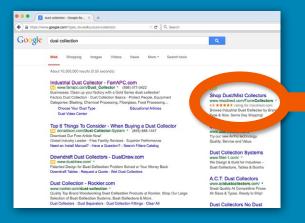


## PPC—It's Not What You Think

Is Paid Search, or Pay-Per-Click (PPC), just a great program for awareness-building with millions of impressions? Or can it be viewed as a valid lead generation tool with an affordable cost/lead ROI?

## **PPC 1.0**—How It All Began



Cost/click and cost/lead were simple and clear. But it was easy to spend a lot of money without tight goal conversion tracking.

There were a lot of tools we applied to first-stage paid search programs to squeeze ROI out of our PPC programs:

- Accelerated scheduling
- Broad match
- Keyword match in titles
- Conversion tracker
- Ad extensions site links, callouts, phone
- Negative keywords

