

One of the gadgets from Google© available on www.kwwcomputers.co.uk is a "Driving Directions" or route finder.

This works for both the UK and various other countries.

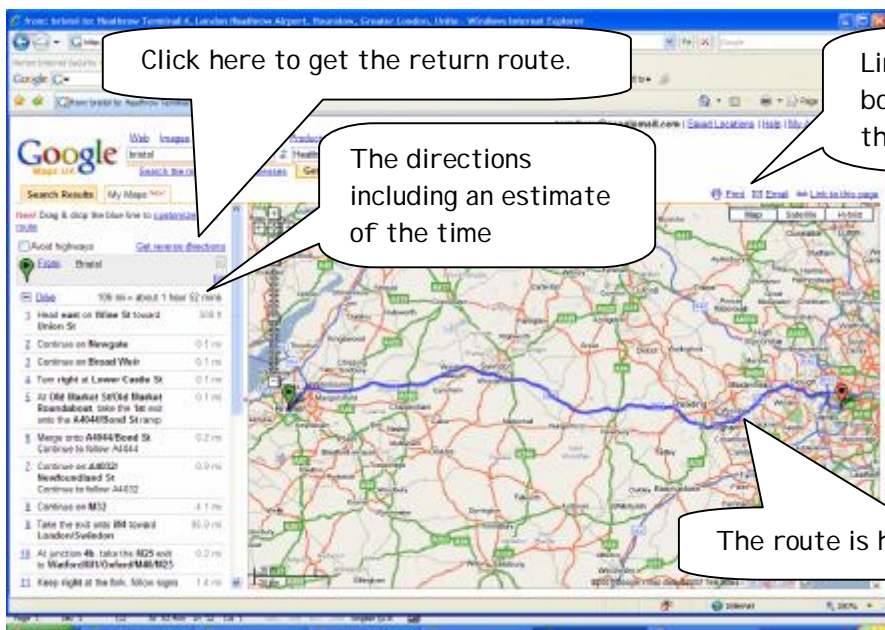
The example below is for directions from 'Bristol' to 'Heathrow terminal 4', a route I needed to pick up my brother when he flew in from LA.



Type the start and end destinations into the "From" & "To" boxes. In this case:
From *Bristol*
To *Heathrow terminal 4*
Then press the [Go] button.



If it's not sure of the exact place you will get the chance to pick it here.

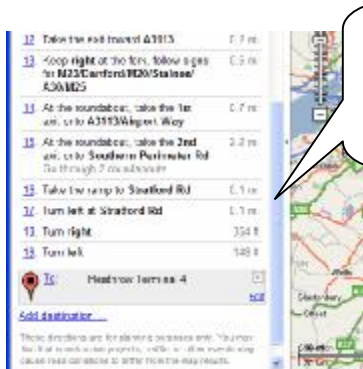


Click here to get the return route.

The directions including an estimate of the time

Links here allow you to print out both map and directions or email them to a friend.

The route is highlighted in blue.



Scroll down to see the end of the directions.

Use these arrows to move the map left, right, up and down.

Use the [+] button to see more detail.

Use the [-] button to reduce the scale.

This takes you back to the last view

You can click on the map, hold the left mouse button down until you see a hand and drag the map to the part of interest – I've chosen the Terminal 4 buildings.



Clicking on the [+] button has given me more detail including the names of the streets.



A few more clicks on the [+] button show me details of the roads around the terminal including the location of the train station. All of this is in the map style preview.

Map Satellite Hybrid



By clicking on this [Satellite] button I get the satellite image of the area. I can even see the planes around the terminal.

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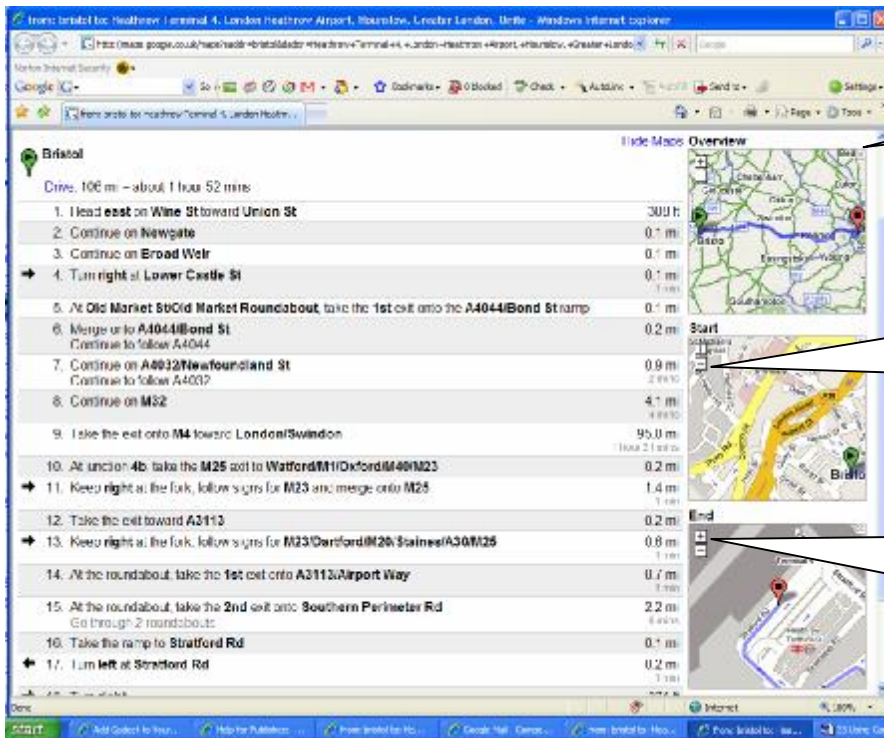
The [Hybrid] button mixes the map & satellite views in this case giving me the road names.

Map Satellite Hybrid

To return to the original view click on the [Map] button.

Here is an example of the print screen.

Before actually printing you can alter the 'overview', 'start' and 'end' maps.



Click on the [X] if you want to remove one of the maps.

Reduce the scale of any map by using the [-] button here.

I got more detail on the 'End' map by clicking on the [+] button here.



Here is my final printout.