HASHTAG CHEAT SHEET

FACEBOOK

• **Don't use hashtags.** They don't serve a purpose on Facebook.

INSTAGRAM

- **Use 9-12 hashtags.** An analysis by TrackMaven found that posts with 9 hashtags had the most engagement. That being said, you can use up to 30 hashtags per post.
- Think of your ideal customer. Use hashtags that your ideal customer is likely to follow.
- **High-performing and niche.** Use a mixture of hashtags that have been used hundreds of thousands of times as well as hashtags that have been used thousands of times. You can find out how many times a hashtag has been used by searching it in Instagram.

LINKEDIN

- Use a maximum of five hashtags. Using too many hashtags on LinkedIn could flag you as spam.
- Research the competition. Find out what hashtags others in your industry are using and use those.
- Use LinkedIn's suggested hashtags. LinkedIn will suggest hashtags based on your copy. Sometimes you'll see some good ideas.

TIKTOK

- See what's trending. Keep an eye on the discover tab and use popular hashtags if you're able to jump on a trend.
- **High-performing hashtags.** Unlike Instagram, you're better off using hashtags that have been used billions or millions of times than more niche hashtags.

TWITTER

- Use two to three hashtags. Characters are at a premium on Twitter so don't let your hashtags take up too much space.
- **See what's trending.** Check out the Trending tab and see if you can jump on any trends.







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Use this table to keep track of hashtags you'll use and how often they've been mentioned. This is particularly helpful for Instagram where you want to use a mixture of high performing and niche hashtags.

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