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# wikipedia Documentation

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## Wikipedia

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Wikipedia is a Python library that makes it easy to access and parse data from Wikipedia.

Search Wikipedia, get article summaries, get data like links and images from a page, and more. Wikipedia wraps the [MediaWiki API](#) so you can focus on using Wikipedia data, not getting it.

```
>>> import wikipedia  
  
>>> print wikipedia.summary("Wikipedia")  
# Wikipedia (/wikipidi/ or /wkipidi/ WIK-i-PEE-dee-) is a collaboratively edited, multilingual, free I
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Go to the quickstart to start using wikipedia now, or see the api.



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