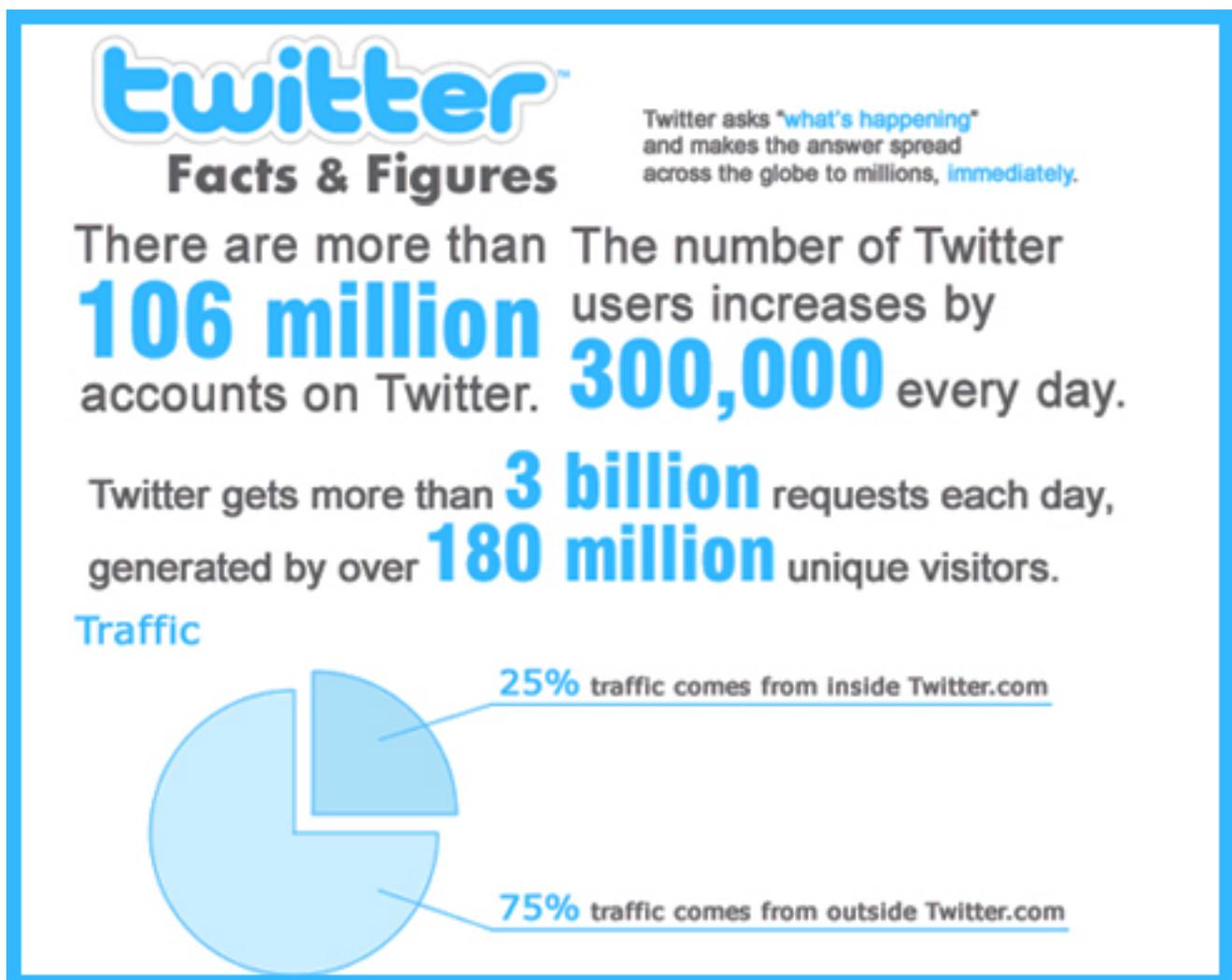


Twitter Facts - Amazing Facts About Twitter

610 Administrator Wed, Apr 17, 2019 [General Knowledge](#) 0 6807

Are you interested to read amazing **facts about twitter**? Barracuda Labs analyzed more than 25 million Twitter accounts, both legitimate and malicious. The purpose of this part of the study was to measure and analyze account behavior on Twitter in order to model normal user behavior and identify features that are strong indicators of illegitimate account use.



The study reviews several facts including True Twitter Users, Twitter Crime Rate, and Tweet Number.

Key Facts About Twitter from the research include:

1. In general, activity is increasing on Twitter: more users are coming online; True Twitter Users are tweeting more often, and even casual users are becoming more

- active. As users become more active, the malicious activity also increases.
2. Only 28.87 percent of Twitter users are actual True Twitter Users.
 3. Half of Twitter users tweet less than once a day, yet one in 10 users tweet five or more times a day and 30 percent of Twitter accounts have never tweeted.
 4. One in every eight Twitter users has at least 10 times more followers than they are following.
 5. Only one in 10 users is following more than 100 users, and almost half are following less than five.
 6. The Twitter Crime Rate for the first half of 2010 was 1.67 percent.

Displayed below is an infographic made by website monitoring and it contains all the facts you need to know about Twitter, such as Twitter history, milestones, user & Tweet statistics, top 10 countries, top 20 users (most followed).

twitter

Facts & Figures

Timeline

2006
 In April, Twitter was launched as a public service by Jack Dorsey, Evan Williams, Biz Stone, and Noah Glass. The service was initially called "twttr" and was a simple text-based messaging system. It was later renamed "Twitter" and became a full-fledged social media platform.

2007
 Twitter introduced the "Twitterrific" application, which allowed users to interact with the service from their mobile devices. This was a significant step in making Twitter more accessible and user-friendly.

2008
 Twitter introduced the "Twitter API" (Application Programming Interface), which allowed developers to create applications that interacted with the service. This led to a surge in third-party applications and increased the platform's reach.

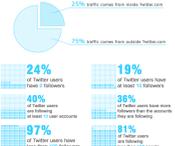
2009
 Twitter introduced the "Twitterrific" application, which allowed users to interact with the service from their mobile devices. This was a significant step in making Twitter more accessible and user-friendly.

2010
 Twitter introduced the "Twitterrific" application, which allowed users to interact with the service from their mobile devices. This was a significant step in making Twitter more accessible and user-friendly.

Users and following

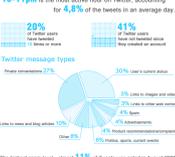
There are more than **106 million** users on Twitter. The number of Twitter users increases by **300,000** every day. Twitter gets more than **3 billion** requests each day, generated by over **180 million** unique visitors.

Traffic



Tweets

140 characters is the maximum length of a single Tweet. Twitter users are sending **55 million** Tweets per day. That gives circa **640** Tweets per second. Twitter's search engine gets **600 million** queries every day. **Thursday and Friday** are the most active days on Twitter, each accounting for **16%** of total Tweets. **10-11pm** is the most active hour on Twitter, accounting for **4.8%** of the tweets in an average day.



The highest spam level, almost **11%** of tweets were noted in August 2008.

International and demographics



Top 10 countries (percent of site traffic)



United States Demography



Top 20 Twitter users (number of followers)

1. @elonmusk: 8,474,797 followers, 8,348 tweets, 888 mentions
2. @realDonaldTrump: 8,153,893 followers, 372 tweets, 693,117 mentions
3. @BarackObama: 8,081,685 followers, 1,888 tweets, 16,329 mentions
4. @MichelleObama: 7,732,248 followers, 871 tweets, 758,229 mentions
5. @BillGates: 7,193,831 followers, 379 tweets, 161,262 mentions
6. @Mark Zuckerberg: 6,881,333 followers, 2,841 tweets, 88 mentions
7. @JeffBezos: 6,481,514 followers, 178 tweets, 99 mentions
8. @TimCook: 6,206,227 followers, 1,188 tweets, 81 mentions
9. @AriannaHuffPost: 6,128,818 followers, 278 tweets, 217 mentions
10. @MittRomney: 6,102,862 followers, 2,834 tweets, 148 mentions
11. @realDonaldTrump: 5,878,883 followers, 988 tweets, 48 mentions
12. @HillaryClinton: 5,808,877 followers, 1,812 tweets, 39 mentions
13. @BarackObama: 5,801,882 followers, 1,832 tweets, 38 mentions
14. @realDonaldTrump: 5,798,819 followers, 2,833 tweets, 98 mentions
15. @BillGates: 5,798,819 followers, 379 tweets, 2,832 mentions
16. @Mark Zuckerberg: 5,688,488 followers, 2,881 tweets, 183 mentions
17. @JeffBezos: 5,688,488 followers, 2,881 tweets, 183 mentions
18. @TimCook: 5,688,488 followers, 2,881 tweets, 183 mentions
19. @AriannaHuffPost: 5,688,488 followers, 2,881 tweets, 183 mentions
20. @MittRomney: 5,688,488 followers, 2,881 tweets, 183 mentions

27 of the **Top 50** and **48** of the **Top 100** most followed Twitter users joined between November 2003 and April 2009.

Other

Thousands of developers have created more than **70,000** applications using Twitter APIs. Twitter has only **175** employees.

Online URL:

<https://www.article diary.com/article/twitter-facts-amazing-facts-about-twitter-610.html>