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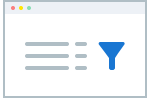
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Provides precise and clear definitions, as well as comprehensive information on word history, synonyms and language variation.

American Heritage Dictionary of Medicine

Over 17,000 definitions that reflect advances in medicine and alternative health ensure you understand health concepts new and old.

Computer Language Co. Computer Desktop Encyclopedia

The oldest computer reference resource with over 20,000 definitions that cover everything in software and hardware.

A comprehensive dictionary including definitions, idioms and word origins. The preferred reference of the Associated Press and newsgroups.

Webster's New World Finance and Investment Dictionary

Provides over 3,500 definitions in the world of finance and investment covering everything from accounting to economics.

Webster's New World Hacker Dictionary

A hacker-slang decoder that contains 1,000+ definitions, plus case studies, hacking theories, and even laws on internet security.

Webster's New World Law Dictionary

A law dictionary that simplifies legal jargon by providing clear definitions for an everyday person to digest.

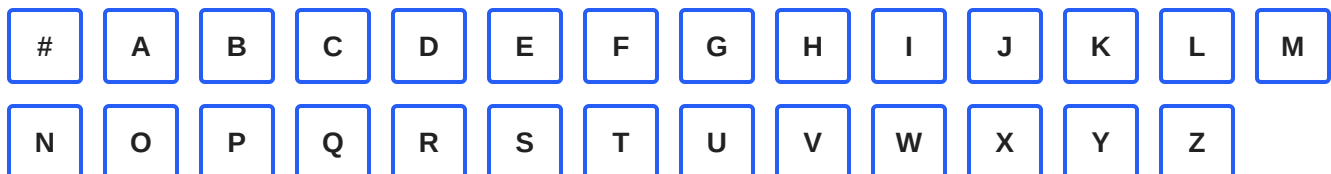
Webster's New World Telecom Dictionary

Provides explanations on words and concepts within the broad field of telecommunications.

Wiktionary

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