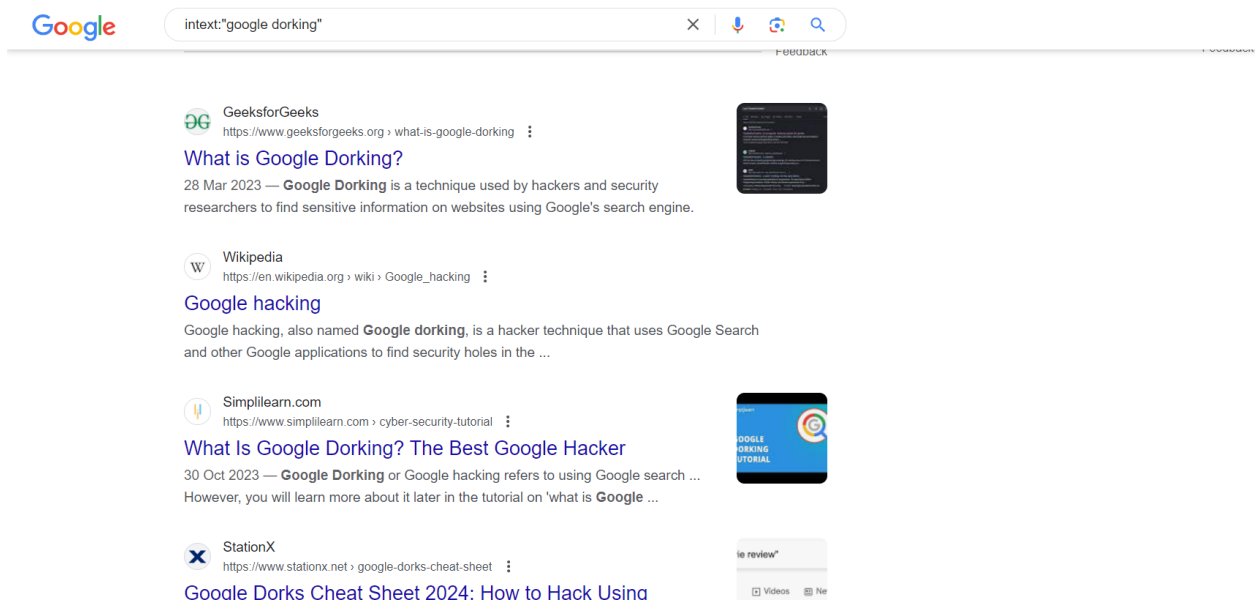
 **Microsoft Azure**  
<https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/products/>

**Directory of Azure Cloud Services**  
Browse an A-to-Z directory of generally available Microsoft Azure cloud computing services--app,

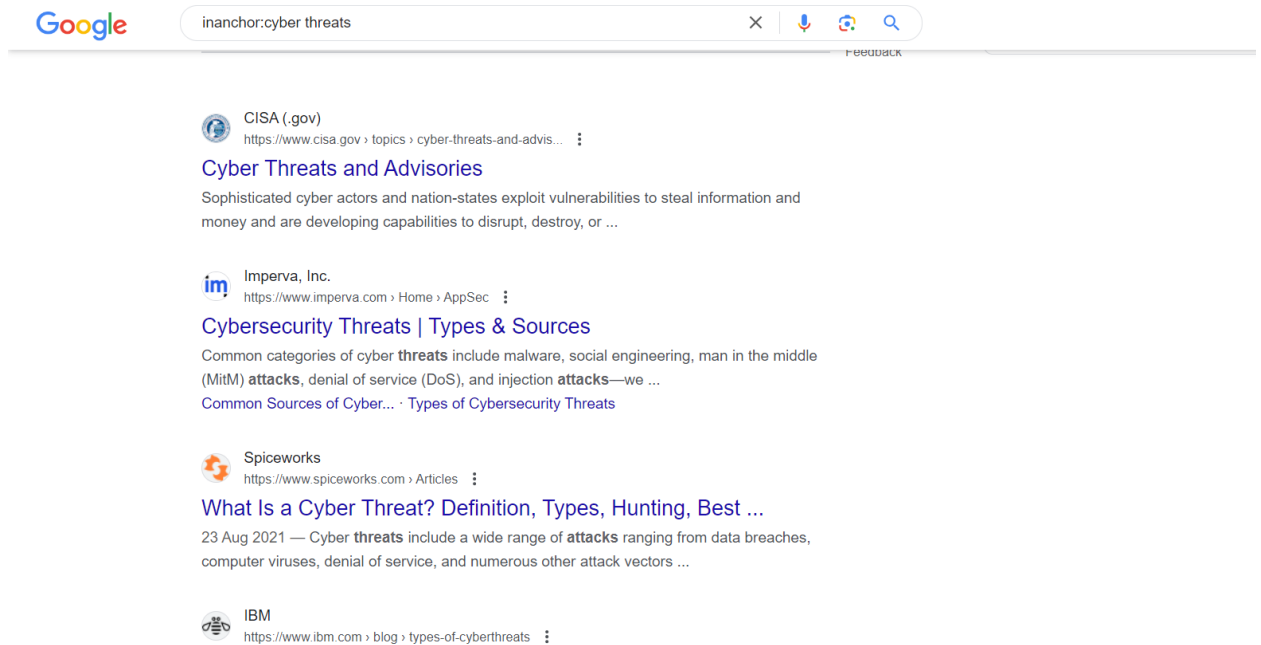
## 5. Cache: This will return the cached version of a website.



## 6. Intext: This operator searches for specific content on the internet.



## 7. Inanchor: This will search for an exact anchor text used on any links.



A screenshot of a Google search interface. The search bar contains the text "inanchor:cyber threats". Below the search bar, there are four search results. Each result includes a logo, a domain name, a URL, a title, and a brief description.

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inanchor:cyber threats

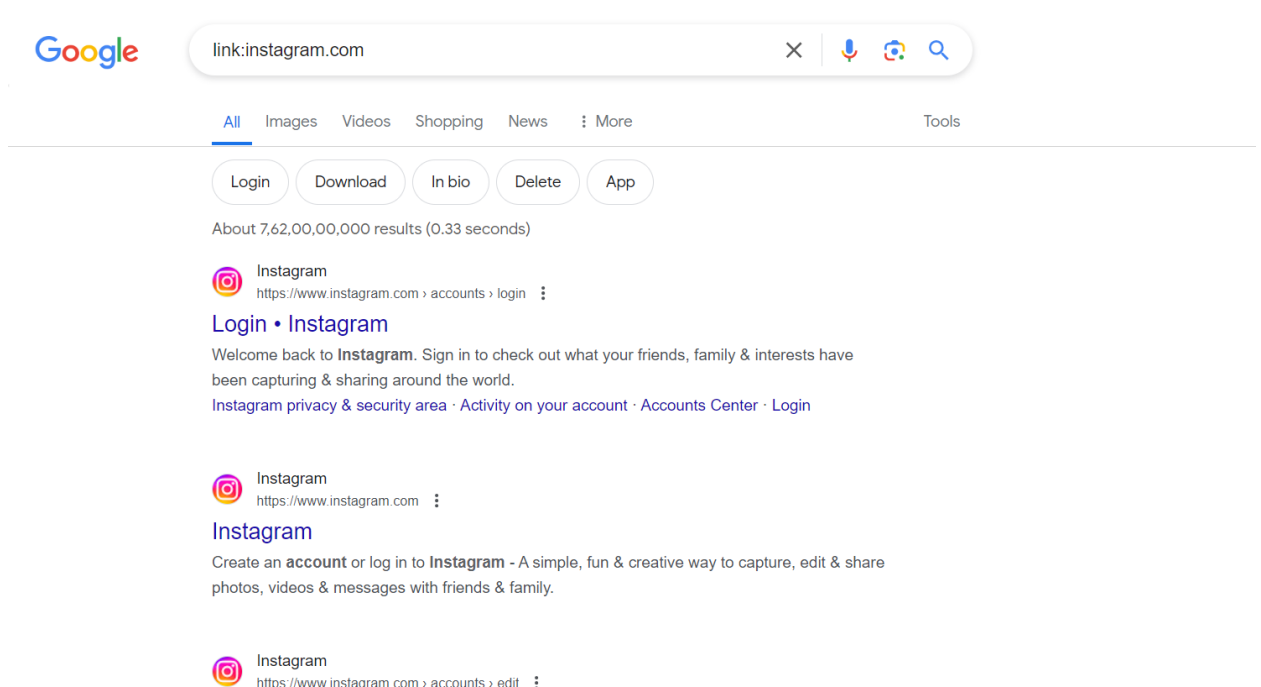
CISA (.gov)  
https://www.cisa.gov › topics › cyber-threats-and-advis...  
**Cyber Threats and Advisories**  
Sophisticated cyber actors and nation-states exploit vulnerabilities to steal information and money and are developing capabilities to disrupt, destroy, or ...

Imperva, Inc.  
https://www.imperva.com › Home › AppSec  
**Cybersecurity Threats | Types & Sources**  
Common categories of cyber **threats** include malware, social engineering, man in the middle (MitM) **attacks**, denial of service (DoS), and injection **attacks**—we ...  
Common Sources of Cyber... · Types of Cybersecurity Threats

Spiceworks  
https://www.spiceworks.com › Articles  
**What Is a Cyber Threat? Definition, Types, Hunting, Best ...**  
23 Aug 2021 — Cyber **threats** include a wide range of **attacks** ranging from data breaches, computer viruses, denial of service, and numerous other attack vectors ...

IBM  
https://www.ibm.com › blog › types-of-cyberthreats

## 8. Link: It will find pages linking to the given domain.



A screenshot of a Google search interface. The search bar contains the text "link:instagram.com". Below the search bar, there are navigation tabs (All, Images, Videos, Shopping, News, More) and a "Tools" button. Below these, there are buttons for "Login", "Download", "In bio", "Delete", and "App". The search results show three results, all from Instagram. Each result includes the Instagram logo, the domain name, a URL, a title, and a brief description.

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link:instagram.com

All Images Videos Shopping News More Tools

Login Download In bio Delete App

About 7,62,00,00,000 results (0.33 seconds)

Instagram  
https://www.instagram.com › accounts › login  
**Login • Instagram**  
Welcome back to **Instagram**. Sign in to check out what your friends, family & interests have been capturing & sharing around the world.  
Instagram privacy & security area · Activity on your account · Accounts Center · Login

Instagram  
https://www.instagram.com  
**Instagram**  
Create an **account** or log in to **Instagram** - A simple, fun & creative way to capture, edit & share photos, videos & messages with friends & family.

Instagram  
https://www.instagram.com › accounts › edit