

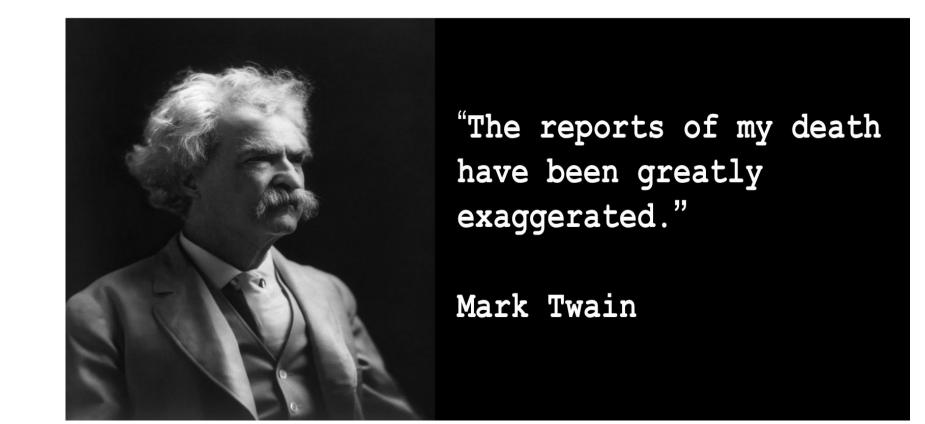
Email Marketing Like a Boss

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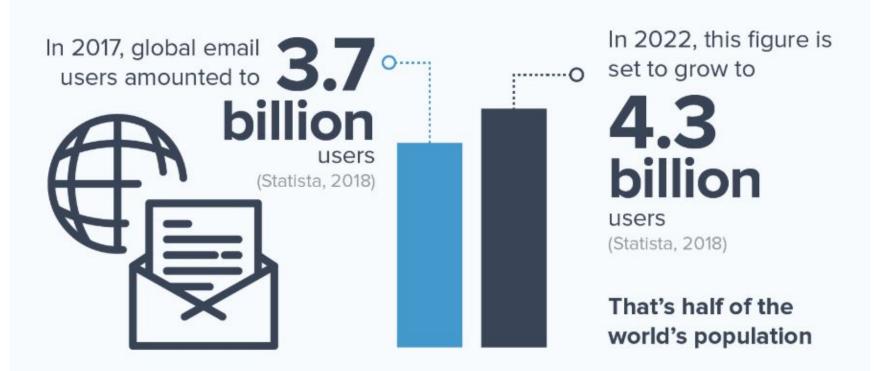
Is Email Marketing Worth It?

No matter how small your business is, you have the power to reach people through email marketing 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

- You can structure your email marketing strategy in a better way, and connect with your audience in an instant.
- The numbers say it all when it comes to proving the credibility of email marketing.



Is Email Marketing Worth It?



Email marketing isn't going anywhere soon. In fact, it's growing.



Email Fun Facts

- ✓ Mobile opens accounted for 46 percent of all email opens.
- ✓ 73 percent of millennials prefer communications from businesses to come via email.
- More than 50 percent of U.S. respondents check their personal email account more than 10 times a day, and it is by far their preferred way to receive updates from brands.
- ✓ 99% of consumers check their email every day.
- ✓ 80% of business professionals believe that email marketing increases customer retention.



Email Fun Facts

- ✓ 59% of respondents say marketing emails influence their purchase decisions.
- The most opened emails relate to hobbies, with an open rate of 27.35%
- ✓ 59% of marketers say email is their biggest source of ROI.
- ✓ 56% of brands using an emoji in their email subject line had a higher open rate than those that did not.
- Marketers who use segmented campaigns note as much as a 760% increase in revenue.



Source: Hubspot

Where to Start?



Picking an Email Service Provider

- There are many options.
- Need to pick best one for your needs based on
 - Use
 - Cost
 - Functionality



Top 10 Email Service Providers

HubSpot Constant Contact Campaign Monitor iContact MailChimp

> AWeber SendinBlue

MARKETING

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Paid Versus Free ESP Accounts

- Some charge based on number of email addresses.
- Some charge based on volume of email messages sent.
- Some have limited options on free accounts (*ie Free Constant Contact has no A/B testing, MailChimp requires* their logo on emails from free accounts)



Can't I Just Use Outlook? Privacy CAN SPAM Compliance **Black Listing** Bounces The Dreaded "Reply All"



About CAN SPAM

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