

# Pinterest's Stellar Growth: What's Next for the Platform?

### Description

On Friday, the stock market was mostly down. All three major market indexes were lower at 10:30 a.m. ET. But one stock, **Pinterest** (PINS 17.70%), did very well. Its shares went up by more than 18%!

This rise happened because of Pinterest's latest earnings report. The company made more money than people expected. The report shows that Pinterest is doing well.

## **User Growth**

Pinterest has two important parts to its growth: users and money. The more people use Pinterest, the more money it can make.

In the fourth quarter, Pinterest had 553 million active users each month. This is 11% more than last year EWS.COM and the most users it has ever had.

### Making More Money

Pinterest is also earning more money from its users. The average revenue per user grew by 6% compared to last year. Most users are outside of the U.S. and Canada.

In the U.S. and Canada, each user made \$9. In Europe, the average was \$1.38, and in other countries, it was just \$0.19. However, the revenue from other countries grew by 24% more than last year.

## **Vocabulary List:**

- 1. Indexes /'In.dɛks.iz/ (noun): An indicator of the state of the stock market representing a group of stocks.
- 2. **Earnings** /'srninz/ (noun): The financial profits generated by a company.
- 3. Revenue /'rɛvə,nu/ (noun): The income generated from normal business operations.
- **4.** Growth /gro $\sigma\theta$ / (noun): The process of increasing in size number or value.
- 5. Active /'aktiv/ (adjective): Engaged in action; not passive.
- 6. Average / æv(ə)rɪdʒ/ (adjective): A quantity rating or amount that represents or approximates an arithmetical mean.

## Vocabulary quizzes



#### Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. Who is the primary beneficiary of consumer protection laws?

Option: Contractors Option: Fraudsters Option: Consumers Option: Management

2. What is the term used to describe the misuse of something?

Option: Restrictions Option: Abuse Option: Support Option: Revenue

3. What may be offered by service providers as different service options?

Option: Promoting Option: Diversity Option: Limiting Option: Packages

4. What concept refers to the differences between individuals and groups?

Option: Inclusion Option: Customers Option: Diversity Option: Protested

5. What is the total amount of money received through work or investments?

Option: Active Option: Earnings Option: Growth Option: Average

6. Which term is used to describe assistance and help provided to someone or something?

Option: Support Option: Members Option: Oversight Option: Announced

7. Who are the individuals or companies that buy goods or services from a business?

Option: Candidates Option: Customers Option: Paused



**Option: Management** 

8. Which term refers to the process of increasing in size or improving over time?

Option: Earnings Option: Active Option: Growth Option: Average

9. What do individuals typically file when they are dissatisfied with a product or service?

Option: Members Option: Complaint Option: Oversight Option: Announced

10. What is a statistical measure of change in an economy or a securities market?

Option: Protect
Option: Index
Option: Earnings
Option: Promoting

#### Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11	_ is the intentional deception made f	or personal gain or t	to damage another	
individual.				
12. To ensure fairness some	e companies apply	on the usage	of certain services.	
13. The company expanded	t its operations to offer services		across the country.	
14. The development of new	w features was	due to technical	difficulties.	
15. The total income generated by a company from its normal business activities is called				
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16. The regulatory body provides to ensure compliance with industry standards.				
17. The company	a new product line to	o meet customer der	mands.	
18. The HR department is c	urrently reviewing potential	for	the vacant position.	
19. To maintain a healthy li	festyle it is important to stay	a	nd engage in physical	



activities.

20. The group welcomed new \_\_\_\_\_\_ who contribute diverse skills and experiences.

#### Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. Consumer protection laws aim to individuals from unfair practices in the market.

22. The company is actively its new range of eco-friendly products to raise awareness.

23. The community against the construction of the new industrial plant due to environmental concerns.

24. Effective is essential for the success of any organization in achieving its goals.

25. The company values and ensures equal opportunities for all employees.

26. The service provider is considering the number of users allowed on the basic plan.

27. The luxury brand is popular for its high-quality but products.

28. Regular exercise is important to keep an and healthy lifestyle.

29. The company's quality assurance team ensures that all products meet the standards set by industry norms.

30. The new pricing model was designed to offer more choices to and cater to their needs.

### Answer

**Multiple Choice:** 1. Consumers 2. Abuse 3. Packages 4. Diversity 5. Earnings 6. Support 7. Customers 8. Growth 9. Complaint 10. Index

**Gap-Fill:** 11. Fraud 12. Restrictions 13. Nationwide 14. Paused 15. Revenue 16. Oversight 17. Announced 18. Candidates 19. Active 20. Members

Matching sentence: 1. Protect 2. Promoting 3. Protested 4. Management 5. Inclusion 6. Limiting 7. Expensive 8. Active 9. Average 10. Consumers

#### CATEGORY

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