Operator	Use with	Description
from:	name or email address	Messages from Santa. *from:Santa* or *from:santa@gmail.com*
to:	name or email address	Messages sent to Santa by you or anyone. *to:Santa* or *to:santa@gmail.com*
subject:	any word(s)	Messages with the word itinerary *subject: itinerary*
label:	any label	Messages labeled as Receipts *label: Receipts*
has:	**attachment**	Messages with one or more attachments *has:attachment*
list:	any mailing list	Messages sent to or from python-devs@gmail.com *list:python-devs@gmail.com*
in:	**anywhere**	Messages in AllMail, Spam and Trash that contain the word 'aunt' *in:anywhere aunt*
in:	inbox, spam, trash	Messages in inbox that contains the word 'monkey' *in:inbox monkey*
is:	**important**	Messages from Amy that were marked as important by priority inbox *from:Amy is:important*
is:	starred, unread, read, chat	Messages that are starred, unread, read or chat messages *is:chat from:Amy is:starred*
before:, after:	yyyy/mm/dd format	Messages that are sent between Jan 1 2011 and Dec 31 2011 *after:2011/01/01 before:2011/12/31*
filename:	jpg, pdf, doc, ppt, xls	Messages that has a pdf file as an attachment and the filename includes 'Voucher' *filename:pdf filename:voucher*

Binary	Use with	Description
OR	finding any of the words	Messages that contain the word 'chicken' or 'fish' or both (OR must be capitalized) *chicken OR fish*
" " (double quotes)	exact phrase	Messages in inbox that contain the exact phrase 'movie night' *in:inbox "movie night"*
( )	grouping search opeartors	Messages from Sarah that contain either dinner, movie or Saturday. *from:Sarah (dinner OR movie OR Saturday)*
-	word to exclude	Messages that contain the word jacket but not the word 'sale' *jacket -sale*