US Podcast Ranker

Top Sales Networks By Weekly Average Downloads | May 2022



Rank	Change	Sales network	Sales representation	Avg weekly downloads	Active podcasts
1	-	Stitcher Media	SXM Media	59,580,714	500
2	-	NPR	National Public Media	32,209,613	64
3	-	Audacy Podcast Network	Cadence13	29,514,636	500
4	+1	Wondery	Wondery Brand Partnerships	24,564,245	192
5	+1	Cumulus Podcast Network	Cumulus Podcast Network / Westwood One	21,308,545	398
6	-2	Audioboom	Audioboom	21,100,118	500
7	-	NBCUniversal News Group	SXM Media	11,172,838	57
8	+2	Paramount	Paramount	5,318,190	144
9	-1	WarnerMedia	WarnerMedia	4,916,549	146
10	-1	Kast Media	Kast Media	4,655,446	101
11	-	Salem Podcast Network	Salem Media Group	3,576,866	500
12	-	All Things Comedy	All Things Comedy	2,667,899	68
13	-	The Roost Podcast Network	Rooster Teeth Productions	2,025,143	92
14	-	Cloud10	Cloud10	1,407,788	47
15	-	Headgum	Gumball	799,833	49
16	-	Bonneville International	Bonneville International	744,800	287
17	-	Beasley Media Group	Beasley Media Group	679,493	164
18	+1	CBC / Radio-Canada	Acast	675,312	273
19	-1	Focus On the Family	Focus On the Family	582,241	16
20	-	Prisa Radio	Prisa Radio	550,421	500



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POWERED BY TRITON DIGITAL'S PODCAST METRICS

Triton Digital's Podcast Metrics measurement service is certified by the IAB Tech Lab as complying with Version 2.1 of the IAB Podcast Measurement Technical Guidelines.

ABOUT THE U.S. SALES NETWORK AND PODCAST RANKERS

Participating Networks include content owners/creators and sales representation organizations. Networks have the option to have their downloads and listeners aggregated into another entity to which they have specifically delegated advertising sales responsibilities, such as a third-party sales house, sales representation firm, or sales network. In addition, the Network may have its downloads and listeners reported separately.

The U.S. Sales Network Ranker lists the Top 20 Sales Networks in the U.S., as measured by Podcast Metrics. The entities listed are ranked by Average Weekly Downloads and Average Weekly Users in the reporting period who are located in the United States.

The U.S. Podcast Ranker lists the Top 100 Podcasts consumed by users who are located in the United States. The entities listed are ranked by Average Weekly Downloads and Average Weekly Users.

The U.S. Podcast Ranker is based on 4 or 5 week reporting periods (Monday to Sunday) that align closely with a calendar month. The reporting calendar, using Average Weekly Download and User metrics, improves trendability by minimizing the impact of the varying length of calendar months and other factors that can impact media consumption. Participating entities that opt-in for measurement are included. Downloads and Users are measured in accordance with the latest IAB Podcast Technical Measurement Guidelines.

METRIC AND DEFINITIONS

- * Downloads A 'download' is a unique file request that was downloaded. Downloads include complete file downloads, progressive downloads, as well as partial downloads in accordance with the IAB Podcast Measurement Technical Guidelines v2.1 filtering rules (i.e. spiders and bots, data centers, one-minute of content minimum download, etc.). This process filters multiple requests from the same IP address, user agent, episode and date.
- * Users A user is an individual who downloads content for either immediate or delayed consumption. Users are identified by a combination of IP address and user agent in accordance with the IAB filtering rules described in the IAB Podcast Measurement Technical Guidelines v2.1. Note that Users do not necessarily listen to all downloaded content. For this reason, we have chosen to use the term "User" instead of "Listener" in this context to avoid confusion.
- * Number of Active Podcasts A count of all podcast titles which had at least one qualified download during the reporting period
- * Number of New Episodes The number of new episodes released during the reporting period
- * Rank
- * "Debut" indicates that the show is new to the ranker, making its debut for the first time in the last 13 months.
- * "Return" indicates that the show has returned to the Top 100 after having not appeared in the previous reporting period(s).

