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Henry Ford, 1919

Battle of Aachen

Spa

Aachen History Spa

Aachen History of Prostitution

Aachen Syphilis Capital

Spa Aachen

Nude Village

Nudeville

Crazy Nude Germans

Jimmy T. Kindt

Aachen Techno Kindt

Motörhead

Lemmyisms

Stone Dead Forever Lyrics

Happy Vandal

Extinguisher Vandal

Vandal Freedom

Fire Stopper

Vendôme Communard Posers

Communard Poseurs

Vendôme Erection

Pizza

TTACO  
Johnny Taco

Control Yourself  
Please Control Yourself

Control

Over Control  
Above Control

Sponge Bob Teeth  
Sponge Bob Anatomy

Frost

Franzen Asshole  
Franzen Jerk

Cunt in Sloveninan  
An Empty Head Gets The Easiest Sleep

Testino  
Testino CANDICE  
Testino Jew  
TESTINO BUSINESS OF BEING ANNA

Hadrian  
Hadrian Face  
Aureus Of Emperor Hadrian  
Greek Crunch  
Parking Für Juden  
National Bank of Greece Burn Me

Burn Me  
Leonidas from Sparta

Overreaction  
Overreaction As Content  
Xeroiin

Damnato Memoriae  
Gerard Depardieu Wife Beater  
Gerard Depardieu Butcher  
Die Zeit Depardieu

Fresh

Die Paris  
Awful Paris  
Corrupt Paris

Schäfer  
Schäfer Trash Bin  
Chrome On White  
Schopenhauer Misogynist

Red Banana

Complete ZZ Top Lyrics  
Noble Trucker  
BlackBerry  
BlackBerry Brigade  
BlackBerry Torch

Halloween Nose Man  
Nose Person Halloween  
Mr Nose Halloween  
Herr Nasen

Mummy Funny  
Mummyfied

Yoda Face Ppaint  
Yoda Face Paint

Yoda Trompe l'Oeil

Mid Size Spoons  
Theatercafeen Historical View  
TC

TC Expelled  
Drunk Parking  
Drunk Driver Excellence  
Solli BOWLING

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Bald Again  
Bald Again Lyrics

Bald To Be Wild

Snorto  
Paganini

Serralves Hat Model  
Christmas In Porto  
Imperial Porto  
Merry Christmas In Portugese  
Huckleberry Finn Hat

37 cm to Inches

War and Peace (and War)

Small Violin  
Child Prodigy Violin

Edgar's Lamps  
“All Weather Is Passing”

Olav H Hauge Damnato Memoriae  
Muskelsvinn  
Kjetil Rolness Muskelsvinn

Schengen Ost

“Spill Om Livet”  
P.O.R.

Jacques Prévert  
Jacques Pervert

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AUDI  
AUDI A4  
A4  
AUDI  
AUDI FLAW  
AUDI HATE  
AUDI DISASTER

AUDI CAR CRASH

Sebs Hotel Babes

Depressing Gourmet  
Amazingly Depressing

Moonshine  
Moonshine Hedemark  
Jugs  
Plastic Jugs  
Moonshine Jugs

“Mash”  
Moonshine Mash  
Moonshine Jugs  
Plastic Jugs

Jygs Kiquor  
Lugs Liquor  
Jugs Liquor

Skåne Probverbs

Rolf Wesenlund Quotes  
T-Ford Race  
Ford

Henry Ford Eyes  
Henry Ford Eye Color  
Henry Ford Color Photo  
Hkenry Ford Taylor

Mittelrhein

“Pannelugg”  
Fringe

Smells Like <<<<team <<spirit  
Smells Like Team Spirit

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Dry Cement Maxbo  
Jerry Can Biltema

Oslo Police Christmas Party

Old Jerry Can  
Jerry Can

Wehrmachtskanister  
Paul Pleiss

Integrity  
Septic Death Karaoke 7  
Voice Of Thousands Compilation

“He Is Left-Handed And Walks With A Cane”

Goggles  
Newspaper Vending Machines Cheap  
Comedy Store

18 cm to Inches

The M  
Melovins Lyrics  
Melvins Lyrics Complete  
Melvins Silver lake  
Spaceland  
Heisenberg

Uncertainty Principle Heisenberg

Black Stooges Lyrics  
Hammer Address  
MC Hammer Address

Day Of The Living Dead Screenplay  
Vertigo Screenplay  
Falling Down Screenplay  
Breaking Bad Season 2 Screenplay  
Jessie Pinkman  
Pinkman House

Lash Out Lyrics  
The Hills DiVello  
Adam DiVello Interview  
The Hills Transcript

Join, or Die  
Join, or Die Ben Franklin

Rachel Whiteread  
Rachel Whiteread Family  
Rachel Whiteread Daughter  
“Half-Brained, Half-Assed, Half-Hearted”

Hedemark Moonshiners  
Myrmoen Moonshine

Griff Ass Tattoo



Dan Colen Cartoon  
AvdH  
AvdH Balding  
First, The Good News

Santa Monica Beach Toxic  
Venice Beach Toxic

Santa Monica Airlines  
Santa Monica Air Centre  
Natas Kaupas Porn  
When Platitudes Become Form

Midway Car Rental  
Midway Dodge  
Barbie, I want You Back  
Jack Goldstein Lightning  
Jack Goldstein Metal  
Jack Goof

The Day The Animals Died

Joshua Tree Casino  
Palm Springs Casino  
Kirk Douglas Way Palm Springs  
Windmill Wings  
Windmill Transport  
Windmill Wing Transport

The Pigs The Pigs  
Animal Depression  
The Alcohol The Alcohol

Europ

EUROP

Faster And More Furious  
“His Resignation Was His Confession”

The Wiener Cafe  
The Wiener Cafe Madness  
Bernhard Madness  
Bernhard Riot  
Bernhard Cafe Korb  
Wiener Aktionismus Wiener Cafe  
Showdown Cafe Korb

Lee Strassberg Close Up  
Lee Assberg

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Rambo  
Rambo Cover  
All Rambo Covers

Chubby Chaser T-Shirt

Panasonic Box  
Samsung Box  
Loewe Box  
LED Box

The War  
Title The War

There Might Be Blood

Baldor  
Baldor Food  
Baldorium Food  
Baldorama

The Floor Shiny  
Shining Floor

LED Box  
LED  
L.E.D.

LED Zeppelin TV  
Not Hanks

Klein  
SO KLEIN  
SJOP KLEIN  
SHOP KLEIN

Raise Plow  
Raise Plow Sign  
The Sun Shone, Having No Alternative, On The Nothing New

Pluck You Chicken

OFF! In Memoriam

El Paso Deaths  
El Paso Murder Stats  
El Paso Homicide Drugs  
El Paso War  
El Paso Times Obituaries

War in El Paso

700 Waco St

Marfa Train  
Freight Train Through Marfa  
WhataBurger Menu  
Judd Arrowheads

“Whatever was mortal in Albrecht Dürer is covered by this stone”

Margaret Mead  
Don't Pet A Burning Dog

Tin Tiles  
Typical Revolutionist  
Madero  
Madero Images

Natures Bounty Melatonin 5mg  
Stiga Snow Racer

Eh  
Ehh  
Ehhh

E.H.H.H.

Beer Chicken Recepty  
Oil?

Shoe Box Monolith  
Safe Monolith

Safe Tower  
Safe Rod

Swastika Windmill  
Tax Man  
The Tax Man

Shock And Awesome

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Icicle  
Icicle Rain  
Icicle Injury Oslo

LSD Berlin  
YOT  
Nordby Shopping  
Ugh, Said The Critics

Helen Marten Drag And Drop

Abbatours Allee Charles De Fitte

SCRIP TITLE Written By Name of First Writer Based On, If Any

Stick Of Jerry Cans  
Rod Of Jerry Cans  
Jerry Can Cluster  
Jerry Can Raft

Harry S Morgan  
Hard Rakel Cafe

Kristinehamn History  
Kristinehamn  
WeiWei BlackJack

Othello Hotel

Abstract Talk

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Nedre Rommen  
APT  
APT Scam  
APT Pyramid

“Down Nigger Paved Streets”

William A Thigpen, Jr.

Everted Jerry Can

Vandals Vans Logo

Vandals

Poser Poseur

PPoosseeuurr

DDOOUUBBLLLEE

Weber B20

OSK

“Oslo Skytter Klubb”

Joseph Beuys and the German Past, Tentatively

Radio Televizija Slovenija

Meta

Metaklikk

Deep Framing

Sausage With Sausage  
Pork On Pork  
Sausage with Sausage Appendix

Sierra Leone Romance

“I Want To Be A Kamakazi When I Grow Up”

Watch Without Arms

Bristol Molotow

Roddy Lumsden Bristol

N<sup>o</sup>ARKO

Les 0 Journées de Sodome

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F. Scott Fitzgerald The Last Coon

Honk The Horn

Hank The Horn

Horny Hank

Garage X Ensemble

Ali M. Abdullah X

Judengasse History

Batanga  
Batanga Knife  
Batanga Phone

Mel Ramos Photo Rong  
Mel Ramos Photo Ring

Yaba  
Crazy Medicine  
Yaba Crazy Medicine  
Yaba Traffic Mekong

Sleepy Phiyer

Zerreissprobe

Uri Geller Junkie Bend Spoon  
Outline  
Closet Outline  
Jug Outline  
Poster Outline

Ship Of Drunks  
”Danskebåten”  
“Danskebåten Menu”  
Alcohol Ship

Alco Ship

Tarkovsky Poster Newsprint  
Poster Newsprint  
Gun Shells  
Gun Shell Ocean  
Artillery Shell Forest

HAMYSVEIS

Gun Shell Floor  
Brass Floor

★

ELLE Depression  
ELLE

The Readymades  
Holten Art  
Dragicevic Bluff

Motril Hospital  
When A Journey Begins Badly It Rarely Ends Well

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Cowboys Stadium Price

Brass Man  
The Brass Man Dallas  
Gene Jones Art  
Jerry Jones Net Worth  
Jerry Jones Fistpumping  
“Jerry Jones Just Did A Fist Pump”

Onyx price  
AR-15  
AR-15 Ammo  
AR-15 Rapid Fire

Shutters  
Shutters on the Beach

Oslo Bopmb

Oslo Bomb  
Blond Terror Oslo

Oslo Blond Jihad

Utøya  
Utøya Shooting

2083  
Breivik 2083  
Berwick 2083  
2083 Utøya  
Utøya Footage  
Utøya Gasoline  
Utøya Boat Footage  
Fjordman Gates of Vienna  
Fjordman Real Name  
Utøya Live  
Utøya Swim  
Utøya Helicopter  
Utøya Geography  
Utøya Youth

Glock Utøya

Saga  
Saga Lyrics  
WoW Theme  
WoW Motivationa  
The Battle Of Badr

Eurabia Breivik  
Will Durant India  
Fertilizer Breivik  
Gasoline Breivik  
Glenn Beck Breivik

Cultural Suicide

★

1389 Blog  
Brothers Judd

Foggy

“I Worship Not That Which You Worship”

“What To Do After The Massacre”

You Poor And Stupid  
I Could Scream  
Big Pharaoh  
TigerHawk

JammedGun

★

Terrence Mallick  
The Tree Of Life  
Tree Of Life Worst Movie

Hate Terrence Mallick  
Somewhere  
Welding machine

PolBlog

Jerry Cans Stacked  
Jerry Can Star

Mesh Container  
Hassan Al-Banna  
Zakat

Hamar Cathedral  
Bowling  
Translate Jade

XXL Golf Bag  
XXL Glof Clubs  
XXL Golf Clubs

Golf Bag Rocket Launcher

Golf Bag Torture

Harry Potter Scar  
Dora  
Bots  
Boost  
Boots  
Hogvprt  
Hogwart

Sculpture of Fools  
Sculpture of Fools  
Collective Stupidity  
Collective Fuckup

Lars Hedegaard

Gallia Watch

CDWRME

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Einarsson Mask

Jerry Lewis Gas Chamber

Bård Hoksrud Taped

Bård Hoksrud The Fat Man

Baltic

Baltic Face

NGO BINGO

The Tree of Life

The Tree of Life Sucks

Terrence Mallick I Hate Hou

Terrence Mallick I Hate You

Oslo, Texas

Oslo Wenders

DowneastBlog

★

The Pigs The Pigs  
“All Children, Except One, Grow Up”

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# Matias Faldbakken's *SEARCH*

*Culture is a great transcoder from text into image . . . a black box that has text for input and images for output.*

—Vilém Flusser

For *SEARCH*, Matias Faldbakken went into the log of his different hard drives and extracted parts of his Google search histories. The search phrases are printed chronologically according to when they were typed into the search box.

It is a straightforward concept with a revealing and a semi-absurd end product. The texts are to a large part based on image searches. In many respects they show the verbal foundation for the artist's image production: they are partly his notes, partly his research.

These search-word texts are at the same time almost like automatic writing; unconscious (or accidental) text production. They allow the reader to witness part of his working process and could be seen as a cross section of his thinking. The texts occupy a space in between the artist's visual and textual production, ending up here as a form of (concrete) poetry.

—The Editors

# Matias Faldbakkens *SUCHE*

*Die Kultur ist ein großer Transcoder von Text zu Bild [...] eine Black Box, deren Input aus Text und deren Output aus Bildern besteht.*

– Vilém Flusser

Für *SEARCH* verwendete Matias Faldbakken die Protokolle seiner verschiedenen Festplatten und extrahierte einen Teil der Verläufe seiner Google-Recherchen. Die Suchanfragen sind chronologisch nach den Daten abgedruckt, an denen sie in das Suchfeld eingegeben wurden.

Dies ist ein gradliniges Konzept mit einem ebenso aufschlussreichen wie einigermaßen absurden Ergebnis. Die Texte beruhen überwiegend auf Bildrecherchen. Sie zeigen in vielerlei Hinsicht die sprachlichen Grundlagen der Bildproduktion des Künstlers: Sie sind teils Notizen, teils Recherche.

Gleichzeitig ähneln die Suchbegriff-Texte der *Écriture automatique*, einer unbewussten (oder zufälligen) Textproduktion. Sie ermöglichen dem Leser, einen Teil seines Arbeitsprozesses miterleben und können als ein Querschnitt seines Denkens gelten. Die Texte stehen zwischen der Bild- und der Textproduktion des Künstlers und erscheinen hier als eine Art (konkreter) Poesie.

– Die Herausgeber

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