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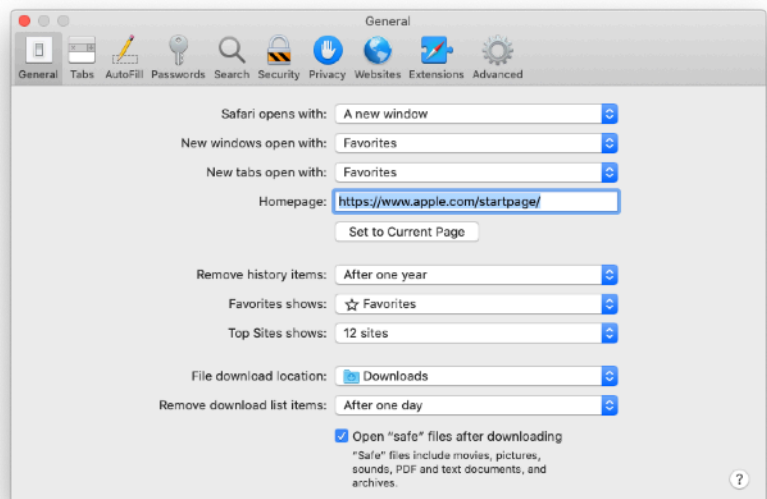
Four topics

- A. Getting set up properly: preferences and viewing options
- B. Improving the reading experience
- C. Finding what you're looking for— on the internet, and on the page
- D. Managing it all: History, Bookmarks, and Tabs

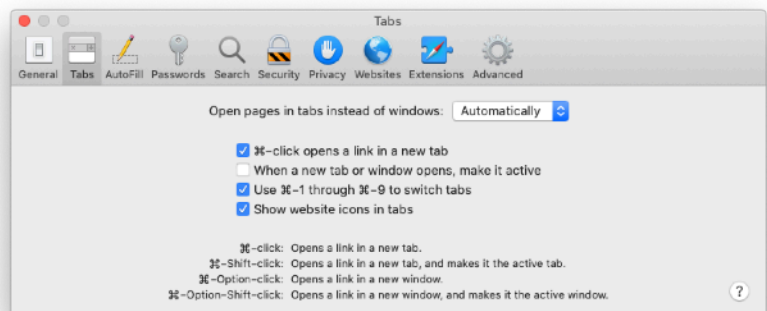
A. Getting set up properly



Safari's View menu



Set your Home page and new page prefs, and where downloads go



Lots to see in the Tabs section of Safari's Preferences



Customize the Toolbar

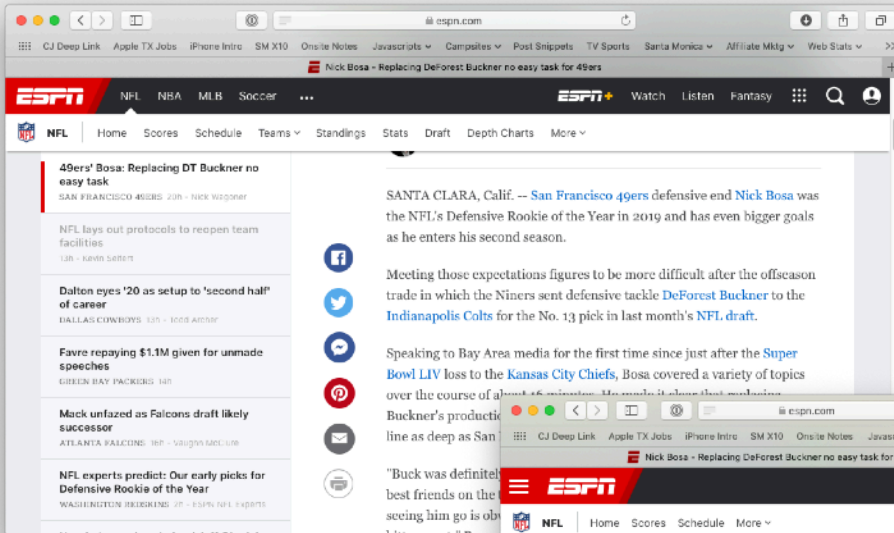
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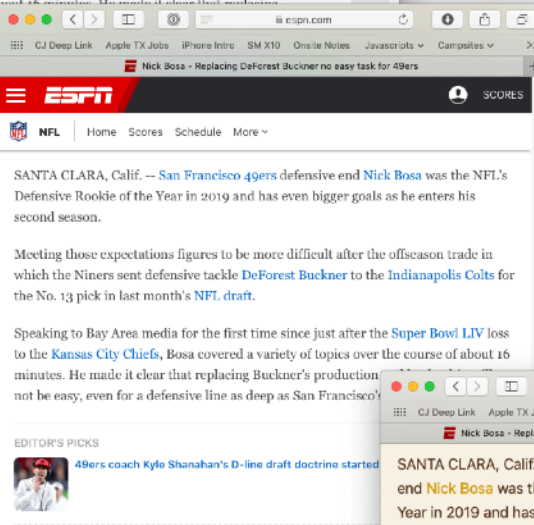
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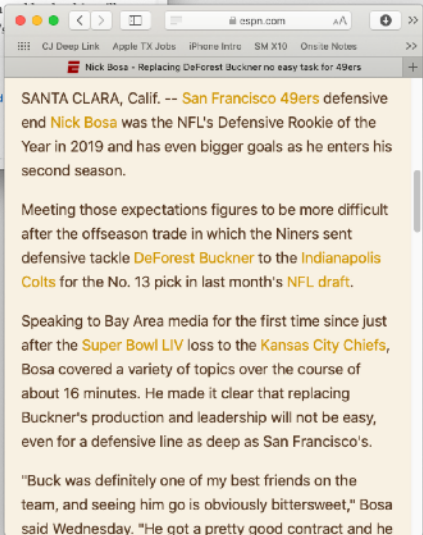
B. Improving the reading experience



Original, full-width page



Better layout for reading



Using the Reader View



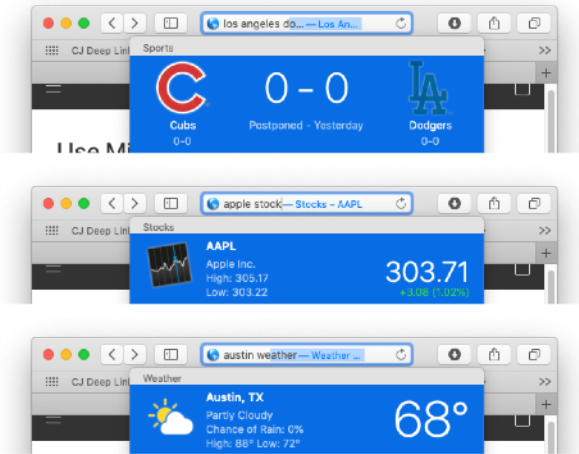
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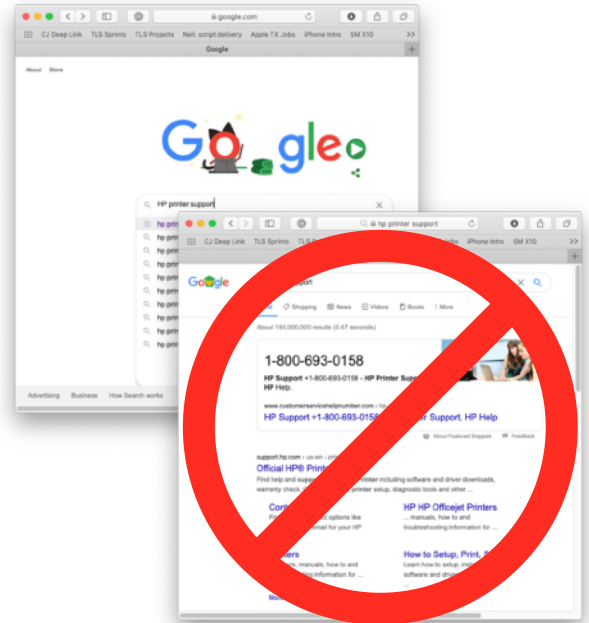
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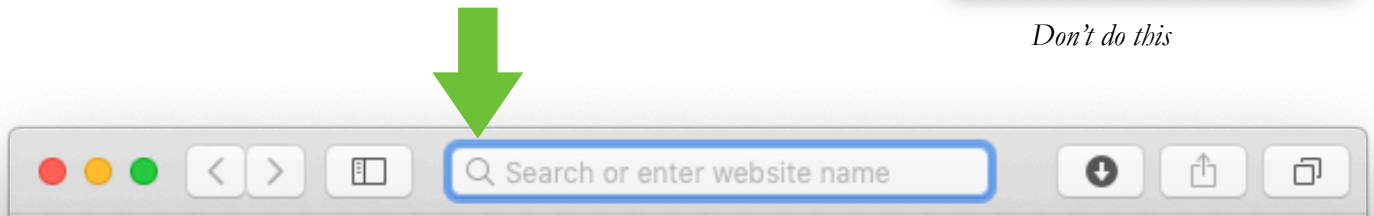
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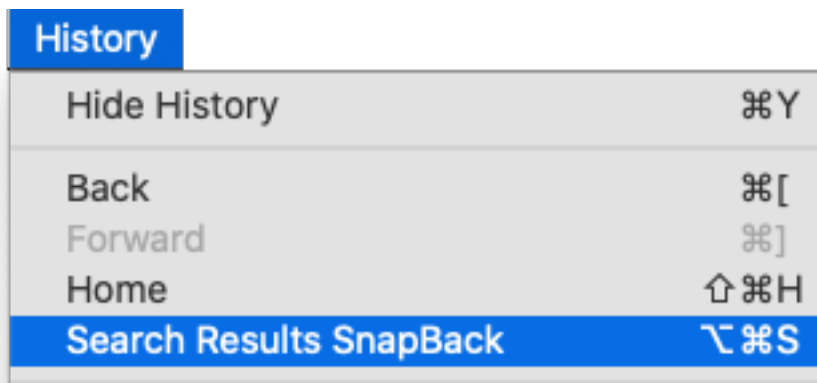
Use the Smart Search box



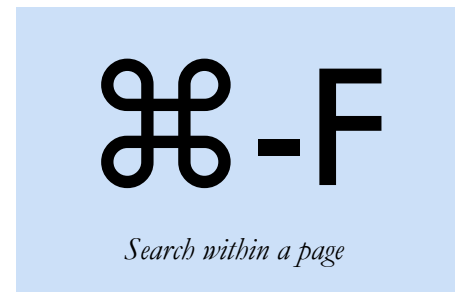
Don't do this



Two-in-one: it's a search box, and an address bar



Get back to your search results



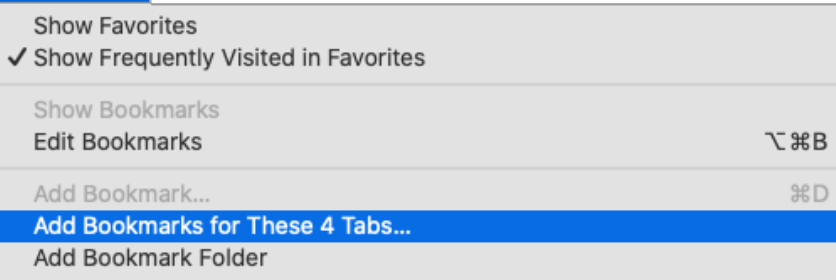
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D. Managing it all: History, Bookmarks, and Tabs

Bookmarks

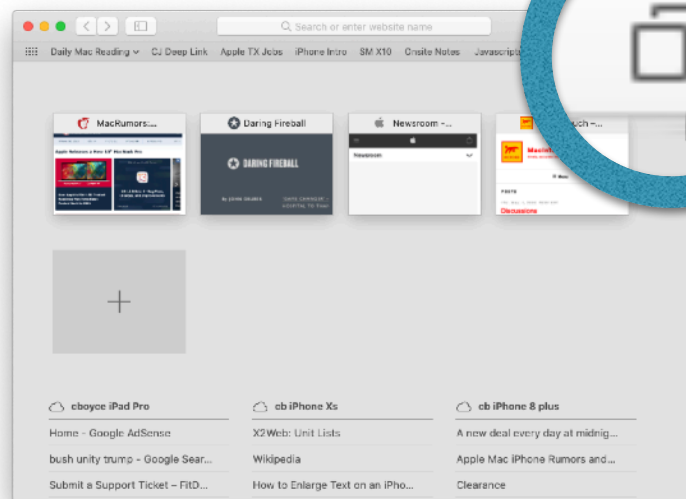


Use with Control key down

Plenty of ways to make bookmarks, but this is the most efficient

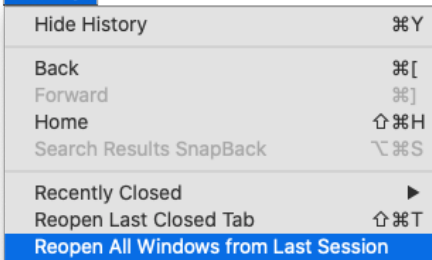


One click opens four sites!



The Tab Overview Button

History



I use this all the time.

Remember
Bookmarks are searchable
History is searchable
Tabs are searchable