

# ChatGPT: Past Perfect, Future Tense?

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*ChatGPT, a high-end generative artificial intelligence chatbot, was launched in 2022. From the operational viewpoint, ChatGPT had been leveraging GPT-3.5 as the primary model, while it used an additional model named InstructGPT. Being a universally popular chatbot, ChatGPT has been used in different industries, including e-commerce, healthcare, education, finance, marketing, etc. From the growth perspective, as of 2024, the US users ranked top position in terms of using ChatGPT (12.04%). India ranked second (8.07%), Japan third (5.13%), Indonesia fourth (4.46%), the Philippines fifth (3.66%), and the rest of other countries (66.64%). Despite registering sublime growth, ChatGPT has been facing stealth competition from its rivals, namely, Google Bard, Microsoft's GPT-3, Facebook's RoBERTa, China's ERNIE, DeepSeek, etc. But as of November 2023, ChatGPT managed to secure a 60% market share. Therefore, would ChatGPT be able to sustain its supremacy in the future, thereby conquering all odds?*

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