

# faviconz

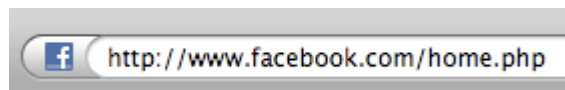
<http://favi.co.nz>

Developer key for Android Dev Camp

ADC01234

## What is a favicon?

This is the 16x16 websites logo, mainly used next to the url and in the browser tabs.



## What can you do with the API?

The Faviconz API can be called to retrieve favourite icon of all URLs (that have one).



## Why is it useful?

Using favicons instead of texts saves space (interesting for mobile applications). People are very visual, and presenting links in a visual way is very efficient.

## Which applications already use the faviconz API?

Startpix - your visual start page ([www.startpix.com](http://www.startpix.com))

Trackbackbox - referrer visualisation for blogs and sites ([www.trackbackbox.com](http://www.trackbackbox.com)) - soon to be released

## Need support or a personal dev key?

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## How can you use the API?

Make an API call to the favi.co.nz API with your developer key. (e.g.: ADC01234)

### *GET request*

`http://favi.co.nz/api?k=[devkey]&u=[url]`

### *example*

`http://favi.co.nz/api?k=ADC01234&u=http://www.facebook.com/`

### *result*

You'll get XML as return, with the url you requested, the title of that site and a link to the favicon (`http://favi.co.nz/iconz/[hash.png]`)

### *example ( when favicon found )*

```
{  
  <faviconz>  
    <status>OK</status>  
    <url>http://www.facebook.com</url>  
    <favicon>http://favi.co.nz/iconz/[hash].png</favicon>  
  </faviconz>  
}
```

Optionally more info will be shown, like title and/or description...

### *example ( when no favicon found, or other error occurred )*

```
{  
  <faviconz>  
    <status>ERROR</status>  
    <message>No favicon found.</message>  
  </faviconz>  
}
```