SEARCH ENGINE OPTIMIZATION (SEO)

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"Facebook Wants to Be Your One True Login"

HOW DOES IT WORK?

How many SEO experts do you need to change a lightbulb lightbulbs buy light bulbs neon lights sex porn?

HOW DOES IT WORK?

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- Google PageRank
- · It's any search engine's secret sauce.
- Knowing a little about how the algorithm seems to work will help you get better results

FACTORS IN THE ALGORITHM

- Links from other sites (and their ranks)
- Semantics
- URL
- Quality
- Meta

LINKS FROM OTHER SITES

- The biggest factor in determining your rank
- The anchor text
- The rank of the linking page for the keyword
- Easy to abuse with comment spam

LINKS FROM OTHER SITES

- · Should be organic links (not paid).
- Be weary of link farms. They can get you banned from search results
- JCPenny hired a company that link spammed.
 - Became the 1st result for "Samsonite Luggage" ahead of samsonite.com

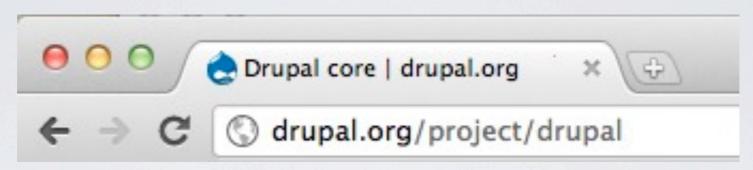
SEMANTICS





- · Appropriate <title> tags auto_nodetitle module
- <h[1-6]>, , , alt, title, etc.
- Also very good for accessibility
- Trouble crawling Flash and dynamically loaded content (AJAX) JavaScript)

URL (DOMAIN AND PATH)



- Keywords in the domain, and path will help rankings
- The longer you have owned a domain, the more "legit" your site is
- Can't trust query parameters used
- · Clean URLs, pathauto module

SITE QUALITY

- · Broken links linkchecker module
- Site Security no spam links
- Site Speed This is a huge topic. Easiest thing, turn on cache!
- · Content Updates scheduler module
- Duplicate Content globalredirect module, mod_rewrite for domain variations (see Drupal's .htaccess).

META

- Meta description can be used on the listing page
- Meta keywords may be used as a guide for the search engine to have confidence with its keyword ranking
- · metatags module

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Apple - Play music and more on iPod.
www.apple.com/ipod/ - Cached
Learn about iPod, Apple TV, and more. Download iTunes for free and purchase iTunes Gift
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Cards. Check out the most popular TV shows, movies, and music.

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APPEASETHE SPIDER

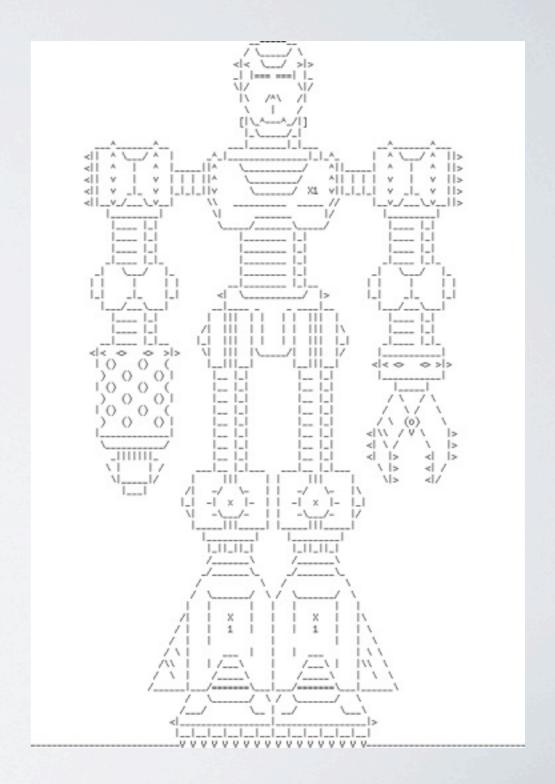


SITEMAP

- XML Sitemap will show the crawler the structure of your site
- · It also adds meta data for pages and file downloads
 - · module xmlsitemap

ROBOTS.TXT

- Keeps spider from crawling things that could generate duplicate content. (Search results, some views, etc.)
- Keep in mind the paths specified are world viewable and some robots don't play nice.
- robotstxt.org



DO'S

- Use Lynx
- Google Webmaster Tools google.com/webmaster
- Google Analytics google.com/analytics
- · Validate validator.w3.org
- Use social media with links to your content
- Pay attention to accessibility

DON'T DO WHAT DONNY DON'T DOS

This is stuff you don't do:

- 100% Flash
- 100% AJAX
- Make everything bold
- Unnaturally load up on keywords
- Spam your links



JUST MAKE AWESOME WEBSITES!

ARTICLES

- "Facebook Login" http://is.gd/7sYKQr
- JCPenny http://is.gd/OAcGvf
- Company Sues to remove their spam http://is.gd/PwOuAg

MODULES

- · drupal.org/project/auto nodetitle
- drupal.org/project/pathauto
- drupal.org/project/metatag
- drupal.org/project/linkchecker
- drupal.org/project/xmlsitemap
- drupal.org/project/scheduler
- drupal.org/project/google_analytics
- drupal.org/project/globalredirect drupal.org/project/seo_checklist

OTHER RESOURCES

- google.com/webmasters
- google.com/analytics
- robots.txt http://www.robotstxt.org
- Slides http://is.gd/PjuTPn