



# DIGITAL IN 2018 IN SOUTHEAST ASIA

ESSENTIAL INSIGHTS INTO INTERNET, SOCIAL MEDIA, MOBILE, AND ECOMMERCE USE ACROSS THE REGION

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# COUNTRIES INCLUDED IN EACH ASIA REPORT



## WESTERN ASIA PART 1: NORTH-WEST

ARMENIA  
AZERBAIJAN  
CYPRUS  
GEORGIA  
ISRAEL  
JORDAN  
LEBANON  
PALESTINE  
SYRIA  
TURKEY

## WESTERN ASIA PART 2: SOUTH-EAST

BAHRAIN  
IRAQ  
KUWAIT  
OMAN  
QATAR  
SAUDI ARABIA  
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES  
YEMEN

## CENTRAL ASIA

KAZAKHSTAN  
KYRGYZSTAN  
TAJIKISTAN  
TURKMENISTAN  
UZBEKISTAN

## SOUTHERN ASIA

AFGHANISTAN  
BANGLADESH  
BHUTAN  
INDIA  
IRAN  
MALDIVES  
NEPAL  
PAKISTAN  
SRI LANKA

## SOUTHEAST ASIA PART 1: NORTH-WEST

CHINA  
HONG KONG  
JAPAN  
KOREA, NORTH  
KOREA, SOUTH  
MACAU  
MONGOLIA  
TAIWAN

## SOUTHEAST ASIA PART 1: SOUTH-EAST

CAMBODIA  
LAOS  
MYANMAR  
THAILAND  
VIETNAM

## EASTERN ASIA

BRUNEI  
INDONESIA  
MALAYSIA  
PHILIPPINES  
SINGAPORE  
TIMOR-LESTE

# CLICK THE COUNTRY NAMES BELOW TO ACCESS OUR IN-DEPTH COUNTRY REPORTS

GLOBAL YEARBOOK	BRUNEI	DOMINICAN REP.	GUYANA	LIBERIA	NEPAL	ST KITTS & NEVIS	TAJIKISTAN
AFGHANISTAN	BULGARIA	ECUADOR	HAITI	LIBYA	NETHERLANDS	ST LUCIA	TANZANIA
ALBANIA	BURKINA FASO	EGYPT	HONDURAS	LIECHTENSTEIN	NEW CALEDONIA	ST MARTIN	THAILAND
ALGERIA	BURUNDI	EL SALVADOR	HONG KONG	LITHUANIA	NEW ZEALAND	ST PIERRE & MIQUELON	TIMOR-LESTE
AMERICAN SAMOA	CABO VERDE	EQUATORIAL GUINEA	HUNGARY	LUXEMBOURG	NICARAGUA	ST VINCENT, GRENADINES	TOGO
ANDORRA	CAMBODIA	ERITREA	ICELAND	MACAU	NIGER	SAMOA	TOKELAU
ANGOLA	CAMEROON	ESTONIA	INDIA	TFYR MACEDONIA	NIGERIA	SAN MARINO	TONGA
ANGUILLA	CANADA	ETHIOPIA	INDONESIA	MADAGASCAR	NIUE	SÃO TOMÉ & PRÍNCIPE	TRINIDAD & TOBAGO
ANTIGUA & BARBUDA	CAYMAN IS.	FAROE IS.	IRAN	MALAWI	NORFOLK IS.	SAUDI ARABIA	TUNISIA
ARGENTINA	CENTRAL AFRICAN REP.	FALKLAND IS.	IRAQ	MALAYSIA	NORTHERN MARIANA IS.	SENEGAL	TURKEY
ARMENIA	CHAD	FIJI	IRELAND	MALDIVES	NORWAY	SERBIA	TURKMENISTAN
ARUBA	CHILE	FINLAND	ISLE OF MAN	MALI	OMAN	SEYCHELLES	TURKS & CAICOS IS.
AUSTRALIA	CHINA	FRANCE	ISRAEL	MALTA	PAKISTAN	SIERRA LEONE	TUVALU
AUSTRIA	CHRISTMAS IS.	FRENCH GUIANA	ITALY	MARSHALL IS.	PALAU	SINGAPORE	UGANDA
AZERBAIJAN	COCOS IS.	FRENCH POLYNESIA	JAMAICA	MARTINIQUE	PALESTINE	ST MAARTEN	UKRAINE
BAHAMAS	COLOMBIA	GABON	JAPAN	MAURITANIA	PANAMA	SLOVAKIA	U.A.E.
BAHRAIN	COMOROS	GAMBIA	JERSEY	MAURITIUS	PAPUA NEW GUINEA	SLOVENIA	U.K.
BANGLADESH	CONGO, DEM. REP.	GEORGIA	JORDAN	MAYOTTE	PARAGUAY	SOLOMON IS.	U.S.A.
BARBADOS	CONGO, REP.	GERMANY	KAZAKHSTAN	MEXICO	PERU	SOMALIA	URUGUAY
BELARUS	COOK IS.	GHANA	KENYA	MICRONESIA	PHILIPPINES	SOUTH AFRICA	UZBEKISTAN
BELGIUM	COSTA RICA	GIBRALTAR	KIRIBATI	MOLDOVA	POLAND	SOUTH SUDAN	VANUATU
BELIZE	CÔTE D'IVOIRE	GREECE	KOREA, NORTH	MONACO	PORTUGAL	SPAIN	VENEZUELA
BENIN	CROATIA	GREENLAND	KOREA, SOUTH	MONGOLIA	PUERTO RICO	SRI LANKA	VIETNAM
BERMUDA	CUBA	GRENADE	KOSOVO	MONTENEGRO	QATAR	SUDAN	BRITISH VIRGIN IS.
BHUTAN	CURAÇAO	GUADELOUPE	KUWAIT	MONTSERRAT	RÉUNION	SURINAME	U.S. VIRGIN IS.
BOLIVIA	CYPRUS	GUAM	KYRGYZSTAN	MOROCCO	ROMANIA	SWAZILAND	WALLIS & FUTUNA
BONAIRE, ST EUSTATIUS, SABA	CZECH REP.	GUATEMALA	LAOS	MOZAMBIQUE	RUSSIA	SWEDEN	WESTERN SAHARA
BOSNIA & HERZEGOVINA	DENMARK	GUERNSEY	LATVIA	MYANMAR	RWANDA	SWITZERLAND	YEMEN
BOTSWANA	DJIBOUTI	GUINEA	LEBANON	NAMIBIA	ST BARTHÉLEMY	SYRIA	ZAMBIA
BRAZIL	DOMINICA	GUINEA-BISSAU	LESOTHO	NAURU	ST HELENA	TAIWAN	ZIMBABWE



# GLOBAL OVERVIEW

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# DIGITAL AROUND THE WORLD IN 2018

KEY STATISTICAL INDICATORS FOR THE WORLD'S INTERNET, MOBILE, AND SOCIAL MEDIA USERS

TOTAL  
POPULATION



**7.593**  
BILLION

URBANISATION:  
**55%**

INTERNET  
USERS



**4.021**  
BILLION

PENETRATION:  
**53%**

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**3.196**  
BILLION

PENETRATION:  
**42%**

UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS



**5.135**  
BILLION

PENETRATION:  
**68%**

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



**2.958**  
BILLION

PENETRATION:  
**39%**

**SOURCES:** POPULATION: UNITED NATIONS; U.S. CENSUS BUREAU; INTERNET: INTERNETWORLDSTATS; ITU; EUROSTAT; INTERNETLIVESTATS; CIA WORLD FACTBOOK; MIDEASTMEDIA.ORG; FACEBOOK; GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; REGULATORY AUTHORITIES; REPUTABLE MEDIA; **SOCIAL MEDIA AND MOBILE SOCIAL MEDIA:** FACEBOOK; TENCENT; VKONTAKTE; KAKAO; NAVER; DING; TECHRASA; SIMILARWEB; KEPIOS ANALYSIS; **MOBILE:** GSMA INTELLIGENCE; GOOGLE; ERICSSON; KEPIOS ANALYSIS. **NOTE:** PENETRATION FIGURES ARE FOR TOTAL POPULATION (ALL AGES).

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# ANNUAL GROWTH

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE IN KEY STATISTICAL INDICATORS

INTERNET  
USERS



+7%

SINCE JAN 2017

+248 MILLION

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



+13%

SINCE JAN 2017

+362 MILLION

UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS



+4%

SINCE JAN 2017

+218 MILLION

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



+14%

SINCE JAN 2017

+360 MILLION

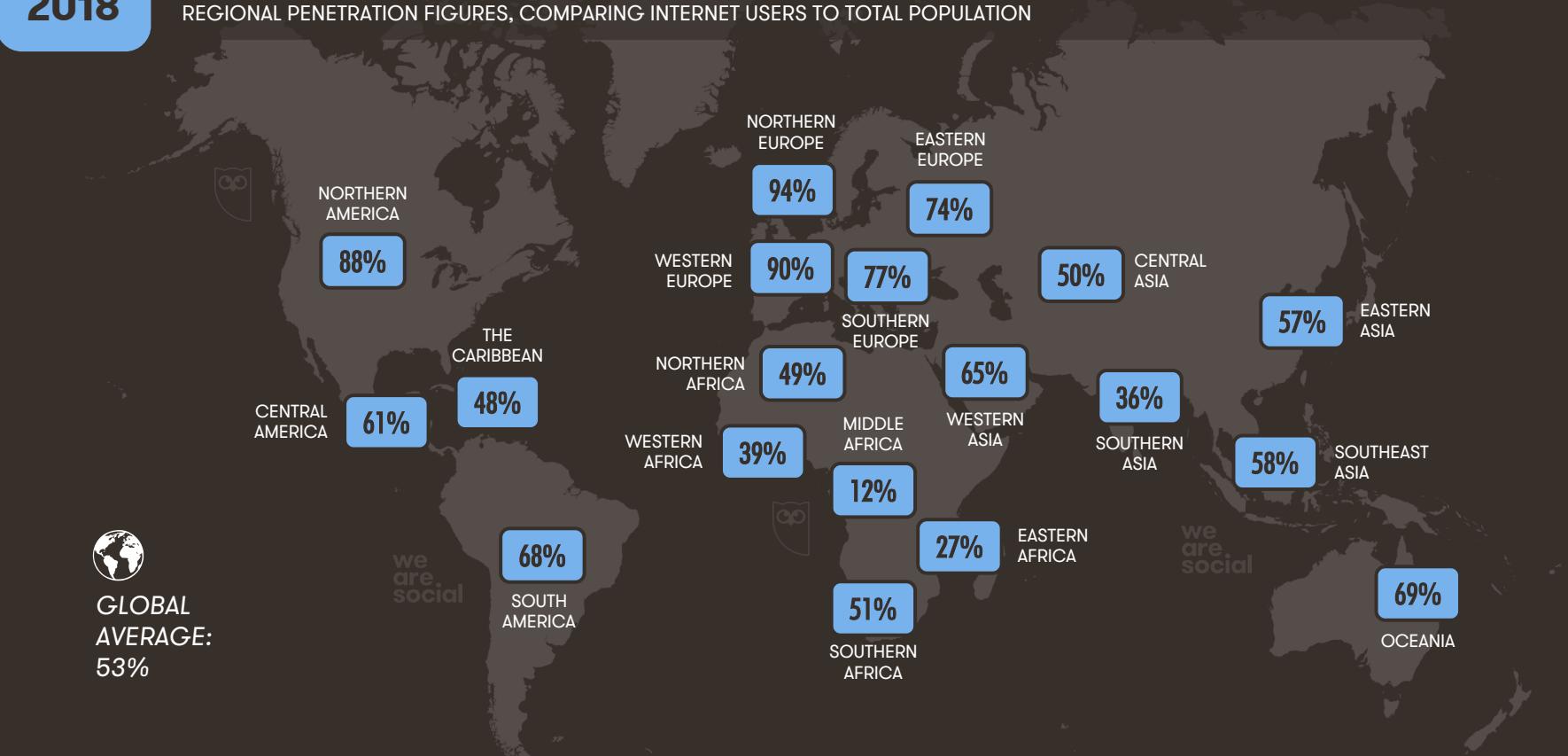


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# INTERNET PENETRATION BY REGION

REGIONAL PENETRATION FIGURES, COMPARING INTERNET USERS TO TOTAL POPULATION

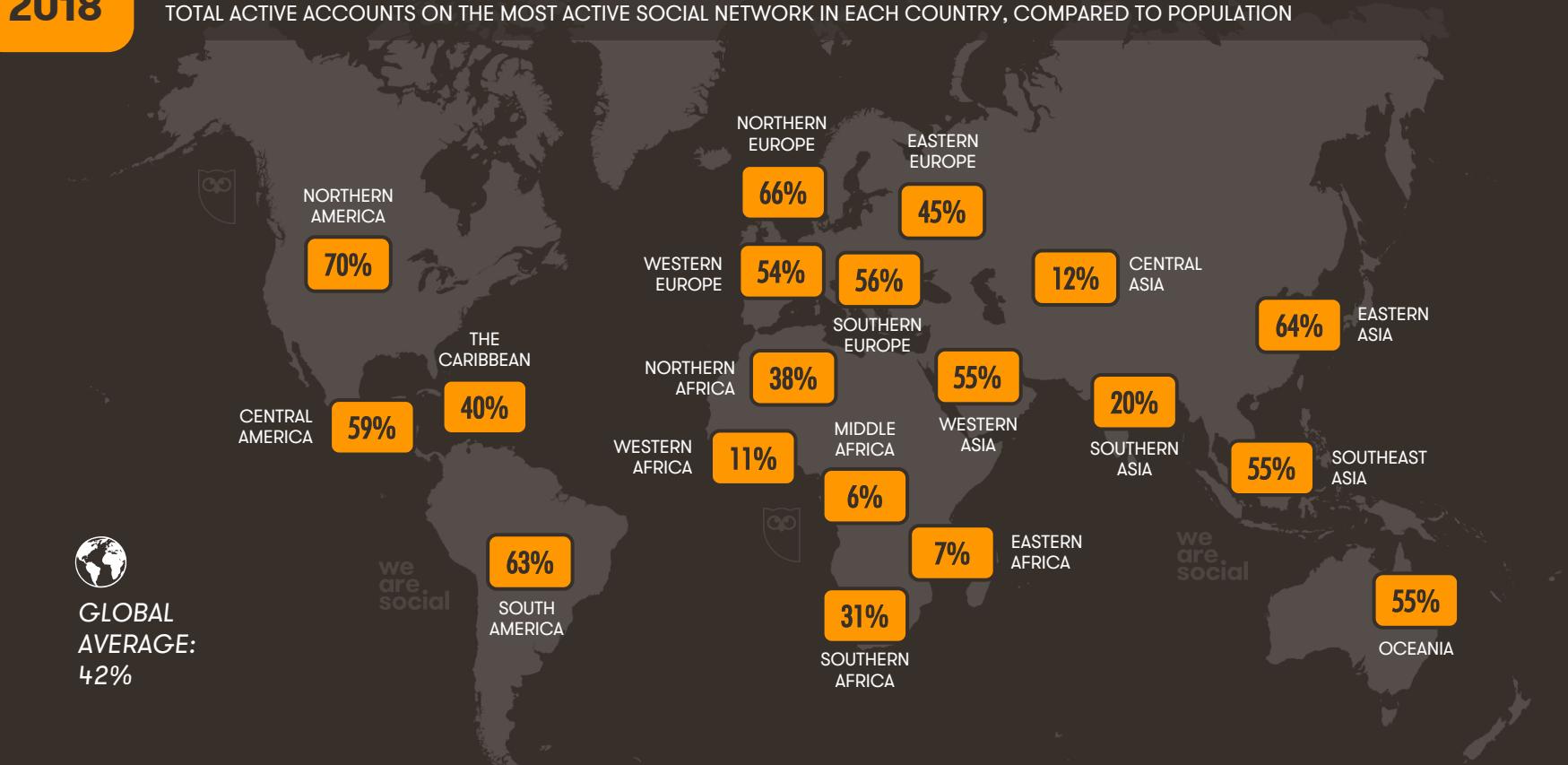


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# SOCIAL MEDIA PENETRATION BY REGION

TOTAL ACTIVE ACCOUNTS ON THE MOST ACTIVE SOCIAL NETWORK IN EACH COUNTRY, COMPARED TO POPULATION

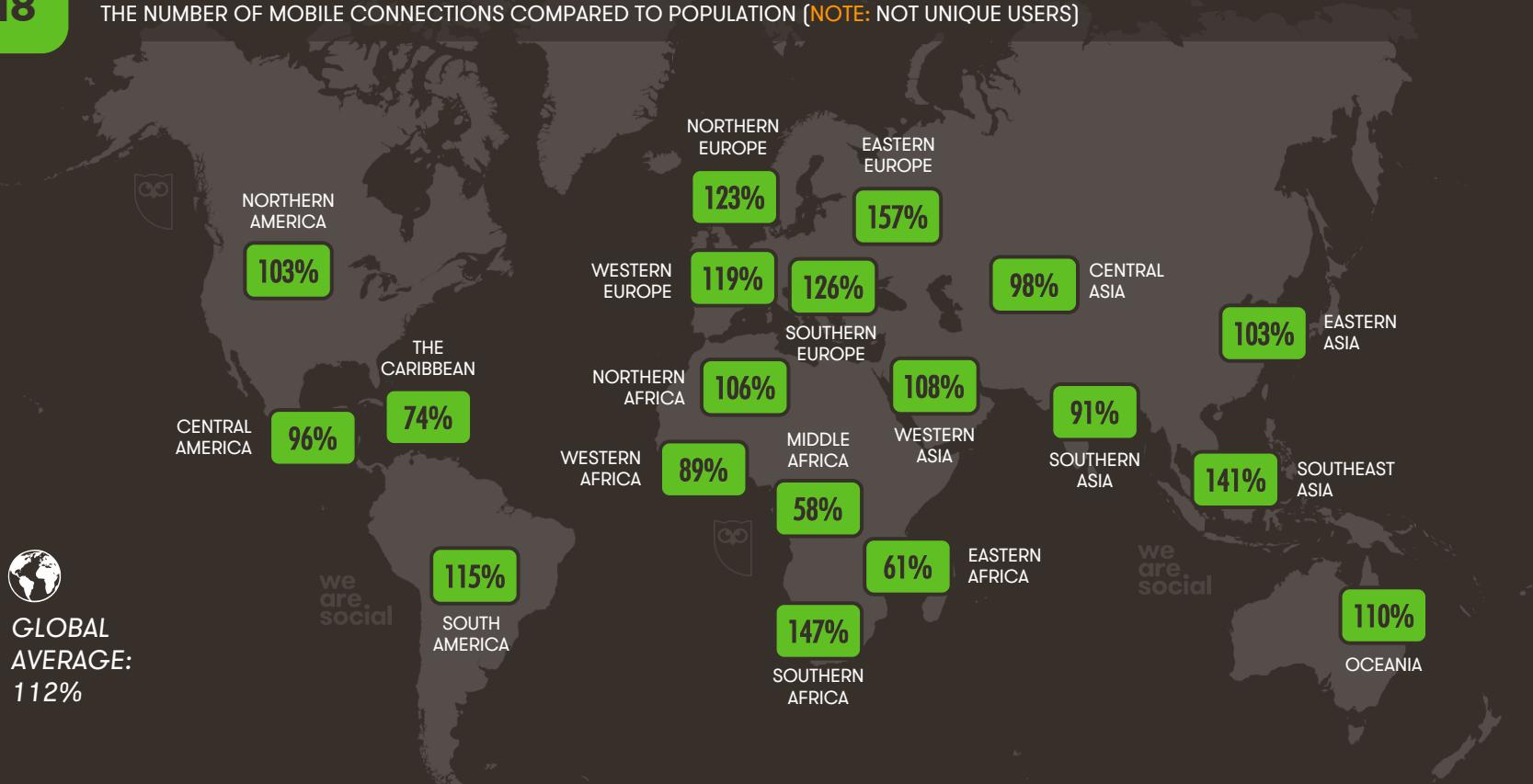


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**NOTE:** PENETRATION FIGURES ARE FOR TOTAL POPULATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

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# MOBILE CONNECTIVITY BY REGION

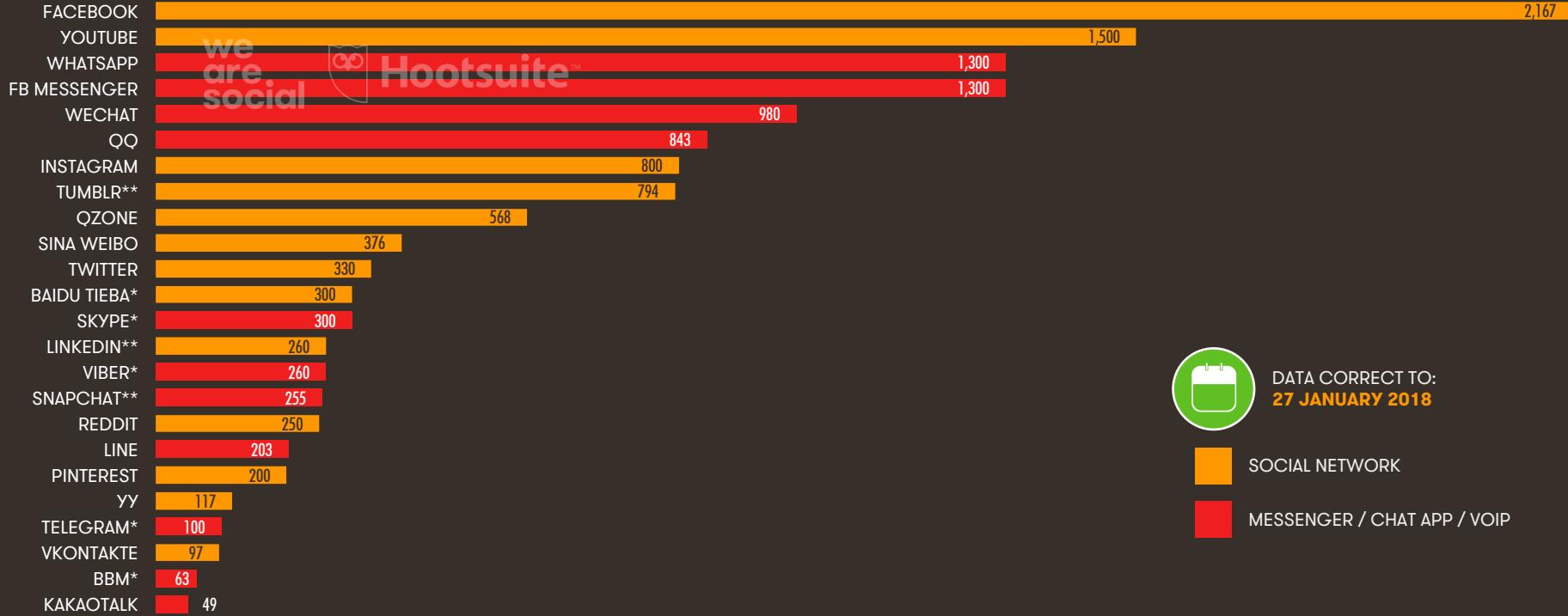
THE NUMBER OF MOBILE CONNECTIONS COMPARED TO POPULATION (NOTE: NOT UNIQUE USERS)



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# ACTIVE USERS OF KEY GLOBAL SOCIAL PLATFORMS

BASED ON THE MOST RECENTLY PUBLISHED MONTHLY ACTIVE USER ACCOUNTS FOR EACH PLATFORM, IN MILLIONS



DATA CORRECT TO:  
**27 JANUARY 2018**



SOCIAL NETWORK

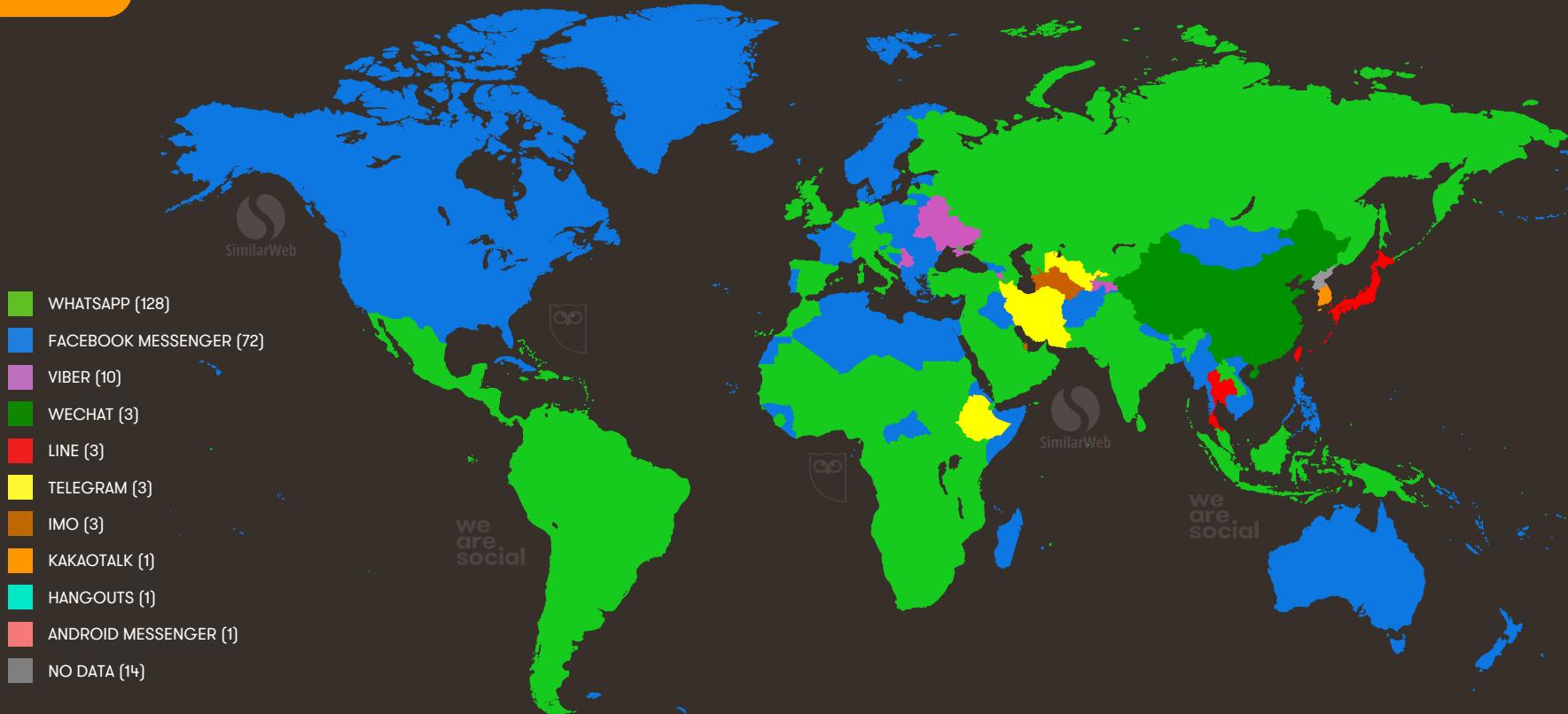


MESSENGER / CHAT APP / VOIP

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# TOP MESSENGER APPS BY COUNTRY

BASED ON THE GOOGLE PLAY STORE RANK FOR EACH COUNTRY IN DECEMBER 2017



SOURCE: SIMILARWEB, JANUARY 2018, BASED ON THE GOOGLE PLAY APP STORE RANK FOR DECEMBER 2017. FIGURES IN PARENTHESES IN THE LEGEND REPRESENT THE NUMBER OF COUNTRIES / TERRITORIES IN WHICH EACH PLATFORM IS THE TOP-RANKED MESSENGER APP.

# WE ARE SOCIAL'S ANALYSIS: DIGITAL IN 2018

With more than 4 billion people using the internet for an average of 6 hours each per day, digital has become an essential part of everyday life for most of us. We're using that connectivity in almost every aspect of our lives, whether it's chatting with friends, playing games, researching products, tracking our health, or even finding love. As a result, brands need to evolve beyond today's siloed approach to digital, and build seamless digital integration into everything they do – just as our audiences already have. Here are some tips to help with that:



Start with what people really need and want, and not just what the technology can do



Focus on creating mutual value at every opportunity, instead of simply 'selling more stuff'



Make it easy for people to buy online as soon as they're ready, wherever they are



Harness digital tools to keep the conversation going, even after you make a successful sale

To learn more about what these Digital, Social and Mobile trends mean for your brand, [click here to download our Think Forward report](#).

# HOOTSUITE'S PERSPECTIVE: 2018 SOCIAL TRENDS



**The evolution of social ROI.** It's the end of the road for vanity metrics. Expect to see more organisations evolve their metrics as they look to quantify social's contribution to tangible business challenges such as lowering costs, increasing revenue, mitigating risk, and attracting talent.



**Mobile fuels the growth of social TV.** In 2018, social networks will encourage brands to become broadcasters as mobile video and social-TV content take the spotlight. We advise caution here as the metrics that bump the stock price of social networks—such as mobile video views—might not help your organisation achieve your own business outcomes.



**Trust declines, while peer influence rises.** From Trump's tumultuous triumph over traditional media to the fake news phenomenon, we saw a shift in media culture in 2017. It's clear we're moving away from trusting traditional institutions—and moving towards smaller spheres of influence where customer communities and engaged employees matter more than ever.



**Humans, meet AI.** The machines have risen. And marketers have discovered they can be delightfully useful. But while marketers rush ahead with chatbots and AI-generated content, it's still unclear whether customers will value these human-less engagements.



**The promise (and reality) of social data.** From tying together analytics systems to CRM integrations, marketers underestimated the complexity of social data initiatives. Organisations must recalculate the effort and resources needed to turn social data into a true—and unified—source of customer insights.

[\*\*Click here to download our 2018 Social Media Trends Toolkit\*\*](#) to align your strategy with the year's key social network and digital trends.

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# DIGITAL IN 2018

ESSENTIAL INSIGHTS INTO INTERNET, SOCIAL MEDIA, MOBILE, AND ECOMMERCE USE AROUND THE WORLD





# IN-DEPTH COUNTRY PROFILES



# BRUNEI DARUSSALAM

# DIGITAL IN BRUNEI DARUSSALAM

A SNAPSHOT OF THE COUNTRY'S KEY DIGITAL STATISTICAL INDICATORS



TOTAL  
POPULATION



**431.4**  
THOUSAND

URBANISATION:

**78%**

INTERNET  
USERS



**410.0**  
THOUSAND

PENETRATION:

**95%**

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**410.0**  
THOUSAND

PENETRATION:

**95%**

MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**534.4**  
THOUSAND

vs. POPULATION:

**124%**

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



**350.0**  
THOUSAND

PENETRATION:

**81%**

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# ANNUAL DIGITAL GROWTH

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE IN KEY STATISTICAL INDICATORS



INTERNET  
USERS



+11%

SINCE JAN 2017

+40 THOUSAND

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



+11%

SINCE JAN 2017

+40 THOUSAND

MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



+4%

SINCE JAN 2017

+19 THOUSAND

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



+6%

SINCE JAN 2017

+20 THOUSAND

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# POPULATION & ECONOMIC INDICATORS

ESSENTIAL DEMOGRAPHICS AND KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS



TOTAL POPULATION



**431.4**  
THOUSAND

FEMALE POPULATION



**48.5%**

MALE POPULATION



**51.5%**

ANNUAL CHANGE IN POPULATION SIZE



**+1.3%**

MEDIAN AGE



**30.5**  
YEARS OLD

POPULATION LIVING IN URBAN AREAS



**78%**

GDP PER CAPITA



**\$77,571**

LITERACY (TOTAL)



**96%**

FEMALE LITERACY



**95%**

MALE LITERACY



**98%**

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# INTERNET USE

BASED ON REPORTED INTERNET USER DATA, AND ACTIVE USE OF INTERNET-POWERED MOBILE SERVICES



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE  
INTERNET USERS



**410.0**  
THOUSAND

INTERNET USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF THE  
TOTAL POPULATION



**95%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE MOBILE  
INTERNET USERS



**350.0**  
THOUSAND

MOBILE INTERNET USERS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
THE TOTAL POPULATION



**81%**

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# INTERNET USERS: DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES

REPORTS OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF INTERNET USERS FROM DIFFERENT DATA PROVIDERS



INTERNET  
WORLD STATS



**325.8**  
THOUSAND

ITU (INTERNATIONAL  
TELECOMMUNICATION UNION)



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**323.5**  
THOUSAND

INTERNET  
LIVE STATS



**310.2**  
THOUSAND

CIA WORLD  
FACTBOOK



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**307.1**  
THOUSAND

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# SHARE OF WEB TRAFFIC BY DEVICE

BASED ON EACH DEVICE'S SHARE OF ALL WEB PAGES SERVED TO WEB BROWSERS



LAPTOPS &  
DESKTOPS



**33%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+24%**

**60%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**-8%**

TABLET  
DEVICES



**6%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**-14%**

OTHER  
DEVICES



**0.07%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**[N/A]**

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# ALEXA'S RANKING OF TOP WEBSITES

RANKINGS BASED ON THE NUMBER OF VISITORS TO EACH SITE, AND THE NUMBER OF PAGES VIEWED ON EACH SITE PER VISIT



#	WEBSITE	TIME	PAGES	#	WEBSITE	TIME	PAGES
01	GOOGLE.COM.BN	6M 44S	8.70	11	9CLUB.COM	1M 10S	1.11
02	YOUTUBE.COM	8M 18S	4.79	12	BLOGSPOT.COM	2M 38S	2.12
03	GOOGLE.COM	7M 32S	8.56	13	POPADS.NET	0M 46S	1.89
04	FACEBOOK.COM	10M 21S	4.00	14	KISSASIAN.CH	7M 21S	6.75
05	YAHOO.COM	4M 02S	3.61	15	OPENLOAD.CO	1M 35S	2.85
06	WIKIPEDIA.ORG	4M 16S	3.31	16	REDDIT.COM	15M 46S	10.05
07	LIVE.COM	4M 03S	3.41	17	WIKIA.COM	we are social	5M 49S
08	UBD.EDU.BN	6M 48S	4.50	18	DIGITALDSP.COM	0M 36S	1.52
09	DELOTON.COM	1M 02S	1.52	19	EBAY.COM	9M 41S	7.22
10	INSTAGRAM.COM	5M 23S	3.34	20	KSHOWONLINE.COM	3M 17S	3.31

SOURCE: ALEXA, JANUARY 2018. NOTES: 'TIME' REPRESENTS TIME SPENT ON SITE PER DAY. 'PAGES' REPRESENTS NUMBER OF PAGE VIEWS PER DAY. ALEXA USES A COMBINATION OF AVERAGE DAILY VISITORS AND PAGE VIEWS OVER A ONE-MONTH PERIOD TO CALCULATE ITS RANKING. RANKINGS ON THIS SLIDE ARE BASED ON THE MONTH TO 16 JANUARY 2018. ADVISORY: SOME WEBSITES REFERENCED ON THIS SLIDE MAY CONTAIN ADULT CONTENT, OR CONTENT THAT IS UNSUITABLE FOR THE WORKPLACE. PLEASE USE CAUTION WHEN VISITING UNKNOWN WEBSITES.

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# TOP GOOGLE SEARCH QUERIES IN 2017

RANKING OF THE TOP SEARCH TERMS ENTERED INTO GOOGLE'S SEARCH ENGINE THROUGHOUT 2017



#	QUERY	INDEX	#	QUERY	INDEX
01	BRUNEI	100	11	GOOGLE TRANSLATE	9
02	FACEBOOK	24	12	GMAIL	7
03	YOUTUBE	23	13	WHATSAPP	6
04	4D	23	14	FACEBOOK LOGIN	6
05	GOOGLE	22	15	ROYAL BRUNEI	6
06	MAGNUM	19	16	BIBD	5
07	YOU	18	17	ENGLISH TO MALAY	5
08	MAGNUM 4D	17	18	TIMES CINEPLEX	4
09	TRANSLATE	16	19	MAGNUM4D	4
10	INSTAGRAM	9	20	LIVERPOOL	4

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# SOCIAL MEDIA USE

BASED ON THE MONTHLY ACTIVE USERS REPORTED BY THE MOST ACTIVE SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORM IN EACH COUNTRY



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**410.0**  
THOUSAND

ACTIVE SOCIAL USERS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
THE TOTAL POPULATION



**95%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF SOCIAL USERS  
ACCESSING VIA MOBILE



**350.0**  
THOUSAND

ACTIVE MOBILE SOCIAL  
USERS AS A PERCENTAGE  
OF THE TOTAL POPULATION



**81%**

# FACEBOOK USAGE ANALYSIS

A CLOSER LOOK AT FACEBOOK USE, BROKEN DOWN BY MOBILE USE AND SELF-DECLARED GENDER OF USERS



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
MONTHLY ACTIVE  
FACEBOOK USERS



**410.0**  
THOUSAND

ANNUAL CHANGE IN  
FACEBOOK USERS  
vs. JANUARY 2017



**+11%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK USERS  
ACCESSING VIA MOBILE



**85%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK PROFILES  
DECLARED AS FEMALE



**44%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK PROFILES  
DECLARED AS MALE



**56%**

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# AVERAGE FACEBOOK PAGE POST REACH

AVERAGE MONTHLY GROWTH IN PAGE LIKES ('FANS'), AVERAGE REACH OF PAGE POSTS vs. PAGE LIKES, AND PAID MEDIA



AVERAGE MONTHLY  
CHANGE IN PAGE LIKES



+0.05%

AVERAGE POST REACH  
vs. PAGE LIKES



12.8%

AVERAGE ORGANIC  
REACH vs. PAGE LIKES



22.9%

PERCENTAGE OF PAGES  
USING PAID MEDIA



11.0%

AVERAGE PAID REACH  
vs. TOTAL REACH



29.9%

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# AVERAGE FACEBOOK ENGAGEMENT RATES

THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO ENGAGE WITH A FACEBOOK PAGE'S POSTS vs. THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE THAT THOSE POSTS REACH



AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE POSTS (ALL TYPES)



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**9.83%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE VIDEO POSTS



locowise

**9.94%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE PHOTO POSTS



locowise

**8.56%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE LINK POSTS



locowise

**6.25%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE STATUS POSTS



**7.14%**

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# INSTAGRAM USAGE ANALYSIS

AN OVERVIEW OF MONTHLY ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS, BROKEN DOWN BY GENDER



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
MONTHLY ACTIVE  
INSTAGRAM USERS



**210.0**  
THOUSAND

ACTIVE INSTAGRAM  
USERS AS A PERCENTAGE  
OF TOTAL POPULATION



**49%**

FEMALE USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF ALL  
ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS



**53%**

MALE USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF ALL  
ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS



**47%**

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# MOBILE CONNECTIONS BY TYPE

BASED ON THE NUMBER OF CELLULAR CONNECTIONS (NOTE: NOT UNIQUE INDIVIDUALS)



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**534.4**  
THOUSAND

MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
TOTAL POPULATION



**124%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
THAT ARE PRE-PAID



**83%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
THAT ARE POST-PAID



**17%**

PERCENTAGE OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS THAT ARE  
BROADBAND (3G & 4G)



**63%**

# MOBILE CONNECTIVITY INDEX

GSMA INTELLIGENCE'S ASSESSMENT OF THE COUNTRY'S KEY ENABLERS AND DRIVERS OF MOBILE CONNECTIVITY



OVERALL COUNTRY  
INDEX SCORE



**66.35**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

MOBILE NETWORK  
INFRASTRUCTURE



**49.29**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

AFFORDABILITY OF  
DEVICES & SERVICES



**75.11**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

CONSUMER  
READINESS



**74.30**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

AVAILABILITY OF RELEVANT  
CONTENT & SERVICES



**70.47**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100



# INDONESIA

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# DIGITAL IN INDONESIA

A SNAPSHOT OF THE COUNTRY'S KEY DIGITAL STATISTICAL INDICATORS



TOTAL  
POPULATION



**265.4**  
MILLION

URBANISATION:

**56%**

INTERNET  
USERS



**132.7**  
MILLION

PENETRATION:

**50%**

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**130.0**  
MILLION

PENETRATION:

**49%**

UNIQUE  
MOBILE  
USERS



**177.9**  
MILLION

PENETRATION:

**67%**

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



**120.0**  
MILLION

PENETRATION:

**45%**

**SOURCES:** POPULATION: UNITED NATIONS; U.S. CENSUS BUREAU; INTERNET: INTERNETWORLDSTATS; ITU; EUROSTAT; INTERNETLIVESTATS; CIA WORLD FACTBOOK; MIDEASTMEDIA.ORG; FACEBOOK; GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; REGULATORY AUTHORITIES; REPUTABLE MEDIA; **SOCIAL MEDIA AND MOBILE SOCIAL MEDIA:** FACEBOOK; TENCENT; VKONTAKTE; KAKAO; NAVER; DING; TECHRASA; SIMILARWEB; KEPIOS ANALYSIS; **MOBILE:** GSMA INTELLIGENCE; GOOGLE; ERICSSON; KEPIOS ANALYSIS. **NOTE:** PENETRATION FIGURES ARE FOR TOTAL POPULATION (ALL AGES).

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# ANNUAL DIGITAL GROWTH

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE IN KEY STATISTICAL INDICATORS



INTERNET  
USERS



**0%**

SINCE JAN 2017

**(UNCHANGED)**

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**+23%**

SINCE JAN 2017

**+24 MILLION**

UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS



**+1%**

SINCE JAN 2017

**+2 MILLION**

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



**+30%**

SINCE JAN 2017

**+28 MILLION**

**SOURCES:** POPULATION: UNITED NATIONS; U.S. CENSUS BUREAU; INTERNET: INTERNETWORLDSTATS; ITU; EUROSTAT; INTERNETLIVESTATS; CIA WORLD FACTBOOK; MIDEASTMEDIA.ORG; FACEBOOK; GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; REGULATORY AUTHORITIES; REPUTABLE MEDIA; **SOCIAL MEDIA AND MOBILE SOCIAL MEDIA:** FACEBOOK; TENCENT; VKONTAKTE; KAKAO; NAVER; DING; TECHRASA; SIMILARWEB; KEPIOS ANALYSIS; **MOBILE:** GSMA INTELLIGENCE; GOOGLE; ERICSSON; KEPIOS ANALYSIS. **GROWTH DATA:** WE ARE SOCIAL & HOOTSUITE'S DIGITAL IN 2017 REPORT.

# POPULATION & ECONOMIC INDICATORS

ESSENTIAL DEMOGRAPHICS AND KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS



TOTAL POPULATION

**265.4**  
MILLION

FEMALE POPULATION

**49.7%**

MALE POPULATION

**50.3%**

ANNUAL CHANGE IN POPULATION SIZE

**+1.1%**

MEDIAN AGE

**30.5**  
YEARS OLD

POPULATION LIVING IN URBAN AREAS

**56%**

GDP PER CAPITA

**\$11,632**

LITERACY (TOTAL)

**94%**

FEMALE LITERACY

**92%**

MALE LITERACY

**96%**

# DEVICE USAGE

PERCENTAGE OF THE ADULT POPULATION\* THAT CURRENTLY USES EACH KIND OF DEVICE [SURVEY-BASED]



MOBILE PHONE  
(ANY TYPE)



91%

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are.  
social

SMART  
PHONE



60%

LAPTOP OR  
DESKTOP COMPUTER



22%

TABLET  
COMPUTER



8%

TELEVISION  
(ANY KIND)



95%

DEVICE FOR STREAMING  
INTERNET CONTENT TO TV



2%

E-READER  
DEVICE



1%

WEARABLE  
TECH DEVICE



1%

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# TIME SPENT WITH MEDIA

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT RESPONDENTS' SELF-REPORTED ACTIVITY



AVERAGE DAILY TIME  
SPENT USING THE  
INTERNET VIA ANY DEVICE



**8H 51M**

AVERAGE DAILY TIME  
SPENT USING SOCIAL  
MEDIA VIA ANY DEVICE



**3H 23M**

AVERAGE DAILY TV VIEWING TIME  
(BROADCAST, STREAMING  
AND VIDEO ON DEMAND)



**2H 45M**

AVERAGE DAILY TIME  
SPENT LISTENING TO  
STREAMING MUSIC



**1H 19M**

we  
are.  
social

global  
web  
index

# ATTITUDES TOWARDS DIGITAL

HOW INTERNET USERS\* PERCEIVE THE ROLE OF TECHNOLOGY, AND THEIR PERSPECTIVE ON PRIVACY ISSUES



BELIEVE THAT NEW  
TECHNOLOGIES OFFER MORE  
OPPORTUNITIES THAN RISKS



71%

Google

PREFER TO COMPLETE  
TASKS DIGITALLY  
WHENEVER POSSIBLE



68%

BELIEVE DATA PRIVACY  
AND PROTECTION ARE  
VERY IMPORTANT



we  
are  
social

79%

DELETE COOKIES FROM  
INTERNET BROWSER  
TO PROTECT PRIVACY



57%

global  
web  
index

USE AN AD-BLOCKING  
TOOL TO STOP ADVERTS  
BEING DISPLAYED



50%

**SOURCES:** GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018; GLOBALWEBINDEX, Q2 & Q3, 2017. **NOTES:** GOOGLE FIGURES BASED ON A SURVEY OF ADULT INTERNET USERS. SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON METHODOLOGY AND AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. GLOBALWEBINDEX FIGURES BASED ON A SURVEY OF INTERNET USERS AGED 16-64. \***NOTE:** THESE FIGURES ONLY REPRESENT THE ATTITUDES AND ACTIVITIES OF INTERNET USERS.

# INTERNET USE

BASED ON REPORTED INTERNET USER DATA, AND USER-CLAIMED MOBILE INTERNET USE



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE  
INTERNET USERS



we  
are.  
social

**132.7**  
MILLION

INTERNET USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF THE  
TOTAL POPULATION



**50%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE MOBILE  
INTERNET USERS



global  
web  
index

**124.8**  
MILLION

MOBILE INTERNET USERS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
THE TOTAL POPULATION



**47%**

# INTERNET USERS: DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES

REPORTS OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF INTERNET USERS FROM DIFFERENT DATA PROVIDERS



INTERNET  
WORLD STATS



**132.7**  
MILLION

ITU (INTERNATIONAL  
TELECOMMUNICATION UNION)



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**67.3**  
MILLION

INTERNET  
LIVE STATS



we  
are.  
social

**53.2**  
MILLION

CIA WORLD  
FACTBOOK



**67.4**  
MILLION

# FREQUENCY OF INTERNET USE

HOW OFTEN INTERNET USERS ACCESS THE INTERNET FOR PERSONAL REASONS (ANY DEVICE)



EVERY  
DAY



79%

AT LEAST ONCE  
PER WEEK



14%

AT LEAST ONCE  
PER MONTH



6%

LESS THAN ONCE  
PER MONTH



1%

we  
are.  
social

Google



# INTERNET CONNECTIONS: SPEED & DEVICES

AVERAGE INTERNET CONNECTION SPEEDS, AND THE DEVICE THAT PEOPLE USE MOST OFTEN TO ACCESS THE INTERNET



AVERAGE INTERNET  
SPEED VIA FIXED  
CONNECTIONS



**13.79**  
MBPS

AVERAGE INTERNET  
SPEED VIA MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**9.82**  
MBPS

ACCESS THE INTERNET  
MOST OFTEN VIA A  
COMPUTER OR TABLET



we  
are  
social

**3%**

ACCESS EQUIALLY VIA  
A SMARTPHONE AND  
COMPUTER OR TABLET



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**6%**

ACCESS THE INTERNET  
MOST OFTEN VIA A  
SMARTPHONE



**81%**

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# SHARE OF WEB TRAFFIC BY DEVICE

BASED ON EACH DEVICE'S SHARE OF ALL WEB PAGES SERVED TO WEB BROWSERS



LAPTOPS &  
DESKTOPS



MOBILE  
PHONES



TABLET  
DEVICES



OTHER  
DEVICES



**26%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**-8%**

**72%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+5%**

**2%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**-34%**

**[N/A]**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**[N/A]**



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# SIMILARWEB'S RANKING OF TOP WEBSITES

RANKINGS BASED ON AVERAGE MONTHLY TRAFFIC TO EACH WEBSITE IN Q4 2017



#	WEBSITE	CATEGORY	MONTHLY TRAFFIC	TIME PER VISIT	PAGES PER VISIT
01	GOOGLE.CO.ID	SEARCH	2,915,900,000	9M 02S	7.5
02	GOOGLE.COM	SEARCH	1,180,700,000	5M 32S	4.9
03	FACEBOOK.COM	SOCIAL	1,174,100,000	12M 27S	14.2
04	BLOGSPOT.CO.ID	BLOGS	692,300,000	4M 32S	2.2
05	GOOGLEWEBLIGHT.COM	SEARCH	577,600,000	7M 49S	4.8
06	YOUTUBE.COM	TV & VIDEO	558,900,000	23M 02S	11.3
07	LINE.ME	SOCIAL	220,300,000	1M 52S	2.1
08	DETIK.COM	NEWS & MEDIA	201,200,000	6M 45S	4.4
09	WORDPRESS.COM	BLOGS	166,300,000	2M 51S	1.8
10	YAHOO.COM	NEWS & MEDIA	142,900,000	5M 46S	5.0

**SOURCE:** SIMILARWEB, JANUARY 2018, BASED ON AVERAGE MONTHLY DATA FOR Q4 2017. **NOTES:** MONTHLY TRAFFIC REPRESENTS TOTAL VISITS TO EACH SITE, NOT UNIQUE VISITORS. DATA FOR SOME COUNTRIES REPRESENTS DESKTOP TRAFFIC, WHILST OTHERS REPRESENTS TRAFFIC FROM BOTH DESKTOP AND MOBILE DEVICES. **ADVISORY:** SOME WEBSITES REFERENCED ON THIS SLIDE MAY CONTAIN ADULT CONTENT, OR CONTENT THAT IS UNSUITABLE FOR THE WORKPLACE. PLEASE USE CAUTION WHEN VISITING UNKNOWN WEBSITES.

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# ALEXA'S RANKING OF TOP WEBSITES

RANKINGS BASED ON THE NUMBER OF VISITORS TO EACH SITE, AND THE NUMBER OF PAGES VIEWED ON EACH SITE PER VISIT



#	WEBSITE	TIME	PAGES	#	WEBSITE	TIME	PAGES
01	GOOGLE.CO.ID	6M 28S	8.44	11	KOMPAS.COM	7M 05S	3.27
02	GOOGLE.COM	7M 32S	8.56	12	KASKUS.CO.ID	7M 02S	3.77
03	YOUTUBE.COM	8M 18S	4.79	13	KAPANLAGI.COM	5M 32S	4.14
04	DETIK.COM	10M 27S	6.79	14	BRILIO.NET	4M 05S	1.90
05	TRIBUNNEWS.COM	6M 05S	3.57	15	LAZADA.CO.ID	4M 24S	3.26
06	TOKOPEDIA.COM	13M 08S	7.41	16	MERDEKA.COM	5M 38S	2.51
07	FACEBOOK.COM	10M 21S	4.00	17	SINDONEWS.COM	4M 04S	2.59
08	BUKALAPAK.COM	8M 34S	5.13	18	UZONE.ID	1M 40S	2.49
09	YAHOO.COM	4M 02S	3.61	19	IDNTIMES.COM	2M 52S	1.76
10	LIPUTAN6.COM	4M 57S	2.19	20	KUMPARAN.COM	2M 42S	1.38

**SOURCE:** ALEXA, JANUARY 2018. **NOTES:** 'TIME' REPRESENTS TIME SPENT ON SITE PER DAY. 'PAGES' REPRESENTS NUMBER OF PAGE VIEWS PER DAY. ALEXA USES A COMBINATION OF AVERAGE DAILY VISITORS AND PAGE VIEWS OVER A ONE-MONTH PERIOD TO CALCULATE ITS RANKING. RANKINGS ON THIS SLIDE ARE BASED ON THE MONTH TO 16 JANUARY 2018. **ADVISORY:** SOME WEBSITES REFERENCED ON THIS SLIDE MAY CONTAIN ADULT CONTENT, OR CONTENT THAT IS UNSUITABLE FOR THE WORKPLACE. PLEASE USE CAUTION WHEN VISITING UNKNOWN WEBSITES.

# WEEKLY ONLINE ACTIVITIES BY DEVICE

PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL POPULATION\* ENGAGING IN EACH ACTIVITY AT LEAST ONCE PER WEEK [SURVEY-BASED]



USE A SEARCH ENGINE



we  
are  
social

VISIT A SOCIAL NETWORK



Google

PLAY GAMES



WATCH VIDEOS



Google

LOOK FOR PRODUCT INFORMATION



SMARTPHONE:  
**19%**

COMPUTER:  
**4%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**37%**

COMPUTER:  
**6%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**7%**

COMPUTER:  
**2%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**18%**

COMPUTER:  
**3%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**8%**

COMPUTER:  
**1%**

SOURCE: GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018. FIGURES BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY. \*NOTES: DATA BASED ON SURVEY RESPONSES FROM ADULT INTERNET USERS ONLY; PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON GOOGLE'S METHODOLOGY AND THEIR AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

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# TOP GOOGLE SEARCH QUERIES IN 2017

RANKING OF THE TOP SEARCH TERMS ENTERED INTO GOOGLE'S SEARCH ENGINE THROUGHOUT 2017



#	QUERY	INDEX	#	QUERY	INDEX
01	DOWNLOAD	100	11	YOUTUBE	29
02	LAGU	96	12	FILM	27
03	FB	59	13	YT	23
04	VIDEO	52	14	TOGEL	15
05	DOWNLOAD LAGU	40	15	GOOGLE TRANSLATE	14
06	FACEBOOK	39	16	YOU	13
07	GOOGLE	35	17	CUACA	10
08	GAMBAR	33	18	GAME	10
09	MP3	31	19	BERITA	10
10	TRANSLATE	29	20	GMAIL	10

# FREQUENCY OF WATCHING ONLINE VIDEO



HOW OFTEN INTERNET USERS WATCH ONLINE VIDEOS (ANY DEVICE)

WATCH ONLINE  
VIDEOS EVERY DAY



21%

WATCH ONLINE  
VIDEOS EVERY WEEK



24%

WATCH ONLINE  
VIDEOS EVERY MONTH



21%

WATCH ONLINE VIDEOS  
LESS THAN ONCE A MONTH



13%

NEVER WATCH  
ONLINE VIDEOS



20%

# HOW INTERNET USERS WATCH TELEVISION

COMPARISON OF THE METHODS AND DEVICES USED FOR ACCESSING AND DISPLAYING 'TELEVISION' CONTENT



REGULAR  
TELEVISION  
ON A TV SET



RECORDED  
CONTENT  
ON A TV SET



CATCH-UP /  
ON-DEMAND  
SERVICE ON TV SET



ONLINE CONTENT  
STREAMED ON  
A TV SET



ONLINE CONTENT  
STREAMED ON  
ANOTHER DEVICE



98%

6%

5%

7%

7%

we  
are,  
social

Google



Google

# SOCIAL MEDIA USE

BASED ON THE MONTHLY ACTIVE USERS REPORTED BY THE MOST ACTIVE SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORM IN EACH COUNTRY



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**130.0**  
MILLION

ACTIVE SOCIAL USERS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
THE TOTAL POPULATION



**49%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF SOCIAL USERS  
ACCESSING VIA MOBILE



**120.0**  
MILLION

ACTIVE MOBILE SOCIAL  
USERS AS A PERCENTAGE  
OF THE TOTAL POPULATION



**45%**

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are.  
social



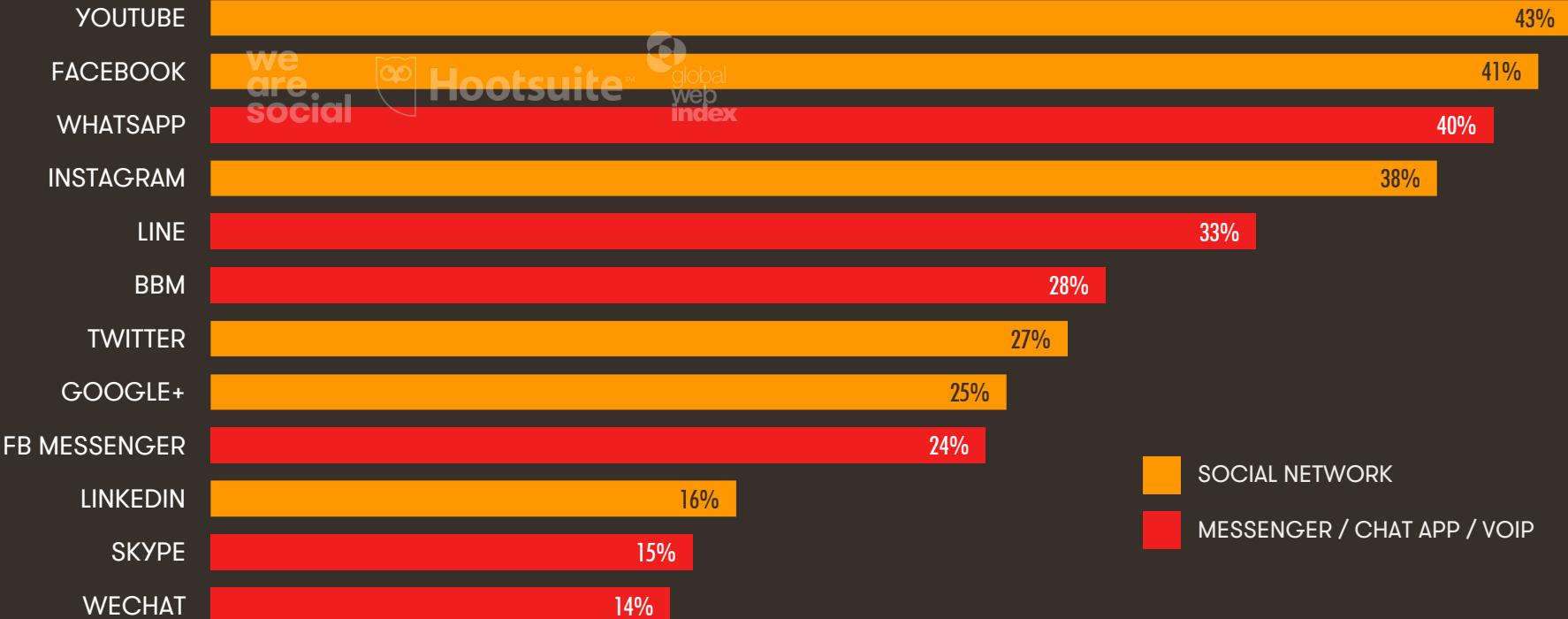
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# MOST ACTIVE SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT USERS' OWN CLAIMED / REPORTED ACTIVITY



SOCIAL NETWORK  
 MESSENGER / CHAT APP / VOIP

**SOURCE:** GLOBALWEBINDEX, Q2 & Q3 2017. BASED ON A SURVEY OF INTERNET USERS AGED 16-64. **NOTES:** DATA FOR PLATFORMS WITH AN ASTERISK (\*) IS COLLECTED IN A DIFFERENT PART OF THE SURVEY TO OTHER PLATFORM DATA. ALL DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE. **ADVISORY:** FIGURES ARE BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY, AND MAY NOT CORRELATE TO SOCIAL MEDIA PENETRATION FIGURES SHOWN ELSEWHERE IN THIS REPORT; FOR FULL DETAILS, SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT.

# FACEBOOK USAGE ANALYSIS

A CLOSER LOOK AT FACEBOOK USE, BROKEN DOWN BY MOBILE USE AND SELF-DECLARED GENDER OF USERS



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
MONTHLY ACTIVE  
FACEBOOK USERS



**130.0**  
**MILLION**

ANNUAL CHANGE IN  
FACEBOOK USERS  
vs. JANUARY 2017



**+23%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK USERS  
ACCESSING VIA MOBILE



**92%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK PROFILES  
DECLARED AS FEMALE



**44%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK PROFILES  
DECLARED AS MALE



**56%**

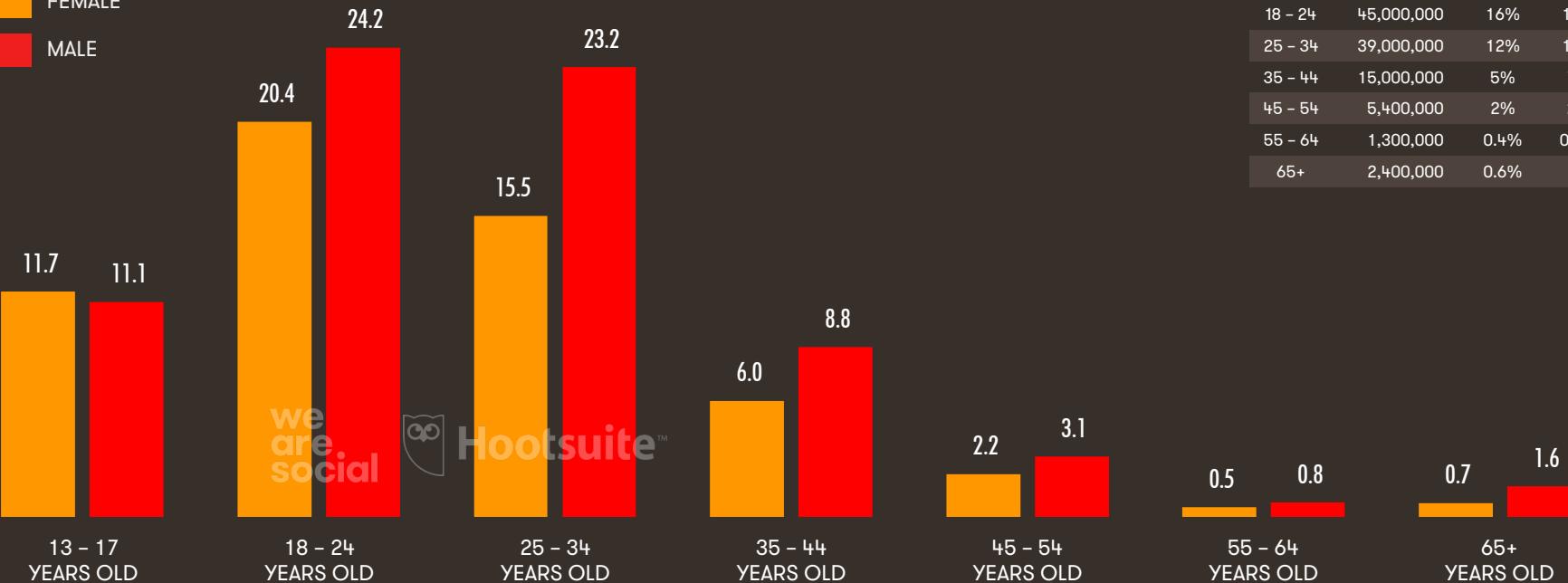
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# PROFILE OF FACEBOOK USERS

A BREAKDOWN OF THE COUNTRY'S FACEBOOK'S USERS BY AGE AND GENDER, IN MILLIONS



FEMALE  
MALE



SOURCE: EXTRAPOLATION OF FACEBOOK DATA, JANUARY 2018. NOTES: THE 'TOTAL' COLUMN OF THE INSET TABLE SHOWS ORIGINAL VALUES, WHILE GRAPH VALUES HAVE BEEN DIVIDED BY ONE MILLION. TABLE PERCENTAGES REPRESENT THE RESPECTIVE GENDER AND AGE GROUP'S SHARE OF TOTAL NATIONAL FACEBOOK USERS. TABLE VALUES MAY NOT SUM EXACTLY DUE TO ROUNDING IN THE SOURCE DATA.

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# AVERAGE FACEBOOK PAGE POST REACH

AVERAGE MONTHLY GROWTH IN PAGE LIKES ('FANS'), AVERAGE REACH OF PAGE POSTS vs. PAGE LIKES, AND PAID MEDIA



AVERAGE MONTHLY  
CHANGE IN PAGE LIKES



+1.93%

AVERAGE POST REACH  
vs. PAGE LIKES



7.8%

AVERAGE ORGANIC  
REACH vs. PAGE LIKES



3.2%

PERCENTAGE OF PAGES  
USING PAID MEDIA



33.2%

AVERAGE PAID REACH  
vs. TOTAL REACH



19.4%

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# AVERAGE FACEBOOK ENGAGEMENT RATES

THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO ENGAGE WITH A FACEBOOK PAGE'S POSTS vs. THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE THAT THOSE POSTS REACH



AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE POSTS (ALL TYPES)



we  
are.  
social

**4.16%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE VIDEO POSTS



locowise

**9.70%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE PHOTO POSTS



locowise

**8.55%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE LINK POSTS



locowise

**5.17%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE STATUS POSTS



**4.65%**

SOURCE: LOCOWISE, JANUARY 2018. DATA REPRESENTS AVERAGE FIGURES FOR FULL-YEAR 2017. NOTE: ENGAGEMENT RATES COMPARE THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO INTERACTED WITH A POST TO THE TOTAL NUMBER OF UNIQUE USERS TO WHOM THAT POST WAS SERVED, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THOSE USERS WERE FANS OF THE PAGE AT THAT TIME.

# INSTAGRAM USAGE ANALYSIS

AN OVERVIEW OF MONTHLY ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS, BROKEN DOWN BY GENDER



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
MONTHLY ACTIVE  
INSTAGRAM USERS



**53.00**  
MILLION

ACTIVE INSTAGRAM  
USERS AS A PERCENTAGE  
OF TOTAL POPULATION



**20%**

FEMALE USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF ALL  
ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS



**49%**

MALE USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF ALL  
ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS



**51%**

we  
are.  
social



we  
are.  
social

# MOBILE USERS vs. MOBILE CONNECTIONS

COMPARING THE NUMBER OF UNIQUE MOBILE USERS TO THE NUMBER OF MOBILE CONNECTIONS



NUMBER OF UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS (ANY  
TYPE OF HANDSET)



**177.9**  
**MILLION**

MOBILE PENETRATION  
(UNIQUE USERS vs.  
TOTAL POPULATION)



**67%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**415.7**  
**MILLION**

MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
TOTAL POPULATION



**157%**

AVERAGE NUMBER OF  
CONNECTIONS PER  
UNIQUE MOBILE USER



**2.34**

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# MOBILE CONNECTIONS BY TYPE

BASED ON THE NUMBER OF CELLULAR CONNECTIONS (NOTE: NOT UNIQUE INDIVIDUALS)



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**415.7**  
MILLION

MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
TOTAL POPULATION



**157%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
THAT ARE PRE-PAID



**98%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
THAT ARE POST-PAID



**2%**

PERCENTAGE OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS THAT ARE  
BROADBAND (3G & 4G)



**54%**

# MOBILE CONNECTIVITY INDEX

GSMA INTELLIGENCE'S ASSESSMENT OF THE COUNTRY'S KEY ENABLERS AND DRIVERS OF MOBILE CONNECTIVITY



OVERALL COUNTRY  
INDEX SCORE



**52.71**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

MOBILE NETWORK  
INFRASTRUCTURE



**41.39**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

AFFORDABILITY OF  
DEVICES & SERVICES



**58.24**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

CONSUMER  
READINESS



**69.06**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

AVAILABILITY OF RELEVANT  
CONTENT & SERVICES



**46.37**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

# MOBILE ACTIVITIES

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT RESPONDENTS' SELF-REPORTED ACTIVITY



PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION USING  
MOBILE MESSENGERS



47%

PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION WATCHING  
VIDEOS ON MOBILE



43%

PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION PLAYING  
GAMES ON MOBILE



37%

PERCENTAGE  
OF THE POPULATION  
USING MOBILE BANKING



27%

PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION USING  
MOBILE MAP SERVICES



42%

global  
web  
index

we  
are.  
social

global  
web  
index

# SMARTPHONE LIFE MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL POPULATION USING A SMARTPHONE TO PERFORM EACH TASK [SURVEY-BASED]



USE THE ALARM  
CLOCK FUNCTION



17%

MANAGE DIARY  
OR APPOINTMENTS



6%

CHECK THE  
WEATHER



4%

TRACK HEALTH, DIET,  
OR ACTIVITY LEVELS



4%

TAKE PHOTOS  
OR VIDEOS



44%

CHECK  
THE NEWS



18%

READ E-BOOKS  
OR E-MAGAZINES



3%

MANAGE LISTS  
(E.G. SHOPPING, TASKS)



4%

SOURCE: GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018. FIGURES BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY. \*NOTES: DATA BASED ON SURVEY RESPONSES FROM ADULT INTERNET USERS ONLY; PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON GOOGLE'S METHODOLOGY AND THEIR AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

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# TOP APP RANKINGS

RANKINGS OF TOP MOBILE APPS BY MONTHLY ACTIVE USERS AND BY NUMBER OF DOWNLOADS



RANKING OF MOBILE APPS BY MONTHLY ACTIVE USERS

#	APP NAME	DEVELOPER / COMPANY
01	WHATSAPP MESSENGER	FACEBOOK
02	FACEBOOK	FACEBOOK
03	INSTAGRAM	FACEBOOK
04	LINE	LINE
05	BBM	BLACKBERRY
06	FACEBOOK MESSENGER	FACEBOOK
07	SHAREIT	SHAREIT
08	UC BROWSER	ALIBABA GROUP
09	GO-JEK	GO-JEK
10	GRAB	GRAB

RANKING OF MOBILE APPS BY NUMBER OF DOWNLOADS

#	APP NAME	DEVELOPER / COMPANY
01	FACEBOOK	FACEBOOK
02	WHATSAPP MESSENGER	FACEBOOK
03	FACEBOOK MESSENGER	FACEBOOK
04	UC BROWSER	ALIBABA GROUP
05	SHAREIT	SHAREIT
06	INSTAGRAM	FACEBOOK
07	BBM	BLACKBERRY
08	LINE	LINE
09	GRAB	GRAB
10	UC NEWS	ALIBABA GROUP

SOURCE: APP ANNIE, JANUARY 2018, BASED ON DATA IN THE APP ANNIE 2017 RETROSPECTIVE REPORT. FOR MORE DETAILS, VISIT [HTTPS://WWW.APPANNIE.COM/](https://www.appannie.com/)

NOTES: RANKINGS ARE BASED ON COMBINED DATA FOR BOTH THE APPLE iOS APP STORE AND THE GOOGLE PLAY APP STORE. MONTHLY ACTIVE USER RANKINGS ARE BASED ON MONTHLY AVERAGES FOR FULL-YEAR 2017. NOTE: RANKINGS EXCLUDE PRE-INSTALLED APPS, SUCH AS YOUTUBE ON ANDROID DEVICES, AND SAFARI ON APPLE DEVICES.

# FINANCIAL INCLUSION FACTORS

PERCENTAGE OF THE POPULATION AGED 15+ THAT REPORTS OWNING OR USING EACH FINANCIAL PRODUCT OR SERVICE



HAS A BANK  
ACCOUNT



**36%**

**we  
are.  
social**

HAS A  
CREDIT CARD



**2%**

MAKES AND / OR RECEIVES  
MOBILE PAYMENTS VIA GSMA



**0.4%**

**we  
are.  
social**

MAKES ONLINE PURCHASES  
AND / OR PAYS BILLS ONLINE



**5%**

PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN  
WITH A CREDIT CARD



**2%**



PERCENTAGE OF MEN  
WITH A CREDIT CARD



**1%**

PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN  
MAKING INTERNET PAYMENTS



**5%**



PERCENTAGE OF MEN  
MAKING INTERNET PAYMENTS



**6%**

# E-COMMERCE ACTIVITIES IN PAST 30 DAYS

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT RESPONDENTS' SELF-REPORTED ACTIVITY



SEARCHED ONLINE  
FOR A PRODUCT  
OR SERVICE TO BUY



45%

VISITED  
AN ONLINE  
RETAIL STORE



45%

PURCHASED A  
PRODUCT OR  
SERVICE ONLINE



40%

MADE AN ONLINE  
PURCHASE VIA A LAPTOP  
OR DESKTOP COMPUTER



31%

MADE AN ONLINE  
PURCHASE VIA A  
MOBILE DEVICE



31%

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# E-COMMERCE SPEND BY CATEGORY

TOTAL ANNUAL AMOUNT SPENT ON CONSUMER E-COMMERCE CATEGORIES, IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS



FASHION & BEAUTY



\$2.466  
BILLION

ELECTRONICS &  
PHYSICAL MEDIA



\$1.273  
BILLION

FOOD &  
PERSONAL CARE



\$0.593  
BILLION

FURNITURE &  
APPLIANCES



\$1.288  
BILLION

TOYS, DIY &  
HOBBIES



\$1.436  
BILLION

TRAVEL (INCLUDING  
ACCOMMODATION)



\$2.417  
BILLION

DIGITAL  
MUSIC



\$0.004  
BILLION

VIDEO  
GAMES



\$0.792  
BILLION

SOURCES: STATISTA DIGITAL MARKET OUTLOOK, E-COMMERCE INDUSTRY, E-TRAVEL INDUSTRY, AND DIGITAL MEDIA INDUSTRY, ALL ACCESSED JANUARY 2018.  
NOTE: FIGURES ARE BASED ON ESTIMATES OF FULL-YEAR CONSUMER SPEND IN 2017, AND DO NOT INCLUDE B2B SPEND.

# E-COMMERCE GROWTH BY CATEGORY

ANNUAL CHANGE IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT SPENT ON CONSUMER E-COMMERCE CATEGORIES, IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS



FASHION  
& BEAUTY



+25%

ELECTRONICS &  
PHYSICAL MEDIA



+18%

FOOD &  
PERSONAL CARE



+19%

FURNITURE &  
APPLIANCES



+18%

TOYS, DIY  
& HOBBIES



+27%

TRAVEL (INCLUDING  
ACCOMMODATION)



+23%

DIGITAL  
MUSIC



+3%

VIDEO  
GAMES



+17%

SOURCES: STATISTA DIGITAL MARKET OUTLOOK, E-COMMERCE INDUSTRY, E-TRAVEL INDUSTRY, AND DIGITAL MEDIA INDUSTRY, ALL ACCESSED JANUARY 2018.  
NOTE: FIGURES ARE BASED ON ESTIMATES OF FULL-YEAR CONSUMER SPEND IN 2017, AND DO NOT INCLUDE B2B SPEND.

# E-COMMERCE DETAIL: CONSUMER GOODS

AN OVERVIEW OF THE E-COMMERCE MARKET FOR CONSUMER GOODS, WITH VALUES IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS



TOTAL NUMBER OF PEOPLE PURCHASING CONSUMER GOODS VIA E-COMMERCE



**28.07**  
MILLION

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+13%**

PENETRATION OF CONSUMER GOODS E-COMMERCE (TOTAL POPULATION)



**11%**

VALUE OF THE CONSUMER GOODS E-COMMERCE MARKET (TOTAL ANNUAL SALES REVENUE)



**\$7.056**  
BILLION

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+22%**

AVERAGE ANNUAL REVENUE PER USER OF CONSUMER GOODS E-COMMERCE (ARPU)



**\$251**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+8%**

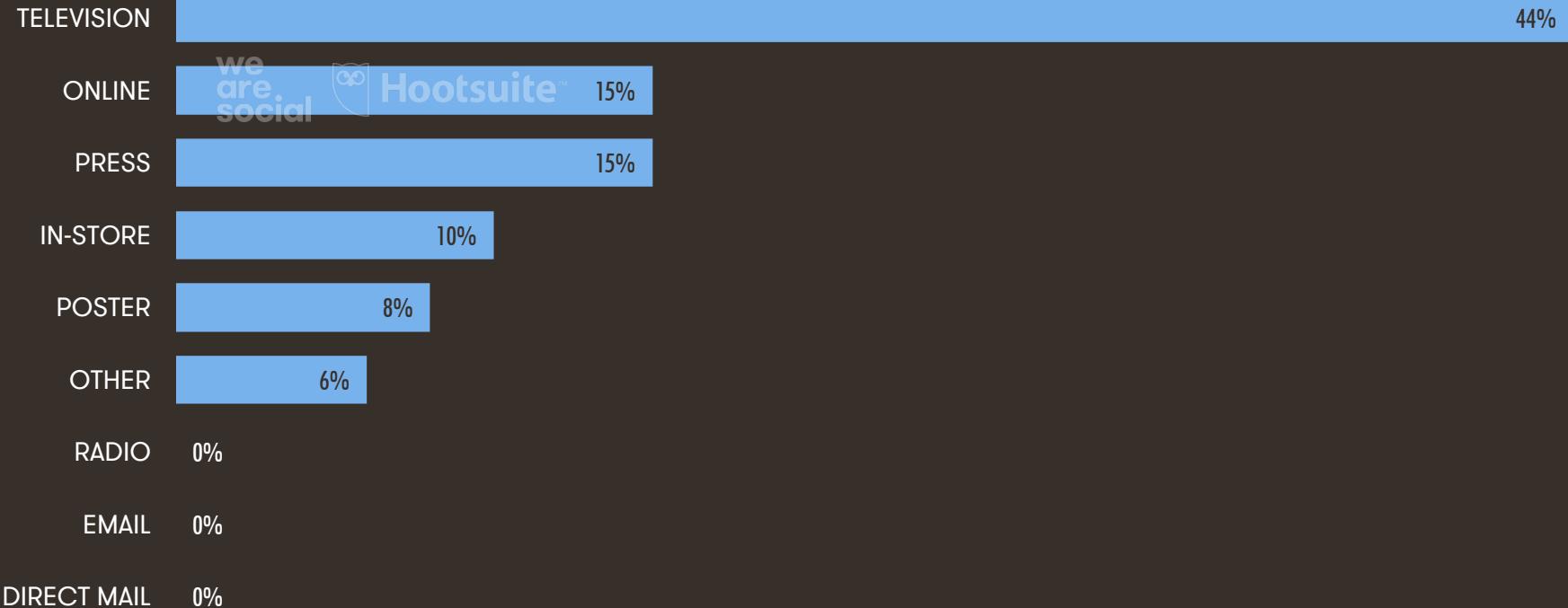
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we  
are.  
social

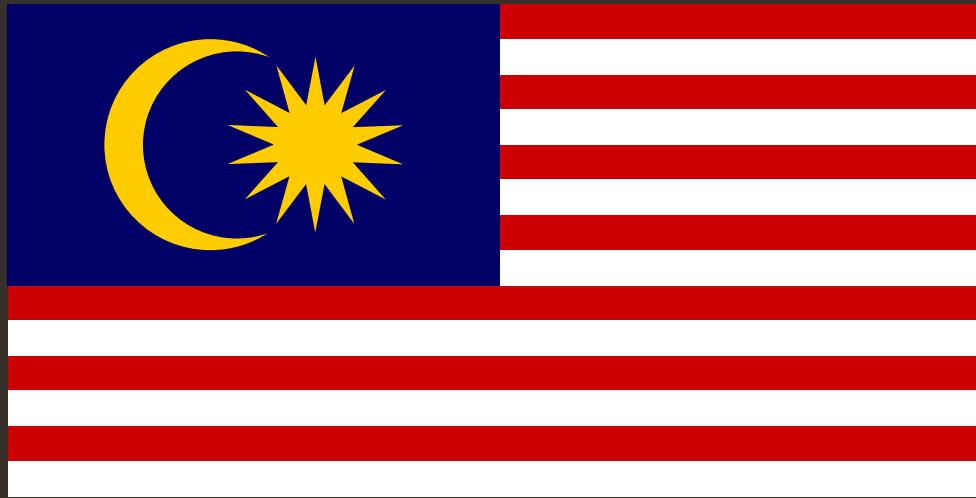
**SOURCE:** STATISTA DIGITAL MARKET OUTLOOK, E-COMMERCE INDUSTRY, ACCESSED JANUARY 2018. **NOTES:** FIGURES REPRESENT SALES OF PHYSICAL GOODS VIA DIGITAL CHANNELS ON ANY DEVICE TO PRIVATE END USERS, AND DO NOT INCLUDE DIGITAL MEDIA, DIGITAL SERVICES SUCH AS TRAVEL OR SOFTWARE, B2B PRODUCTS AND SERVICES, RESALE OF USED GOODS, OR SALES BETWEEN PRIVATE PERSONS (P2P COMMERCE). PENETRATION FIGURE REPRESENTS PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

# ADVERTISING MEDIA: FIRST AWARENESS

THE CHANNEL THAT FIRST INTRODUCED INTERNET USERS\* TO A PRODUCT OR SERVICE THAT THEY SUBSEQUENTLY PURCHASED



**SOURCE:** GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018. FIGURES BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY. \***NOTE:** DATA REPRESENTS ADULT INTERNET USERS ONLY; PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON GOOGLE'S METHODOLOGY AND THEIR AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. FIGURES MAY NOT TOTAL TO 100% DUE TO ROUNDING.



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# DIGITAL IN MALAYSIA

A SNAPSHOT OF THE COUNTRY'S KEY DIGITAL STATISTICAL INDICATORS



TOTAL  
POPULATION



INTERNET  
USERS



ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS



ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



**31.83**  
MILLION

URBANISATION:

**76%**

**25.08**  
MILLION

PENETRATION:

**79%**

**24.00**  
MILLION

PENETRATION:

**75%**

**21.62**  
MILLION

PENETRATION:

**68%**

**22.00**  
MILLION

PENETRATION:

**69%**

**SOURCES:** POPULATION: UNITED NATIONS; U.S. CENSUS BUREAU; INTERNET: INTERNETWORLDSTATS; ITU; EUROSTAT; INTERNETLIVESTATS; CIA WORLD FACTBOOK; MIDEASTMEDIA.ORG; FACEBOOK; GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; REGULATORY AUTHORITIES; REPUTABLE MEDIA; **SOCIAL MEDIA AND MOBILE SOCIAL MEDIA:** FACEBOOK; TENCENT; VKONTAKTE; KAKAO; NAVER; DING; TECHRASA; SIMILARWEB; KEPIOS ANALYSIS; **MOBILE:** GSMA INTELLIGENCE; GOOGLE; ERICSSON; KEPIOS ANALYSIS. **NOTE:** PENETRATION FIGURES ARE FOR TOTAL POPULATION (ALL AGES).

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# ANNUAL DIGITAL GROWTH

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE IN KEY STATISTICAL INDICATORS



INTERNET  
USERS



+14%

SINCE JAN 2017

+3 MILLION

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



+9%

SINCE JAN 2017

+2 MILLION

UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS



+2%

SINCE JAN 2017

+376 THOUSAND

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



+10%

SINCE JAN 2017

+2 MILLION

we  
are.  
social

# POPULATION & ECONOMIC INDICATORS

ESSENTIAL DEMOGRAPHICS AND KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS



TOTAL POPULATION

**31.83**  
MILLION

FEMALE POPULATION

**48.4%**

MALE POPULATION

**51.6%**

ANNUAL CHANGE IN POPULATION SIZE

**+1.3%**

MEDIAN AGE

**28.7**  
YEARS OLD

POPULATION LIVING IN URBAN AREAS

**76%**

GDP PER CAPITA

**\$27,736**

LITERACY (TOTAL)

**95%**

FEMALE LITERACY

**93%**

MALE LITERACY

**96%**

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# DEVICE USAGE

PERCENTAGE OF THE ADULT POPULATION\* THAT CURRENTLY USES EACH KIND OF DEVICE [SURVEY-BASED]



MOBILE PHONE  
(ANY TYPE)



**96%**

**we  
are.  
social**

SMART  
PHONE



**88%**

LAPTOP OR  
DESKTOP COMPUTER



**41%**

TABLET  
COMPUTER



**18%**

TELEVISION  
(ANY KIND)



**90%**

DEVICE FOR STREAMING  
INTERNET CONTENT TO TV



**8%**

E-READER  
DEVICE



**2%**

WEARABLE  
TECH DEVICE



**12%**

SOURCE: GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018. FIGURES BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY. \*NOTE: DATA REPRESENTS ADULT RESPONDENTS ONLY; PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON GOOGLE'S METHODOLOGY AND THEIR AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS.

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# TIME SPENT WITH MEDIA

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT RESPONDENTS' SELF-REPORTED ACTIVITY



AVERAGE DAILY TIME  
SPENT USING THE  
INTERNET VIA ANY DEVICE



AVERAGE DAILY TIME  
SPENT USING SOCIAL  
MEDIA VIA ANY DEVICE



AVERAGE DAILY TV VIEWING TIME  
(BROADCAST, STREAMING  
AND VIDEO ON DEMAND)



AVERAGE DAILY TIME  
SPENT LISTENING TO  
STREAMING MUSIC



we  
are.  
social

global  
web  
index

8H 27M

3H 00M

2H 49M

1H 14M

# ATTITUDES TOWARDS DIGITAL

HOW INTERNET USERS\* PERCEIVE THE ROLE OF TECHNOLOGY, AND THEIR PERSPECTIVE ON PRIVACY ISSUES



BELIEVE THAT NEW  
TECHNOLOGIES OFFER MORE  
OPPORTUNITIES THAN RISKS



61%

PREFER TO COMPLETE  
TASKS DIGITALLY  
WHENEVER POSSIBLE



60%

BELIEVE DATA PRIVACY  
AND PROTECTION ARE  
VERY IMPORTANT



we  
are  
social

72%

DELETE COOKIES FROM  
INTERNET BROWSER  
TO PROTECT PRIVACY



52%

USE AN AD-BLOCKING  
TOOL TO STOP ADVERTS  
BEING DISPLAYED



45%

**SOURCES:** GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018; GLOBALWEBINDEX, Q2 & Q3, 2017. **NOTES:** GOOGLE FIGURES BASED ON A SURVEY OF ADULT INTERNET USERS. SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON METHODOLOGY AND AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. GLOBALWEBINDEX FIGURES BASED ON A SURVEY OF INTERNET USERS AGED 16-64. \***NOTE:** THESE FIGURES ONLY REPRESENT THE ATTITUDES AND ACTIVITIES OF INTERNET USERS.

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# INTERNET USE

BASED ON REPORTED INTERNET USER DATA, AND USER-CLAIMED MOBILE INTERNET USE



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE  
INTERNET USERS



we  
are.  
social

**25.08**  
MILLION

INTERNET USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF THE  
TOTAL POPULATION



**79%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE MOBILE  
INTERNET USERS



global  
web  
index

**24.08**  
MILLION

MOBILE INTERNET USERS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
THE TOTAL POPULATION



**76%**

**SOURCES:** INTERNETWORLDSTATS; ITU; EUROSTAT; INTERNETLIVESTATS; CIA WORLD FACTBOOK; MIDEASTMEDIA.ORG; FACEBOOK; GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; REGULATORY AUTHORITIES; REPUTABLE MEDIA; GLOBALWEBINDEX, Q2 & Q3 2017. **NOTES:** GLOBALWEBINDEX DATA IS BASED ON A SURVEY OF INTERNET USERS AGED 16-64, BUT DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE. PENETRATION FIGURES BASED ON POPULATION DATA FROM THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE U.S. CENSUS BUREAU.

# INTERNET USERS: DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES

REPORTS OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF INTERNET USERS FROM DIFFERENT DATA PROVIDERS



INTERNET  
WORLD STATS



**24.55**  
MILLION

ITU (INTERNATIONAL  
TELECOMMUNICATION UNION)



we  
are.  
social

**25.08**  
MILLION

INTERNET  
LIVE STATS



**21.09**  
MILLION

CIA WORLD  
FACTBOOK



we  
are.  
social

**25.08**  
MILLION

# FREQUENCY OF INTERNET USE

HOW OFTEN INTERNET USERS ACCESS THE INTERNET FOR PERSONAL REASONS (ANY DEVICE)



EVERY  
DAY



83%

AT LEAST ONCE  
PER WEEK



11%

AT LEAST ONCE  
PER MONTH



4%

LESS THAN ONCE  
PER MONTH



1%

we  
are  
social

Google



# INTERNET CONNECTIONS: SPEED & DEVICES

AVERAGE INTERNET CONNECTION SPEEDS, AND THE DEVICE THAT PEOPLE USE MOST OFTEN TO ACCESS THE INTERNET



AVERAGE INTERNET  
SPEED VIA FIXED  
CONNECTIONS



**22.15**  
MBPS

AVERAGE INTERNET  
SPEED VIA MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**15.96**  
MBPS

ACCESS THE INTERNET  
MOST OFTEN VIA A  
COMPUTER OR TABLET



we  
are  
social

**4%**

ACCESS EQUALLY VIA  
A SMARTPHONE AND  
COMPUTER OR TABLET



Google

**23%**

ACCESS THE INTERNET  
MOST OFTEN VIA A  
SMARTPHONE



**60%**

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# SHARE OF WEB TRAFFIC BY DEVICE

BASED ON EACH DEVICE'S SHARE OF ALL WEB PAGES SERVED TO WEB BROWSERS



LAPTOPS &  
DESKTOPS



40%

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

-5%

57%

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

+7%

3%

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

-27%

0.02%

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

[N/A]

MOBILE  
PHONES



TABLET  
DEVICES



we  
are.  
social

OTHER  
DEVICES



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# SIMILARWEB'S RANKING OF TOP WEBSITES

RANKINGS BASED ON AVERAGE MONTHLY TRAFFIC TO EACH WEBSITE IN Q4 2017



#	WEBSITE	CATEGORY	MONTHLY TRAFFIC	TIME PER VISIT	PAGES PER VISIT
01	GOOGLE.COM	SEARCH	164,700,000	14M 58S	12.7
02	YOUTUBE.COM	TV & VIDEO	105,600,000	30M 26S	12.6
03	FACEBOOK.COM	SOCIAL	76,100,000	16M 17S	14.9
04	GOOGLE.COM.MY	SEARCH	26,800,000	7M 34S	13.3
05	YAHOO.COM	NEWS & MEDIA	25,800,000	7M 31S	6.0
06	LAZADA.COM.MY	SHOPPING	22,200,000	8M 13S	7.6
07	WHATSAPP.COM	SOCIAL	17,200,000	2M 27S	2.2
08	WIKIPEDIA.ORG	REFERENCE	13,600,000	4M 38S	3.3
09	MAYBANK2U.COM.MY	FINANCE	12,300,000	7M 48S	16.0
10	BLOGSPOT.MY	BLOGS	11,700,000	5M 19S	2.9

**SOURCE:** SIMILARWEB, JANUARY 2018, BASED ON AVERAGE MONTHLY DATA FOR Q4 2017. **NOTES:** MONTHLY TRAFFIC REPRESENTS TOTAL VISITS TO EACH SITE, NOT UNIQUE VISITORS. DATA FOR SOME COUNTRIES REPRESENTS DESKTOP TRAFFIC, WHILST OTHERS REPRESENTS TRAFFIC FROM BOTH DESKTOP AND MOBILE DEVICES. **ADVISORY:** SOME WEBSITES REFERENCED ON THIS SLIDE MAY CONTAIN ADULT CONTENT, OR CONTENT THAT IS UNSUITABLE FOR THE WORKPLACE. PLEASE USE CAUTION WHEN VISITING UNKNOWN WEBSITES.

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# ALEXA'S RANKING OF TOP WEBSITES

RANKINGS BASED ON THE NUMBER OF VISITORS TO EACH SITE, AND THE NUMBER OF PAGES VIEWED ON EACH SITE PER VISIT



#	WEBSITE	TIME	PAGES	#	WEBSITE	TIME	PAGES
01	GOOGLE.COM	7M 32S	8.56	11	MUDAH.MY	12M 56S	11.40
02	YOUTUBE.COM	8M 18S	4.79	12	CIMBCCLICKS.COM.MY	4M 34S	2.67
03	GOOGLE.COM.MY	3M 41S	4.73	13	LIVE.COM	4M 03S	3.41
04	LAZADA.COM.MY	7M 24S	5.62	14	POPADS.NET	0M 46S	1.89
05	YAHOO.COM	4M 02S	3.61	15	MOE.GOV.MY	13M 04S	6.18
06	FACEBOOK.COM	10M 21S	4.00	16	PAULTAN.ORG	3M 39S	3.39
07	MAYBANK2U.COM.MY	6M 07S	3.14	17	DELOTON.COM	we are social 1M 02S	1.52
08	WIKIPEDIA.ORG	4M 16S	3.31	18	SHOPEE.COM.MY	8M 21S	4.55
09	LOWYAT.NET	6M 21S	4.82	19	KISSASIAN.CH	7M 21S	6.75
10	INSTAGRAM.COM	5M 23S	3.34	20	TAOBIAO.COM	8M 36S	3.97

SOURCE: ALEXA, JANUARY 2018. NOTES: 'TIME' REPRESENTS TIME SPENT ON SITE PER DAY. 'PAGES' REPRESENTS NUMBER OF PAGE VIEWS PER DAY. ALEXA USES A COMBINATION OF AVERAGE DAILY VISITORS AND PAGE VIEWS OVER A ONE-MONTH PERIOD TO CALCULATE ITS RANKING. RANKINGS ON THIS SLIDE ARE BASED ON THE MONTH TO 16 JANUARY 2018. ADVISORY: SOME WEBSITES REFERENCED ON THIS SLIDE MAY CONTAIN ADULT CONTENT, OR CONTENT THAT IS UNSUITABLE FOR THE WORKPLACE. PLEASE USE CAUTION WHEN VISITING UNKNOWN WEBSITES.

# WEEKLY ONLINE ACTIVITIES BY DEVICE

PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL POPULATION\* ENGAGING IN EACH ACTIVITY AT LEAST ONCE PER WEEK [SURVEY-BASED]



USE A SEARCH ENGINE



we  
are  
social

VISIT A SOCIAL NETWORK



Google

PLAY GAMES



WATCH VIDEOS



Google

LOOK FOR PRODUCT INFORMATION



SMARTPHONE:  
**37%**

COMPUTER:  
**16%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**59%**

COMPUTER:  
**20%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**21%**

COMPUTER:  
**9%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**50%**

COMPUTER:  
**18%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**12%**

COMPUTER:  
**6%**

SOURCE: GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018. FIGURES BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY. \*NOTES: DATA BASED ON SURVEY RESPONSES FROM ADULT INTERNET USERS ONLY; PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON GOOGLE'S METHODOLOGY AND THEIR AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

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# TOP GOOGLE SEARCH QUERIES IN 2017

RANKING OF THE TOP SEARCH TERMS ENTERED INTO GOOGLE'S SEARCH ENGINE THROUGHOUT 2017



#	QUERY	INDEX	#	QUERY	INDEX
01	GOOGLE	100	11	YAHOO	25
02	YOUTUBE	85	12	LAZADA	22
03	FACEBOOK	80	13	TOTO	20
04	TRANSLATE	72	14	FACEBOOK LOGIN	19
05	4D	68	15	FB	18
06	GOOGLE TRANSLATE	45	16	TUMBLR	17
07	MAYBANK2U	45	17	YAHOO MAIL	17
08	YOU	31	18	MALAYSIAKINI	16
09	CIMB	27	19	INSTAGRAM	16
10	GMAIL	26	20	MUDAH	16

# FREQUENCY OF WATCHING ONLINE VIDEO

HOW OFTEN INTERNET USERS WATCH ONLINE VIDEOS (ANY DEVICE)



WATCH ONLINE  
VIDEOS EVERY DAY



56%

WATCH ONLINE  
VIDEOS EVERY WEEK



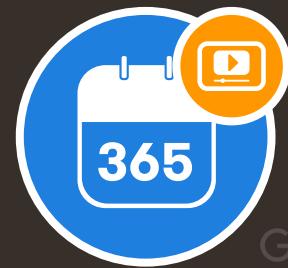
20%

WATCH ONLINE  
VIDEOS EVERY MONTH



10%

WATCH ONLINE VIDEOS  
LESS THAN ONCE A MONTH



5%

NEVER WATCH  
ONLINE VIDEOS



7%

# HOW INTERNET USERS WATCH TELEVISION

COMPARISON OF THE METHODS AND DEVICES USED FOR ACCESSING AND DISPLAYING 'TELEVISION' CONTENT



REGULAR  
TELEVISION  
ON A TV SET



we  
are,  
social

90%

RECORDED  
CONTENT  
ON A TV SET



Google

27%

CATCH-UP /  
ON-DEMAND  
SERVICE ON TV SET



GOOG

25%

ONLINE CONTENT  
STREAMED ON  
A TV SET



Google

24%

ONLINE CONTENT  
STREAMED ON  
ANOTHER DEVICE



28%

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# SOCIAL MEDIA USE

BASED ON THE MONTHLY ACTIVE USERS REPORTED BY THE MOST ACTIVE SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORM IN EACH COUNTRY



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**24.00**  
MILLION

ACTIVE SOCIAL USERS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
THE TOTAL POPULATION



**75%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF SOCIAL USERS  
ACCESSING VIA MOBILE



**22.00**  
MILLION

ACTIVE MOBILE SOCIAL  
USERS AS A PERCENTAGE  
OF THE TOTAL POPULATION



**69%**

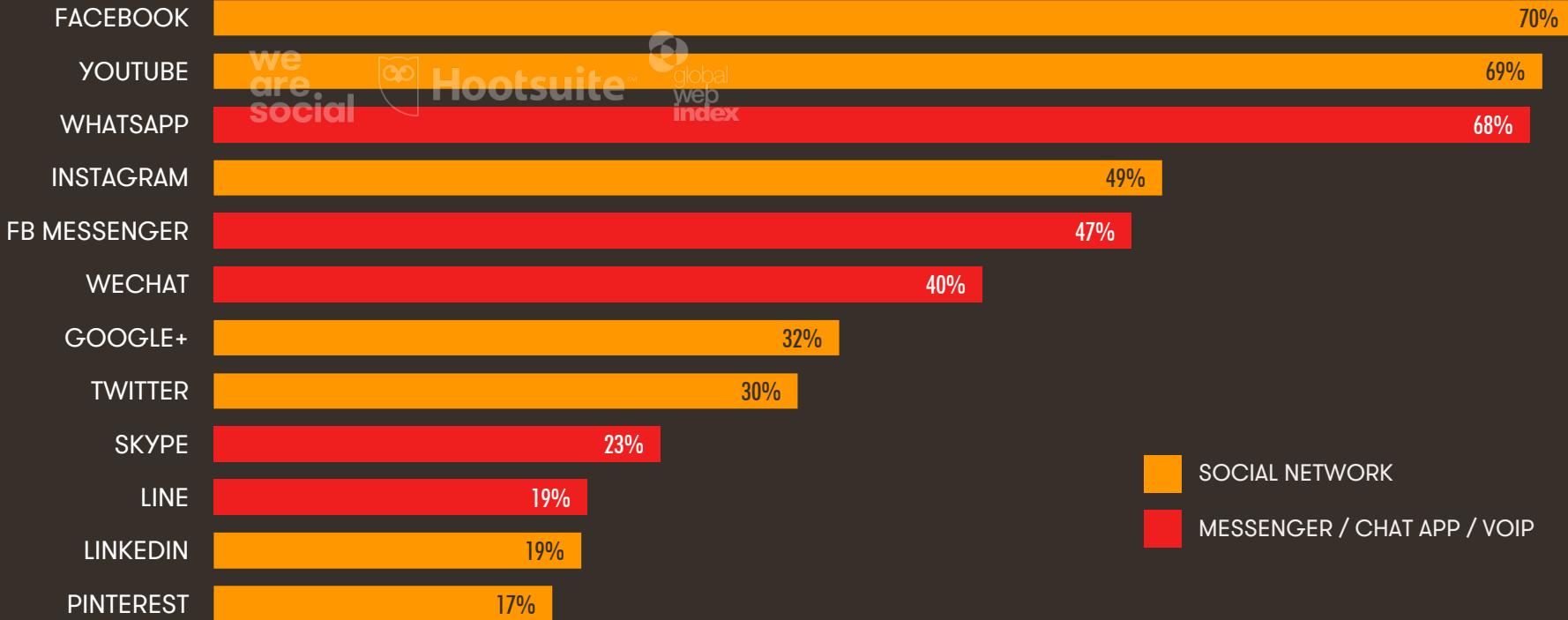
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are.  
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# MOST ACTIVE SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT USERS' OWN CLAIMED / REPORTED ACTIVITY



**SOURCE:** GLOBALWEBINDEX, Q2 & Q3 2017. BASED ON A SURVEY OF INTERNET USERS AGED 16-64. **NOTES:** DATA FOR PLATFORMS WITH AN ASTERISK (\*) IS COLLECTED IN A DIFFERENT PART OF THE SURVEY TO OTHER PLATFORM DATA. ALL DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE. **ADVISORY:** FIGURES ARE BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY, AND MAY NOT CORRELATE TO SOCIAL MEDIA PENETRATION FIGURES SHOWN ELSEWHERE IN THIS REPORT; FOR FULL DETAILS, SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT.

# FACEBOOK USAGE ANALYSIS

A CLOSER LOOK AT FACEBOOK USE, BROKEN DOWN BY MOBILE USE AND SELF-DECLARED GENDER OF USERS



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
MONTHLY ACTIVE  
FACEBOOK USERS



**24.00**  
MILLION

ANNUAL CHANGE IN  
FACEBOOK USERS  
vs. JANUARY 2017



**+9%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK USERS  
ACCESSING VIA MOBILE



**92%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK PROFILES  
DECLARED AS FEMALE



**44%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK PROFILES  
DECLARED AS MALE

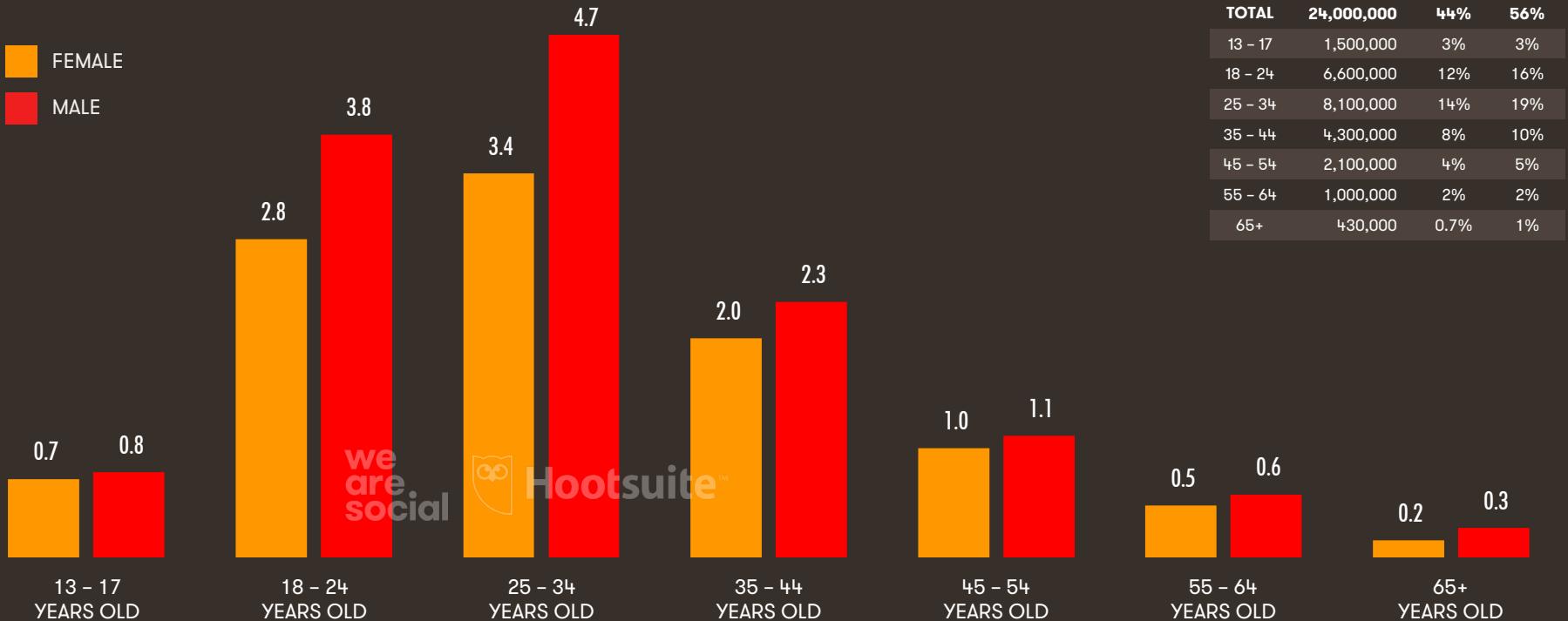


**56%**

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# PROFILE OF FACEBOOK USERS

A BREAKDOWN OF THE COUNTRY'S FACEBOOK'S USERS BY AGE AND GENDER, IN MILLIONS



SOURCE: EXTRAPOLATION OF FACEBOOK DATA, JANUARY 2018. NOTES: THE 'TOTAL' COLUMN OF THE INSET TABLE SHOWS ORIGINAL VALUES, WHILE GRAPH VALUES HAVE BEEN DIVIDED BY ONE MILLION. TABLE PERCENTAGES REPRESENT THE RESPECTIVE GENDER AND AGE GROUP'S SHARE OF TOTAL NATIONAL FACEBOOK USERS. TABLE VALUES MAY NOT SUM EXACTLY DUE TO ROUNDING IN THE SOURCE DATA.

# AVERAGE FACEBOOK PAGE POST REACH

AVERAGE MONTHLY GROWTH IN PAGE LIKES ('FANS'), AVERAGE REACH OF PAGE POSTS vs. PAGE LIKES, AND PAID MEDIA



AVERAGE MONTHLY  
CHANGE IN PAGE LIKES



+1.75%

AVERAGE POST REACH  
vs. PAGE LIKES



12.3%

AVERAGE ORGANIC  
REACH vs. PAGE LIKES



8.0%

PERCENTAGE OF PAGES  
USING PAID MEDIA



43.4%

AVERAGE PAID REACH  
vs. TOTAL REACH



35.1%

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# AVERAGE FACEBOOK ENGAGEMENT RATES

THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO ENGAGE WITH A FACEBOOK PAGE'S POSTS vs. THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE THAT THOSE POSTS REACH



AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE POSTS (ALL TYPES)



we  
are.  
social

**5.84%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE VIDEO POSTS



locowise

**7.49%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE PHOTO POSTS



locowise

**7.54%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE LINK POSTS



locowise

**7.54%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE STATUS POSTS



**5.91%**

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# INSTAGRAM USAGE ANALYSIS

AN OVERVIEW OF MONTHLY ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS, BROKEN DOWN BY GENDER



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
MONTHLY ACTIVE  
INSTAGRAM USERS



**11.00**  
MILLION

ACTIVE INSTAGRAM  
USERS AS A PERCENTAGE  
OF TOTAL POPULATION



**35%**

FEMALE USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF ALL  
ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS



**52%**

MALE USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF ALL  
ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS



**48%**

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# MOBILE USERS vs. MOBILE CONNECTIONS

COMPARING THE NUMBER OF UNIQUE MOBILE USERS TO THE NUMBER OF MOBILE CONNECTIONS



NUMBER OF UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS (ANY  
TYPE OF HANDSET)



**21.62**  
MILLION

MOBILE PENETRATION  
(UNIQUE USERS vs.  
TOTAL POPULATION)



**68%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**42.25**  
MILLION

MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
TOTAL POPULATION



**133%**

AVERAGE NUMBER OF  
CONNECTIONS PER  
UNIQUE MOBILE USER



**1.95**

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# MOBILE CONNECTIONS BY TYPE

BASED ON THE NUMBER OF CELLULAR CONNECTIONS (NOTE: NOT UNIQUE INDIVIDUALS)



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**42.25**  
MILLION

MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
TOTAL POPULATION



**133%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
THAT ARE PRE-PAID



**74%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
THAT ARE POST-PAID



**26%**

PERCENTAGE OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS THAT ARE  
BROADBAND (3G & 4G)



**80%**

# MOBILE CONNECTIVITY INDEX

GSMA INTELLIGENCE'S ASSESSMENT OF THE COUNTRY'S KEY ENABLERS AND DRIVERS OF MOBILE CONNECTIVITY



OVERALL COUNTRY  
INDEX SCORE



**69.85**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

MOBILE NETWORK  
INFRASTRUCTURE



**60.19**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

AFFORDABILITY OF  
DEVICES & SERVICES



**73.10**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

CONSUMER  
READINESS



**71.38**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

AVAILABILITY OF RELEVANT  
CONTENT & SERVICES



**75.79**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

# MOBILE ACTIVITIES

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT RESPONDENTS' SELF-REPORTED ACTIVITY



PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION USING  
MOBILE MESSENGERS



74%

PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION WATCHING  
VIDEOS ON MOBILE



71%

PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION PLAYING  
GAMES ON MOBILE



57%

PERCENTAGE  
OF THE POPULATION  
USING MOBILE BANKING



47%

PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION USING  
MOBILE MAP SERVICES



65%

global  
web  
index

we  
are.  
social

global  
web  
index

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# SMARTPHONE LIFE MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL POPULATION USING A SMARTPHONE TO PERFORM EACH TASK [SURVEY-BASED]



USE THE ALARM  
CLOCK FUNCTION



47%

MANAGE DIARY  
OR APPOINTMENTS



23%

CHECK THE  
WEATHER



17%

TRACK HEALTH, DIET,  
OR ACTIVITY LEVELS



7%

TAKE PHOTOS  
OR VIDEOS



51%

CHECK  
THE NEWS



26%

READ E-BOOKS  
OR E-MAGAZINES



14%

MANAGE LISTS  
(E.G. SHOPPING, TASKS)



19%

SOURCE: GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018. FIGURES BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY. \*NOTES: DATA BASED ON SURVEY RESPONSES FROM ADULT INTERNET USERS ONLY; PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON GOOGLE'S METHODOLOGY AND THEIR AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

# FINANCIAL INCLUSION FACTORS

PERCENTAGE OF THE POPULATION AGED 15+ THAT REPORTS OWNING OR USING EACH FINANCIAL PRODUCT OR SERVICE



HAS A BANK  
ACCOUNT



**81%**

**we  
are.  
social**

HAS A  
CREDIT CARD



**20%**



MAKES AND / OR RECEIVES  
MOBILE PAYMENTS VIA GSMA



**3%**

**we  
are.  
social**

MAKES ONLINE PURCHASES  
AND / OR PAYS BILLS ONLINE



**19%**

PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN  
WITH A CREDIT CARD



**15%**



PERCENTAGE OF MEN  
WITH A CREDIT CARD



**24%**



PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN  
MAKING INTERNET PAYMENTS



**20%**



PERCENTAGE OF MEN  
MAKING INTERNET PAYMENTS



**18%**

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# E-COMMERCE ACTIVITIES IN PAST 30 DAYS

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT RESPONDENTS' SELF-REPORTED ACTIVITY



SEARCHED ONLINE  
FOR A PRODUCT  
OR SERVICE TO BUY



69%

VISITED  
AN ONLINE  
RETAIL STORE



70%

PURCHASED A  
PRODUCT OR  
SERVICE ONLINE



59%

MADE AN ONLINE  
PURCHASE VIA A LAPTOP  
OR DESKTOP COMPUTER



40%

MADE AN ONLINE  
PURCHASE VIA A  
MOBILE DEVICE



40%

# E-COMMERCE SPEND BY CATEGORY

TOTAL ANNUAL AMOUNT SPENT ON CONSUMER E-COMMERCE CATEGORIES, IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS



FASHION & BEAUTY



\$134.2  
MILLION

ELECTRONICS &  
PHYSICAL MEDIA



\$426.4  
MILLION

FOOD &  
PERSONAL CARE



\$71.8  
MILLION

FURNITURE &  
APPLIANCES



\$260.8  
MILLION

TOYS, DIY &  
HOBBIES



\$182.5  
MILLION

TRAVEL (INCLUDING  
ACCOMMODATION)



\$663.8  
MILLION

DIGITAL  
MUSIC



\$9.5  
MILLION

VIDEO  
GAMES



\$178.6  
MILLION

SOURCES: STATISTA DIGITAL MARKET OUTLOOK, E-COMMERCE INDUSTRY, E-TRAVEL INDUSTRY, AND DIGITAL MEDIA INDUSTRY, ALL ACCESSED JANUARY 2018.  
NOTE: FIGURES ARE BASED ON ESTIMATES OF FULL-YEAR CONSUMER SPEND IN 2017, AND DO NOT INCLUDE B2B SPEND.

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# E-COMMERCE GROWTH BY CATEGORY

ANNUAL CHANGE IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT SPENT ON CONSUMER E-COMMERCE CATEGORIES, IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS



FASHION  
& BEAUTY



+18%

ELECTRONICS &  
PHYSICAL MEDIA



+13%

FOOD &  
PERSONAL CARE



+29%

FURNITURE &  
APPLIANCES



+38%

TOYS, DIY  
& HOBBIES



+23%

TRAVEL (INCLUDING  
ACCOMMODATION)



+17%

DIGITAL  
MUSIC



+14%

VIDEO  
GAMES



+11%

# E-COMMERCE DETAIL: CONSUMER GOODS

AN OVERVIEW OF THE E-COMMERCE MARKET FOR CONSUMER GOODS, WITH VALUES IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS



TOTAL NUMBER OF PEOPLE PURCHASING CONSUMER GOODS VIA E-COMMERCE



**15.18**  
MILLION

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+10%**

PENETRATION OF CONSUMER GOODS E-COMMERCE (TOTAL POPULATION)



**48%**

statista

VALUE OF THE CONSUMER GOODS E-COMMERCE MARKET (TOTAL ANNUAL SALES REVENUE)



**\$1.076**  
BILLION

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+22%**

AVERAGE ANNUAL REVENUE PER USER OF CONSUMER GOODS E-COMMERCE (ARPU)



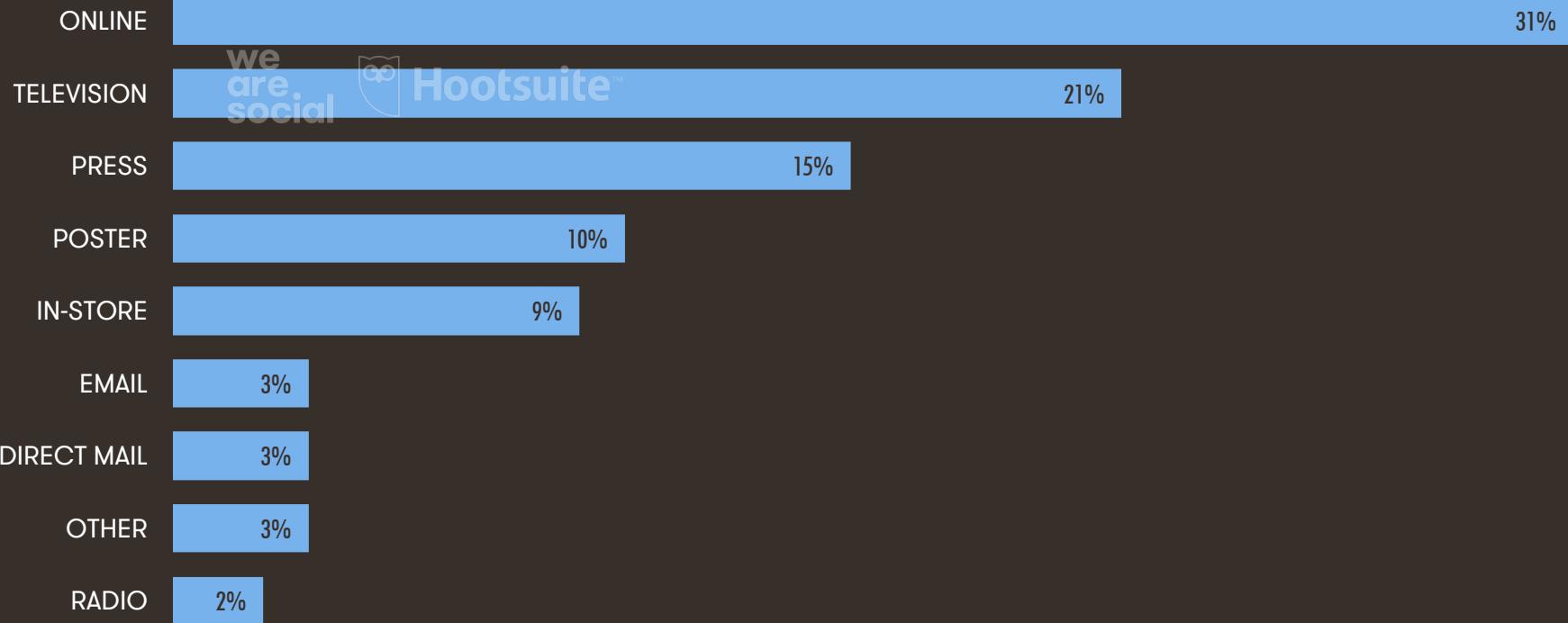
**\$71**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

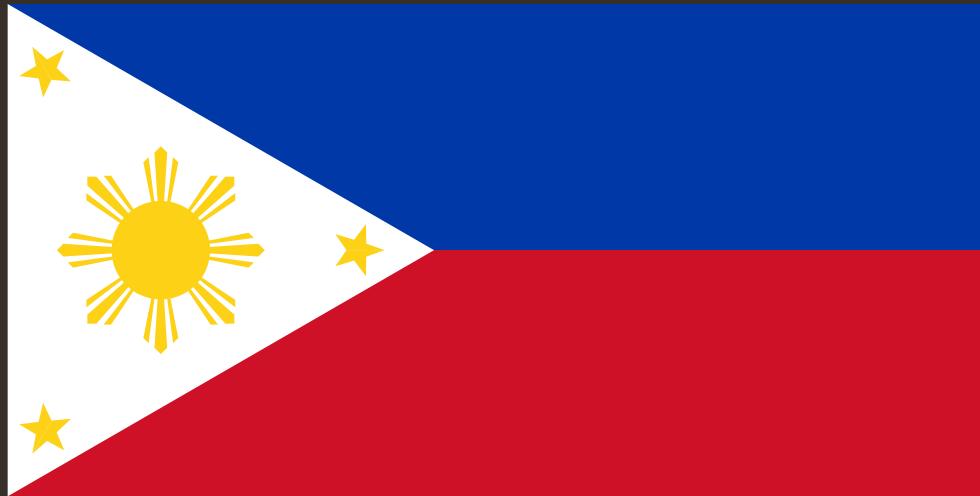
**+11%**

# ADVERTISING MEDIA: FIRST AWARENESS

THE CHANNEL THAT FIRST INTRODUCED INTERNET USERS\* TO A PRODUCT OR SERVICE THAT THEY SUBSEQUENTLY PURCHASED



**SOURCE:** GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018. FIGURES BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY. \***NOTE:** DATA REPRESENTS ADULT INTERNET USERS ONLY; PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON GOOGLE'S METHODOLOGY AND THEIR AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. FIGURES MAY NOT TOTAL TO 100% DUE TO ROUNDING.



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# DIGITAL IN THE PHILIPPINES

A SNAPSHOT OF THE COUNTRY'S KEY DIGITAL STATISTICAL INDICATORS



TOTAL  
POPULATION



**105.7**  
**MILLION**

URBANISATION:

**44%**

INTERNET  
USERS



**67.0**  
**MILLION**

PENETRATION:

**63%**

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**67.0**  
**MILLION**

PENETRATION:

**63%**

UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS



**61.0**  
**MILLION**

PENETRATION:

**58%**

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



**62.0**  
**MILLION**

PENETRATION:

**59%**

**SOURCES:** POPULATION: UNITED NATIONS; U.S. CENSUS BUREAU; INTERNET: INTERNETWORLDSTATS; ITU; EUROSTAT; INTERNETLIVESTATS; CIA WORLD FACTBOOK; MIDEASTMEDIA.ORG; FACEBOOK; GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; REGULATORY AUTHORITIES; REPUTABLE MEDIA; **SOCIAL MEDIA AND MOBILE SOCIAL MEDIA:** FACEBOOK; TENCENT; VKONTAKTE; KAKAO; NAVER; DING; TECHRASA; SIMILARWEB; KEPIOS ANALYSIS; **MOBILE:** GSMA INTELLIGENCE; GOOGLE; ERICSSON; KEPIOS ANALYSIS. **NOTE:** PENETRATION FIGURES ARE FOR TOTAL POPULATION (ALL AGES).

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# ANNUAL DIGITAL GROWTH

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE IN KEY STATISTICAL INDICATORS



INTERNET  
USERS



+12%

SINCE JAN 2017

+7 MILLION

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



+12%

SINCE JAN 2017

+7 MILLION

UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS



+4%

SINCE JAN 2017

+2 MILLION

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



+15%

SINCE JAN 2017

+8 MILLION

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are.  
social

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# POPULATION & ECONOMIC INDICATORS

ESSENTIAL DEMOGRAPHICS AND KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS



TOTAL POPULATION



FEMALE POPULATION



MALE POPULATION



ANNUAL CHANGE IN POPULATION SIZE



MEDIAN AGE



**105.7**  
MILLION

**49.7%**

**50.3%**

**+1.5%**

**23.7**  
YEARS OLD

POPULATION LIVING IN URBAN AREAS



GDP PER CAPITA



LITERACY (TOTAL)



FEMALE LITERACY



MALE LITERACY



**44%**

**\$7,819**

**96%**

**97%**

**96%**

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# DEVICE USAGE

PERCENTAGE OF THE ADULT POPULATION\* THAT CURRENTLY USES EACH KIND OF DEVICE [SURVEY-BASED]



MOBILE PHONE  
(ANY TYPE)



**89%**

**we  
are.  
social**

SMART  
PHONE



**65%**

LAPTOP OR  
DESKTOP COMPUTER



**38%**

TABLET  
COMPUTER



**29%**

TELEVISION  
(ANY KIND)



**97%**

DEVICE FOR STREAMING  
INTERNET CONTENT TO TV



**8%**

E-READER  
DEVICE



**4%**

WEARABLE  
TECH DEVICE



**5%**

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# TIME SPENT WITH MEDIA

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT RESPONDENTS' SELF-REPORTED ACTIVITY



AVERAGE DAILY TIME  
SPENT USING THE  
INTERNET VIA ANY DEVICE



**9H 29M**

AVERAGE DAILY TIME  
SPENT USING SOCIAL  
MEDIA VIA ANY DEVICE



**3H 57M**

AVERAGE DAILY TV VIEWING TIME  
(BROADCAST, STREAMING  
AND VIDEO ON DEMAND)



**3H 37M**

AVERAGE DAILY TIME  
SPENT LISTENING TO  
STREAMING MUSIC



**2H 08M**

we  
are.  
social

global  
web  
index

# ATTITUDES TOWARDS DIGITAL

HOW INTERNET USERS\* PERCEIVE THE ROLE OF TECHNOLOGY, AND THEIR PERSPECTIVE ON PRIVACY ISSUES



BELIEVE THAT NEW  
TECHNOLOGIES OFFER MORE  
OPPORTUNITIES THAN RISKS



74%

Google

PREFER TO COMPLETE  
TASKS DIGITALLY  
WHENEVER POSSIBLE



64%

BELIEVE DATA PRIVACY  
AND PROTECTION ARE  
VERY IMPORTANT



we  
are  
social

76%

DELETE COOKIES FROM  
INTERNET BROWSER  
TO PROTECT PRIVACY



50%

global  
web  
index

USE AN AD-BLOCKING  
TOOL TO STOP ADVERTS  
BEING DISPLAYED



40%

**SOURCES:** GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018; GLOBALWEBINDEX, Q2 & Q3, 2017. **NOTES:** GOOGLE FIGURES BASED ON A SURVEY OF ADULT INTERNET USERS. SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON METHODOLOGY AND AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. GLOBALWEBINDEX FIGURES BASED ON A SURVEY OF INTERNET USERS AGED 16-64. \***NOTE:** THESE FIGURES ONLY REPRESENT THE ATTITUDES AND ACTIVITIES OF INTERNET USERS.

# INTERNET USE

BASED ON REPORTED INTERNET USER DATA, AND USER-CLAIMED MOBILE INTERNET USE



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE  
INTERNET USERS



**67.0**  
MILLION

INTERNET USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF THE  
TOTAL POPULATION



**63%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE MOBILE  
INTERNET USERS



**61.9**  
MILLION

MOBILE INTERNET USERS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
THE TOTAL POPULATION



**59%**

**SOURCES:** INTERNETWORLDSTATS; ITU; EUROSTAT; INTERNETLIVESTATS; CIA WORLD FACTBOOK; MIDEASTMEDIA.ORG; FACEBOOK; GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; REGULATORY AUTHORITIES; REPUTABLE MEDIA; GLOBALWEBINDEX, Q2 & Q3 2017. **NOTES:** GLOBALWEBINDEX DATA IS BASED ON A SURVEY OF INTERNET USERS AGED 16-64, BUT DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE. PENETRATION FIGURES BASED ON POPULATION DATA FROM THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE U.S. CENSUS BUREAU.

# INTERNET USERS: DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES

REPORTS OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF INTERNET USERS FROM DIFFERENT DATA PROVIDERS



INTERNET  
WORLD STATS



**57.6**  
MILLION

ITU (INTERNATIONAL  
TELECOMMUNICATION UNION)



we  
are.  
social

**58.7**  
MILLION

INTERNET  
LIVE STATS



we  
are.  
social

**44.5**  
MILLION

CIA WORLD  
FACTBOOK



**58.7**  
MILLION

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# FREQUENCY OF INTERNET USE

HOW OFTEN INTERNET USERS ACCESS THE INTERNET FOR PERSONAL REASONS (ANY DEVICE)



EVERY  
DAY



1

we  
are.  
social

58%

AT LEAST ONCE  
PER WEEK



7

Google

28%

AT LEAST ONCE  
PER MONTH



31



8%

LESS THAN ONCE  
PER MONTH



?

6%

# INTERNET CONNECTIONS: SPEED & DEVICES

AVERAGE INTERNET CONNECTION SPEEDS, AND THE DEVICE THAT PEOPLE USE MOST OFTEN TO ACCESS THE INTERNET



AVERAGE INTERNET  
SPEED VIA FIXED  
CONNECTIONS



**15.19**  
MBPS

AVERAGE INTERNET  
SPEED VIA MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**13.45**  
MBPS

ACCESS THE INTERNET  
MOST OFTEN VIA A  
COMPUTER OR TABLET



we  
are  
social

**12%**

ACCESS EQUALLY VIA  
A SMARTPHONE AND  
COMPUTER OR TABLET



Google

**19%**

ACCESS THE INTERNET  
MOST OFTEN VIA A  
SMARTPHONE



**52%**

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# SHARE OF WEB TRAFFIC BY DEVICE

BASED ON EACH DEVICE'S SHARE OF ALL WEB PAGES SERVED TO WEB BROWSERS



LAPTOPS &  
DESKTOPS



**56%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:  
**+0.3%**

MOBILE  
PHONES



**39%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:  
**+2%**

TABLET  
DEVICES



**5%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:  
**-18%**

OTHER  
DEVICES



**0.04%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:  
**+100%**

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# SIMILARWEB'S RANKING OF TOP WEBSITES

RANKINGS BASED ON AVERAGE MONTHLY TRAFFIC TO EACH WEBSITE IN Q4 2017



#	WEBSITE	CATEGORY	MONTHLY TRAFFIC	TIME PER VISIT	PAGES PER VISIT
01	FACEBOOK.COM	SOCIAL	1,046,200,000	17M 21S	26.2
02	GOOGLE.COM.PH	SEARCH	1,009,400,000	8M 43S	7.2
03	GOOGLE.COM	SEARCH	382,100,000	6M 00S	5.9
04	YOUTUBE.COM	TV & VIDEO	330,400,000	23M 02S	10.3
05	PORNHUB.COM	ADULT	94,900,000	13M 18S	8.2
06	YAHOO.COM	NEWS & MEDIA	93,000,000	7M 17S	6.2
07	LAZADA.COM.PH	SHOPPING	74,700,000	6M 21S	5.6
08	TWITTER.COM	SOCIAL	68,300,000	12M 03S	9.0
09	WIKIPEDIA.ORG	REFERENCE	67,500,000	4M 11S	2.7
10	XVIDEOS.COM	ADULT	66,100,000	13M 52S	8.9

**SOURCE:** SIMILARWEB, JANUARY 2018, BASED ON AVERAGE MONTHLY DATA FOR Q4 2017. **NOTES:** MONTHLY TRAFFIC REPRESENTS TOTAL VISITS TO EACH SITE, NOT UNIQUE VISITORS. DATA FOR SOME COUNTRIES REPRESENTS DESKTOP TRAFFIC, WHILST OTHERS REPRESENTS TRAFFIC FROM BOTH DESKTOP AND MOBILE DEVICES. **ADVISORY:** SOME WEBSITES REFERENCED ON THIS SLIDE MAY CONTAIN ADULT CONTENT, OR CONTENT THAT IS UNSUITABLE FOR THE WORKPLACE. PLEASE USE CAUTION WHEN VISITING UNKNOWN WEBSITES.

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# ALEXA'S RANKING OF TOP WEBSITES

RANKINGS BASED ON THE NUMBER OF VISITORS TO EACH SITE, AND THE NUMBER OF PAGES VIEWED ON EACH SITE PER VISIT



#	WEBSITE	TIME	PAGES	#	WEBSITE	TIME	PAGES
01	GOOGLE.COM.PH	9M 49S	10.45	11	INSTAGRAM.COM	5M 23S	3.34
02	YOUTUBE.COM	8M 18S	4.79	12	BLOGSPOT.COM	2M 38S	2.12
03	GOOGLE.COM	7M 32S	8.56	13	KISSASIAN.CH	7M 21S	6.75
04	ABS-CBN.COM	3M 46S	2.08	14	BLPMOVIES.COM	1M 19S	1.52
05	FACEBOOK.COM	10M 21S	4.00	15	ROBLOX.COM	14M 11S	8.72
06	YAHOO.COM	4M 02S	3.61	16	DELOTON.COM	1M 02S	1.52
07	INQUIRER.NET	6M 47S	2.59	17	POPADS.NET	0M 46S	1.89
08	LAZADA.COM.PH	7M 32S	4.84	18	REDDIT.COM	15M 46S	10.05
09	WIKIPEDIA.ORG	4M 16S	3.31	19	Y8.COM	11M 19S	5.08
10	RAPPLER.COM	2M 27S	1.44	20	TWITTER.COM	6M 21S	3.21

SOURCE: ALEXA, JANUARY 2018. NOTES: 'TIME' REPRESENTS TIME SPENT ON SITE PER DAY. 'PAGES' REPRESENTS NUMBER OF PAGE VIEWS PER DAY. ALEXA USES A COMBINATION OF AVERAGE DAILY VISITORS AND PAGE VIEWS OVER A ONE-MONTH PERIOD TO CALCULATE ITS RANKING. RANKINGS ON THIS SLIDE ARE BASED ON THE MONTH TO 16 JANUARY 2018. ADVISORY: SOME WEBSITES REFERENCED ON THIS SLIDE MAY CONTAIN ADULT CONTENT, OR CONTENT THAT IS UNSUITABLE FOR THE WORKPLACE. PLEASE USE CAUTION WHEN VISITING UNKNOWN WEBSITES.

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# WEEKLY ONLINE ACTIVITIES BY DEVICE

PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL POPULATION\* ENGAGING IN EACH ACTIVITY AT LEAST ONCE PER WEEK [SURVEY-BASED]



USE A SEARCH  
ENGINE



we  
are  
social

VISIT A SOCIAL  
NETWORK



Google

PLAY  
GAMES



WATCH  
VIDEOS



Google

LOOK FOR PRODUCT  
INFORMATION



SMARTPHONE:  
**22%**

COMPUTER:  
**13%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**41%**

COMPUTER:  
**19%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**14%**

COMPUTER:  
**8%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**29%**

COMPUTER:  
**15%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**7%**

COMPUTER:  
**4%**

SOURCE: GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018. FIGURES BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY. \*NOTES: DATA BASED ON SURVEY RESPONSES FROM ADULT INTERNET USERS ONLY; PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON GOOGLE'S METHODOLOGY AND THEIR AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

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# TOP GOOGLE SEARCH QUERIES IN 2017

RANKING OF THE TOP SEARCH TERMS ENTERED INTO GOOGLE'S SEARCH ENGINE THROUGHOUT 2017



#	QUERY	INDEX	#	QUERY	INDEX
01	YOUTUBE	100	11	NBA	18
02	FACEBOOK	84	12	TRANSLATE	17
03	GOOGLE	47	13	MOVIES	16
04	YOU	44	14	YAHOO	14
05	FB	31	15	CONVERTER	13
06	FREE	31	16	YAHOO MAIL	11
07	MP3	26	17	Y8	11
08	TIME	24	18	GAMES	11
09	FACEBOOK LOGIN	22	19	YOUTUBE TO MP3	11
10	QUOTES	21	20	GMAIL	10

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# FREQUENCY OF WATCHING ONLINE VIDEO

HOW OFTEN INTERNET USERS WATCH ONLINE VIDEOS (ANY DEVICE)



WATCH ONLINE  
VIDEOS EVERY DAY



34%

WATCH ONLINE  
VIDEOS EVERY WEEK



29%

WATCH ONLINE  
VIDEOS EVERY MONTH



13%

WATCH ONLINE VIDEOS  
LESS THAN ONCE A MONTH



10%

NEVER WATCH  
ONLINE VIDEOS



13%

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# HOW INTERNET USERS WATCH TELEVISION

COMPARISON OF THE METHODS AND DEVICES USED FOR ACCESSING AND DISPLAYING 'TELEVISION' CONTENT



REGULAR  
TELEVISION  
ON A TV SET



RECORDED  
CONTENT  
ON A TV SET



CATCH-UP /  
ON-DEMAND  
SERVICE ON TV SET



ONLINE CONTENT  
STREAMED ON  
A TV SET



ONLINE CONTENT  
STREAMED ON  
ANOTHER DEVICE



95%

10%

7%

13%

12%

we  
are,  
social

Google



Google

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# SOCIAL MEDIA USE

BASED ON THE MONTHLY ACTIVE USERS REPORTED BY THE MOST ACTIVE SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORM IN EACH COUNTRY



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**67.0**  
MILLION

ACTIVE SOCIAL USERS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
THE TOTAL POPULATION



**63%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF SOCIAL USERS  
ACCESSING VIA MOBILE



**62.0**  
MILLION

ACTIVE MOBILE SOCIAL  
USERS AS A PERCENTAGE  
OF THE TOTAL POPULATION

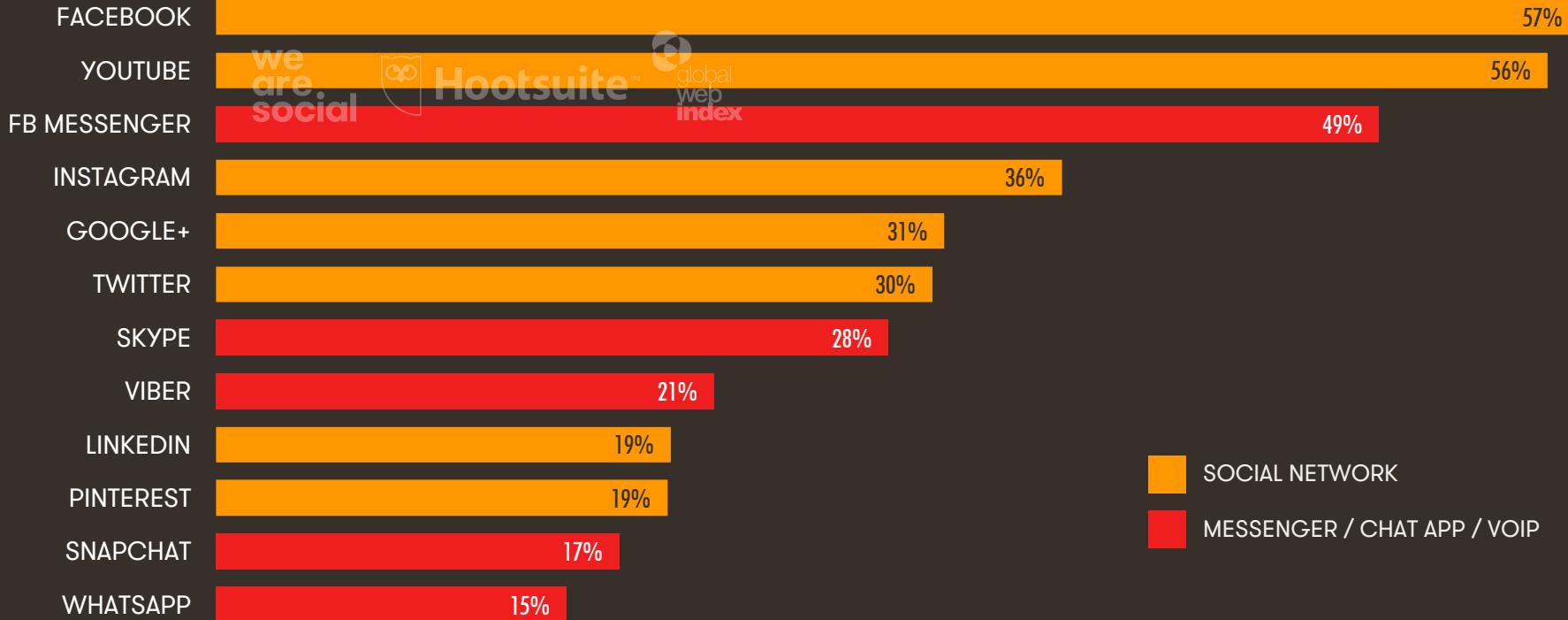


**59%**

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# MOST ACTIVE SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT USERS' OWN CLAIMED / REPORTED ACTIVITY



SOCIAL NETWORK  
 MESSENGER / CHAT APP / VOIP

**SOURCE:** GLOBALWEBINDEX, Q2 & Q3 2017. BASED ON A SURVEY OF INTERNET USERS AGED 16-64. **NOTES:** DATA FOR PLATFORMS WITH AN ASTERISK (\*) IS COLLECTED IN A DIFFERENT PART OF THE SURVEY TO OTHER PLATFORM DATA. ALL DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE. **ADVISORY:** FIGURES ARE BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY, AND MAY NOT CORRELATE TO SOCIAL MEDIA PENETRATION FIGURES SHOWN ELSEWHERE IN THIS REPORT; FOR FULL DETAILS, SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT.

# FACEBOOK USAGE ANALYSIS

A CLOSER LOOK AT FACEBOOK USE, BROKEN DOWN BY MOBILE USE AND SELF-DECLARED GENDER OF USERS



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
MONTHLY ACTIVE  
FACEBOOK USERS



**67.00**  
MILLION

ANNUAL CHANGE IN  
FACEBOOK USERS  
vs. JANUARY 2017



**+12%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK USERS  
ACCESSING VIA MOBILE



**93%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK PROFILES  
DECLARED AS FEMALE



**52%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK PROFILES  
DECLARED AS MALE

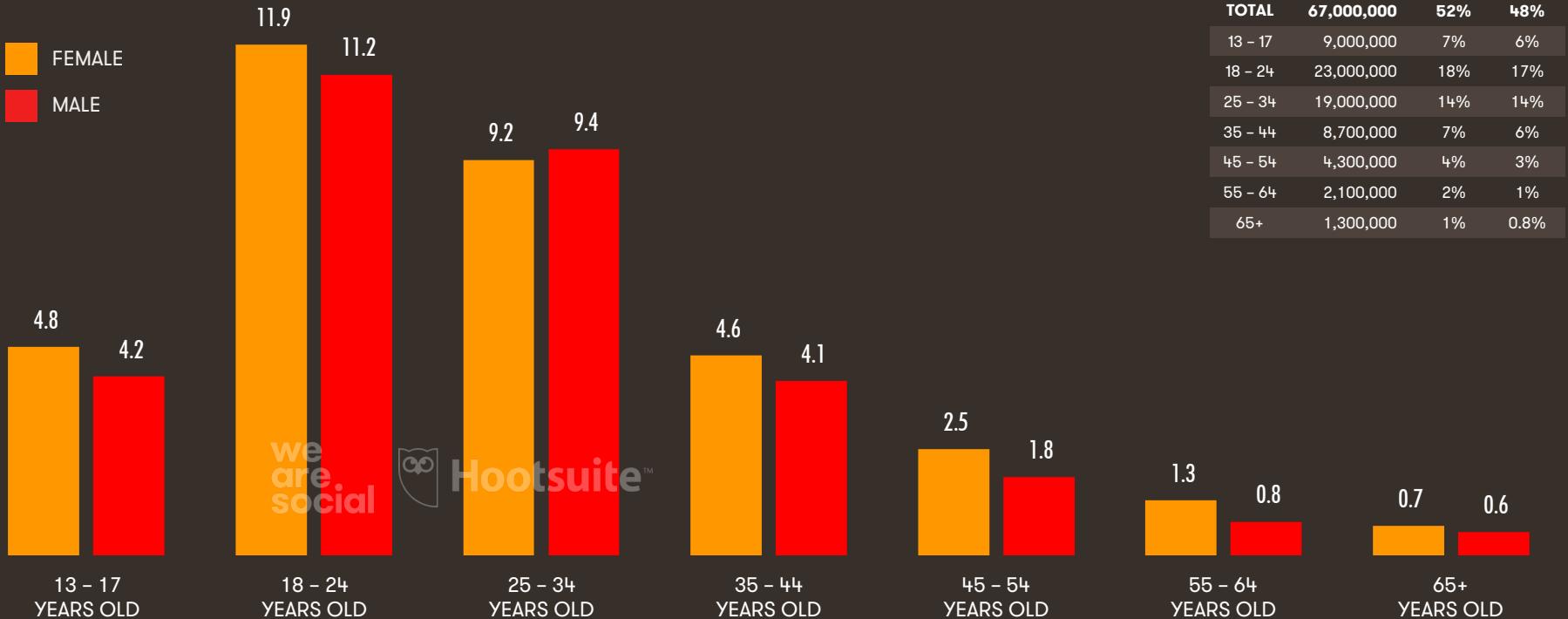


**48%**

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# PROFILE OF FACEBOOK USERS

A BREAKDOWN OF THE COUNTRY'S FACEBOOK'S USERS BY AGE AND GENDER, IN MILLIONS



SOURCE: EXTRAPOLATION OF FACEBOOK DATA, JANUARY 2018. NOTES: THE 'TOTAL' COLUMN OF THE INSET TABLE SHOWS ORIGINAL VALUES, WHILE GRAPH VALUES HAVE BEEN DIVIDED BY ONE MILLION. TABLE PERCENTAGES REPRESENT THE RESPECTIVE GENDER AND AGE GROUP'S SHARE OF TOTAL NATIONAL FACEBOOK USERS. TABLE VALUES MAY NOT SUM EXACTLY DUE TO ROUNDING IN THE SOURCE DATA.

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# AVERAGE FACEBOOK PAGE POST REACH

AVERAGE MONTHLY GROWTH IN PAGE LIKES ('FANS'), AVERAGE REACH OF PAGE POSTS vs. PAGE LIKES, AND PAID MEDIA



AVERAGE MONTHLY  
CHANGE IN PAGE LIKES



+0.23%

AVERAGE POST REACH  
vs. PAGE LIKES



8.3%

AVERAGE ORGANIC  
REACH vs. PAGE LIKES



2.9%

PERCENTAGE OF PAGES  
USING PAID MEDIA



43.0%

AVERAGE PAID REACH  
vs. TOTAL REACH



35.7%

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# AVERAGE FACEBOOK ENGAGEMENT RATES

THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO ENGAGE WITH A FACEBOOK PAGE'S POSTS vs. THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE THAT THOSE POSTS REACH



AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE POSTS (ALL TYPES)



we  
are.  
social

**5.90%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE VIDEO POSTS



locowise

**9.06%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE PHOTO POSTS



locowise

**4.39%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE LINK POSTS



locowise

**9.23%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE STATUS POSTS



**4.92%**

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# INSTAGRAM USAGE ANALYSIS

AN OVERVIEW OF MONTHLY ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS, BROKEN DOWN BY GENDER



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
MONTHLY ACTIVE  
INSTAGRAM USERS



**10.00**  
MILLION

ACTIVE INSTAGRAM  
USERS AS A PERCENTAGE  
OF TOTAL POPULATION



**9%**

FEMALE USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF ALL  
ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS



**63%**

MALE USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF ALL  
ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS



**37%**

# MOBILE USERS vs. MOBILE CONNECTIONS

COMPARING THE NUMBER OF UNIQUE MOBILE USERS TO THE NUMBER OF MOBILE CONNECTIONS



NUMBER OF UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS (ANY  
TYPE OF HANDSET)



**61.0**  
MILLION

MOBILE PENETRATION  
(UNIQUE USERS vs.  
TOTAL POPULATION)



**58%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**121.4**  
MILLION

MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
TOTAL POPULATION



**115%**

AVERAGE NUMBER OF  
CONNECTIONS PER  
UNIQUE MOBILE USER



**1.99**

SOURCES: UNIQUE MOBILE USERS: GSMA INTELLIGENCE, JANUARY 2018; GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018;  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS: GSMA INTELLIGENCE, Q4 2017. NOTE: PENETRATION FIGURES ARE FOR TOTAL POPULATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

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# MOBILE CONNECTIONS BY TYPE

BASED ON THE NUMBER OF CELLULAR CONNECTIONS (NOTE: NOT UNIQUE INDIVIDUALS)



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**121.4**  
MILLION

MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
TOTAL POPULATION



**115%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
THAT ARE PRE-PAID



**95%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
THAT ARE POST-PAID



**5%**

PERCENTAGE OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS THAT ARE  
BROADBAND (3G & 4G)



**56%**

# MOBILE CONNECTIVITY INDEX

GSMA INTELLIGENCE'S ASSESSMENT OF THE COUNTRY'S KEY ENABLERS AND DRIVERS OF MOBILE CONNECTIVITY



OVERALL COUNTRY  
INDEX SCORE



**61.80**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

MOBILE NETWORK  
INFRASTRUCTURE



**61.60**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

AFFORDABILITY OF  
DEVICES & SERVICES



**60.55**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

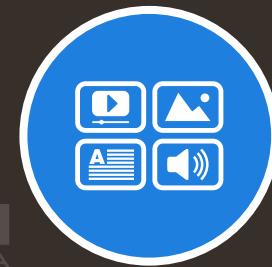
CONSUMER  
READINESS



**74.92**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

AVAILABILITY OF RELEVANT  
CONTENT & SERVICES



**52.19**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

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# MOBILE ACTIVITIES

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT RESPONDENTS' SELF-REPORTED ACTIVITY



PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION USING  
MOBILE MESSENGERS



55%

PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION WATCHING  
VIDEOS ON MOBILE



52%

PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION PLAYING  
GAMES ON MOBILE



48%

PERCENTAGE  
OF THE POPULATION  
USING MOBILE BANKING



28%

PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION USING  
MOBILE MAP SERVICES



41%

global  
web  
index

we  
are.  
social

global  
web  
index

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# SMARTPHONE LIFE MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL POPULATION USING A SMARTPHONE TO PERFORM EACH TASK [SURVEY-BASED]



USE THE ALARM  
CLOCK FUNCTION



41%

MANAGE DIARY  
OR APPOINTMENTS



15%

CHECK THE  
WEATHER



13%

TRACK HEALTH, DIET,  
OR ACTIVITY LEVELS



6%

TAKE PHOTOS  
OR VIDEOS



46%

CHECK  
THE NEWS



15%

READ E-BOOKS  
OR E-MAGAZINES



15%

MANAGE LISTS  
(E.G. SHOPPING, TASKS)



17%

SOURCE: GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018. FIGURES BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY. \*NOTES: DATA BASED ON SURVEY RESPONSES FROM ADULT INTERNET USERS ONLY; PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON GOOGLE'S METHODOLOGY AND THEIR AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

# FINANCIAL INCLUSION FACTORS

PERCENTAGE OF THE POPULATION AGED 15+ THAT REPORTS OWNING OR USING EACH FINANCIAL PRODUCT OR SERVICE



HAS A BANK  
ACCOUNT



**31%**

**we  
are.  
social**

HAS A  
CREDIT CARD



**3%**

MAKES AND / OR RECEIVES  
MOBILE PAYMENTS VIA GSMA



**4%**

MAKES ONLINE PURCHASES  
AND / OR PAYS BILLS ONLINE



**4%**

**we  
are.  
social**

PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN  
WITH A CREDIT CARD



**4%**



PERCENTAGE OF MEN  
WITH A CREDIT CARD



**2%**

PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN  
MAKING INTERNET PAYMENTS



**4%**



PERCENTAGE OF MEN  
MAKING INTERNET PAYMENTS



**3%**

# E-COMMERCE ACTIVITIES IN PAST 30 DAYS

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT RESPONDENTS' SELF-REPORTED ACTIVITY



SEARCHED ONLINE  
FOR A PRODUCT  
OR SERVICE TO BUY



54%

VISITED  
AN ONLINE  
RETAIL STORE



56%

PURCHASED A  
PRODUCT OR  
SERVICE ONLINE



39%

MADE AN ONLINE  
PURCHASE VIA A LAPTOP  
OR DESKTOP COMPUTER



25%

MADE AN ONLINE  
PURCHASE VIA A  
MOBILE DEVICE



25%

# E-COMMERCE SPEND BY CATEGORY

TOTAL ANNUAL AMOUNT SPENT ON CONSUMER E-COMMERCE CATEGORIES, IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS



FASHION & BEAUTY



\$207.2  
MILLION

ELECTRONICS &  
PHYSICAL MEDIA



\$543.0  
MILLION

FOOD &  
PERSONAL CARE



\$94.8  
MILLION

FURNITURE &  
APPLIANCES



\$119.6  
MILLION

TOYS, DIY &  
HOBBIES



\$272.1  
MILLION

TRAVEL (INCLUDING  
ACCOMMODATION)



\$642.6  
MILLION

DIGITAL  
MUSIC



\$12.9  
MILLION

VIDEO  
GAMES



\$270.2  
MILLION

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# E-COMMERCE GROWTH BY CATEGORY

ANNUAL CHANGE IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT SPENT ON CONSUMER E-COMMERCE CATEGORIES, IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS



FASHION  
& BEAUTY



+32%

we  
are.  
social

ELECTRONICS &  
PHYSICAL MEDIA



+15%

statista

FOOD &  
PERSONAL CARE



+38%

FURNITURE &  
APPLIANCES



+22%

TOYS, DIY  
& HOBBIES



+27%

statista

TRAVEL (INCLUDING  
ACCOMMODATION)



+30%



DIGITAL  
MUSIC



+17%

we  
are  
social

VIDEO  
GAMES



+12%

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# E-COMMERCE DETAIL: CONSUMER GOODS

AN OVERVIEW OF THE E-COMMERCE MARKET FOR CONSUMER GOODS, WITH VALUES IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS



TOTAL NUMBER OF PEOPLE  
PURCHASING CONSUMER  
GOODS VIA E-COMMERCE



**33.81**  
MILLION

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+12%**

PENETRATION OF CONSUMER  
GOODS E-COMMERCE  
(TOTAL POPULATION)



**32%**

statista

VALUE OF THE CONSUMER  
GOODS E-COMMERCE MARKET  
(TOTAL ANNUAL SALES REVENUE)



**\$1.237**  
BILLION

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+23%**

AVERAGE ANNUAL REVENUE  
PER USER OF CONSUMER  
GOODS E-COMMERCE (ARPU)



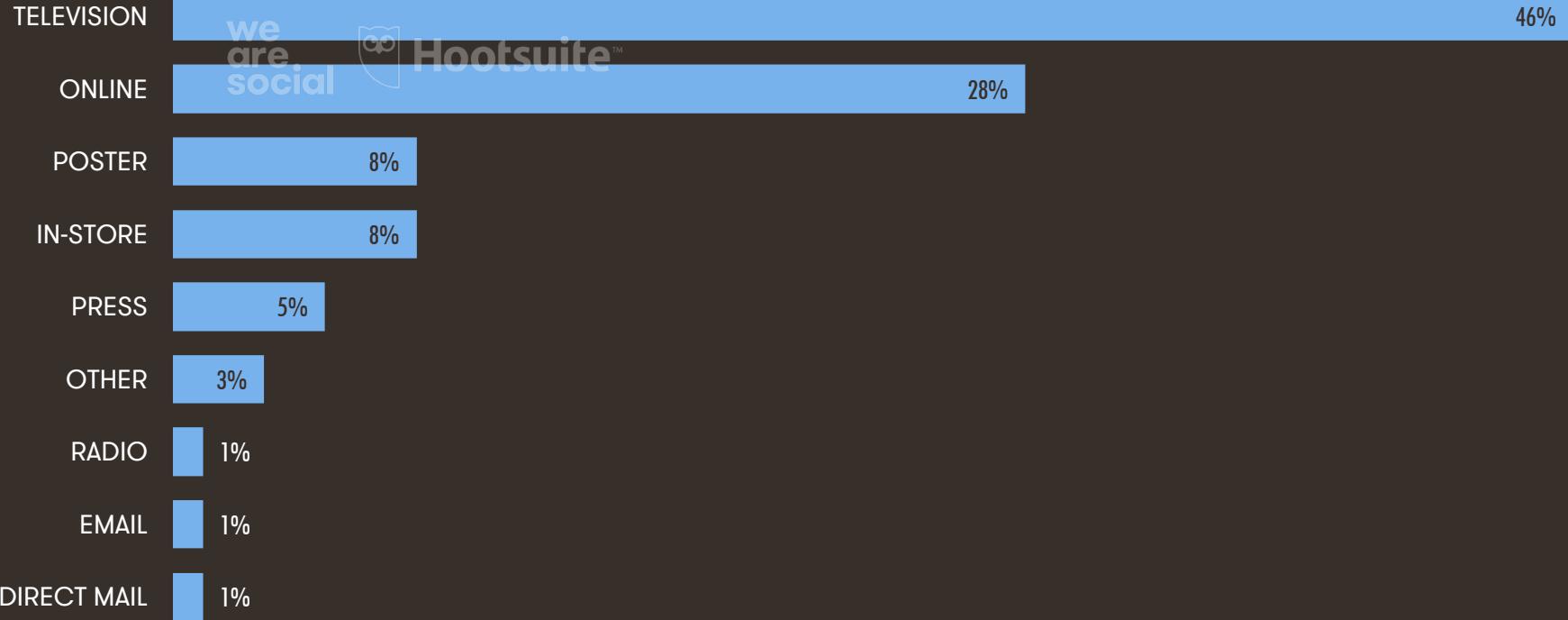
**\$37**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+10%**

# ADVERTISING MEDIA: FIRST AWARENESS

THE CHANNEL THAT FIRST INTRODUCED INTERNET USERS\* TO A PRODUCT OR SERVICE THAT THEY SUBSEQUENTLY PURCHASED



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# DIGITAL IN SINGAPORE

A SNAPSHOT OF THE COUNTRY'S KEY DIGITAL STATISTICAL INDICATORS



TOTAL  
POPULATION



**5.75**  
**MILLION**

URBANISATION:

**100%**

INTERNET  
USERS



**4.83**  
**MILLION**

PENETRATION:

**84%**

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**4.80**  
**MILLION**

PENETRATION:

**83%**

UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS



**4.71**  
**MILLION**

PENETRATION:

**82%**

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



**4.30**  
**MILLION**

PENETRATION:

**75%**

**SOURCES:** POPULATION: UNITED NATIONS; U.S. CENSUS BUREAU; INTERNET: INTERNETWORLDSTATS; ITU; EUROSTAT; INTERNETLIVESTATS; CIA WORLD FACTBOOK; MIDEASTMEDIA.ORG; FACEBOOK; GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; REGULATORY AUTHORITIES; REPUTABLE MEDIA; **SOCIAL MEDIA AND MOBILE SOCIAL MEDIA:** FACEBOOK; TENCENT; VKONTAKTE; KAKAO; NAVER; DING; TECHRASA; SIMILARWEB; KEPIOS ANALYSIS; **MOBILE:** GSMA INTELLIGENCE; GOOGLE; ERICSSON; KEPIOS ANALYSIS. **NOTE:** PENETRATION FIGURES ARE FOR TOTAL POPULATION (ALL AGES).

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# ANNUAL DIGITAL GROWTH

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE IN KEY STATISTICAL INDICATORS



INTERNET  
USERS



+2%

SINCE JAN 2017

+117 THOUSAND

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



+9%

SINCE JAN 2017

+400 THOUSAND

UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS



+0.2%

SINCE JAN 2017

+8 THOUSAND

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



+8%

SINCE JAN 2017

+300 THOUSAND

we  
are.  
social

# POPULATION & ECONOMIC INDICATORS

ESSENTIAL DEMOGRAPHICS AND KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS



TOTAL POPULATION

we  
are.  
social**5.75  
MILLION**

FEMALE POPULATION

we  
are.  
social**50.6%**

MALE POPULATION

we  
are.  
social**49.4%**

ANNUAL CHANGE IN POPULATION SIZE

we  
are.  
social**+1.5%**

MEDIAN AGE



POPULATION LIVING IN URBAN AREAS

we  
are.  
social**100%**

GDP PER CAPITA

we  
are.  
social**\$88,003**

LITERACY (TOTAL)

we  
are.  
social**97%**

FEMALE LITERACY

we  
are.  
social**95%**

MALE LITERACY

we  
are.  
social**99%**

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# DEVICE USAGE

PERCENTAGE OF THE ADULT POPULATION\* THAT CURRENTLY USES EACH KIND OF DEVICE [SURVEY-BASED]



MOBILE PHONE  
(ANY TYPE)



95%

we  
are.  
social

SMART  
PHONE



91%

LAPTOP OR  
DESKTOP COMPUTER



71%

TABLET  
COMPUTER



42%

TELEVISION  
(ANY KIND)



86%

DEVICE FOR STREAMING  
INTERNET CONTENT TO TV



15%

E-READER  
DEVICE



4%

WEARABLE  
TECH DEVICE



7%

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# TIME SPENT WITH MEDIA

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT RESPONDENTS' SELF-REPORTED ACTIVITY



AVERAGE DAILY TIME  
SPENT USING THE  
INTERNET VIA ANY DEVICE



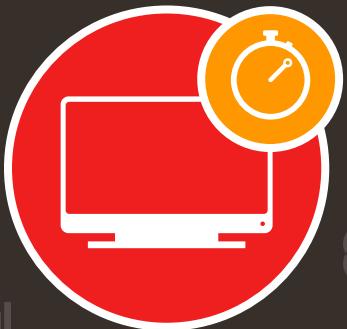
7H 09M

AVERAGE DAILY TIME  
SPENT USING SOCIAL  
MEDIA VIA ANY DEVICE



2H 06M

AVERAGE DAILY TV VIEWING TIME  
(BROADCAST, STREAMING  
AND VIDEO ON DEMAND)



we  
are.  
social

2H 23M

AVERAGE DAILY TIME  
SPENT LISTENING TO  
STREAMING MUSIC



0H 53M

global  
web  
index

# ATTITUDES TOWARDS DIGITAL

HOW INTERNET USERS\* PERCEIVE THE ROLE OF TECHNOLOGY, AND THEIR PERSPECTIVE ON PRIVACY ISSUES



BELIEVE THAT NEW  
TECHNOLOGIES OFFER MORE  
OPPORTUNITIES THAN RISKS



62%

Google

PREFER TO COMPLETE  
TASKS DIGITALLY  
WHENEVER POSSIBLE



59%

global  
web  
index

BELIEVE DATA PRIVACY  
AND PROTECTION ARE  
VERY IMPORTANT



we  
are  
social

87%

DELETE COOKIES FROM  
INTERNET BROWSER  
TO PROTECT PRIVACY



52%

global  
web  
index

USE AN AD-BLOCKING  
TOOL TO STOP ADVERTS  
BEING DISPLAYED



40%

**SOURCES:** GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018; GLOBALWEBINDEX, Q2 & Q3, 2017. **NOTES:** GOOGLE FIGURES BASED ON A SURVEY OF ADULT INTERNET USERS. SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON METHODOLOGY AND AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. GLOBALWEBINDEX FIGURES BASED ON A SURVEY OF INTERNET USERS AGED 16-64. \***NOTE:** THESE FIGURES ONLY REPRESENT THE ATTITUDES AND ACTIVITIES OF INTERNET USERS.

# INTERNET USE

BASED ON REPORTED INTERNET USER DATA, AND USER-CLAIMED MOBILE INTERNET USE



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE  
INTERNET USERS



**4.83**  
MILLION

INTERNET USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF THE  
TOTAL POPULATION



**84%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE MOBILE  
INTERNET USERS



**4.58**  
MILLION

MOBILE INTERNET USERS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
THE TOTAL POPULATION



**80%**

**SOURCES:** INTERNETWORLDSTATS; ITU; EUROSTAT; INTERNETLIVESTATS; CIA WORLD FACTBOOK; MIDEASTMEDIA.ORG; FACEBOOK; GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; REGULATORY AUTHORITIES; REPUTABLE MEDIA; GLOBALWEBINDEX, Q2 & Q3 2017. **NOTES:** GLOBALWEBINDEX DATA IS BASED ON A SURVEY OF INTERNET USERS AGED 16-64, BUT DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE. PENETRATION FIGURES BASED ON POPULATION DATA FROM THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE U.S. CENSUS BUREAU.

# INTERNET USERS: DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES

REPORTS OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF INTERNET USERS FROM DIFFERENT DATA PROVIDERS



INTERNET  
WORLD STATS



**4.70**  
MILLION

ITU (INTERNATIONAL  
TELECOMMUNICATION UNION)



we  
are.  
social

**4.66**  
MILLION

INTERNET  
LIVE STATS



we  
are.  
social

**4.70**  
MILLION

CIA WORLD  
FACTBOOK



**4.66**  
MILLION

# FREQUENCY OF INTERNET USE

HOW OFTEN INTERNET USERS ACCESS THE INTERNET FOR PERSONAL REASONS (ANY DEVICE)



EVERY  
DAY



93%

AT LEAST ONCE  
PER WEEK



5%

AT LEAST ONCE  
PER MONTH



1%

LESS THAN ONCE  
PER MONTH



1%

we  
are.  
social

Google



# INTERNET CONNECTIONS: SPEED & DEVICES

AVERAGE INTERNET CONNECTION SPEEDS, AND THE DEVICE THAT PEOPLE USE MOST OFTEN TO ACCESS THE INTERNET



AVERAGE INTERNET  
SPEED VIA FIXED  
CONNECTIONS



**161.21**  
MBPS

AVERAGE INTERNET  
SPEED VIA MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**54.00**  
MBPS

ACCESS THE INTERNET  
MOST OFTEN VIA A  
COMPUTER OR TABLET



we  
are  
social

**8%**

ACCESS EQUIALLY VIA  
A SMARTPHONE AND  
COMPUTER OR TABLET



Google

**47%**

ACCESS THE INTERNET  
MOST OFTEN VIA A  
SMARTPHONE



**41%**

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# SHARE OF WEB TRAFFIC BY DEVICE

BASED ON EACH DEVICE'S SHARE OF ALL WEB PAGES SERVED TO WEB BROWSERS



LAPTOPS &  
DESKTOPS



**20%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**-60%**

**78%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+75%**

TABLET  
DEVICES



**2%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**-61%**

OTHER  
DEVICES



**0.01%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**-67%**

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# SIMILARWEB'S RANKING OF TOP WEBSITES

RANKINGS BASED ON AVERAGE MONTHLY TRAFFIC TO EACH WEBSITE IN Q4 2017



#	WEBSITE	CATEGORY	MONTHLY TRAFFIC	TIME PER VISIT	PAGES PER VISIT
01	GOOGLE.COM.SG	SEARCH	70,800,000	14M 00S	9.3
02	YOUTUBE.COM	TV & VIDEO	52,500,000	26M 47S	11.5
03	GOOGLE.COM	SEARCH	45,400,000	13M 48S	17.4
04	FACEBOOK.COM	SOCIAL	33,400,000	13M 27S	11.9
05	WIKIPEDIA.ORG	REFERENCE	10,400,000	4M 36S	3.3
06	YAHOO.COM	NEWS & MEDIA	9,700,000	7M 19S	7.7
07	WHATSAPP.COM	SOCIAL	9,000,000	2M 13S	2.0
08	TWITTER.COM	SOCIAL	7,300,000	9M 20S	7.4
09	REDDIT.COM	SOCIAL	7,100,000	9M 29S	6.8
10	LIVE.COM	EMAIL	6,300,000	6M 45S	8.0

**SOURCE:** SIMILARWEB, JANUARY 2018, BASED ON AVERAGE MONTHLY DATA FOR Q4 2017. **NOTES:** MONTHLY TRAFFIC REPRESENTS TOTAL VISITS TO EACH SITE, NOT UNIQUE VISITORS. DATA FOR SOME COUNTRIES REPRESENTS DESKTOP TRAFFIC, WHILST OTHERS REPRESENTS TRAFFIC FROM BOTH DESKTOP AND MOBILE DEVICES. **ADVISORY:** SOME WEBSITES REFERENCED ON THIS SLIDE MAY CONTAIN ADULT CONTENT, OR CONTENT THAT IS UNSUITABLE FOR THE WORKPLACE. PLEASE USE CAUTION WHEN VISITING UNKNOWN WEBSITES.

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# ALEXA'S RANKING OF TOP WEBSITES

RANKINGS BASED ON THE NUMBER OF VISITORS TO EACH SITE, AND THE NUMBER OF PAGES VIEWED ON EACH SITE PER VISIT



#	WEBSITE	TIME	PAGES	#	WEBSITE	TIME	PAGES
01	GOOGLE.COM.SG	6M 28S	9.80	11	INSTAGRAM.COM	5M 23S	3.34
02	YOUTUBE.COM	8M 18S	4.79	12	DBS.COM.SG	3M 36S	2.21
03	GOOGLE.COM	7M 32S	8.56	13	AMAZON.COM	8M 29S	8.62
04	FACEBOOK.COM	10M 21S	4.00	14	WHATSAPP.COM	3M 50S	1.23
05	WIKIPEDIA.ORG	4M 16S	3.31	15	BAIDU.COM	7M 31S	5.88
06	YAHOO.COM	4M 02S	3.61	16	TWITTER.COM	6M 21S	3.21
07	REDDIT.COM	15M 46S	10.05	17	VK.COM	10M 28S	4.74
08	LIVE.COM	4M 03S	3.41	18	STRAITSTIMES.COM	3M 08S	1.98
09	QOO10.SG	8M 28S	7.51	19	LINKEDIN.COM	5M 19S	4.19
10	LAZADA.SG	6M 50S	5.87	20	TAOBAO.COM	8M 36S	3.97

SOURCE: ALEXA, JANUARY 2018. NOTES: 'TIME' REPRESENTS TIME SPENT ON SITE PER DAY. 'PAGES' REPRESENTS NUMBER OF PAGE VIEWS PER DAY. ALEXA USES A COMBINATION OF AVERAGE DAILY VISITORS AND PAGE VIEWS OVER A ONE-MONTH PERIOD TO CALCULATE ITS RANKING. RANKINGS ON THIS SLIDE ARE BASED ON THE MONTH TO 16 JANUARY 2018. ADVISORY: SOME WEBSITES REFERENCED ON THIS SLIDE MAY CONTAIN ADULT CONTENT, OR CONTENT THAT IS UNSUITABLE FOR THE WORKPLACE. PLEASE USE CAUTION WHEN VISITING UNKNOWN WEBSITES.

# WEEKLY ONLINE ACTIVITIES BY DEVICE

PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL POPULATION\* ENGAGING IN EACH ACTIVITY AT LEAST ONCE PER WEEK [SURVEY-BASED]



USE A SEARCH ENGINE



we  
are  
social

VISIT A SOCIAL NETWORK



Google

PLAY GAMES



WATCH VIDEOS



Google

LOOK FOR PRODUCT INFORMATION



SMARTPHONE:  
**64%**

COMPUTER:  
**53%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**62%**

COMPUTER:  
**41%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**24%**

COMPUTER:  
**13%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**56%**

COMPUTER:  
**49%**

SMARTPHONE:  
**39%**

COMPUTER:  
**32%**

SOURCE: GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018. FIGURES BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY. \*NOTES: DATA BASED ON SURVEY RESPONSES FROM ADULT INTERNET USERS ONLY; PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON GOOGLE'S METHODOLOGY AND THEIR AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

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# TOP GOOGLE SEARCH QUERIES IN 2017

RANKING OF THE TOP SEARCH TERMS ENTERED INTO GOOGLE'S SEARCH ENGINE THROUGHOUT 2017



#	QUERY	INDEX	#	QUERY	INDEX
01	SINGAPORE	100	11	WEATHER	5
02	GOOGLE	16	12	YAHOO	4
03	YOUTUBE	11	13	GMAIL	4
04	YOU	9	14	4D	4
05	FACEBOOK	9	15	IBANKING	4
06	MAP	7	16	GOOGLE TRANSLATE	4
07	NEWS	7	17	WHATSAPP	3
08	TRANSLATE	7	18	OCBC	3
09	MRT	6	19	SINGTEL	3
10	DBS	6	20	INSTAGRAM	3

**SOURCE:** GOOGLE TRENDS, JANUARY 2018. **NOTES:** GOOGLE DOES NOT PUBLISH SEARCH VOLUMES, BUT THE 'INDEX' COLUMN SHOWS RELATIVE VOLUME FOR EACH QUERY COMPARED TO THE SEARCH VOLUME FOR THE TOP QUERY (AN INDEX OF 50 MEANS THAT THE QUERY RECEIVED 50% OF THE SEARCH VOLUME OF THE TOP QUERY).

# FREQUENCY OF WATCHING ONLINE VIDEO

HOW OFTEN INTERNET USERS WATCH ONLINE VIDEOS (ANY DEVICE)



WATCH ONLINE  
VIDEOS EVERY DAY



68%

WATCH ONLINE  
VIDEOS EVERY WEEK



19%

WATCH ONLINE  
VIDEOS EVERY MONTH



5%

WATCH ONLINE VIDEOS  
LESS THAN ONCE A MONTH



2%

NEVER WATCH  
ONLINE VIDEOS



7%

# HOW INTERNET USERS WATCH TELEVISION

COMPARISON OF THE METHODS AND DEVICES USED FOR ACCESSING AND DISPLAYING 'TELEVISION' CONTENT



REGULAR  
TELEVISION  
ON A TV SET



we  
are,  
social

81%

RECORDED  
CONTENT  
ON A TV SET



Google

14%

CATCH-UP /  
ON-DEMAND  
SERVICE ON TV SET



GOOG

20%

ONLINE CONTENT  
STREAMED ON  
A TV SET



Google

19%

ONLINE CONTENT  
STREAMED ON  
ANOTHER DEVICE



23%

# SOCIAL MEDIA USE

BASED ON THE MONTHLY ACTIVE USERS REPORTED BY THE MOST ACTIVE SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORM IN EACH COUNTRY



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**4.80**  
MILLION

ACTIVE SOCIAL USERS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
THE TOTAL POPULATION



**83%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF SOCIAL USERS  
ACCESSING VIA MOBILE



**4.30**  
MILLION

ACTIVE MOBILE SOCIAL  
USERS AS A PERCENTAGE  
OF THE TOTAL POPULATION

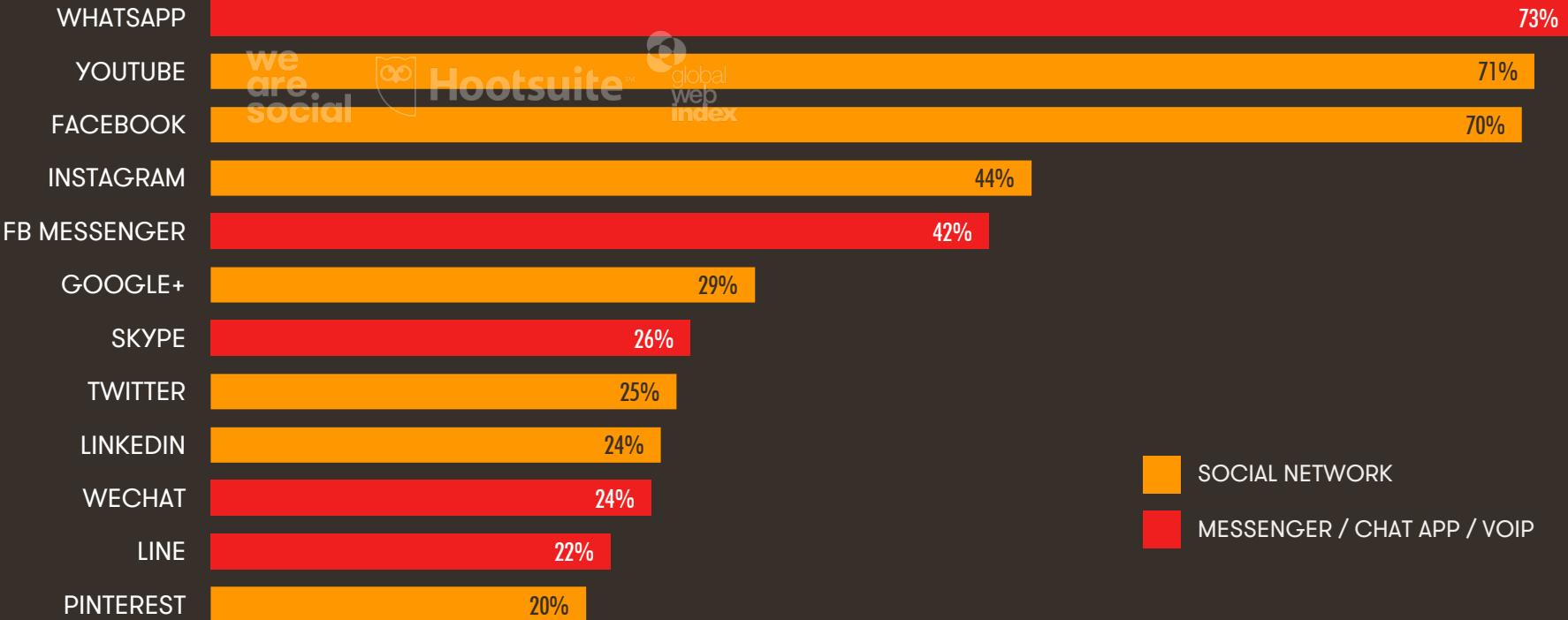


**75%**

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# MOST ACTIVE SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT USERS' OWN CLAIMED / REPORTED ACTIVITY



**SOURCE:** GLOBALWEBINDEX, Q2 & Q3 2017. BASED ON A SURVEY OF INTERNET USERS AGED 16-64. **NOTES:** DATA FOR PLATFORMS WITH AN ASTERISK (\*) IS COLLECTED IN A DIFFERENT PART OF THE SURVEY TO OTHER PLATFORM DATA. ALL DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE. **ADVISORY:** FIGURES ARE BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY, AND MAY NOT CORRELATE TO SOCIAL MEDIA PENETRATION FIGURES SHOWN ELSEWHERE IN THIS REPORT; FOR FULL DETAILS, SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT.

# FACEBOOK USAGE ANALYSIS

A CLOSER LOOK AT FACEBOOK USE, BROKEN DOWN BY MOBILE USE AND SELF-DECLARED GENDER OF USERS



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
MONTHLY ACTIVE  
FACEBOOK USERS



**4.80**  
MILLION

ANNUAL CHANGE IN  
FACEBOOK USERS  
vs. JANUARY 2017



**+9%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK USERS  
ACCESSING VIA MOBILE



**90%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK PROFILES  
DECLARED AS FEMALE



**47%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK PROFILES  
DECLARED AS MALE

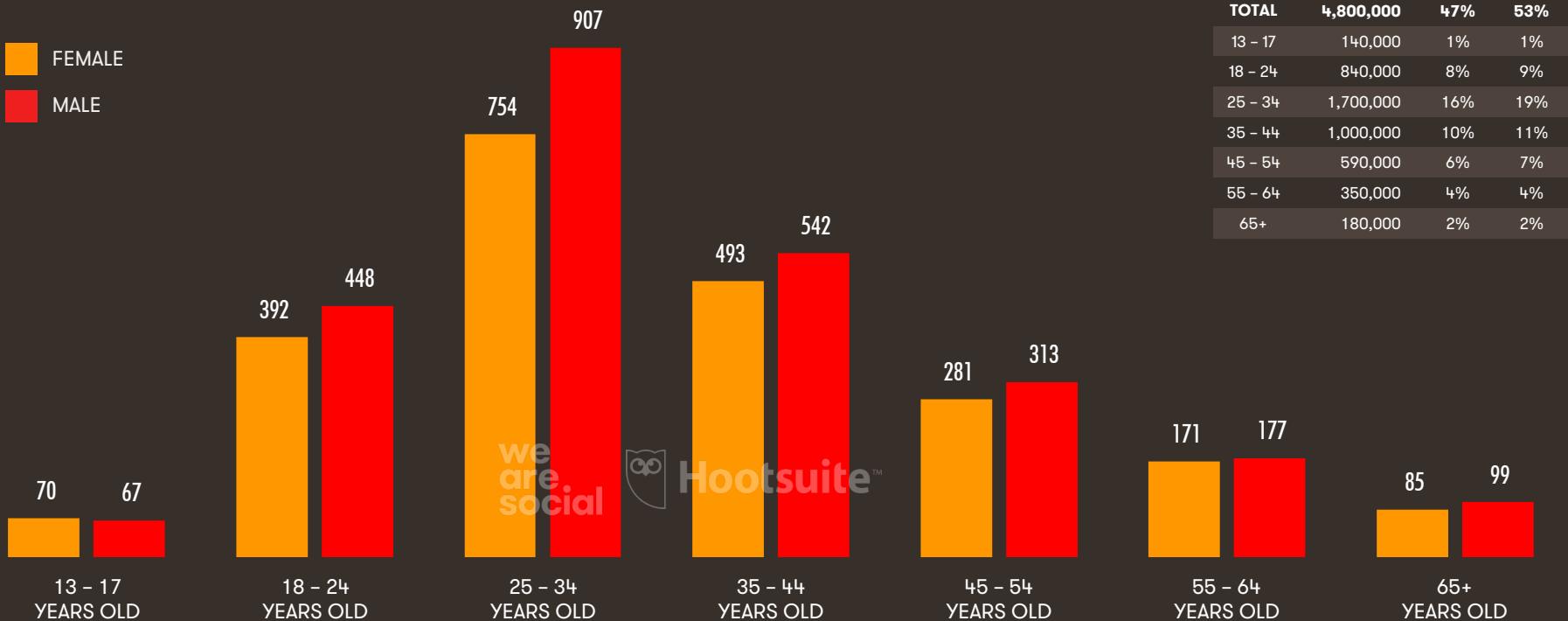


**53%**

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# PROFILE OF FACEBOOK USERS

A BREAKDOWN OF THE COUNTRY'S FACEBOOK'S USERS BY AGE AND GENDER, IN THOUSANDS



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# AVERAGE FACEBOOK PAGE POST REACH

AVERAGE MONTHLY GROWTH IN PAGE LIKES ('FANS'), AVERAGE REACH OF PAGE POSTS vs. PAGE LIKES, AND PAID MEDIA



AVERAGE MONTHLY  
CHANGE IN PAGE LIKES



+1.81%

AVERAGE POST REACH  
vs. PAGE LIKES



15.5%

AVERAGE ORGANIC  
REACH vs. PAGE LIKES



8.2%

PERCENTAGE OF PAGES  
USING PAID MEDIA



31.1%

AVERAGE PAID REACH  
vs. TOTAL REACH



27.2%

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# AVERAGE FACEBOOK ENGAGEMENT RATES

THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO ENGAGE WITH A FACEBOOK PAGE'S POSTS vs. THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE THAT THOSE POSTS REACH



AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE POSTS (ALL TYPES)



we  
are.  
social

**4.26%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE VIDEO POSTS



locowise

**4.43%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE PHOTO POSTS



locowise

**5.37%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE LINK POSTS



locowise

**4.10%**

AVERAGE ENGAGEMENT  
RATE FOR FACEBOOK  
PAGE STATUS POSTS



**4.55%**

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# INSTAGRAM USAGE ANALYSIS

AN OVERVIEW OF MONTHLY ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS, BROKEN DOWN BY GENDER



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
MONTHLY ACTIVE  
INSTAGRAM USERS



**2.20**  
MILLION

ACTIVE INSTAGRAM  
USERS AS A PERCENTAGE  
OF TOTAL POPULATION



**38%**

FEMALE USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF ALL  
ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS



**55%**

MALE USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF ALL  
ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS



**45%**

we  
are.  
social



we  
are.  
social

# MOBILE USERS vs. MOBILE CONNECTIONS

COMPARING THE NUMBER OF UNIQUE MOBILE USERS TO THE NUMBER OF MOBILE CONNECTIONS



NUMBER OF UNIQUE  
MOBILE USERS (ANY  
TYPE OF HANDSET)



**4.71**  
MILLION

MOBILE PENETRATION  
(UNIQUE USERS vs.  
TOTAL POPULATION)



**82%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**8.61**  
MILLION

MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
TOTAL POPULATION



**150%**

AVERAGE NUMBER OF  
CONNECTIONS PER  
UNIQUE MOBILE USER



**1.83**

SOURCES: UNIQUE MOBILE USERS: GSMA INTELLIGENCE, JANUARY 2018; GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018;  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS: GSMA INTELLIGENCE, Q4 2017. NOTE: PENETRATION FIGURES ARE FOR TOTAL POPULATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

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# MOBILE CONNECTIONS BY TYPE

BASED ON THE NUMBER OF CELLULAR CONNECTIONS (NOTE: NOT UNIQUE INDIVIDUALS)



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**8.61**  
MILLION

MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
TOTAL POPULATION



**150%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
THAT ARE PRE-PAID



**39%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
THAT ARE POST-PAID



**61%**

PERCENTAGE OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS THAT ARE  
BROADBAND (3G & 4G)



**100%**

# MOBILE CONNECTIVITY INDEX

GSMA INTELLIGENCE'S ASSESSMENT OF THE COUNTRY'S KEY ENABLERS AND DRIVERS OF MOBILE CONNECTIVITY



OVERALL COUNTRY  
INDEX SCORE



**83.42**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

MOBILE NETWORK  
INFRASTRUCTURE



**81.14**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

AFFORDABILITY OF  
DEVICES & SERVICES



**80.69**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

CONSUMER  
READINESS



**82.47**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

AVAILABILITY OF RELEVANT  
CONTENT & SERVICES



**89.69**

OUT OF A MAXIMUM  
POSSIBLE SCORE OF 100

# MOBILE ACTIVITIES

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT RESPONDENTS' SELF-REPORTED ACTIVITY



PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION USING  
MOBILE MESSENGERS



77%

PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION WATCHING  
VIDEOS ON MOBILE



69%

PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION PLAYING  
GAMES ON MOBILE



53%

PERCENTAGE  
OF THE POPULATION  
USING MOBILE BANKING



47%

PERCENTAGE OF THE  
POPULATION USING  
MOBILE MAP SERVICES



69%

global  
web  
index

we  
are.  
social

global  
web  
index

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# SMARTPHONE LIFE MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL POPULATION USING A SMARTPHONE TO PERFORM EACH TASK [SURVEY-BASED]



USE THE ALARM  
CLOCK FUNCTION



51%

MANAGE DIARY  
OR APPOINTMENTS



28%

CHECK THE  
WEATHER



21%

TRACK HEALTH, DIET,  
OR ACTIVITY LEVELS



8%

TAKE PHOTOS  
OR VIDEOS



55%

CHECK  
THE NEWS



34%

READ E-BOOKS  
OR E-MAGAZINES



9%

MANAGE LISTS  
(E.G. SHOPPING, TASKS)



22%

SOURCE: GOOGLE CONSUMER BAROMETER, JANUARY 2018. FIGURES BASED ON RESPONSES TO A SURVEY. \*NOTES: DATA BASED ON SURVEY RESPONSES FROM ADULT INTERNET USERS ONLY; PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END OF THIS REPORT FOR MORE INFORMATION ON GOOGLE'S METHODOLOGY AND THEIR AUDIENCE DEFINITIONS. DATA HAS BEEN REBASED TO SHOW TOTAL NATIONAL PENETRATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

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# TOP APP RANKINGS

RANKINGS OF TOP MOBILE APPS BY MONTHLY ACTIVE USERS AND BY NUMBER OF DOWNLOADS



RANKING OF MOBILE APPS BY MONTHLY ACTIVE USERS

#	APP NAME	DEVELOPER / COMPANY
01	WHATSAPP MESSENGER	FACEBOOK
02	FACEBOOK	FACEBOOK
03	FACEBOOK MESSENGER	FACEBOOK
04	INSTAGRAM	FACEBOOK
05	GRAB	GRAB
06	CAROUSELL	CAROUSELL
07	UBER	UBER TECHNOLOGIES
08	WECHAT	TENCENT
09	SPOTIFY	SPOTIFY
10	LINE	LINE

RANKING OF MOBILE APPS BY NUMBER OF DOWNLOADS

#	APP NAME	DEVELOPER / COMPANY
01	WHATSAPP MESSENGER	FACEBOOK
02	FACEBOOK MESSENGER	FACEBOOK
03	FACEBOOK	FACEBOOK
04	OBIKE	OBIKE
05	GRAB	GRAB
06	UBER	UBER TECHNOLOGIES
07	INSTAGRAM	FACEBOOK
08	WECHAT	TENCENT
09	OFO	OFO
10	NESTIA	NESTIA

SOURCE: APP ANNIE, JANUARY 2018, BASED ON DATA IN THE APP ANNIE 2017 RETROSPECTIVE REPORT. FOR MORE DETAILS, VISIT [HTTPS://WWW.APPANNIE.COM/](https://www.appannie.com/)

NOTES: RANKINGS ARE BASED ON COMBINED DATA FOR BOTH THE APPLE iOS APP STORE AND THE GOOGLE PLAY APP STORE. MONTHLY ACTIVE USER RANKINGS ARE BASED ON MONTHLY AVERAGES FOR FULL-YEAR 2017. NOTE: RANKINGS EXCLUDE PRE-INSTALLED APPS, SUCH AS YOUTUBE ON ANDROID DEVICES, AND SAFARI ON APPLE DEVICES.

# FINANCIAL INCLUSION FACTORS

PERCENTAGE OF THE POPULATION AGED 15+ THAT REPORTS OWNING OR USING EACH FINANCIAL PRODUCT OR SERVICE



HAS A BANK  
ACCOUNT



**96%**

**we  
are.  
social**

HAS A  
CREDIT CARD



**35%**

MAKES AND / OR RECEIVES  
MOBILE PAYMENTS VIA GSMA



**6%**

**we  
are.  
social**

MAKES ONLINE PURCHASES  
AND / OR PAYS BILLS ONLINE



**28%**

PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN  
WITH A CREDIT CARD



**35%**



PERCENTAGE OF MEN  
WITH A CREDIT CARD



**36%**

PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN  
MAKING INTERNET PAYMENTS



**26%**



PERCENTAGE OF MEN  
MAKING INTERNET PAYMENTS



**30%**

# E-COMMERCE ACTIVITIES IN PAST 30 DAYS

SURVEY-BASED DATA: FIGURES REPRESENT RESPONDENTS' SELF-REPORTED ACTIVITY



SEARCHED ONLINE  
FOR A PRODUCT  
OR SERVICE TO BUY



73%

VISITED  
AN ONLINE  
RETAIL STORE



72%

PURCHASED A  
PRODUCT OR  
SERVICE ONLINE



59%

MADE AN ONLINE  
PURCHASE VIA A LAPTOP  
OR DESKTOP COMPUTER



39%

MADE AN ONLINE  
PURCHASE VIA A  
MOBILE DEVICE



39%

# E-COMMERCE SPEND BY CATEGORY

TOTAL ANNUAL AMOUNT SPENT ON CONSUMER E-COMMERCE CATEGORIES, IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS



FASHION & BEAUTY



\$771.9  
MILLION

ELECTRONICS &  
PHYSICAL MEDIA



\$918.2  
MILLION

FOOD &  
PERSONAL CARE



\$339.3  
MILLION

FURNITURE &  
APPLIANCES



\$452.8  
MILLION

TOYS, DIY &  
HOBBIES



\$843.8  
MILLION

TRAVEL (INCLUDING  
ACCOMMODATION)



\$896.5  
MILLION

DIGITAL  
MUSIC



\$12.7  
MILLION

VIDEO  
GAMES



\$255.7  
MILLION

SOURCES: STATISTA DIGITAL MARKET OUTLOOK, E-COMMERCE INDUSTRY, E-TRAVEL INDUSTRY, AND DIGITAL MEDIA INDUSTRY, ALL ACCESSED JANUARY 2018.  
NOTE: FIGURES ARE BASED ON ESTIMATES OF FULL-YEAR CONSUMER SPEND IN 2017, AND DO NOT INCLUDE B2B SPEND.

# E-COMMERCE GROWTH BY CATEGORY

ANNUAL CHANGE IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT SPENT ON CONSUMER E-COMMERCE CATEGORIES, IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS



FASHION  
& BEAUTY



+15%

ELECTRONICS &  
PHYSICAL MEDIA



+11%

FOOD &  
PERSONAL CARE



+12%

FURNITURE &  
APPLIANCES



+17%

TOYS, DIY  
& Hobbies



+10%

TRAVEL (INCLUDING  
ACCOMMODATION)



+14%

DIGITAL  
MUSIC



+12%

VIDEO  
GAMES



+13%

SOURCES: STATISTA DIGITAL MARKET OUTLOOK, E-COMMERCE INDUSTRY, E-TRAVEL INDUSTRY, AND DIGITAL MEDIA INDUSTRY, ALL ACCESSED JANUARY 2018.  
NOTE: FIGURES ARE BASED ON ESTIMATES OF FULL-YEAR CONSUMER SPEND IN 2017, AND DO NOT INCLUDE B2B SPEND.

# E-COMMERCE DETAIL: CONSUMER GOODS

AN OVERVIEW OF THE E-COMMERCE MARKET FOR CONSUMER GOODS, WITH VALUES IN UNITED STATES DOLLARS



TOTAL NUMBER OF PEOPLE PURCHASING CONSUMER GOODS VIA E-COMMERCE



**3.12**  
**MILLION**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+7%**

PENETRATION OF CONSUMER GOODS E-COMMERCE (TOTAL POPULATION)



**54%**

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VALUE OF THE CONSUMER GOODS E-COMMERCE MARKET (TOTAL ANNUAL SALES REVENUE)



**\$3.326**  
**BILLION**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+12%**

AVERAGE ANNUAL REVENUE PER USER OF CONSUMER GOODS E-COMMERCE (ARPU)



**\$1,067**

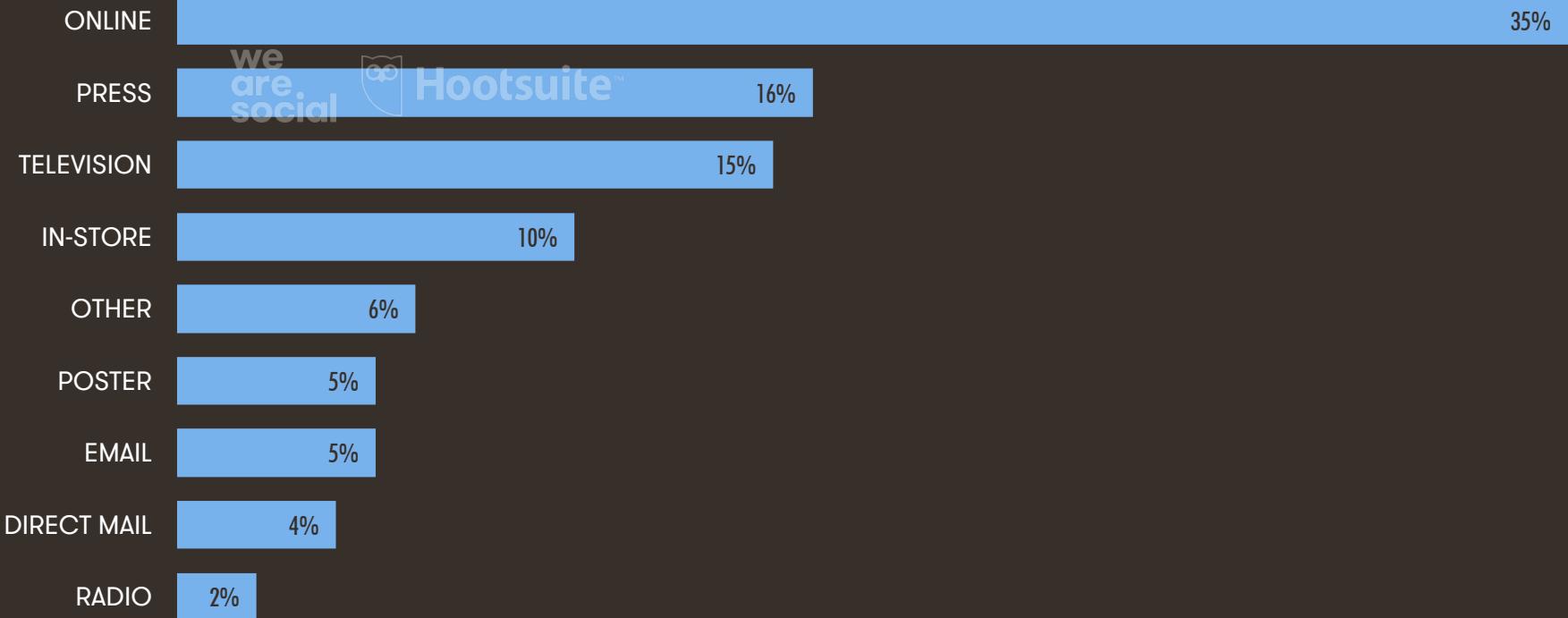
YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+5%**

**SOURCE:** STATISTA DIGITAL MARKET OUTLOOK, E-COMMERCE INDUSTRY, ACCESSED JANUARY 2018. **NOTES:** FIGURES REPRESENT SALES OF PHYSICAL GOODS VIA DIGITAL CHANNELS ON ANY DEVICE TO PRIVATE END USERS, AND DO NOT INCLUDE DIGITAL MEDIA, DIGITAL SERVICES SUCH AS TRAVEL OR SOFTWARE, B2B PRODUCTS AND SERVICES, RESALE OF USED GOODS, OR SALES BETWEEN PRIVATE PERSONS (P2P COMMERCE). PENETRATION FIGURE REPRESENTS PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION, REGARDLESS OF AGE.

# ADVERTISING MEDIA: FIRST AWARENESS

THE CHANNEL THAT FIRST INTRODUCED INTERNET USERS\* TO A PRODUCT OR SERVICE THAT THEY SUBSEQUENTLY PURCHASED



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# DIGITAL IN TIMOR-LESTE

A SNAPSHOT OF THE COUNTRY'S KEY DIGITAL STATISTICAL INDICATORS



TOTAL  
POPULATION



**1.31**  
**MILLION**

URBANISATION:

**34%**

INTERNET  
USERS



**0.41**  
**MILLION**

PENETRATION:

**31%**

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**0.41**  
**MILLION**

PENETRATION:

**31%**

MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**1.73**  
**MILLION**

vs. POPULATION:

**132%**

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



**0.39**  
**MILLION**

PENETRATION:

**30%**

**SOURCES:** POPULATION: UNITED NATIONS; U.S. CENSUS BUREAU; INTERNET: INTERNETWORLDSTATS; ITU; EUROSTAT; INTERNETLIVESTATS; CIA WORLD FACTBOOK; MIDEASTMEDIA.ORG; FACEBOOK; GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; REGULATORY AUTHORITIES; REPUTABLE MEDIA; **SOCIAL MEDIA AND MOBILE SOCIAL MEDIA:** FACEBOOK; TENCENT; VKONTAKTE; KAKAO; NAVER; DING; TECHRASA; SIMILARWEB; KEPIOS ANALYSIS; **MOBILE:** GSMA INTELLIGENCE; GOOGLE; ERICSSON; KEPIOS ANALYSIS. **NOTE:** PENETRATION FIGURES ARE FOR TOTAL POPULATION (ALL AGES).

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# ANNUAL DIGITAL GROWTH

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE IN KEY STATISTICAL INDICATORS



INTERNET  
USERS



+2%

SINCE JAN 2017

+10 THOUSAND

ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



+2%

SINCE JAN 2017

+10 THOUSAND

MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



+11%

SINCE JAN 2017

+165 THOUSAND

ACTIVE MOBILE  
SOCIAL USERS



+3%

SINCE JAN 2017

+10 THOUSAND

**SOURCES:** POPULATION: UNITED NATIONS; U.S. CENSUS BUREAU; INTERNET: INTERNETWORLDSTATS; ITU; EUROSTAT; INTERNETLIVESTATS; CIA WORLD FACTBOOK; MIDEASTMEDIA.ORG; FACEBOOK; GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; REGULATORY AUTHORITIES; REPUTABLE MEDIA; **SOCIAL MEDIA AND MOBILE SOCIAL MEDIA:** FACEBOOK; TENCENT; VKONTAKTE; KAKAO; NAVER; DING; TECHRASA; SIMILARWEB; KEPIOS ANALYSIS; **MOBILE:** GSMA INTELLIGENCE; GOOGLE; ERICSSON; KEPIOS ANALYSIS. **GROWTH DATA:** WE ARE SOCIAL & HOOTSUITE'S DIGITAL IN 2017 REPORT.

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# POPULATION & ECONOMIC INDICATORS

ESSENTIAL DEMOGRAPHICS AND KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS



TOTAL POPULATION



we  
are.  
social

**1.31  
MILLION**

FEMALE POPULATION



we  
are.  
social

**49.2%**

MALE POPULATION



we  
are.  
social

**50.8%**

ANNUAL CHANGE IN POPULATION SIZE



we  
are.  
social

**+2.1%**

MEDIAN AGE



**19.1**

**YEARS OLD**

POPULATION LIVING IN URBAN AREAS



we  
are.  
social

**34%**

GDP PER CAPITA



we  
are.  
social

**\$2,145**

LITERACY (TOTAL)



we  
are.  
social

**68%**

FEMALE LITERACY



we  
are.  
social

**63%**

MALE LITERACY



**72%**

# INTERNET USE

BASED ON REPORTED INTERNET USER DATA, AND ACTIVE USE OF INTERNET-POWERED MOBILE SERVICES



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE  
INTERNET USERS



**410.0**  
THOUSAND

INTERNET USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF THE  
TOTAL POPULATION



**31%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE MOBILE  
INTERNET USERS



**390.0**  
THOUSAND

MOBILE INTERNET USERS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
THE TOTAL POPULATION



**30%**

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# INTERNET USERS: DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES

REPORTS OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF INTERNET USERS FROM DIFFERENT DATA PROVIDERS



INTERNET  
WORLD STATS



**340.0**  
THOUSAND

ITU (INTERNATIONAL  
TELECOMMUNICATION UNION)



we  
are.  
social

**330.8**  
THOUSAND

INTERNET  
LIVE STATS



**14.03**  
THOUSAND

CIA WORLD  
FACTBOOK



we  
are.  
social

**330.2**  
THOUSAND

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# SHARE OF WEB TRAFFIC BY DEVICE

BASED ON EACH DEVICE'S SHARE OF ALL WEB PAGES SERVED TO WEB BROWSERS



LAPTOPS &  
DESKTOPS



**22%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**-12%**

**76%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**+6%**

TABLET  
DEVICES



**2%**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**-44%**

OTHER  
DEVICES



**[N/A]**

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE:

**[N/A]**

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# ALEXA'S RANKING OF TOP WEBSITES

RANKINGS BASED ON THE NUMBER OF VISITORS TO EACH SITE, AND THE NUMBER OF PAGES VIEWED ON EACH SITE PER VISIT



#	WEBSITE	TIME	PAGES	#	WEBSITE	TIME	PAGES
01	GOOGLE.COM	7M 32S	8.56	11	XNXX.COM	12M 46S	9.27
02	YOUTUBE.COM	8M 18S	4.79	12	MYWAY.COM	3M 00S	2.58
03	FACEBOOK.COM	10M 21S	4.00	13	PORNHUB.COM	8M 29S	3.19
04	YAHOO.COM	4M 02S	3.61	14	SAVEFROM.NET	3M 03S	1.32
05	BLOGSPOT.COM	2M 38S	2.12	15	ASK.COM	1M 59S	1.92
06	GOOGLE.TL	3M 21S	2.70	16	INDOXXI.NET	7M 48S	8.31
07	GOOGLE.CO.ID	6M 28S	8.44	17	SOFTONIC.COM	we are social	2M 21S
08	WORDPRESS.COM	2M 39S	2.00	18	DELOTON.COM	1M 02S	2.65
09	XVIDEOS.COM	14M 04S	10.15	19	MICROSOFT.COM	3M 00S	2.50
10	WIKIPEDIA.ORG	4M 16S	3.31	20	TRIBUNNEWS.COM	6M 05S	3.57

SOURCE: ALEXA, JANUARY 2018. NOTES: 'TIME' REPRESENTS TIME SPENT ON SITE PER DAY. 'PAGES' REPRESENTS NUMBER OF PAGE VIEWS PER DAY. ALEXA USES A COMBINATION OF AVERAGE DAILY VISITORS AND PAGE VIEWS OVER A ONE-MONTH PERIOD TO CALCULATE ITS RANKING. RANKINGS ON THIS SLIDE ARE BASED ON THE MONTH TO 16 JANUARY 2018. ADVISORY: SOME WEBSITES REFERENCED ON THIS SLIDE MAY CONTAIN ADULT CONTENT, OR CONTENT THAT IS UNSUITABLE FOR THE WORKPLACE. PLEASE USE CAUTION WHEN VISITING UNKNOWN WEBSITES.

# SOCIAL MEDIA USE

BASED ON THE MONTHLY ACTIVE USERS REPORTED BY THE MOST ACTIVE SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORM IN EACH COUNTRY



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF ACTIVE SOCIAL  
MEDIA USERS



**410.0**  
THOUSAND

ACTIVE SOCIAL USERS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
THE TOTAL POPULATION



**31%**

TOTAL NUMBER  
OF SOCIAL USERS  
ACCESSING VIA MOBILE



**390.0**  
THOUSAND

ACTIVE MOBILE SOCIAL  
USERS AS A PERCENTAGE  
OF THE TOTAL POPULATION



**30%**



# FACEBOOK USAGE ANALYSIS

A CLOSER LOOK AT FACEBOOK USE, BROKEN DOWN BY MOBILE USE AND SELF-DECLARED GENDER OF USERS



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
MONTHLY ACTIVE  
FACEBOOK USERS



**410.0**  
THOUSAND

ANNUAL CHANGE IN  
FACEBOOK USERS  
vs. JANUARY 2017



**+2%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK USERS  
ACCESSING VIA MOBILE



**95%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK PROFILES  
DECLARED AS FEMALE



**40%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
FACEBOOK PROFILES  
DECLARED AS MALE



**60%**

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2018

# INSTAGRAM USAGE ANALYSIS

AN OVERVIEW OF MONTHLY ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS, BROKEN DOWN BY GENDER



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
MONTHLY ACTIVE  
INSTAGRAM USERS



**32.00**  
THOUSAND

ACTIVE INSTAGRAM  
USERS AS A PERCENTAGE  
OF TOTAL POPULATION



**2%**

FEMALE USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF ALL  
ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS



**48%**

MALE USERS AS A  
PERCENTAGE OF ALL  
ACTIVE INSTAGRAM USERS



**52%**

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# MOBILE CONNECTIONS BY TYPE

BASED ON THE NUMBER OF CELLULAR CONNECTIONS (NOTE: NOT UNIQUE INDIVIDUALS)



TOTAL NUMBER  
OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS



**1.73  
MILLION**

MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
AS A PERCENTAGE OF  
TOTAL POPULATION



**132%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
THAT ARE PRE-PAID



**99%**

PERCENTAGE OF  
MOBILE CONNECTIONS  
THAT ARE POST-PAID



**1%**

PERCENTAGE OF MOBILE  
CONNECTIONS THAT ARE  
BROADBAND (3G & 4G)



**33%**



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78% OF GLOBAL  
INTERNET POPULATION



50 DIGITAL  
ECONOMIES



90% OF WORLDWIDE  
ECONOMIC POWER



MORE THAN 30,000  
INTERACTIVE STATISTICS

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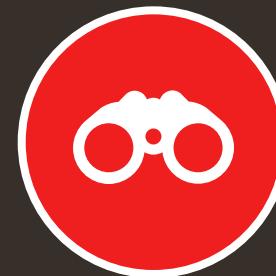
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1 MILLION  
REGISTERED USERS



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**DIGITAL DEVICE OWNERSHIP DATA:** Google Consumer Barometer (accessed January 2018)\*\*.

**DIGITAL ATTITUDES DATA:** GlobalWebIndex (Q2 & Q3 2017)\*; Google Consumer Barometer (accessed January 2018)\*\*.

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**SOCIAL MEDIA AND MOBILE SOCIAL MEDIA DATA:** Latest reported monthly active user numbers from Facebook, Tencent, VKontakte, LINE, Kakao, Google, Sina, Twitter, Skype, Yahoo!, Viber, Baidu, and Snap, as quoted directly in company documents, or as reported by reputable media (all latest data available at time of publishing in January 2018). Time spent on social media from GlobalWebIndex (Q2 & Q3 2017)\*. Facebook and Instagram age and gender figures extrapolated from Facebook data (January 2018). Facebook reach and engagement data from Locowise; data represents monthly averages for full-year 2017.

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**NOTES:** Some ‘annual growth’ figures are calculated using the data reported in Hootsuite and We Are Social’s Digital in 2017 report: <http://bit.ly/GD2017GO>.

\*GlobalWebIndex manages a panel of more than 18 million connected consumers, collecting data every quarter across 40 countries around the world, and representing 90% of the global internet population. Visit <http://www.globalwebindex.net> for more details.

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# NOTES ON DATA VARIANCE, MISMATCHES, AND CURIOSITIES

This report uses data from a wide variety of sources, including market research agencies, internet and social media companies, governments and public bodies, news media, journalists, and our own internal analysis.

Wherever possible, we've prioritised data sources that provide broader geographical coverage, in order to minimise the potential variations between data points, and offer more reliable comparison across countries. However, where we believe that an individual metric provides a more reliable reference, we've used such individual numbers to ensure the most accurate reporting.

Furthermore, due to differing data collection and preparation methodologies used by these organisations, as well as the different sample periods during which the data were collected, there may be significant differences in the reported metrics for similar data points throughout this report.

In particular, data collected via surveys often vary from one report to another, even if those data have been collected by the same

organisation using the same methodology and approach in each wave.

Similarly, reports of internet user numbers vary considerably between different sources, due to the complex nature of collecting this data. In part, this is because there are fewer commercial imperatives for governments and regulators to collect and publish regular internet user data compared to, for example, the regular user number updates published by social media companies, who depend on such data to sell their products and services.

However, the latest user numbers published by these companies can be a useful proxy for the number of internet users in countries where no other reliable data are available, because all active social media users must have an active internet connection in order to access social media.

Because of this, on occasion, we've used the latest monthly active user data from social media companies to inform our internet user numbers, especially in less-developed economies, where 'official' internet user

numbers are published less frequently. As a result, there are a number of countries in this report where the number of social media users equals the number of internet users.

It's unlikely that 100 percent of internet users in any given country will use the same social media platform though, so in cases where internet and social media user numbers are the same, it's likely that the actual number of internet users will be higher than the number we've reported.

Lastly, in some instances in this year's report, metrics may have decreased year-on-year due to corrections in the source data, actual declines in user numbers, and changes in the primary data source we've used in our reporting due to reasons such as increased reliability, or the non-availability of updated numbers from previous providers.

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