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eBay Volume Statistics

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Reedy explains that eBay has 670 million page views a day, 120 million searches, and 4 billion database calls. She talks about how eBay uses a special platform to handle this large volume.



Transcript

So we kind of already went through this so I'll just make the statement one more time for the engineers that are in the audience. The fact that we do 670 million page views a day, 120 million searches and four billion database calls, it requires a special platform that can handle those types of volumes and those are the average volumes. Actually, at peak time they can be double or triple. I mean it would take the number down to a minute but they can be double or triple those numbers. So our platform obviously has scale and has to be able to handle significant volumes. Also with the growth of 100% growth year over year, we have to always be planning for the growth that we need to be handling.