The history of the .com domain

The eldest .com domains

- Symbolics.com: 15.03.85
- BBN.COM: 24.04.85
- Think.com: 24.05.85
- MCC.com: 11.07.85
- DEC.com: 30.09.85

The ten largest top-level domains

- .com: 127.3m
- .cn: 19.5m
- .de: 16.1m
- .net: 15.6m
- .org: 10.8m
- .uk: 10.6m
- .xyz: 6.2m
- .nl: 5.7m
- .info: 5.5m
- .ru: 5.3m

The number of .com domains is continuing to grow, although at a slower pace

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The most expensive .com domains

- Insurance.com: $36.6m
- VacationRentals.com: $35.0m
- PrivateJet.com: $30.1m
- Internet.com: $18.0m
- Insure.com: $16.0m

Sources: Business Insider, DENIC, HosterStats.com, iwhais.com