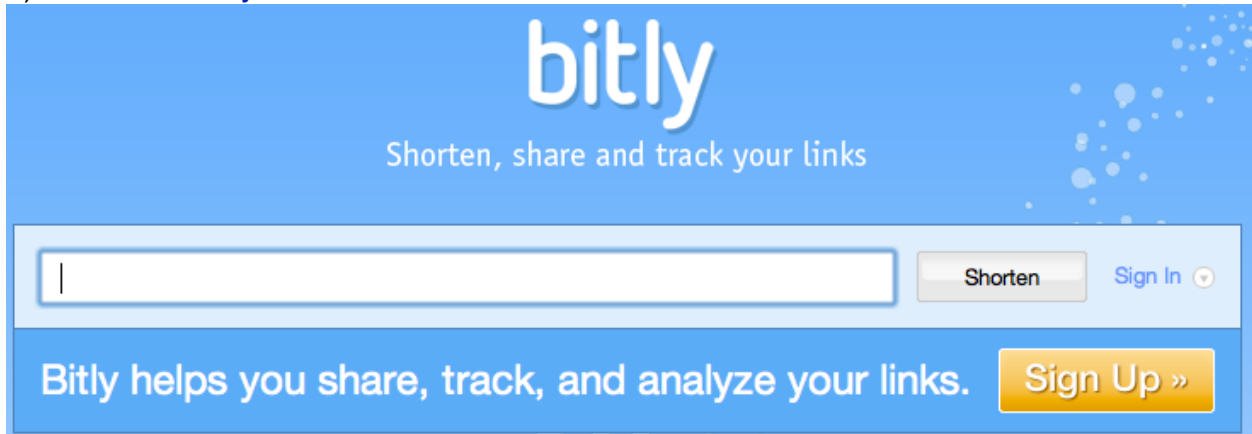
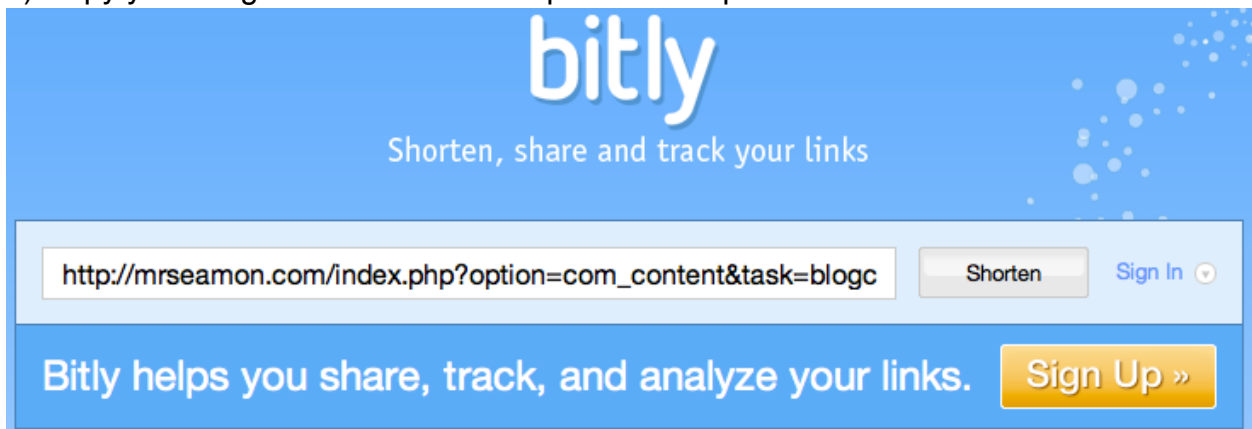


How to shorten a link

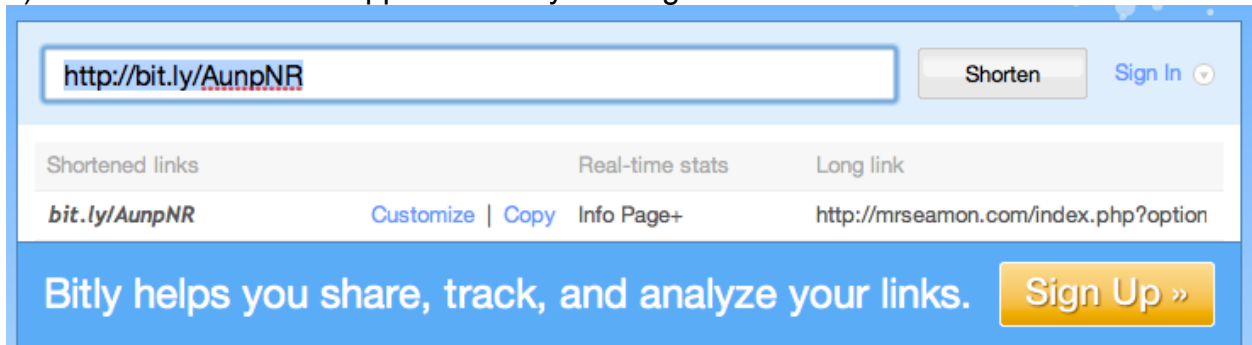
1) Load www.bitly.com



2) Copy your long link into the white input box and press shorten.



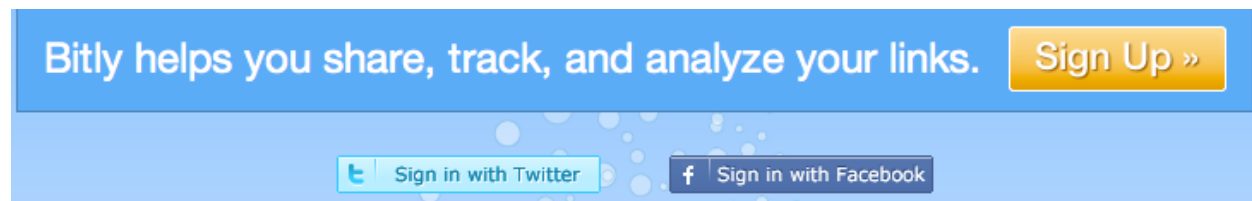
3) A shorten link should appear below your longer link.








4) That new link, in this case bit.ly/AunpNR will go the same place as your long link.

Notes:

- 1) You will need to create an account in order to customize your links. You can customize your links in any way you'd like. The only thing you can't choose are links that have already been used by other people on the bitly.com system.
- 2) Links are case sensitive.
- 3) bitly.com and bit.ly go to the same exact place.
- 4) Creating an account is free and easy. You can create a new account or sign in with Twitter or Facebook credentials.



- 5) Another advantage to creating an account is that you will be able to keep track of all of the statistics for the links you have created right from the main page of bitly.com.

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- 6) Bitly.com is only one of many URL shortening services. Here are some others:
 - 1) <http://goo.gl/>
 - 2) <http://tinyurl.com/>
 - 3) List of 11 URL shortening services: <http://bit.ly/11-url-shorteners>