

### Critical Mass Insights

Helping America's most influential voices

know what to say to America.

# Radio and Social Media Study

March 2025

#### **METHODOLOGY**

DATES OF FIELDING: March 24th-27th, 2025

**N=900** monthly radio listeners

Demos: Men/Women 18-64

Ethnic: 60% White/Asian/Other, 12% Black, 18% Hispanic

Geography: 36% Southern, 22% Midwestern, 24% Northeastern, 17% Western

Sources: Critical Mass Insights Study March 2025, 900 respondents

#### Adding Radio helps your social media investment work harder

64%

Of 25-44 say they are
MORE LIKELY to CLICK a
social ad after hearing
about a product a lot
on the radio

7 in 10

Consumers say they're
MORE LIKELY to TRY a new
product that they've heard
their favorite radio or
podcast host talk about

7 in 10

Consumers say they're
MORE LIKELY to stop and
READ a social media ad for
a product they've heard
about on the radio

**72**%

Of consumers are

MORE LIKELY to NOTICE
social media advertising for a product after they've heard about it on the radio



# Radio Drives Consideration & Purchase Intent



50% of Consumers more likely to consider a product they see in the grocery store if they heard about it on the radio first



50% of Consumers more likely to visit a fast food restaurant after hearing about it on the radio



Those who engage with brands on social are 2x more likely to after hearing about a product on the radio

#### For Hispanic Audiences, Radio Maximizes Social Media Impact

74%

Of Hispanic Consumers say they are MORE LIKELY to CLICK a social ad after hearing about a product a lot on the radio

8 in 10

Hispanic Consumers say "I'm

MORE LIKELY to NOTICE a
social media advertisement
for a product I heard about
from my favorite radio or
podcast host"

8 in 10

Hispanic Consumers say they're "MORE LIKELY to stop and READ a social media ad for a product they've heard about on the radio" **78**%

Of Hispanic Consumers say "I'm MORE LIKELY TO TRY A NEW PRODUCT after I've heard about it on the radio"

#### For Black Audiences, Radio Maximizes Social Media Impact

### 7 in 10

Of Black Consumers say they are MORE LIKELY to CLICK a social ad after hearing about a product a lot on the radio 73%

Of Black Consumers say "I'm

MORE LIKELY to NOTICE a
social media advertisement
for a product I heard about
from my favorite radio or
podcast host"

7 in 10

Of Black Consumers say they're "MORE LIKELY to stop and READ a social media ad for a product they've heard about on the radio"

**70**%

Of Black Consumers say
"I'm MORE LIKELY TO TRY A
NEW PRODUCT after I've
heard about it on the radio"



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