

DEX online - Romanian dictionaries

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Why?

- DEX online is the online version of many important Romanian dictionaries
- You must have used it at least once!
- DEX online is not perfect, but it responded to an important request of Romanian users

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- Some stats:
 - over **1.5 million** distinct users from Romania that use the system
 - over 11 million of page hits monthly
 - over 10 queries per second
 - $\simeq 1.500.000$ visitors per month who make $\simeq 10.000.000$ queries.

DEX Online manager



- Cătălin Frâncu
 - Experienced programmer who initiated the project
 - <http://catalin.francu.com/>
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Mentor for DexOnline project in CDL

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Do not panic!

We will offer complete documentation and support, in case you are not familiar with these technologies. You should post your questions on the mailing list and during the laboratory

Feature requests and bugs

- Linguistic games in HTML5 - hangman, vocabulary test, rebus (#257)
- (Mega)Vocabulary Test - how many words in Romanian do you know? (# 233)
- Crawler for Romanian websites (similar to Google Search Engine's Crawler) (# 243)
- The most searched words in last week(#148)

Facilities and resources

- Code versioning (git or svn)
- wiki.dexonline.ro - site with feature requests, bugs, issues and forum to debate ideas
- "DEX Online Development Mailing List"
<dexonline@lists.rosedu.org>
- Project's blog: <http://dexonline.blogspot.com/>

Questions?

