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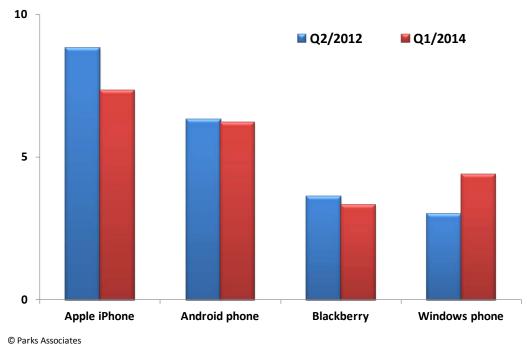
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SYNOPSIS

Consumer Segmentation: Mobile App Users analyzes the market for tablet and smartphone apps, including the number of downloads, expenditures, in-app purchases, and app use. It segments and analyzes consumers according to their level of app use. Finally, it investigates the use of key app genres, namely music, messaging, shopping, and second-screen apps.

Average # of Smartphone Apps Used by Smartphone OS

(Smartphone Users in U.S. Broadband Households)



ANALYST INSIGHT

"Retailers are leveraging shopping apps to establish stronger relationships with customers and facilitate in-store shopping. In similar fashion, content providers are building stronger relationship with viewers by offering app tiers to their media properties."

- John Barrett, Director, Consumer Analytics, Parks Associates

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