Social Media and Data Privacy Concerns

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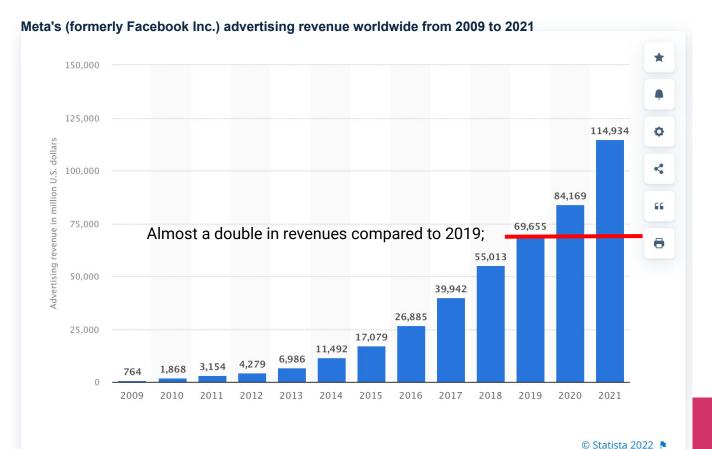
Take a guess!

How much did Meta(Facebook) earn on advertising service in 2021?

114.93 billion U.S. dollars

(114,930,000,000)

~90 billion GBP



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Additional Information

Questions

Should data from social media be free to use by anyone?

What are the implications of open data sourced from social media?

Do we forfeit our rights to our data when we post on social media?

Search funnel - A basic concept of how AI runs behind all social platforms (websites) applied to Digital Marketing

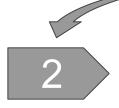


Who lead the actions? Users? Social platforms? Who own the digital footprint?

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Register any kinds of social media, online-shop, channels and platforms accounts

> Personal Information



Any actions of -clicking -scrolling - tapping



Return to the data mining or Al tools: SEO, Google Analytics, Facebook Ad, Twitter Firehouse



Analyse users previous actions, suggest relevant news feeds, advertisements, contents Accept or decline the suggestions

Patterns of Behaviour

Summary

- Both users and companies should be responsible for the use of vulnerable private data
 (eg. contents that may expose personal details; a new privacy update to Apple's iOS 14 operating system)
- Unless it is for emergency purpose (Covid-19), the personal data should not be free to access and use by anyone.
 Open data sourced from Social Media enhance users' behavioral study,
 - in the meanwhile it can be an unethical money printer (Facebook Pixel for cross website tracking; Cambridge Analytica; voice tracking from smart gadgets)
- While taking the convenience from social media, It is unavoidable that every service requires a charge, such as sharing daily moments on social networks, or looking for suggestions from search engines













Appendix

https://www.talkwalker.com/blog/social-media-data-sources

https://www.statista.com/statistics/271258/facebooks-advertising-revenue-worldwide/

https://www.nbcnews.com/tech/social-media/timeline-facebook-s-privacy-issues-its-responses-n859651