

# Free trial checklist

## Get the most out of your trial experience

### ✓ See that Silo for Research is masking your true IP address

Your IP address says a lot about you and your organization. It can be used to identify you, block you or take action against you and your company. Silo for Research never reveals your identity.

**HOW TO:** In your local browser (not Silo for Research), go to Google and type, "What is my IP address?" Then compare to doing so through a Silo Access Node.

### ✓ Access the internet internationally as if you were physically located in the region

Accessing the internet in-region ensures you blend in with the crowd and aren't blocked from information. Silo also spoofs your time zone, language and keyboard settings to match the region.

**HOW TO:** Launch an international Access Node. Go to Google and notice that portions of the page are presented in the local language. Go to Google Maps and see that it places you as being physically located within the region.

### ✓ Manipulate your digital fingerprint and see how sites present differently

Silo for Research empowers you to reflect the browser, OS and device fingerprint necessary for your investigation. This allows you to blend with typical internet traffic as well as access information that would otherwise be unavailable to your device.

**HOW TO:** Launch a U.S. Access Node and go to [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com). Open a new tab and click on the U.S. flag icon to change your fingerprint: select Chrome (iPhone). Go to [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com) in this tab, and notice the site presents you with its mobile version.

### ✓ Screenshot, annotate and save a web page

When investigating you need to collect and save your research. The screenshot utility allows you to capture and annotate; tag assets with a URL and timestamp; and save them to cloud storage.

**HOW TO:** Launch an Access Node and go to a website. Click on the take screenshot (📷) icon, select Visible Page, and a new tab will open with the screenshot along with an annotation toolbar.

### ✓ Translate a foreign language page; search using the native language to see how results differ

The language translation utility is purpose-built for sensitive online investigations. Page translation is done out-of-band from your primary connection, making it more difficult to discern if you're a native speaker.

**HOW TO:** Launch an international Access Node and go to a foreign language news site. Click the translation (🌐) icon to invoke the translation box and translate the page. Go to a search engine and use Translate Specific Text to compare search results using the native language versus English.

### ✓ Execute a multi-search workflow

Multi-search is a productivity enhancement in Silo for Research. It allows you to launch context-aware search queries across multiple sites. The utility includes a set of preconfigured websites and workflows which can be customized and enhanced to fit any type of investigation.

**HOW TO:** Click on the multi-search (🔍) icon and in the search field enter, "Top Phishing Attacks 2021." Select General Selection Search under Text Workflows, and click Submit.