

comScore Releases April 2009 U.S. Search Engine Rankings

RESTON, Va., May 18, 2009 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX News Network/ -- comScore, Inc. (Nasdaq: SCOR), a leader in measuring the digital world, today released its monthly comScore qSearch analysis of the U.S. search marketplace. In April 2009, Americans conducted 14.8 billion core searches, a 3-percent gain versus March.

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April 2009 U.S. Core Search Rankings

comScore Core Search Report*

Google Sites led the U.S. core search market in April with 64.2 percent of the searches conducted, followed by Yahoo! Sites (20.4 percent), Microsoft Sites (8.2 percent), Ask Network (3.8 percent) and AOL LLC (3.4 percent).

comScore Core Search Report* April 2009 vs. March 2009 Total U.S. - Home/Work/University Locations Source: comScore qSearch Share of Searches (%) Point Change Apr-09 vs. Mar-09 Mar-09 Apr-09 Core Search Entity Total Core Search 100.0 100.0 N/A Google Sites 63.7 64.2 0.5 Yahoo! Sites 20.5 20.4 -0.1 Microsoft Sites 8.3 8.2 -0.1 Ask Network 3.8 3.8 0.0 AOL LLC 3.7 3.4 -0.3

Americans conducted 14.8 billion searches at the core search engines, up 3 percent from March. Google Sites accounted for 9.5 billion core searches, followed by Yahoo! Sites with 3 billion and Microsoft Sites with 1.2 billion.

April 2009 vs. March 2009 Total U.S. - Home/Work/University Locations Source: comScore qSearch Search Queries (MM) Percent Change Apr-09 vs. Mar-09 Mar-09 Apr-09 Core Search Entity Total Core Search 14,331 14,751 3% 9,125 Google Sites 9,476 4% Yahoo! Sites 2,939 3,008 2% Microsoft Sites 1,191 1,208 1 % Ask Network 547 563 3% AOL LLC 529 496 -6%

^{*} Based on the five major search engines including partner searches and cross-channel searches. Searches for mapping, local directory, and user-generated video sites that are not on the core domain of the five search engines are not included in the core search numbers.

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April 2009 U.S. Expanded Search Rankings

In the comScore April 2009 analysis of the top properties where search activity is observed, Google Sites led with 13 billion searches, up 5 percent versus March. Yahoo! Sites ranked second with 3.2 billion searches, followed by Microsoft Sites (1.3 billion) and AOL LLC (795 million).

comScore Expanded Search Query Report
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Source: comScore qSearch

Search Queries (MM) Percent Change Apr-09 vs. Expanded Search Entity Mar-09 Apr-09 Mar-09 Total Expanded Search 21,038 22,067 5% Google Sites 12,362 13,041 5% 9,419 9,830 4% Google YouTube/All Other 2,943 3,211 9% Yahoo! Sites 3,083 3,161 3% Yahoo! 3,058 3,135 3% All Other 25 26 4% Microsoft Sites 1,235 1,250 1% MSN-Windows Live 1,136 1,158 2% Microsoft/All Other -7% 99 92 795 AOL LLC 813 -2% AOL Search Network 445 427 -4% MapQuest/All Other 368 368 0 응 696 705 1% Ask Network 402 5% Ask.com 382

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