
Subject: Re: Tools to search this group, now that Google has screwed up their search?

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On Sep 2, 4:13 pm, "R.G. Stockwell" <noemai...@please.com> wrote:

> "Ed Hyer" <ejh...@gmail.com> wrote in message

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> news:e16b7674-f986-403b-bfc9-f6110c095c10@f20g2000prn.google groups.com...

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>> This was discussed in a thread a few weeks back, but (haha) I can't

>> find it.

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>> Google Groups, which I have been using to browse this group for years,

>> has recently changed their search options to return only recent

>> results. This makes the search basically useless for this group. There

>> is an "advanced search" which allows you to search archives, but it's

>> complicated and I am lazy. I mean, it's not clickable straight from

>> the groups page, it requires you to type in the name of the group, and

>> requires 5-6 extra clicks besides. Very un-Google-like.

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>> What other tools do people use to search this archive?

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> great question. I searched for a good search engine,

using google? did you expect to actually *find* anything useful?

:) :)

Ciao,

Paolo

> and could not

> find anything. I did find several that did binary group searches only.

> (almost like an old fashion bit-torrent). Do not search these if you

> are at work, lol.

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> if i find something, i'll post it here.

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> cheers,

> bob
