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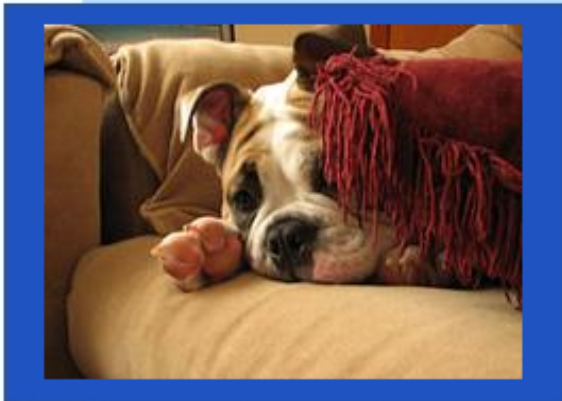
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Time Left

The ESP Game

0070
score



Taboo Words

DOG
PILLOW

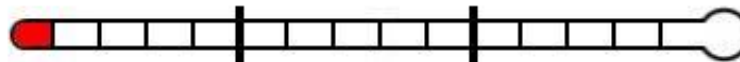
Your Guesses

PUPPY

Type your next guess:

Pass

Your partner has entered a guess

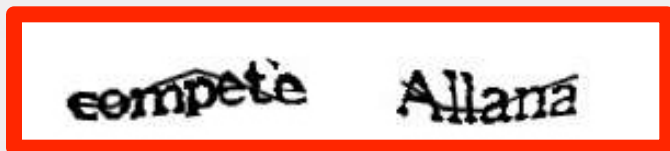


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Security Check



- Try another
- Vision Impaired
- Help

Type both words separated by a space below

You do not have permission to access this website if you are using an automated program.

[Continue](#)

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By entering the words in the box, you are also helping to digitize books from the Internet Archive and preserve literature that was written before the computer age.

Provide an Audio Option for Visually Impaired Customers

An audio option allows visually impaired customers to hear a set of 8 digits that can be entered instead of the word challenge.



HOME

THE EMBASSY

CONNECTIN

bad

Christians

Type the two words:





Search events: Enter your ZIP code

 Go

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Sign Up to Party for Change

Sign up to host your own Party for Change or sign up to attend one in your area.

Username

Password

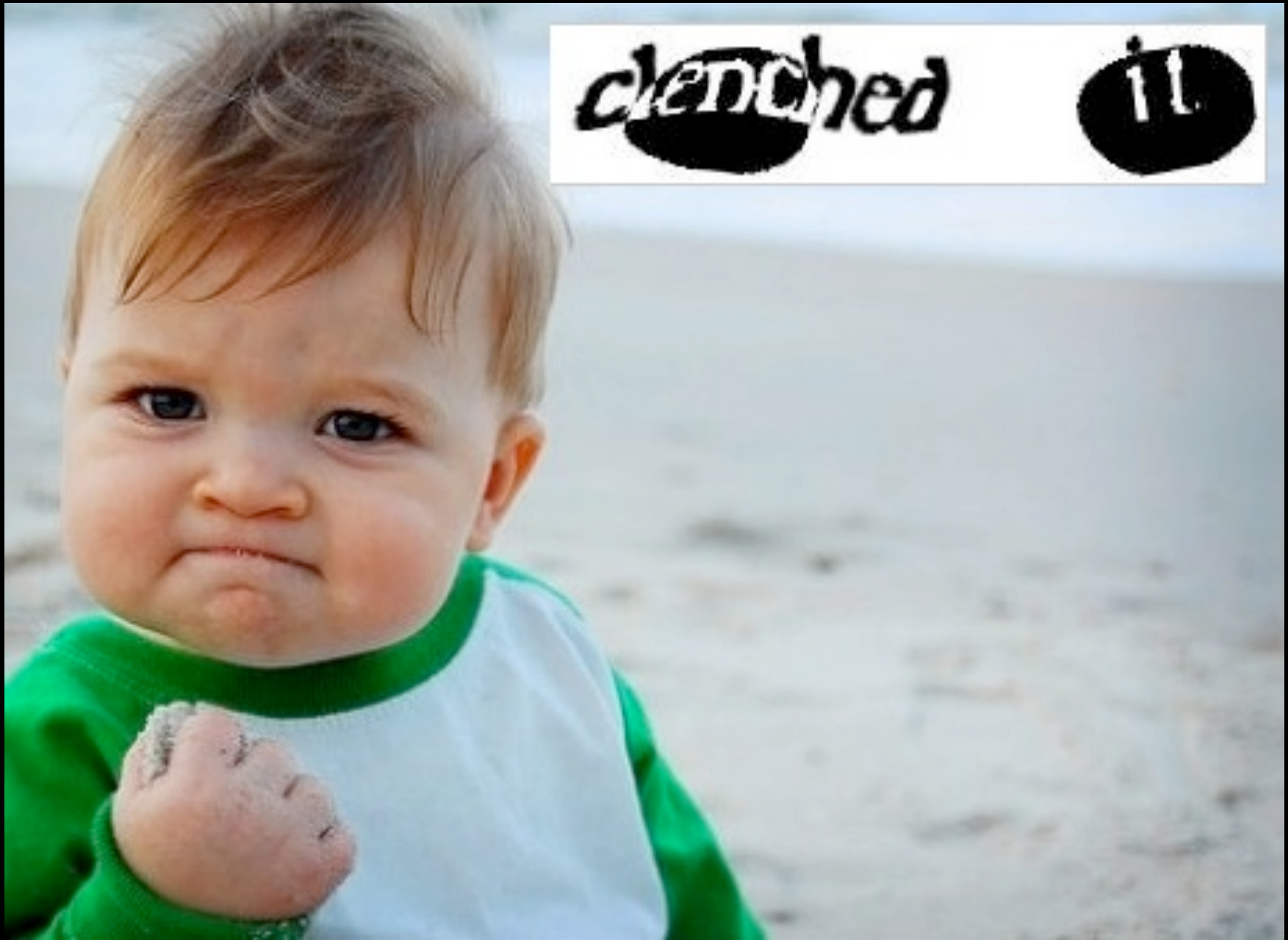
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Zip Code

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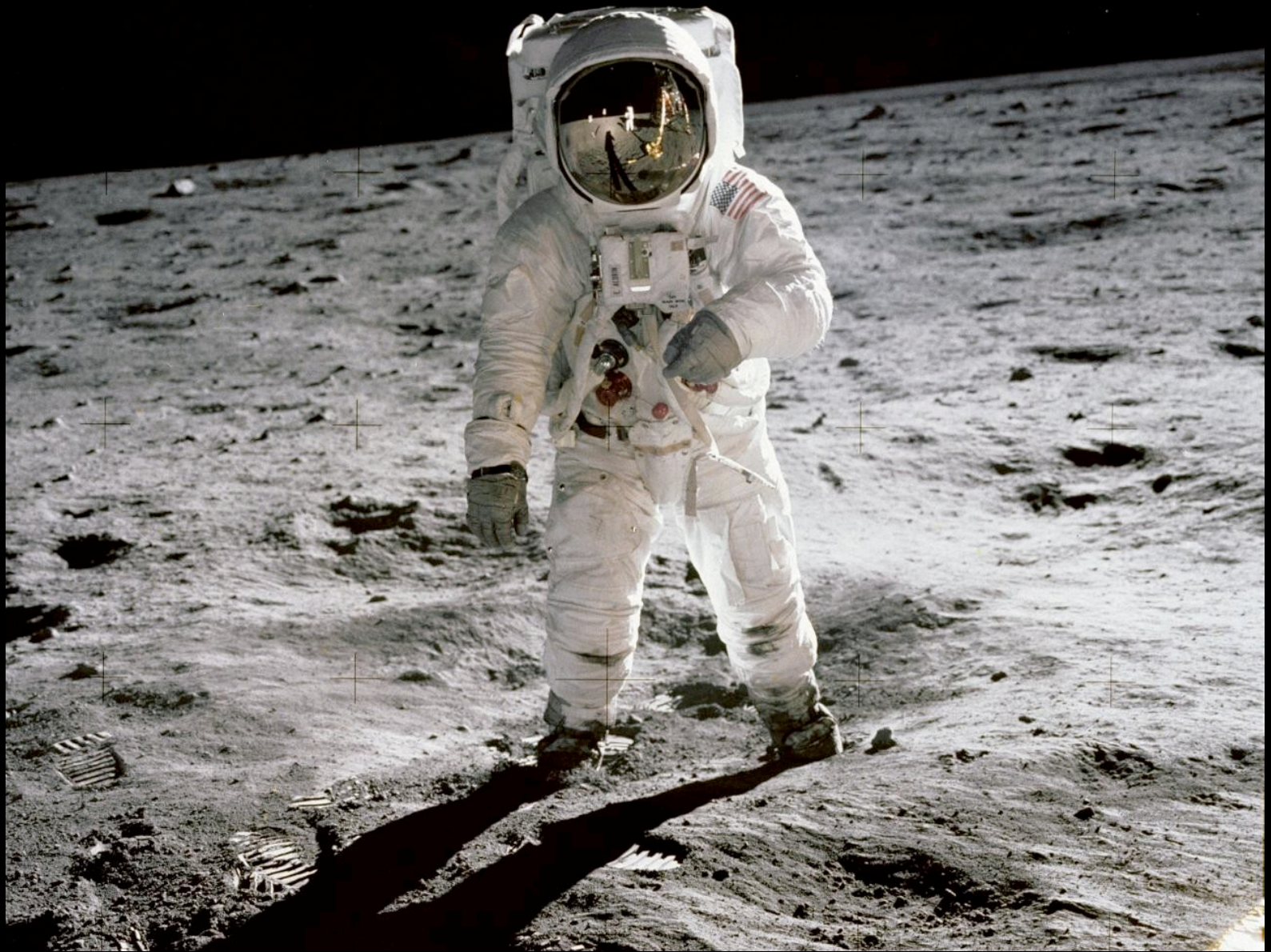
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950,000,000

(~13% of the world's population)









100 million

people translating the web to
every major language **for free**

Language Translation Obstacles

- 1** Lack of bilinguals
- 2** Motivation

Learning a New Language

1,200,000,000

people around the world

Over 5 million

paid > \$500 for software



learn a new language
while simultaneously
translating the Web