



The Smart Kitchen:

How Consumers Use Digital Media & Other Technologies in their Kitchens







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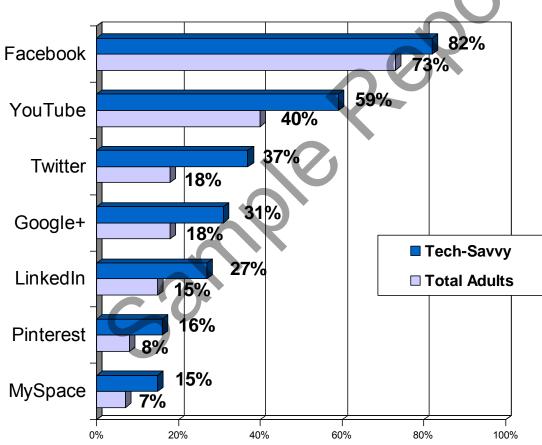




Personal Usage of the Internet

Facebook & YouTube Most Popular Sites With Tech-Savvy Far More Likely to Visit All

Which of the following social networking oriented sites do you use at least once a week <u>for personal use</u>, not business related?



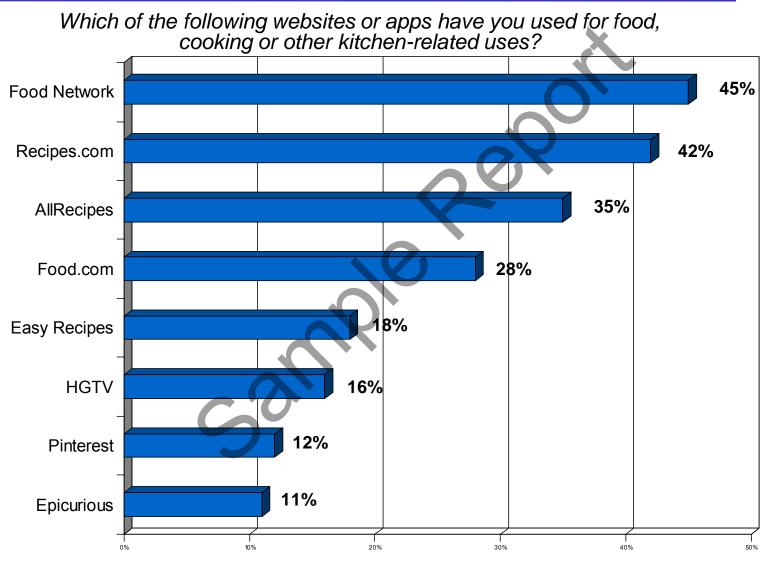
USE ONCE A WEEK OR MORE FOR PERSONAL REASONS





Use of **Technology** in the Kitchen

Food Network & Recipes.com Top Websites/Apps Used in the Kitchen



NOTE: Asked of those who use websites or apps for food, cooking or other kitchen-related activities (76% of total respondents). Shown are those chosen by 5% or more of respondents from list.

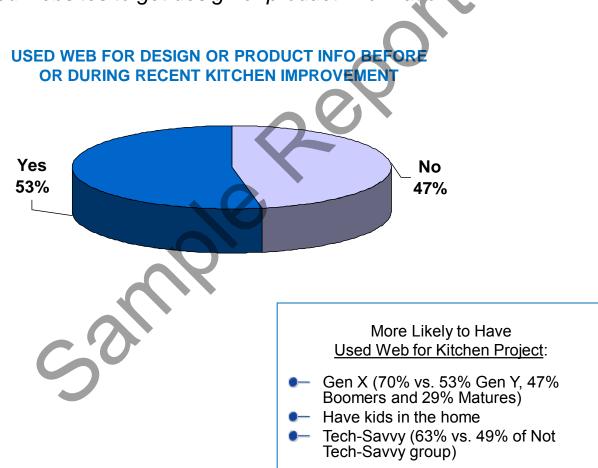




Websites Used for Kitchen Improvements

More Than Half Used Kitchen-Related Websites for Kitchen Project

Before or during your kitchen improvement, did you go to any kitchenrelated websites to get design or product information?



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About RICKI

- America's leading authority for kitchen research and intelligence.
- The research conducted by RICKI goes beyond traditional research methodologies to help companies gain a better understanding of the mindset of today's consumers by delving deeper into motivations and emotional drivers to pinpoint trends that will impact companies into the future.
- RICKI was founded by a group of professional market researchers. The Executive Director of RICKI spent 18 years in the home improvement industry and was a former president and board member of one of the leading associations for the overall home improvement sector, the Home Improvement Research Institute (HIRI).

To find out more about this study or RICKI, visit: www.KitchenTrends.org

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