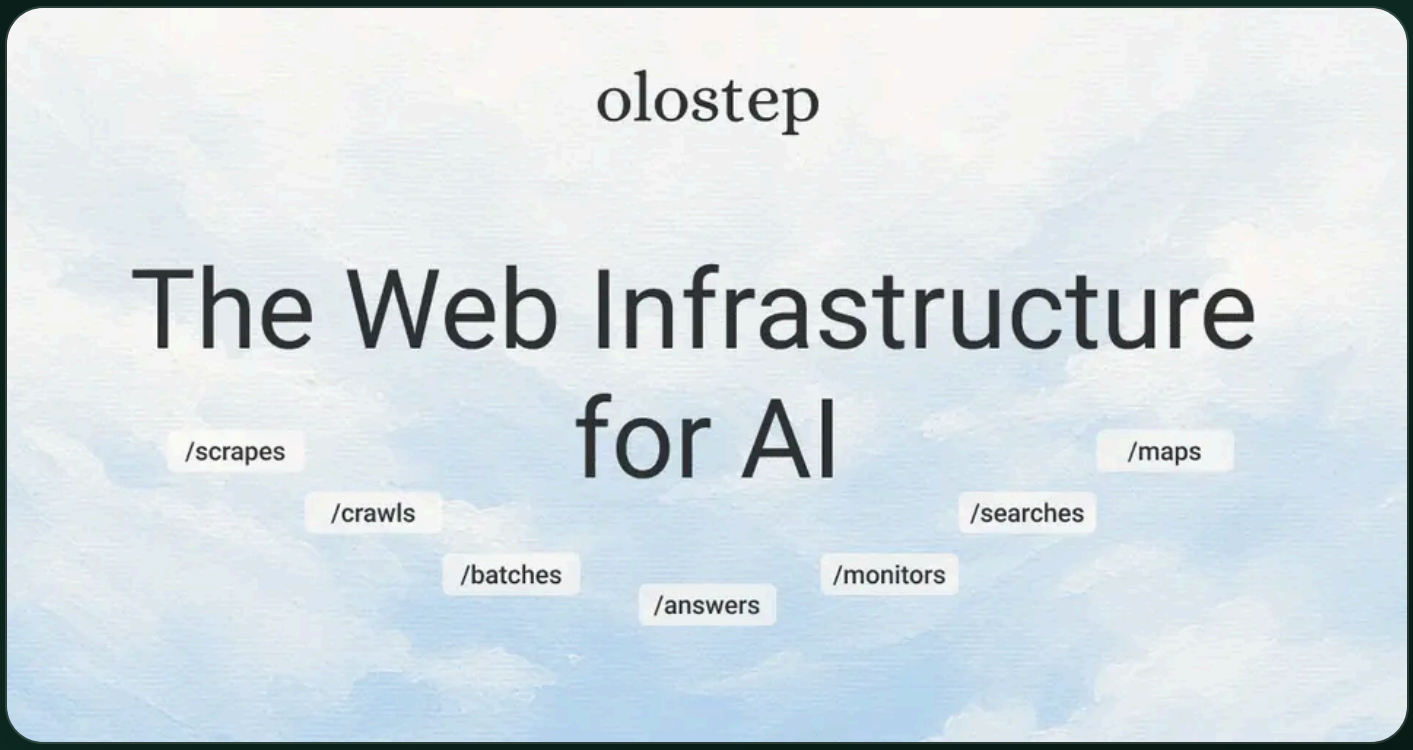
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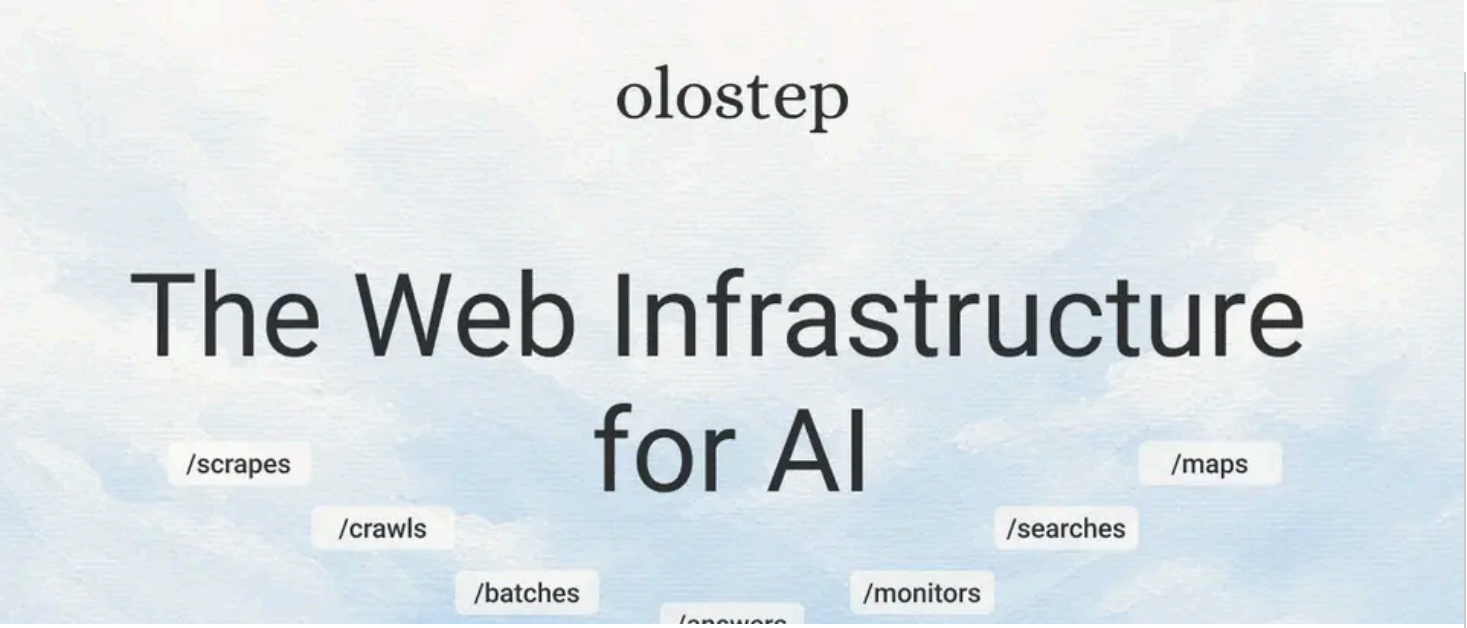
Scrape, crawl and search API that returns clean web data



Every plan, grade, refund rule and rival among SERP and SEO data APIs, read from Olostep's own pages.

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ToolGPA put this guide together from Olostep's own pages, its app-store listings and our grades. Every fact in it is on Olostep's page too, where it is kept up to date. Checked Nov 12, 2026.

Welcome

What it is, who it suits, its grades and the ten things to know first

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GPA, above 47 of the 56 other SERP and SEO data APIs we grade

Olostep is an API for pulling data from websites. Its endpoints cover scraping, crawling, URL mapping, batch jobs, search, AI answers, monitoring and people and company search. Plans are monthly request allowances, and every request is JavaScript rendered through residential IP addresses.

To get you started, here are **9 things to know about Olostep**, taken from its own pages and our grades.

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> **It is an API, with keys and code to write.**
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> From our grade for ease of use

1 **Best for scraping and crawling web pages in large batches**

Olostep scrapes, crawls and maps pages, with batch jobs, search and answer endpoints and people and company search.

2 **Paid plans start at $9 a month**

As its pricing page puts it: $9 per month for 5,000 requests.

3 **You can try it first**

Free trial plan: 500 successful requests, no credit card required.

4 **It runs on Web**

Web.

5 **Scrape, crawl and map**

Separate endpoints fetch a single page, crawl a site, or list a site's URLs.

6 **Batch processing**

Batch jobs run thousands of URLs together, from 5,000 URLs in 20 minutes on Starter to 1 million on Growth+.

7 **Search and Answer APIs**

A search endpoint and an AI answers endpoint sit beside the scraping ones, and a Monitor API appears in the endpoint list.

8 **A 2.6 GPA, above 47 of 56**

That is against the other SERP and SEO data APIs we grade, on value, the free plan, features, ease of use and platforms.

9 **Keep it**

To replace Olostep you would be making search results fetched at scale from many countries without being blocked. That is not a weekend's work, with an AI app builder or without one.

Olostep at a glance

PRICING
Free trial, from $9 per month for 5,000 requests

FREE PLAN
No

FREE TRIAL
Free trial plan: 500 successful requests, no credit card required.

RUNS ON
Web

MADE BY
Olostep Technologies, Inc.

CATEGORY
SERP & SEO Data APIs

OUR GRADE
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The report card

Best for scraping and crawling web pages in large batches

Olostep scrapes, crawls and maps pages, with batch jobs, search and answer endpoints and people and company search. Starter is $9 a month for 5,000 requests, but the free trial is only 500 requests, and AI browser automations need the $399 plan.

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Olostep

Graded Nov 12, 2026

SUBJECT	GRADE	COMMENT
Value for money	A	$9 a month for 5,000 requests, under 60% of the cheapest quarter of this category ($19). The 200,000-request Standard plan is $99.
Free plan and trial	C	A trial of 500 successful requests with no card, but it is not a monthly allowance and the page does not say it refills.
Features	C	Scrape, crawl, map, batches, search and answer endpoints and people search. AI browser automations start at Scale.
Ease of use	C	No store rating on record. It is an API, with keys and code to write.
Platforms and integrations	B	Web only, but it lists Claude Desktop, Cursor, n8n, LangChain and Slack.

Grade point average Good, out of 4.0 **2.6**

An A is worth 4 points, a B 3, a C 2, a D 1 and an F nothing. The GPA is the average of the five.

Who Olostep is for

- ✓ Fits if you need to scrape lots of URLs in batches cheaply
- ✓ Works for people testing a scraper before committing

Who it is not for

- ✗ Tight if you stay free: the trial is 500 requests, once
- ✗ Watch out: AI browser automations are listed from Scale at $399 a month
- ✗ Watch out: only monthly prices are shown and no yearly discount is listed
- ✗ Pricey if you grow: Growth is $1,100 a month and the top tier $3,500, through sales

Good to know

Good for

- ✓ Developers who want a flat monthly request allowance for scraping
- ✓ Teams running large batch jobs against many URLs
- ✓ Small tests on the 500-request trial

Worth knowing

- ⓘ The pricing page does not say whether the 500 trial requests refill; it is shown as a trial, not a monthly allowance.
- ⓘ AI browser automations are listed from the Scale plan up.
- ⓘ Top-up credit packs are valid for 6 months, from $5 for 2,000 credits to $1,000 for 2,000,000.
- ⓘ Only monthly prices are shown; no annual discount is stated on the pricing page.

What it costs

Every plan, the free plan, ways to pay less and how prices have moved

$9
A month to start

Olostep is a paid product with a free trial, starting at $9 per month for 5,000 requests.

TRIAL
$0
500 successful requests with JavaScript rendering and residential IPs, low rate limits, no card needed.

STARTER
$9
per month for 5,000 requests

$1.80 per 1,000 requests, 20 concurrent requests, batches of 5,000 URLs in 20 minutes.

STANDARD
$99
per month for 200,000 requests

$0.50 per 1,000 requests, 200 concurrent requests, batches of 10,000 URLs in 20 minutes.

SCALE
$399
per month for 1 million requests

$0.40 per 1,000 requests, 500 concurrent, AI browser automations, batches of 100,000 URLs.

GROWTH
$1,100
per month for 3 million requests

$0.37 per 1,000 requests, 750 concurrent requests, batches of 200,000 URLs in 20 minutes.

GROWTH+
$3500
per month for 10 million requests

$0.35 per 1,000 requests, 1,000 concurrent requests. Sold through sales.

Trying it first

Free trial plan: 500 successful requests, no credit card required.

Read from olostep.com on Nov 12, 2026.

What it does

Its main features, where it runs, what it works with and who makes it

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Place it runs: Web

Scrape, crawl and search API that returns clean web data. Here is what it does, as its own site describes it, and what it covers: public API, AI search, AI agents, sERP API.

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Scrape, crawl, map, batches, search and answer endpoints and people search.

From our grade for features

Scrape, crawl and map

Separate endpoints fetch a single page, crawl a site, or list a site's URLs.

Batch processing

Batch jobs run thousands of URLs together, from 5,000 URLs in 20 minutes on Starter to 1 million on Growth+.

Search and Answer APIs

A search endpoint and an AI answers endpoint sit beside the scraping ones, and a Monitor API appears in the endpoint list.

People and company search

A dedicated endpoint for looking up people and companies is listed with the other APIs.

Agents and integrations

An MCP server and CLI serve agents. The integrations page lists Claude Desktop, Cursor, n8n and LangChain.

Where it runs

Web

What it works with

Claude Desktop
Cursor
n8n
LangChain
Slack

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Where it stands

Its grades against its category, and whether to keep it or make your own

47/56

Other SERP and SEO data APIs it is graded above

Olostep's GPA of 2.6 is higher than 47 of the 56 other SERP and SEO data APIs we grade, and level with 5.

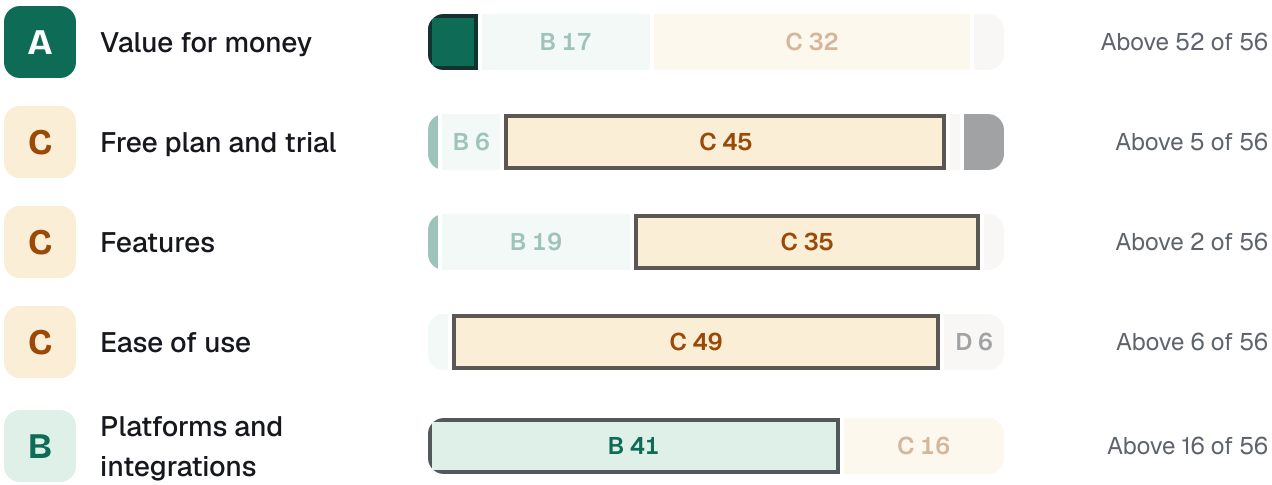
It stands best on value for money (A, above 52 of 56) and worst on features (C, above 2).

Its paid plans start at $9 a month, against a middle price of $29 for the category: 2 of the 39 others that charge start lower.

On features, ease of use and platforms it scores 2.3 out of 4. 1 tool scores higher and costs less.

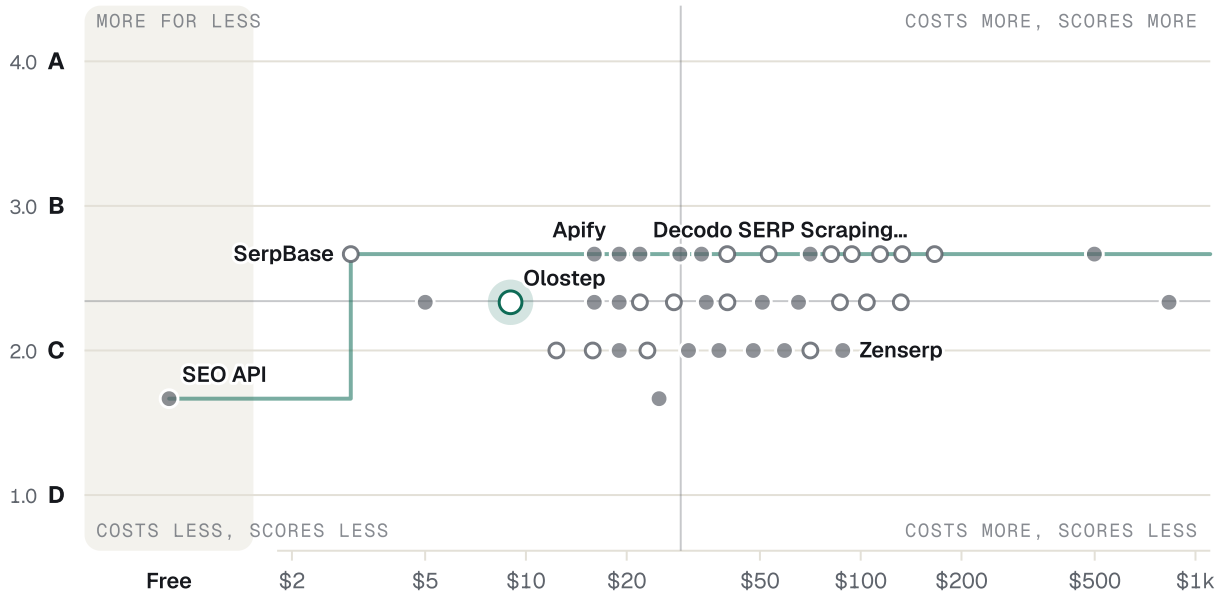
Each grade against the category

Every bar is all 57 SERP and SEO data APIs we grade, cut by the letter each got. Olostep's own letter is outlined.



Price against what you get

Each dot is one of 41 SERP and SEO data APIs. Further left costs less; higher up scores better on features, ease of use and platforms. Olostep is the marked dot.



What paid plans start at, a month (each step along is roughly double)

Keep it, or make your own?

Whether this is something you could build for yourself with an AI app builder, and what you would give up.

Keep it

To replace Olostep you would be making search results fetched at scale from many countries without being blocked. That is not a weekend's work, with an AI app builder or without one.

It is one of the better ones too: its GPA of 2.6 is higher than 47 of the 56 other SERP and SEO data APIs we grade. It costs $108 a year.

What you could not

- ✕ Search results fetched at scale from many countries without being blocked.
- ✕ An AI agent, with the models and the safeguards behind it.

- ✕ A search engine with an AI model behind it.
- ✕ It plugs into other products, Claude Desktop, Cursor and n8n among them, and has an API.

What this rests on. Olostep's listing: what it does, where it runs, what it plugs into and what it costs. It is a judgement about the kind of software this is. We have not built a replacement for it, and making your own means looking after it too. How we decide, and every tool's verdict.

The alternatives

The tools it is most often weighed against, side by side



Firecrawl, ScrapingBee, ZenRows, Scrapfly and ScraperAPI

The 5 tools Olostep is most often weighed against, with where each one differs from it.

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Firecrawl

Free plan · from $16/mo

Web search, scrape and crawl API that returns LLM-ready data.

- Firecrawl has a free plan. Olostep does not, though it has a free trial.
- Firecrawl is open source and self-hostable, according to its own site.
- Olostep also covers AI search.

Olostep and Firecrawl compared in full

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ScrapingBee

Free trial · from $19/mo

Web scraping API with a Google search endpoint, priced by credits.

- Olostep also covers AI search and AI agents.

Olostep and ScrapingBee compared in full



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ZenRows

Free plan · from $16/mo

Web scraping API for protected sites, priced by monthly credits.

- ZenRows has a free plan. Olostep does not, though it has a free trial.
- Olostep also covers AI search and AI agents.

Olostep and ZenRows compared in full



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Scrapfly

Free trial · from $30/mo

Web scraping API with anti-bot unblocking, browsers and AI extraction.

- Olostep also covers AI search and AI agents.

Olostep and Scrapfly compared in full



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ScraperAPI

Free plan · from $44.10/mo

Web scraping API with Google search endpoints, priced in API credits.

- ScraperAPI has a free plan. Olostep does not, though it has a free trial.
- Olostep also covers AI search and AI agents.

Olostep and ScraperAPI compared in full

Quick answers

The questions people ask about it, each answered in a line or two

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Questions, each answered in a line or two

The short version of everything above, for when you only need the answer. Each one is told in full in its part of the guide.

Is Olostep free?

No, Olostep is a paid product, but you can try it first. Free trial plan: 500 successful requests, no credit card required.

How much does Olostep cost?

Olostep lists 6 plans. Trial: $0.

What platforms does Olostep work on?

Olostep is available on Web.

Does Olostep have an Android app?

No Android app was listed when its pages were read on Nov 12, 2026. Olostep is listed for Web.

Does Olostep have an iPhone app?

No iPhone app was listed when its pages were read on Nov 12, 2026. Olostep is listed for Web.

Is Olostep open source?

Olostep is not described as open source on its own site, as read on Nov 12, 2026.

Does Olostep have an API?

Yes. Olostep offers a public API, according to its own site.

What does Olostep integrate with?

Olostep's listing names Claude Desktop, Cursor, n8n, LangChain and Slack.

Who makes Olostep?

Olostep is made by Olostep Technologies, Inc.

What are the alternatives to Olostep?

The closest alternatives to Olostep in our directory are Firecrawl, ScrapingBee, ZenRows, Scrapfly and ScraperAPI.

How does Olostep compare with other SERP and SEO data APIs?

Olostep's GPA of 2.6 is higher than 47 of the 56 other SERP and SEO data APIs we grade, and level with 5.

Is Olostep good value for money?

ToolGPA grades Olostep A for value for money. Its paid plans start at $9 a month, against a middle price of $29 for the category: 2 of the 39 others that charge start lower.

Could I make my own version of Olostep?

To replace Olostep you would be making search results fetched at scale from many countries without being blocked.

Where this guide comes from

The prices, plans, platforms and features were read from Olostep's own pages on Nov 12, 2026, and the grades were given on Nov 12, 2026. Graded from this listing, whose facts were read from Olostep's own pages on 12 November 2026. Not based on using the product, and shorter than our full reviews.

Every tool we list gets five grades, A to F, each with its reason, and a GPA that averages them. How each is decided is at toolgpa.com/grades. This guide is ToolGPA's own work; it is not made, paid for or approved by Olostep Technologies, Inc. Prices change, so check olostep.com before you buy.

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About ToolGPA

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Tools graded, in 95 categories

ToolGPA grades software the way a school report grades a pupil: five subjects, a letter for each with the reason written beside it, and a GPA that averages them. Prices, plans and platforms are read from each maker's own pages and dated, so you always know how fresh a figure is.

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tools graded	categories	price changes on record	apps priced in 12 countries

What else is on toolgpa.com

Olostep, kept up to date

Everything in this guide, with prices and grades as they are today

toolgpa.com/tools/olostep

How grades are given

The rules behind every letter and every GPA

toolgpa.com/grades

Value charts

What each tool costs against what it scores, for every category

toolgpa.com/charts

Compare

Any two tools side by side, plan by plan

toolgpa.com/compare

Price changes

Every price rise and cut on record, each with its source

toolgpa.com/price-changes

Prices by country

What apps cost on the App Store in 12 countries

toolgpa.com/prices-by-country

Pay less

Every public discount: yearly billing, students, nonprofits

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Keep or make

Which tools are worth paying for, and which you could build yourself

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Apify Insider's Guide

Scraping platform with a store of ready-made Actors, Google included

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DataForSEO Insider's Guide

Pay-as-you-go APIs for SERP, keyword, backlink and AI mention data

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