

# From the bottom of the wiki hole

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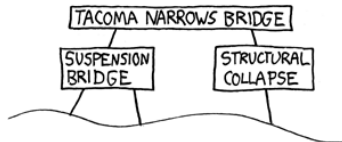
Page statistics	
<a href="#">Content pages</a>	4,471,031
<b>Pages</b> (All pages in the wiki, including talk pages, redirects, etc.)	32,424,589
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Edit statistics	
Page edits since Wikipedia was set up	698,636,135
Average edits per page	21.55
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Registered <a href="#">users</a>	20,922,890
<b>Active registered users</b> ( <a href="#">list of members</a> ) (Users who have performed an action in the last 30 days)	130,755
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<a href="#">Account creators</a> ( <a href="#">list of members</a> )	174
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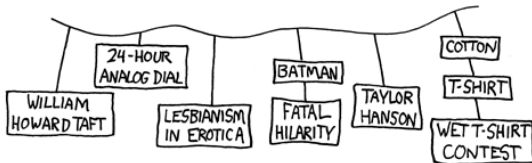


# Problems? In my wiki?

THE PROBLEM WITH WIKIPEDIA:



[THREE HOURS OF  
FASCINATED CLICKING]



# Oh no pigeons



There is more than one wiki?

**wikia**



# wiki-ing intensifies



heavy breathing

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A SONG OF ICE AND FIRE & GAME OF THRONES

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<a href="#">Content pages</a>	109,669
<a href="#">Pages</a> (All pages in the wiki, including talk pages, redirects, etc.)	355,130
<a href="#">Uploaded files</a>	61,231
Edit statistics	
Page edits since Wookieepedia was set up	4,785,885
Average edits per page	13.48
User statistics	
<a href="#">Registered users</a>	23,101,892
<a href="#">Active users (list of members)</a> (Users who have performed an action in the last 30 days)	622
<a href="#">Bots (list of members)</a>	10
<a href="#">Administrators (list of members)</a>	21
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From Bulbapedia, the community-driven Pokémon encyclopedia

Page statistics	
<a href="#">Content pages</a>	25,474
<a href="#">Pages</a> (All pages in the wiki, including talk pages, redirects, etc.)	159,945
<a href="#">Uploaded files</a>	0
Edit statistics	
Page edits since Bulbapedia was set up	2,105,596
Average edits per page	13.16
User statistics	
<a href="#">Registered users</a>	108,124
<a href="#">Active users (list of members)</a> (Users who have performed an action in the last 30 days)	855
<a href="#">Bots (list of members)</a>	3
<a href="#">Administrators (list of members)</a>	10
<a href="#">Bureaucrats (list of members)</a>	12
<a href="#">abuse (list of members)</a>	51
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<a href="#">Junior Administrators (list of members)</a>	10
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<a href="#">Editorial Board (list of members)</a>	13
<a href="#">Check users (list of members)</a>	0
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Content pages	36,775
Pages (All pages in the wiki, including talk pages, redirects, etc.)	143,181
Uploaded files	37,133

### Edit statistics

Page edits since Memory Alpha was set up	1,611,607
Average edits per page	11.26

### User statistics

Registered users	23,101,893
Active users (list of members) (Users who have performed an action in the last 30 days)	196
Bots (list of members)	11
Administrators (list of members)	22
Bureaucrats (list of members)	2
rollback (list of members)	2
Check users (list of members)	0

Analysis time!



- ▶ memory alpha dump
  - ▶ XML format
  - ▶ every, and i mean every, current page
  - ▶ no images
  - ▶ ~ 313 MB
- ▶ R plus packages
  - ▶ see what you can do with your degree?
- ▶ link network. content pages. both in and out of universe.

Captains? (and commander...)

Series

etc.



# Network summaries

captains



## 10 most important “things”

emergent structure?