

Tom O'Connor's answers to certain questions during webinar:

1. Chromium is an open source browser <https://www.chromium.org/>
2. PC Mag does still do product ratings but it is now online only <https://www.pcmag.com/picks>
Consumer Review also does ratings <https://www.consumerreports.org/electronics-computers/> as does C|Net
<https://www.cnet.com/best-products/>
3. Free anti virus software review can be found at <https://www.pcmag.com/picks/the-best-free-antivirus-protection>
4. VPN products <https://www.pcmag.com/picks/the-best-vpn-services>
5. Encryption software overview..... <https://www.techradar.com/best/best-encryption-software>
6. Internet speed tests: I like fast.com but spectrum.com and speedtest.net are also popular. And M-Lab (below) is a fav or some techies I know

Check your internet speed in under 30 seconds. The speed test usually transfers less than **40 MB of data**, but may transfer more data on fast connections.

To run the test, you'll be connected to [Measurement Lab](#) (M-Lab) and your IP address will be shared with them and processed by them in accordance with their [privacy policy](#). M-Lab conducts the test and publicly publishes all test results to promote internet research. Published information includes your IP address and test results, but doesn't include any other information about you as an internet user.