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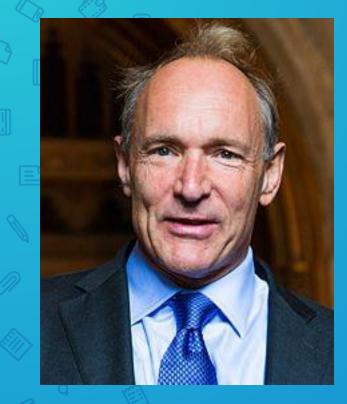
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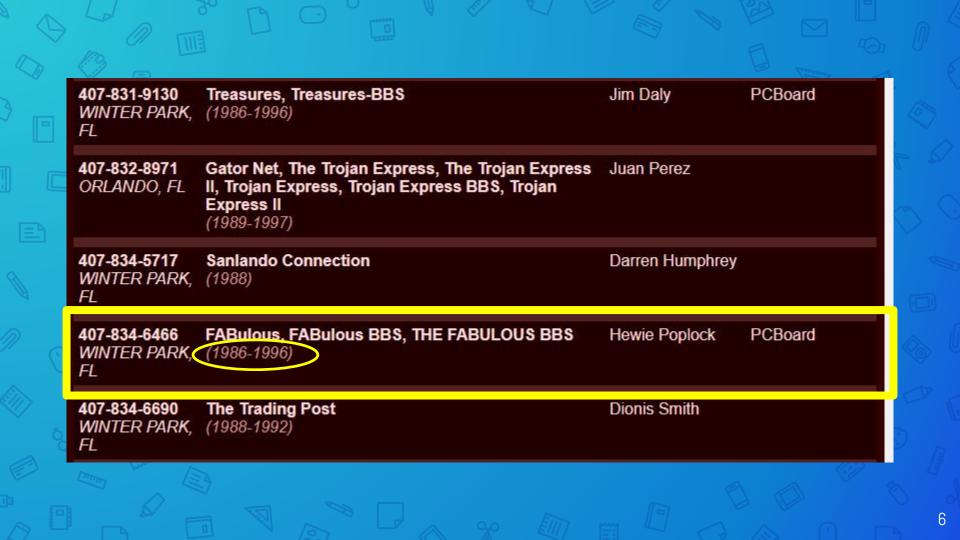
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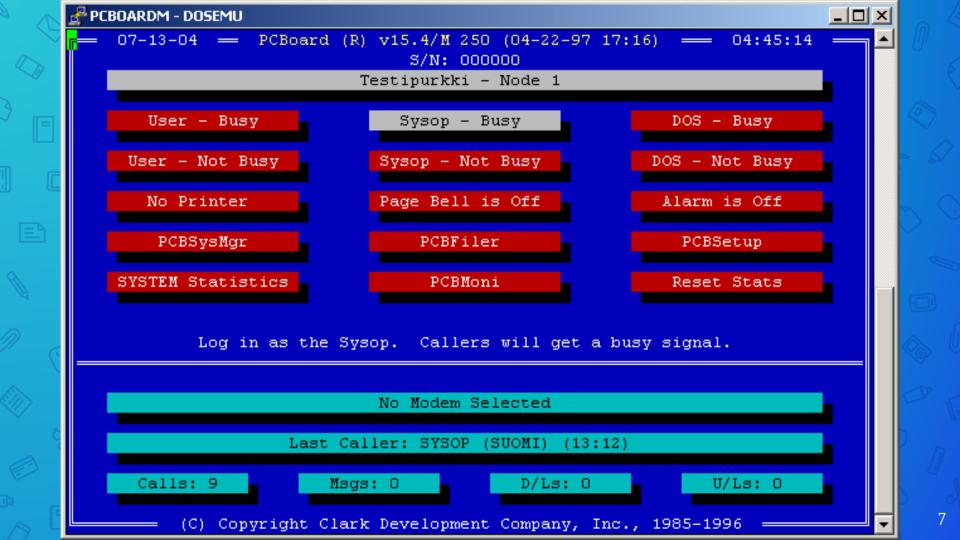
On the evening of Oct. 29, 1969, a student at the University of California, Los Angeles, sent the first message over the ARPANET — the forerunner of the internet — with just two letters: "Lo."

The system then crashed. The student, Charley Kline, had tried to type "Login." It worked on the second try.



Sir Tim Berners-Lee made a proposal for an information management system on 12 March 1989, and he implemented the first successful communication between a **Hypertext Transfer Protocol** (HTTP) client and server via the internet in mid-November the same year.





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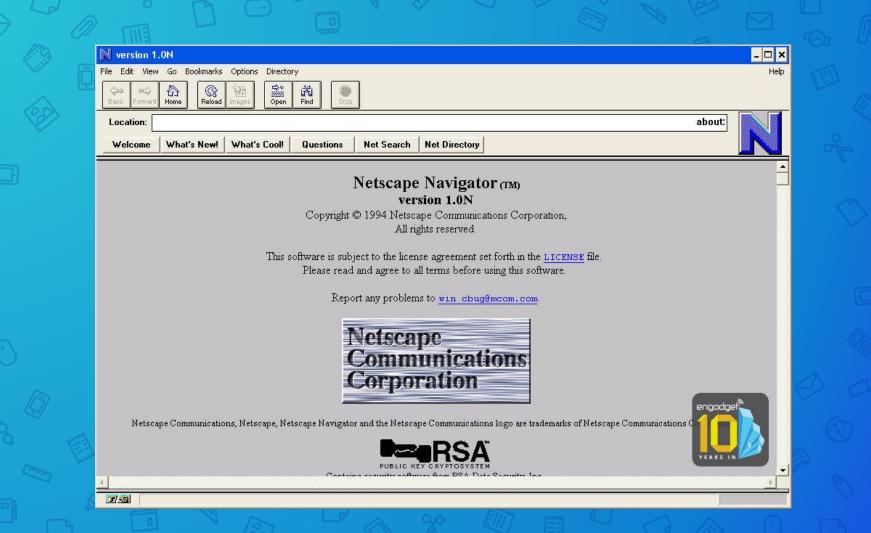
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Pluto TV

Hewie Poplock . September 7, 2019

Pluto TV keeps adding more & more channels. They just added 9 more in the past week. The channels are free & so is the service. If you have a SmartTV, a Roku, FireStick, or another streaming device, just add the app to your device. If you have an iPhone, iPad, or Android device, add the PlutoTV app. If you have none of those, just go to pluto tv in your browser & watch many TV channels & many movies for free. http://pluto.tv/ Read More »

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Do we get her a new Chromebook or get me a more state-of-the-art Chromebook and give Robin the Acer? My wants included some specific items that run the costs up. I want a minimum of 4GB of RAM, but desire 8GB. I want a minimum of 64GB of storage but prefer 128GB or more. I want a backlit keyboard, a touch screen, an HDMI port, some USB ports, a 13-inch screen or less, 1920×1080 screen resolution, and the screen to fold back into a tablet. Oh, and I want the price to be reasonable. Since there are no models that fit my demands. I had to search for the closest fit.

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Every organization, whether it is a volunteer group or a commercial one, needs an artistic person to create flyers and posters to promote an event or the organization itself. Previously, there was at least one member of a group or a company employee who was given the task and perhaps it was their only job. Times have changed. Getting volunteers to do anything is a chore. In the business world, creativity becomes part of 1 person's job and may not be related to the rest of that person's duties. Creativity ...

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Web Browser: A web browser,
 or simply "browser," is an
 application used to access and
 view websites.



Early web browsers, such as Mosaic and Netscape Navigator, were simple applications that rendered HTML, processed form input, and supported bookmarks. As websites have evolved, so have web browser requirements.

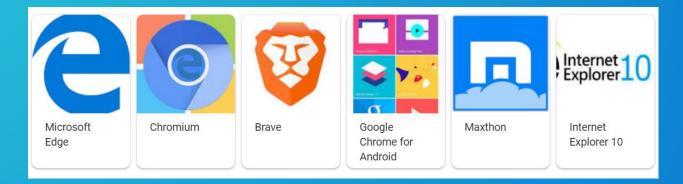
Today's browsers support

- **HTML** (such as XHTML and HTML 5)
- dynamic JavaScript
- encryption used by secure websites
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Browser compatibility issues can be a problem. Since browsers use different rendering engines, websites may not appear the same across multiple browsers.

The primary function of a web browser is to render HTML, the code used to design or "mark up" webpages.

Some Major Browsers





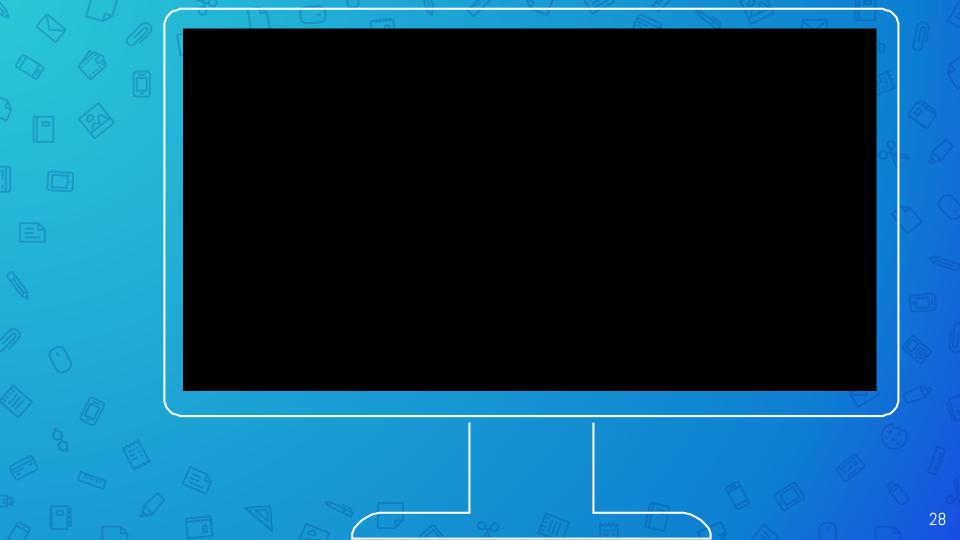




The new Chromium-based Edge has arrived on Windows 10 Home and Pro versions starting January 15. When it updates, the old version of Edge will be removed. It will be available for Windows 10, Windows 7, Windows 8, and macOS.

Only business users --- not consumers --- will have the option to prevent the update and keep the current Edge browser.

Without a browser, here is what a web page looks like.



Using a browser, here is what the same web page looks like.

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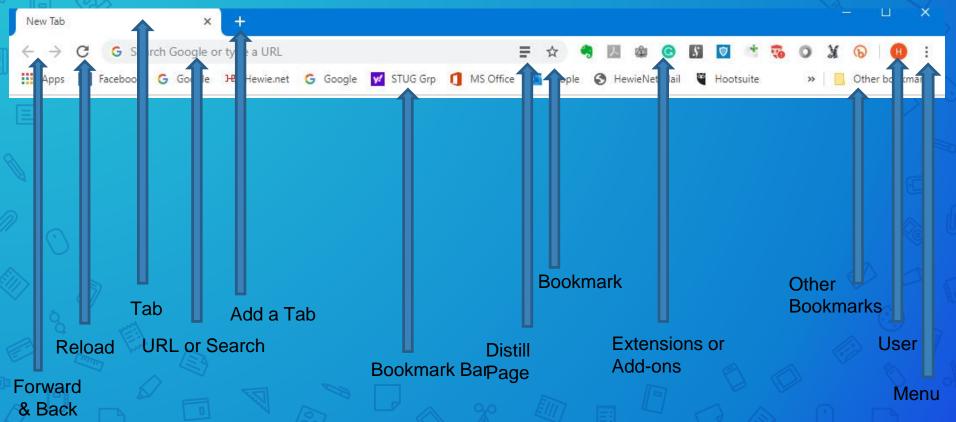
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I will be using the **Chrome** browser for most of this presentation

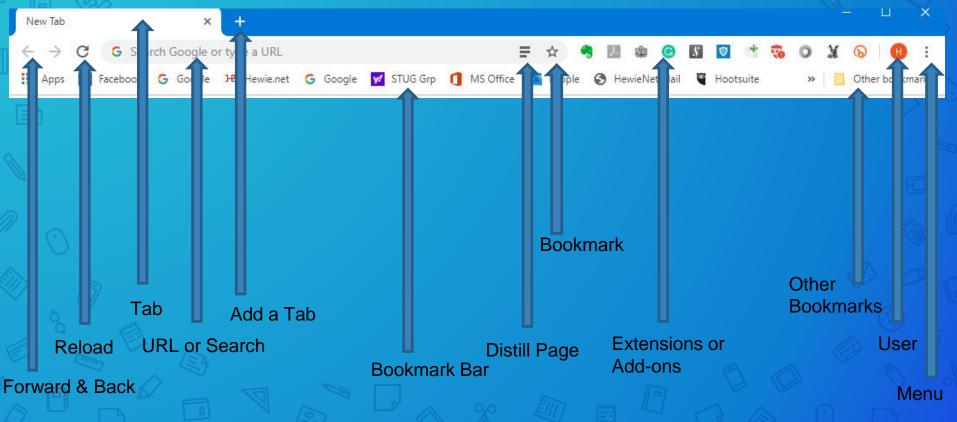
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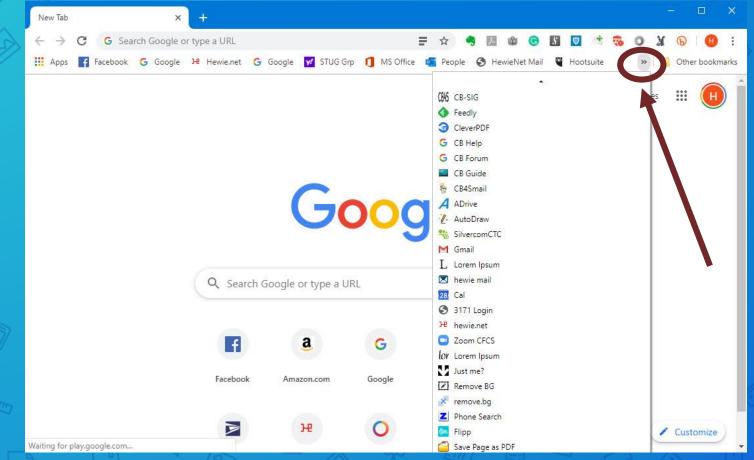
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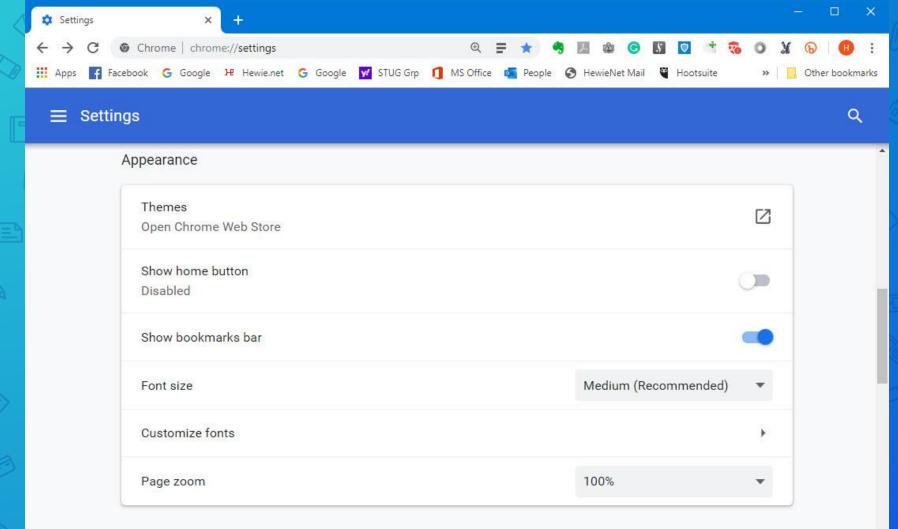
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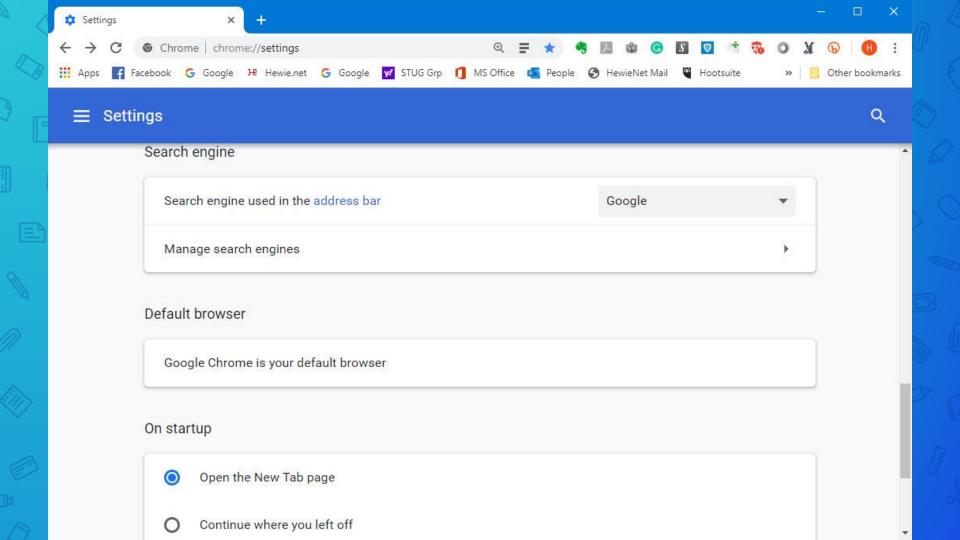
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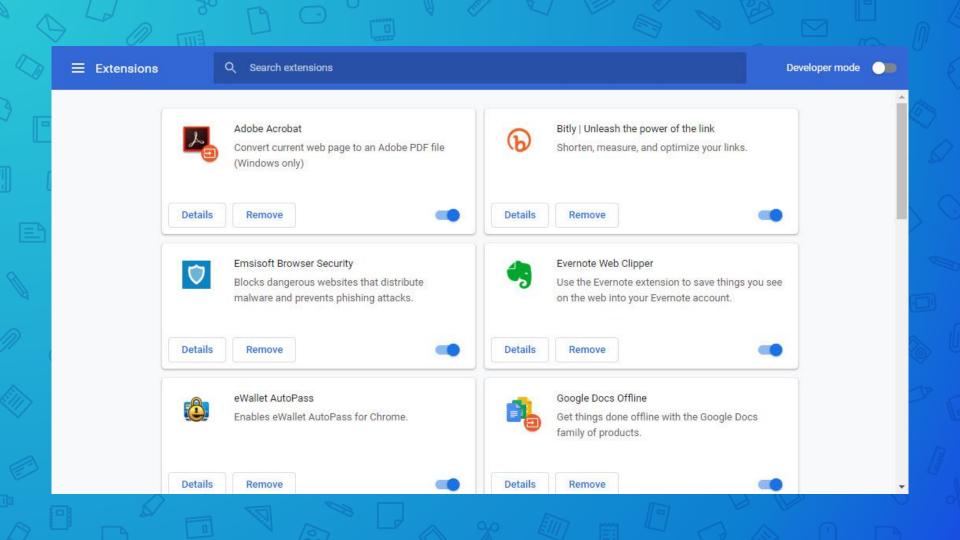


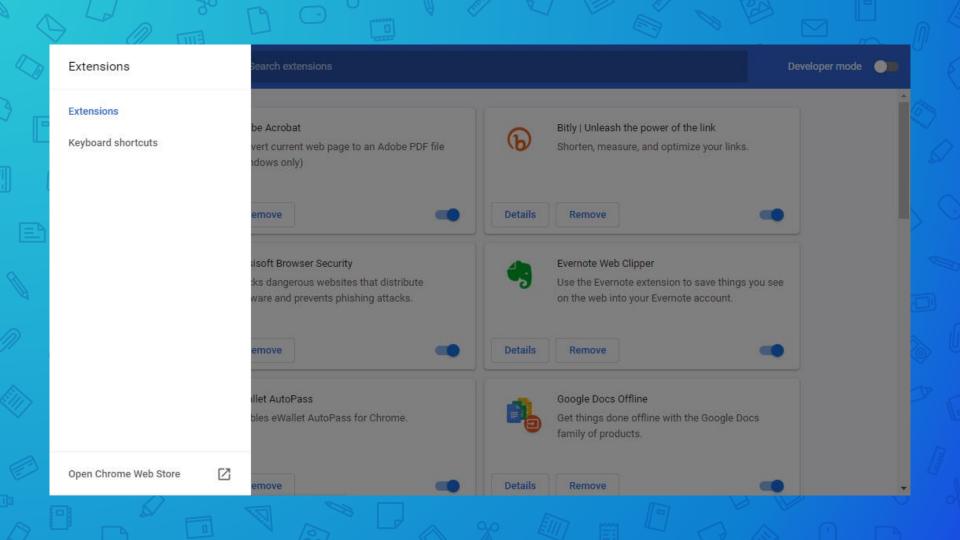
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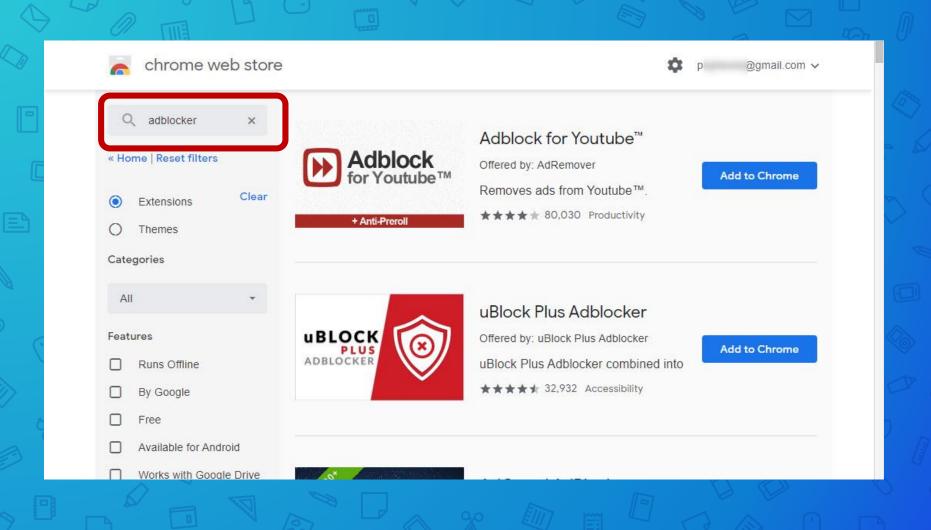
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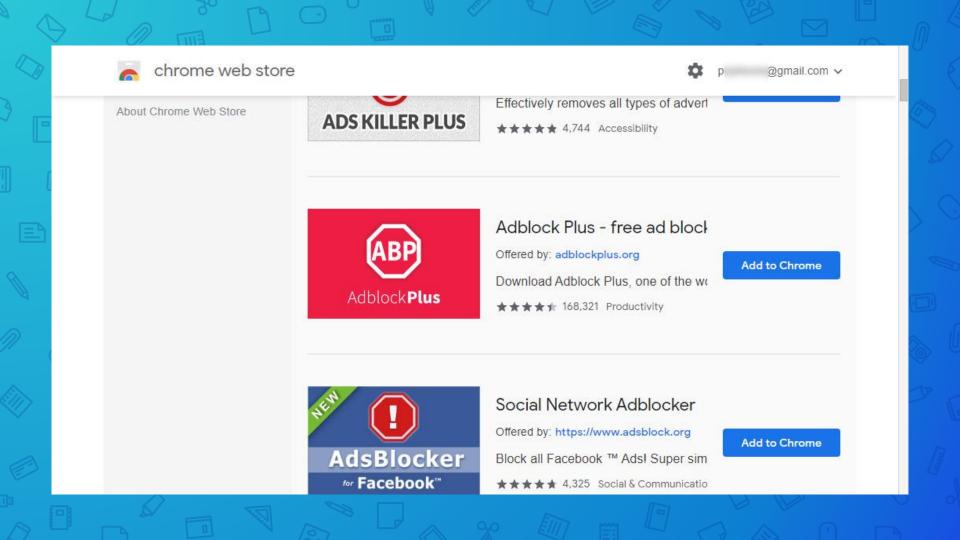
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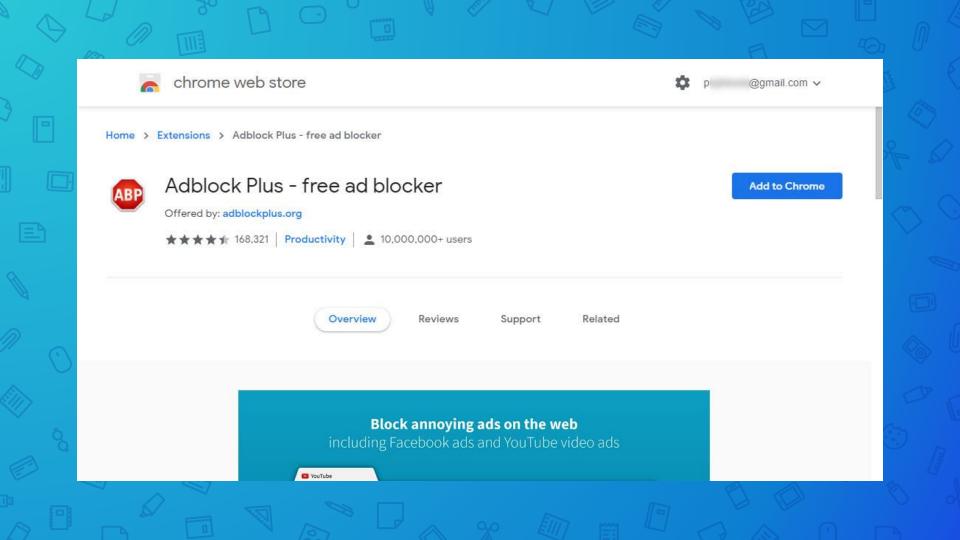


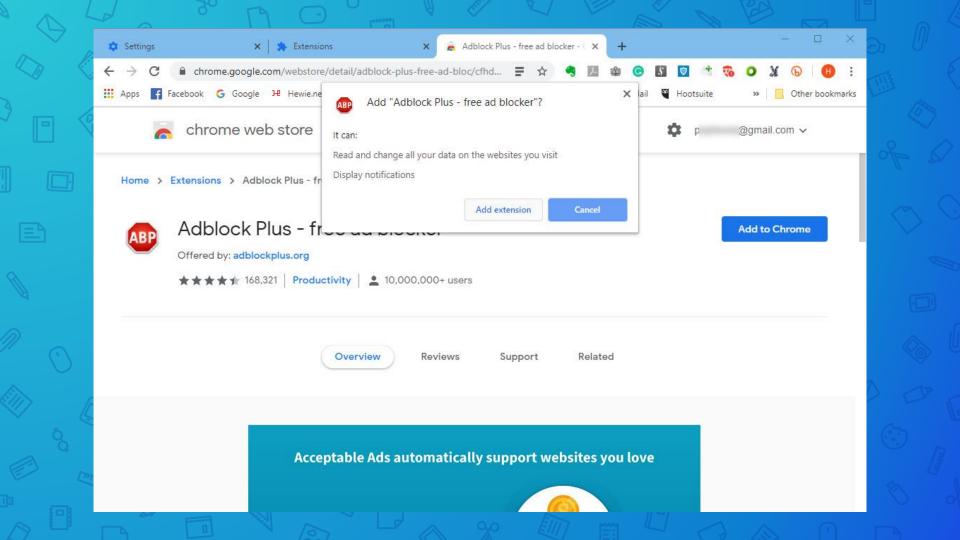


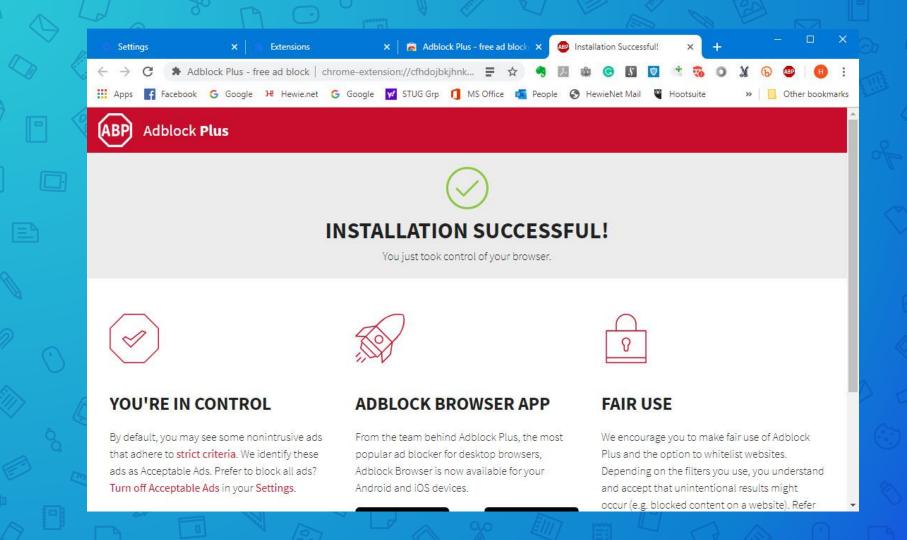
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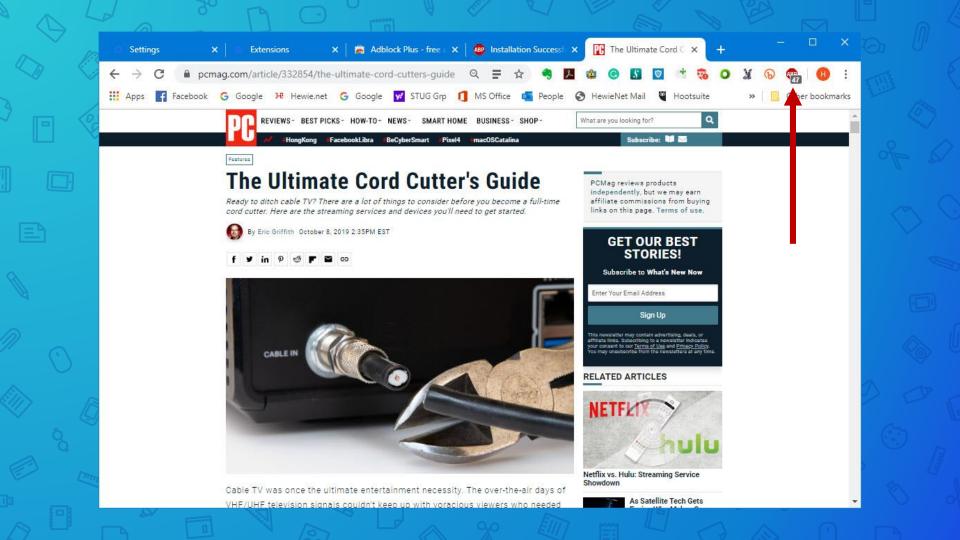
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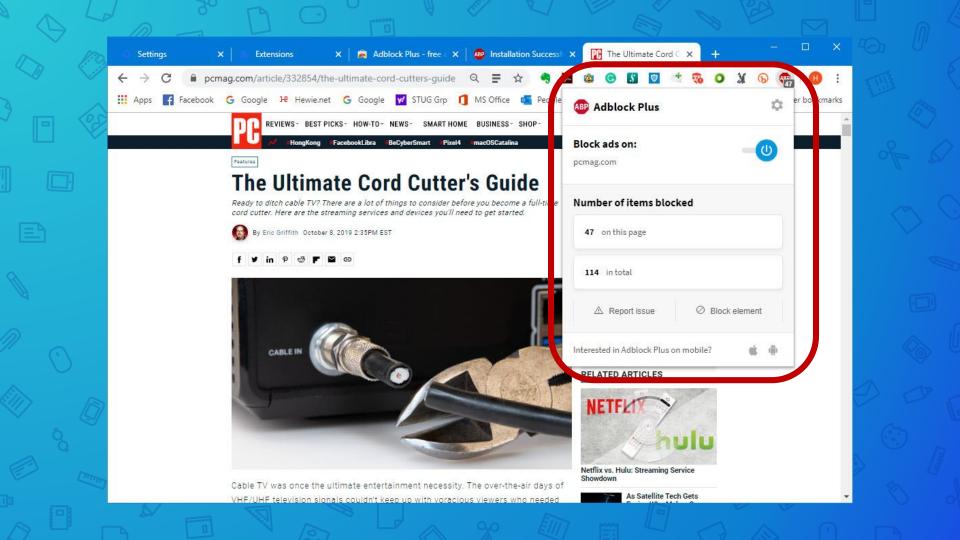
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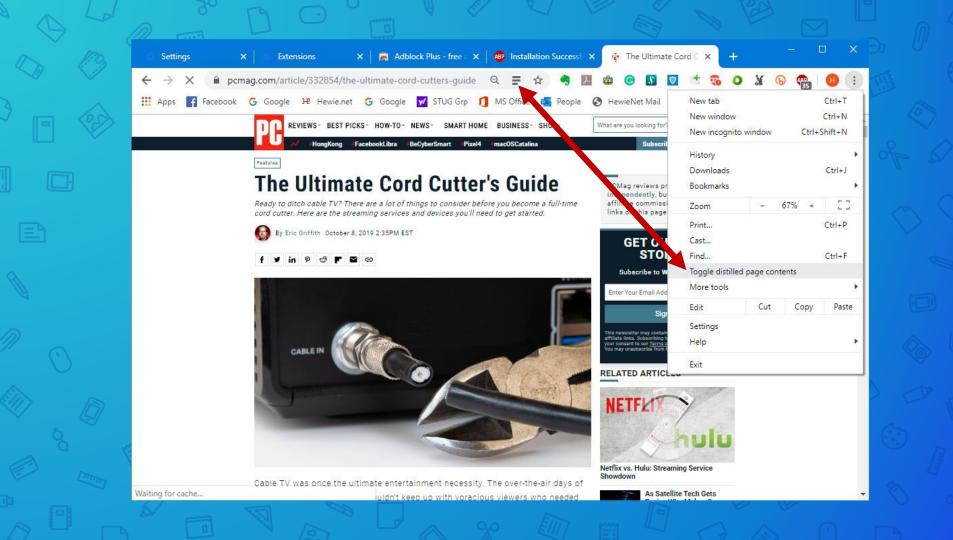


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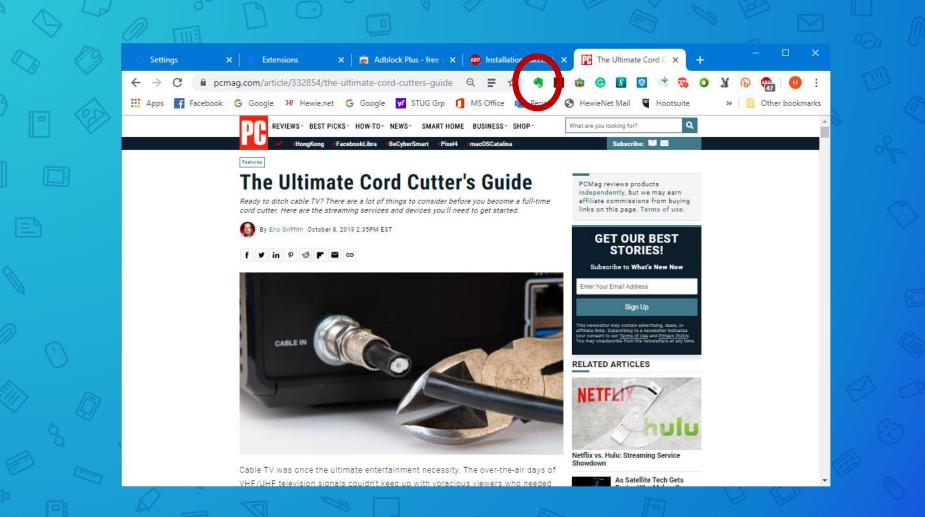


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But cable providers didn't factor in that the internet they provide would become their worst enemy. Services like <u>Netflix</u>, <u>Hulu</u>, and <u>Amazon Video</u> are the most well-known names in what's become known as "cord cutting"—doing away with pay TV to get all your "television" programming via <u>internet streaming services</u> (or, in some cases, over the airwaves). Cord cutting means no more paying a huge monthly fee for thousands of hours of TV you don't watch (in theory). Instead, you pay individual services for a la carte programming. It's a lot like paying for just what you watch. Almost.

According to <u>eMarketer</u>, pay TV will have about 72.7 million subscribers in the US by 2023—down from 100.5 million in 2015. In Q2 2019 alone, pay-TV providers lost 1.53 million customers, <u>Leichtman Research</u> says.

What's ironic is, pay-TV providers don't always lose those customers entirely, because more are also ISPs. Companies like Comcast, Charter, and Altice are <u>weathering the pay-TV subscriber loss</u> easily because people need them for broadband. Cord outtors need a befty internet pipe to get the same guality of TV programming over the internet. Without



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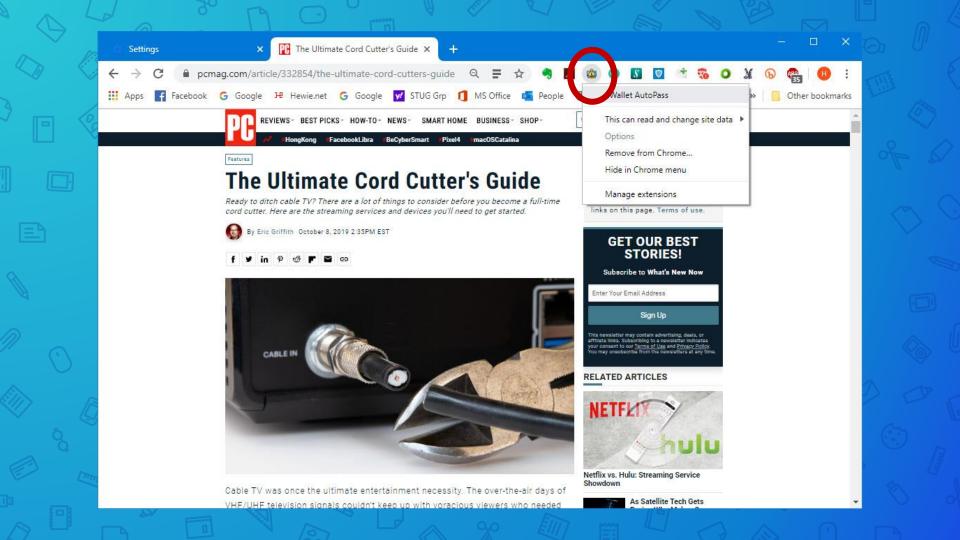


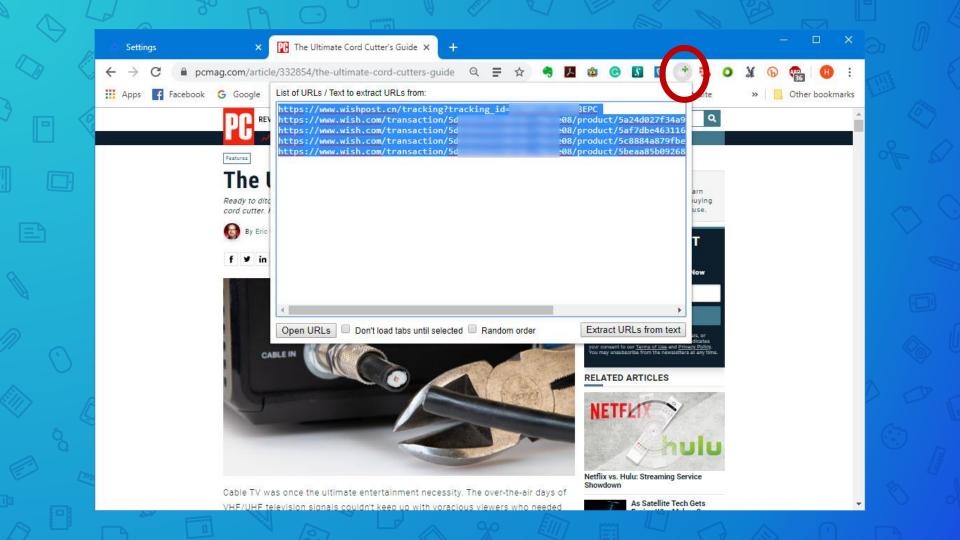
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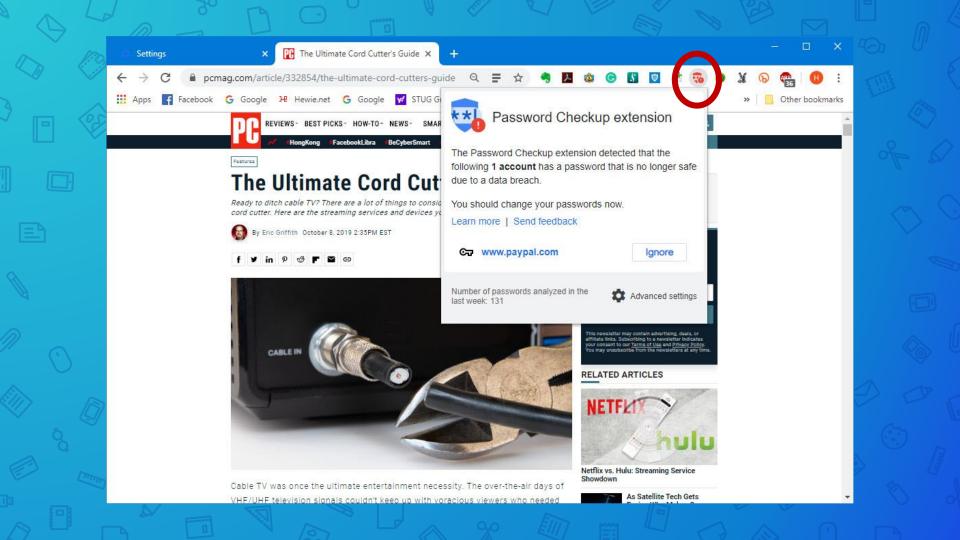
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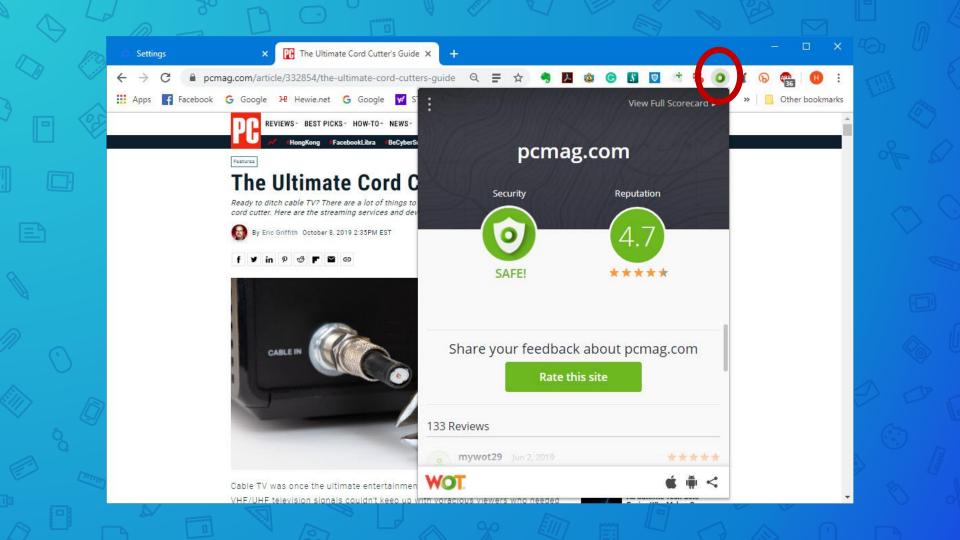
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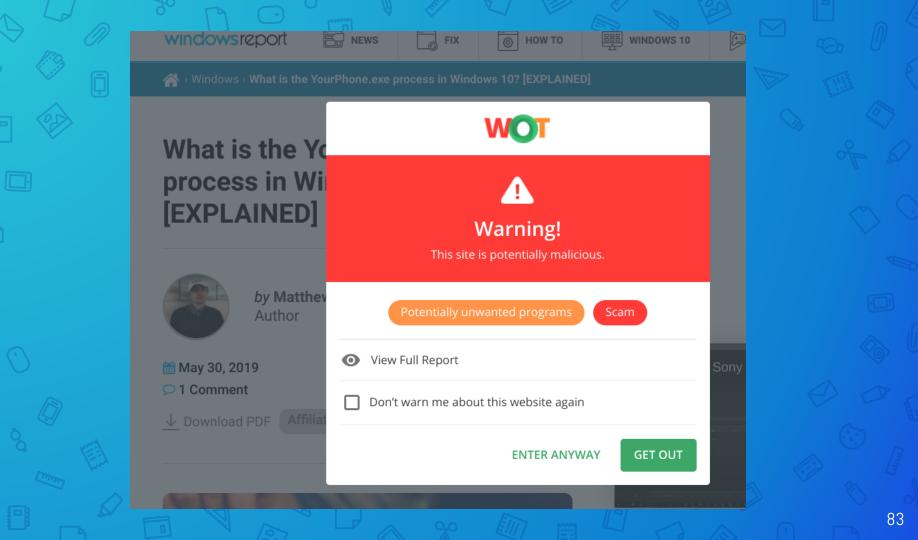


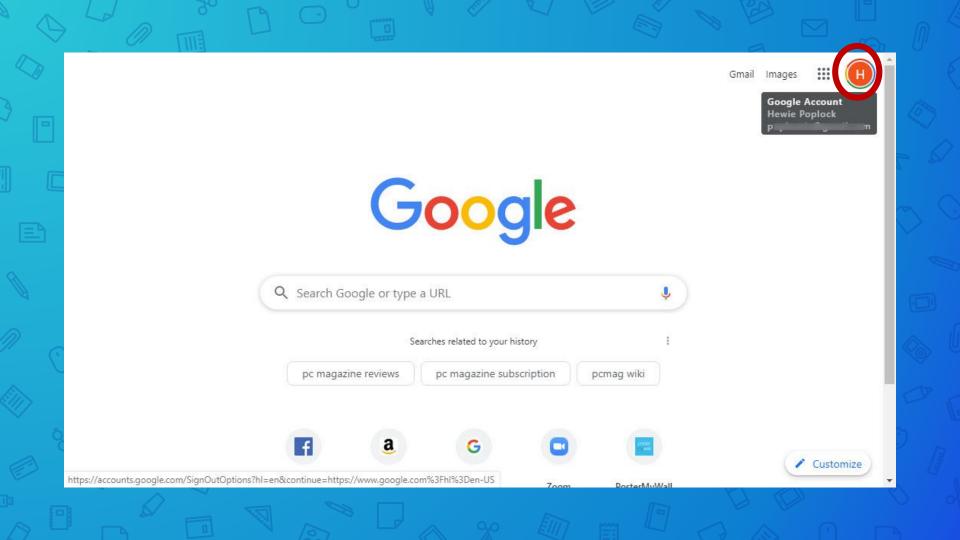


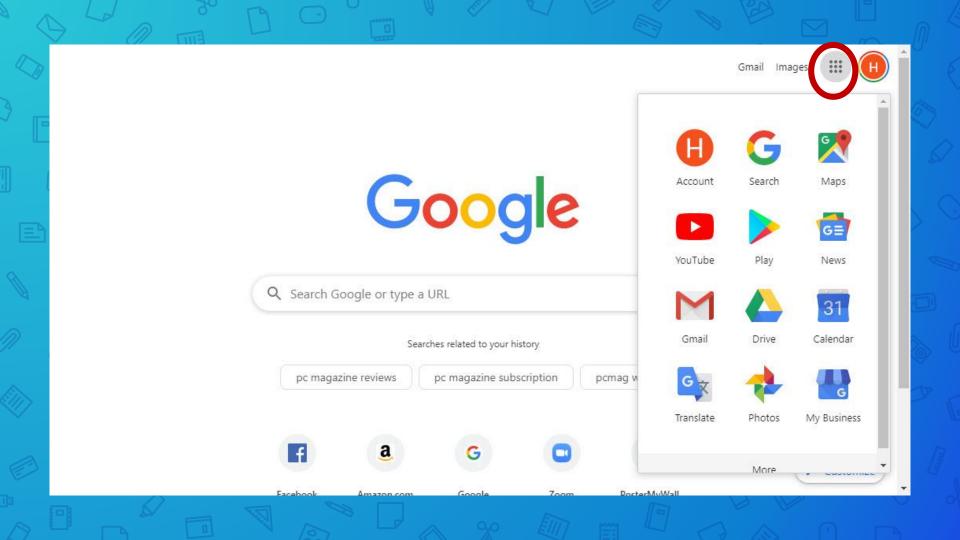


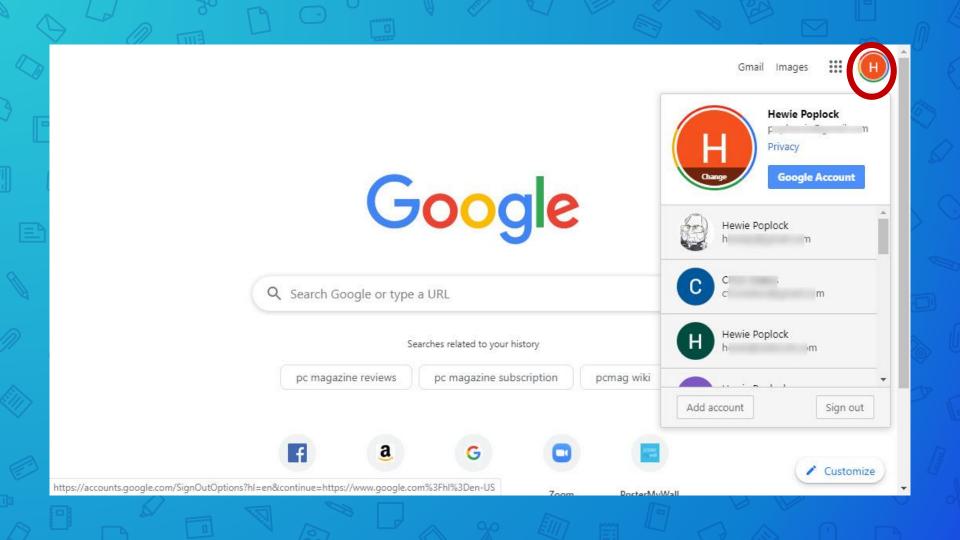






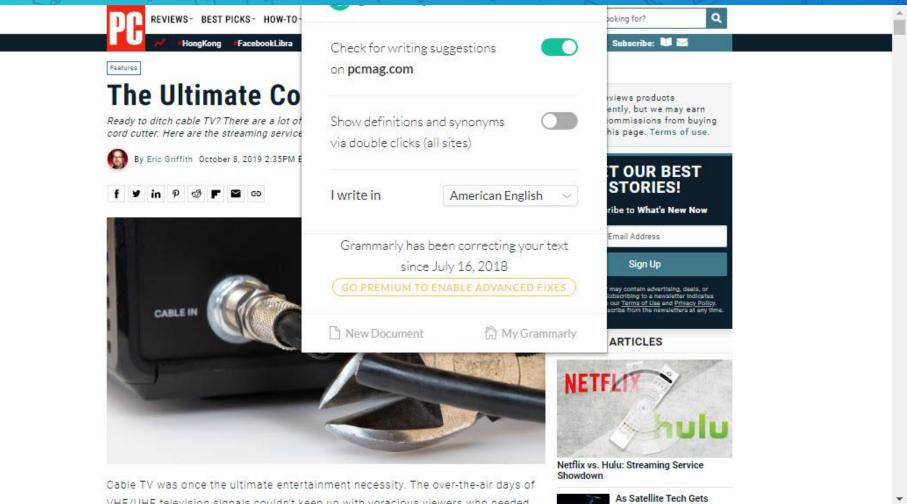




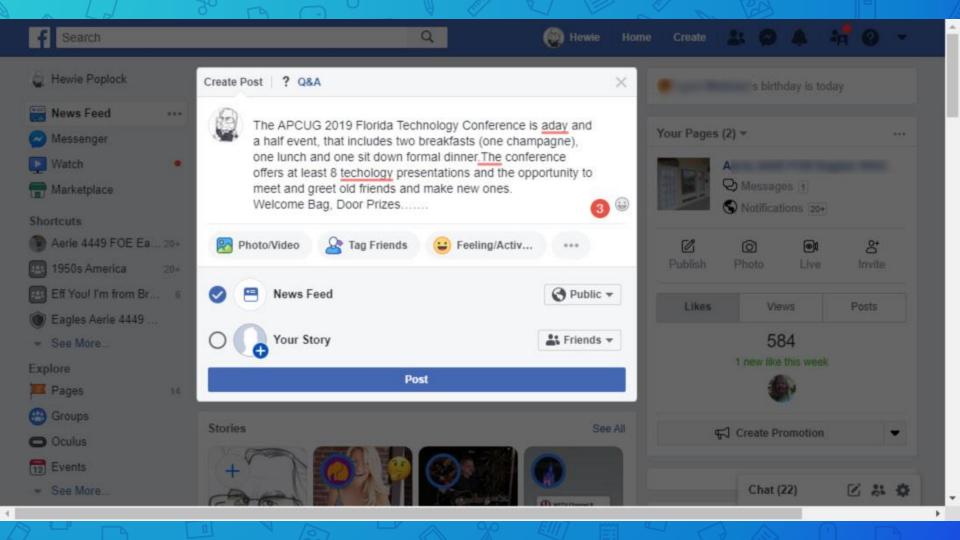


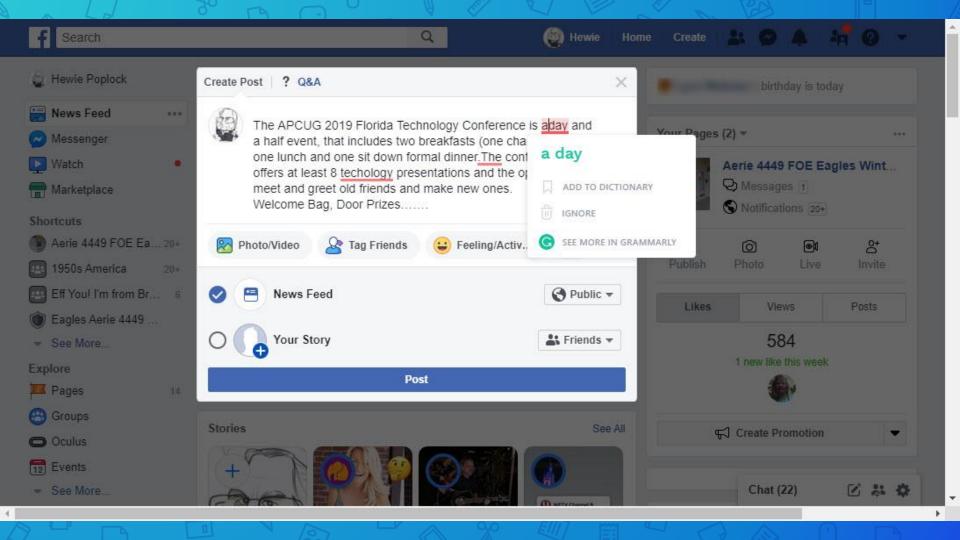
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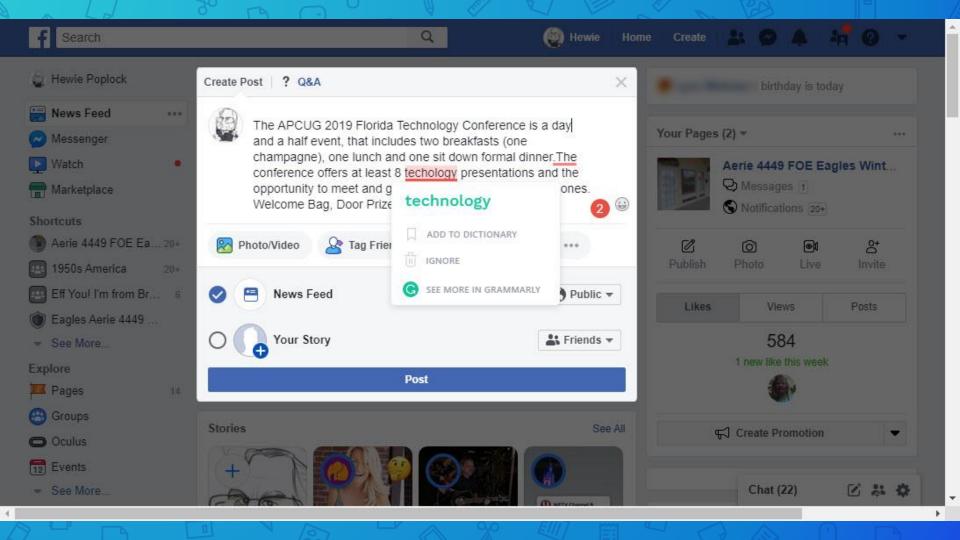


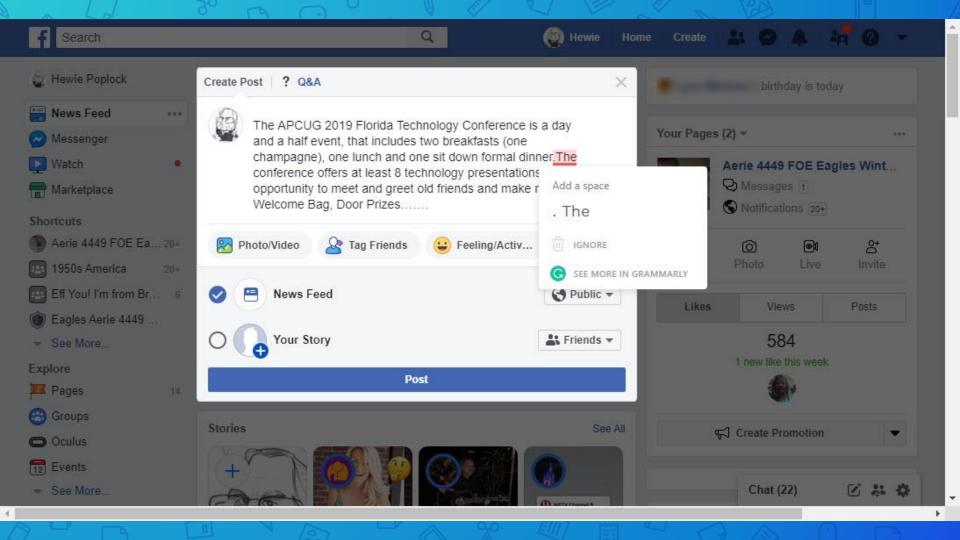


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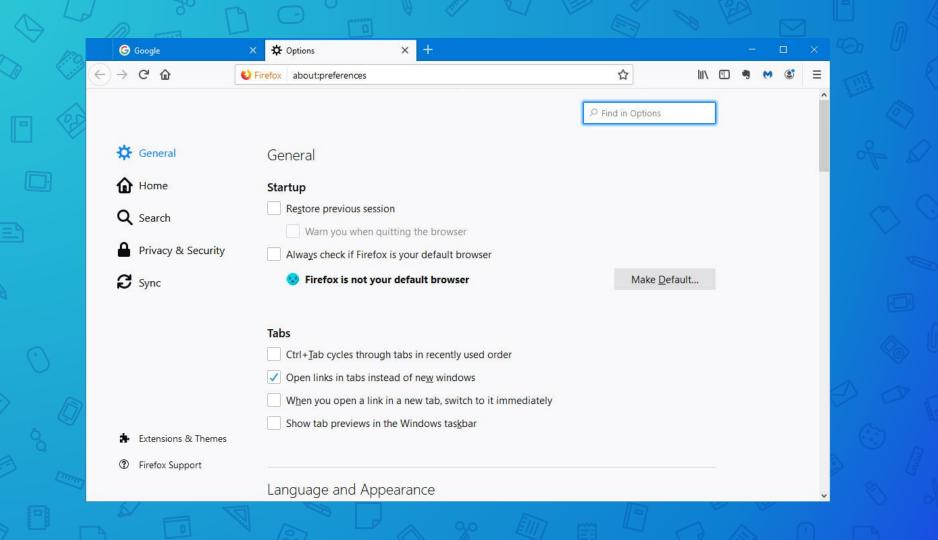


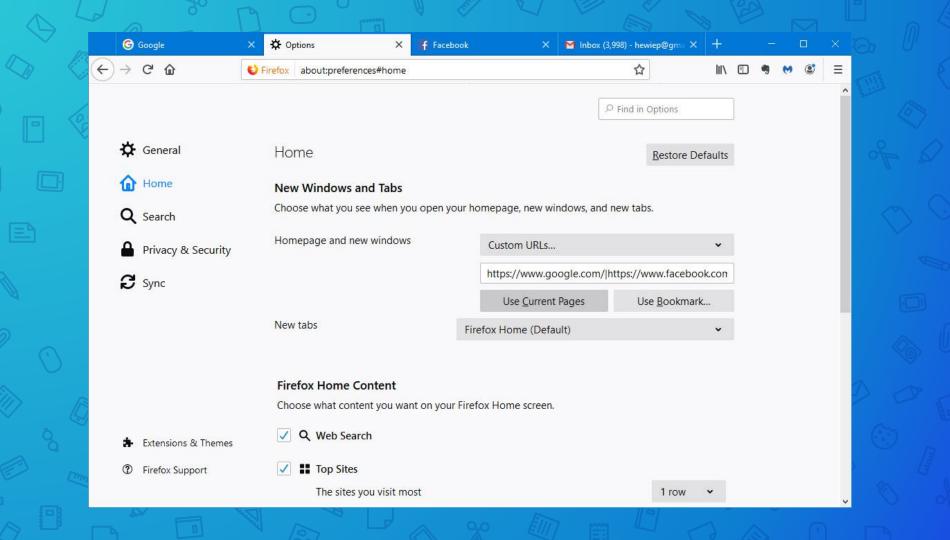


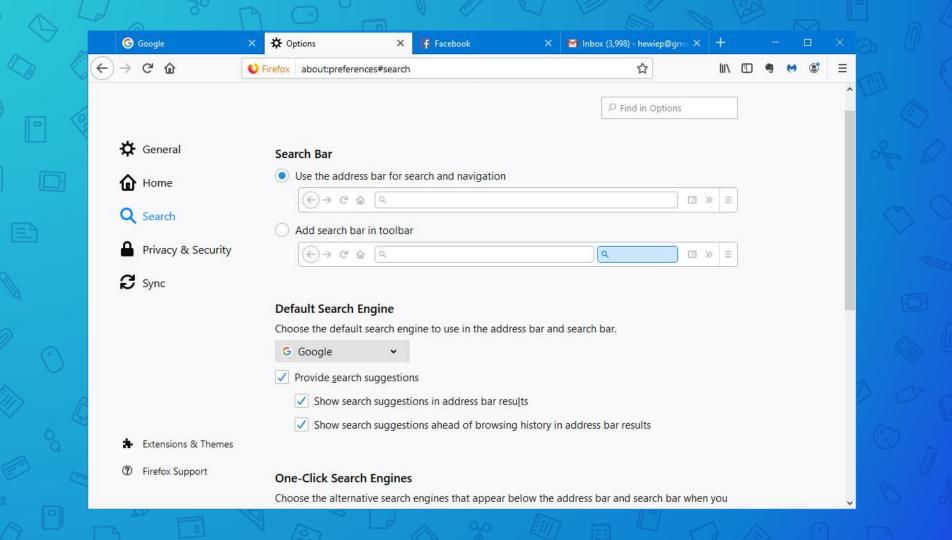


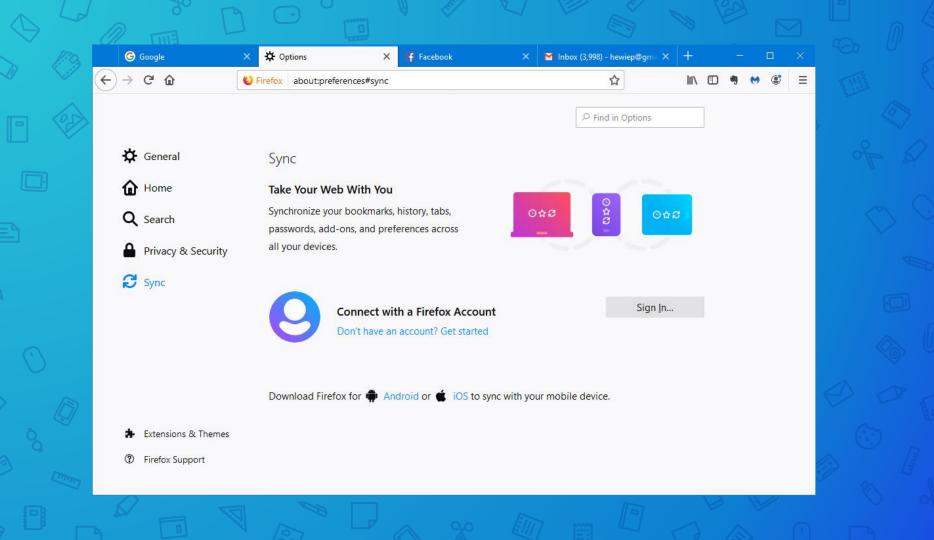
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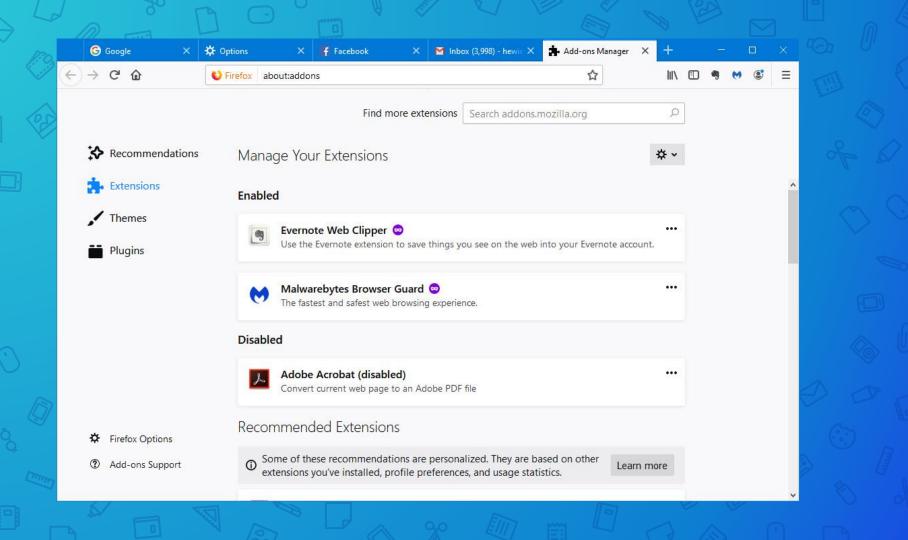
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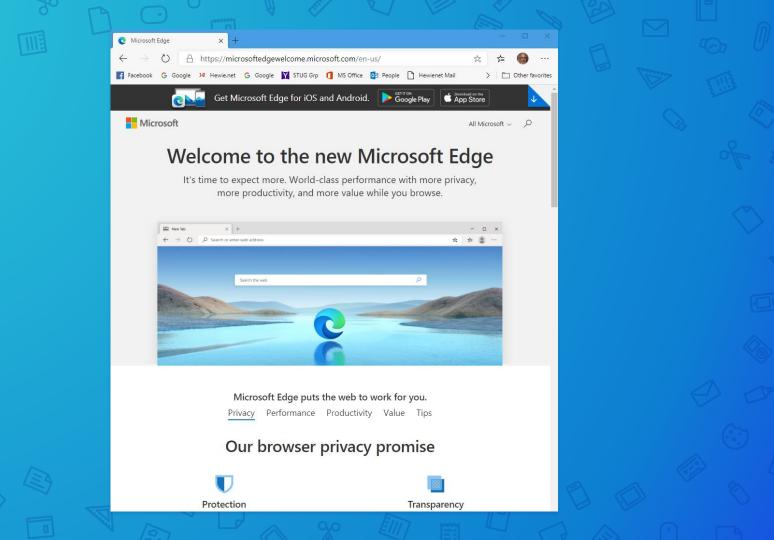


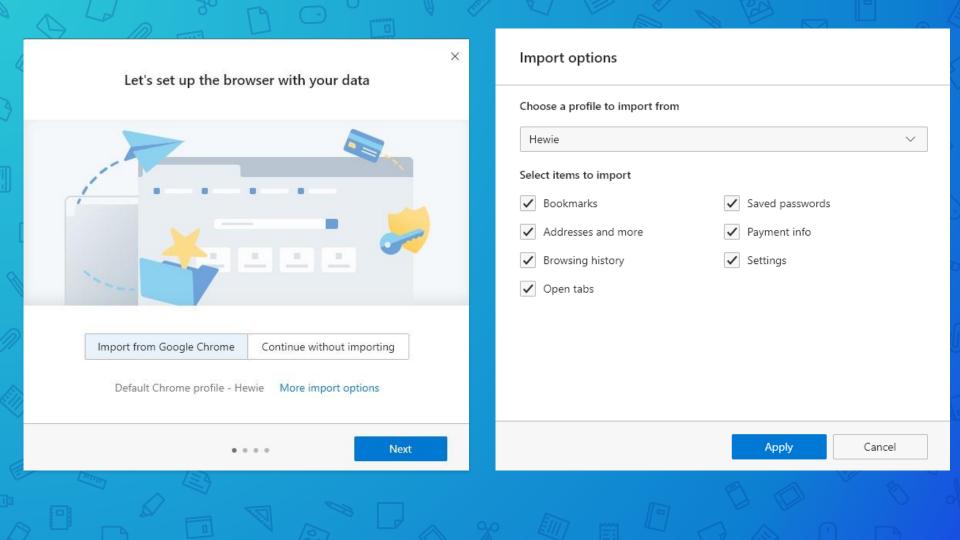






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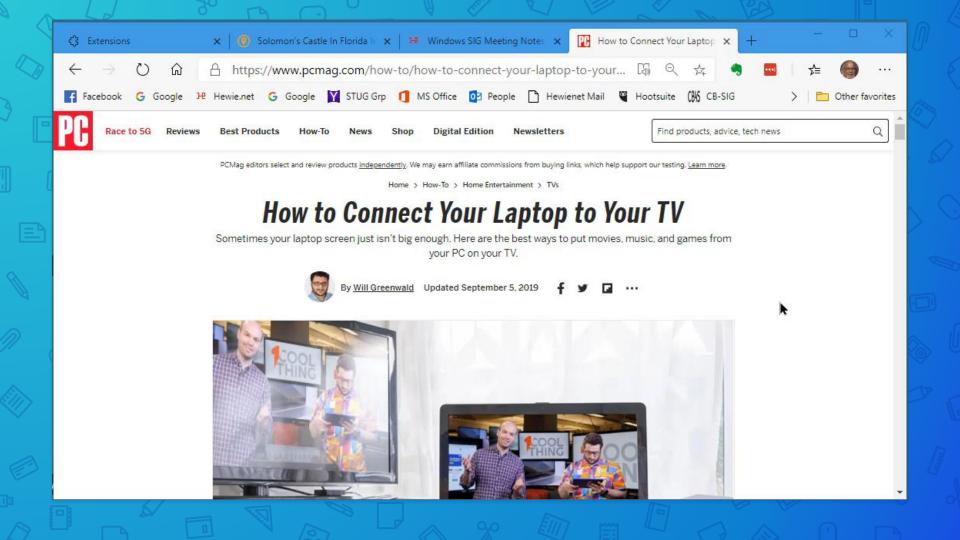
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Cookies

 Very small text files placed on your computer by a web server Not all websites place cookies Web server doesn't have to repeatedly request this information, potentially slowing download time.

What does a cookie look like?

It will usually be named something like abc@example.com.txt. If you were to open one of these files, it would just look like some random numbers.

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The strings of numbers are codes which are only meaningful to the software that generated it. Usually it is little more than a unique identifying string, although sometimes they are used for data-storage.

Either way, there is usually nothing meaningful to find when viewing a cookie file.

Cookies store personal registration data

- Your name
- Your address
- The contents of a shopping cart
- Your preferred layout for a web page

- What map you might be looking at
- And so on

Cookies make it easy for web servers to personalize information to fit your specific needs and preferences when you're visiting a web site.

I hope that you have not been sleeping!



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