Key facts about Wikipedia

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Statistics about Wikipedia.org

According to comScore, Wikipedia is the fifth most popular web property, world-wide. In January 2012, it served **482 million unique visitors**.

Wikipedia is available in over **282 languages**.

It is continually expanded by approximately **100,000 active volunteer editors** world-wide.

The English version alone contains more than **3.8 million articles**.

All language editions combined contain more than **21 million articles**.

Next to English, the largest Wikipedia editions are:

- **German**: 1.3 million articles
- **French**: 1.2 million articles
- **Dutch**: 1 million articles
- **Italian**: 891,000 articles
- **Polish**: 880,000 articles
- **Spanish**: 868,000 articles

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*In millions of unique viewers per month.*

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