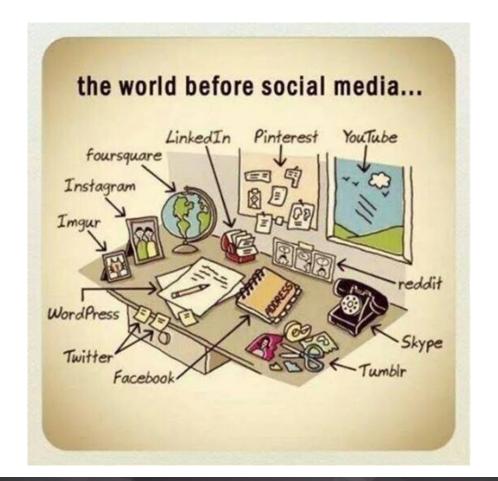
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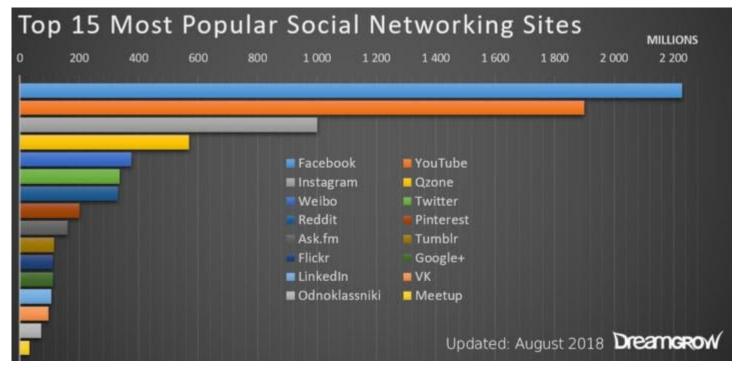




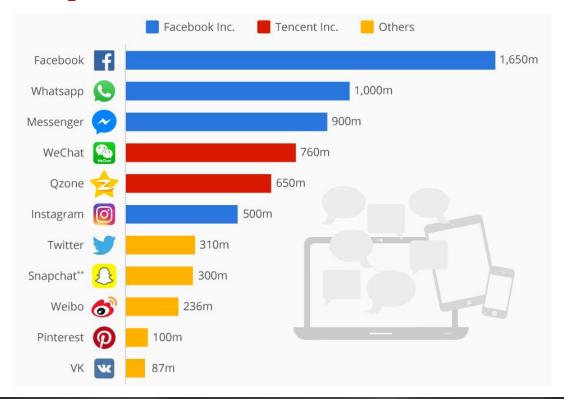














Social Media Is:



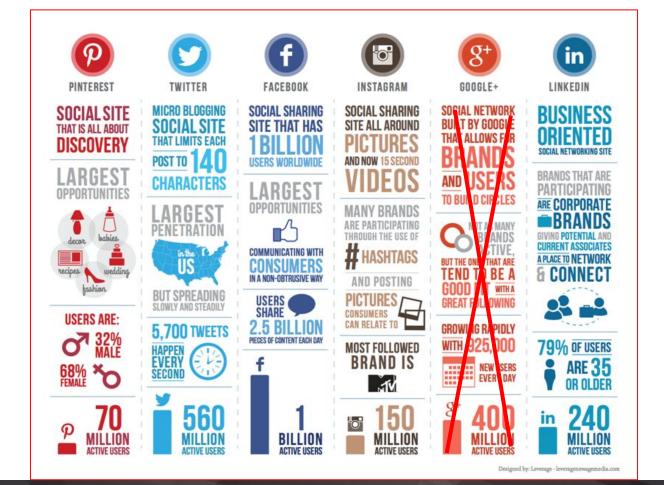
- Personal publishing platform
- A way to build relationships
- Word of mouth at its best and worst
- A way to influence your audience

Social networks in the U.S reach 80% of active U.S. Internet users

How do Americans spend their time online?

- 18-29 89% daily usage
- 30-49 72% daily usage
- 50-60 60% daily usage
- 65+ 43% daily usage











Are You Focused?

- Build a following of people like you
- Don't only post about business
- React and reply to every single comment
- Interact with other people in groups



Facebook Overview

- Facebook
 - Largest social network
 - More than 2 billion users worldwide
 - Owns Instagram (more later)
 - Mutual connections
 - Groups
 - Pages





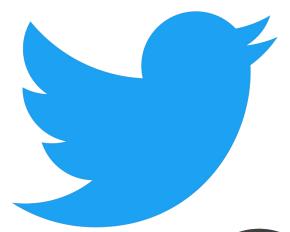
Building Your Following

- Personal Page
 - Don't leave anything blank
 - Multiple photos always help
 - Fill in your about me page
- Business Page
 - Fill in every detail
 - Post regularly
 - Boost your posts



Twitter

- Short and to the point 280 characters
- Use hashtags (#) for targeting
- Tweet directly to others to create engagement (@)
 - Use a period in front of a username to publicly speak with them
- Hashtags in your bio for search





LinkedIn

- The professional network
- Only share articles about business
- Keep your recommendations strong
 - Request them monthly
 - Recommend others (so they come back to you)
- Best place for professional recommendations
- Complete your entire profile
- Great SEO benefits



LinkedIn Engagement

- Endorsements/recommendations
- Join relevant groups
- Exporting your contacts
 - A hugely powerful tool that is not well known.
 - Download the emails and contacts

https://www.linkedin.com/people/export-settings

Pinterest

- Great for picture heavy industries
 - 15% occurring on brand's boards
 - 85% occurred elsewhere on Pinterest.
 - Over 80% of pins are repins.





Instagram

- For the visual person
 - People love pics
 - Over 95 million photos per day posted
 - Hashtags are king
- Easiest place to build a following
 - Success means a 2% engagement rate
 - 4% engagement makes you an instagram power user





Should I Use Hashtags on Facebook?



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#YES



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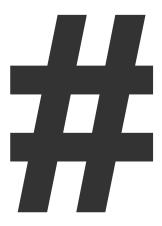
- Trending
- Spike in popularity
- Personalized
- Location based
- Pages you like





Should I Use Hashtags on Facebook

- Topics into clickable links
- Phrases into clickable links
- Discovery tool for others
- Discovery tool for you





Should I Use Hashtags on Facebook

- Category
- Rank
- Popularity
- Influence
- Performance







Maybe? Yes... No, but sometimes...











- Full post sometimes doesn't transfer properly
- Hashtags don't transfer over easily
- Links sometimes get broken
- Different audiences
- People tagging does not transfer across platforms

- Short form medium
- 280 characters maximum
- Extremely fast moving
- 1000 followers = Less than 18 minutes
- 10000 followers = Less than 6 minutes







- Long form medium
- As many characters as you want
- Hard to get noticed in a newsfeed
- Video/Photos rank higher



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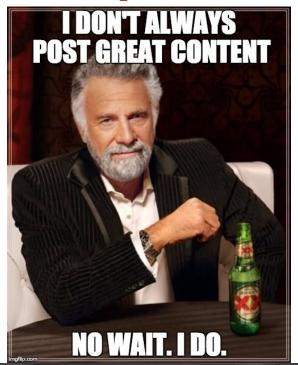
- Same content for many people
- Not allowed to add flare
- No "personal" touch
- No control over content



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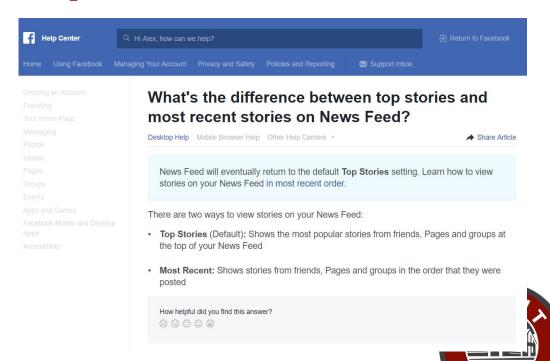
- They only post about one thing
- Never gear content towards you
- Hard to generate influence
- Who cares about what they're posting?













Sorting Top Updates and Recent Updates in Your Feed

You can control how updates in your network are displayed in your LinkedIn feed on the homepage.

The feed by default is set to display **Top Updates**, which are selected according to relevance, based on your activity.

On desktop, you can also view your feed by **Recent Updates**, which are organized chronologically. This setting must be manually selected for viewing.

- Figure out what's trending
- A tool to help find content
- A hashtag generation tool
- Easy way to post to multiple networks





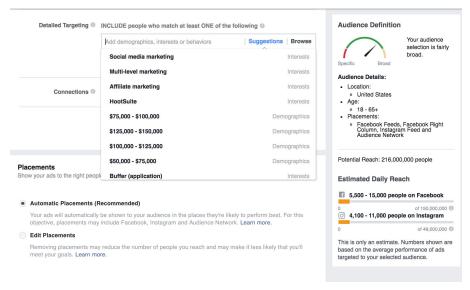
Should I Be Using Facebook Ads?



How do I target my ads?

Target Your Demographics based on your competition:

- Real Estate
- Real Estate Company
- Likely to Move
- Any Interest



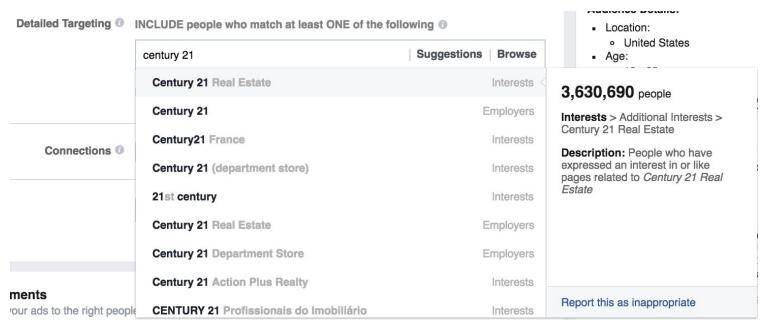


Competitor #1...

Detailed Targeting	INCLUDE people who match at least ONE of the following		Audience Details: Location:
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	Keller Williams Luxury Homes	Interests	
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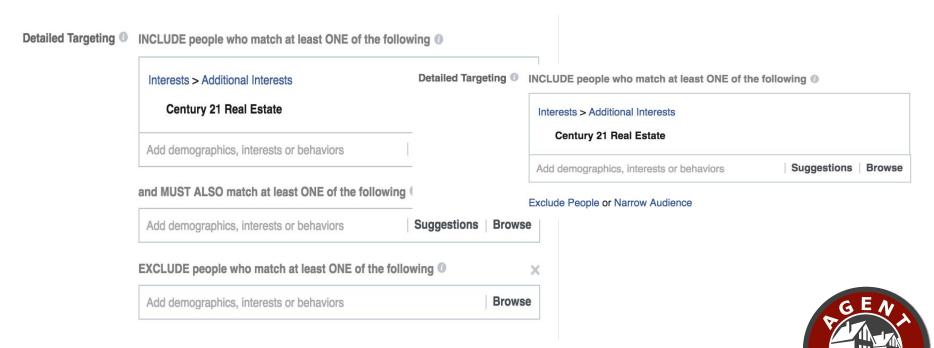


Competitor #2...





Target Your Audience!



Audience Definition



Your audience is defined

Audience Details:

- Location:
 - United States: Huntington (+25 mi) New York
- Age:
 - o 18 65+
- Exclude:
- · Interests: Keller Williams Realty
- People Who Match:
 - Income: \$75,000 \$100,000
- And Must Also Match:
 - Interests: Century 21 Real Estate
- · Behaviors: Likely to move
- Placements:
 - Facebook Feeds, Facebook Right Column and Audience Network

Potential Reach: 3,100 people

Estimated Daily Reach



660 - 1,700 people on Facebook



This is only an estimate. Numbers shown are based on the average performance of ads targeted to your selected audience.

Narrow Your Ad Copy

Location Based Age Based **Exclusions** Matches Narrow Matches Potential Reach



Time To Review

- 1. Do I really need to use social media?
- 2. Should I use hashtags on Facebook?
- 3. Should I cross promote content on Facebook and Twitter?
- 4. Should I use a company that automatically posts for me?
- 5. How do I find great content to post to my networks?
- 6. How do I target my Facebook Ads?



Your Social Media Questions, Answered

It's your turn to ask some questions

Gaming the System: Your Guide To Social Media Thank you!