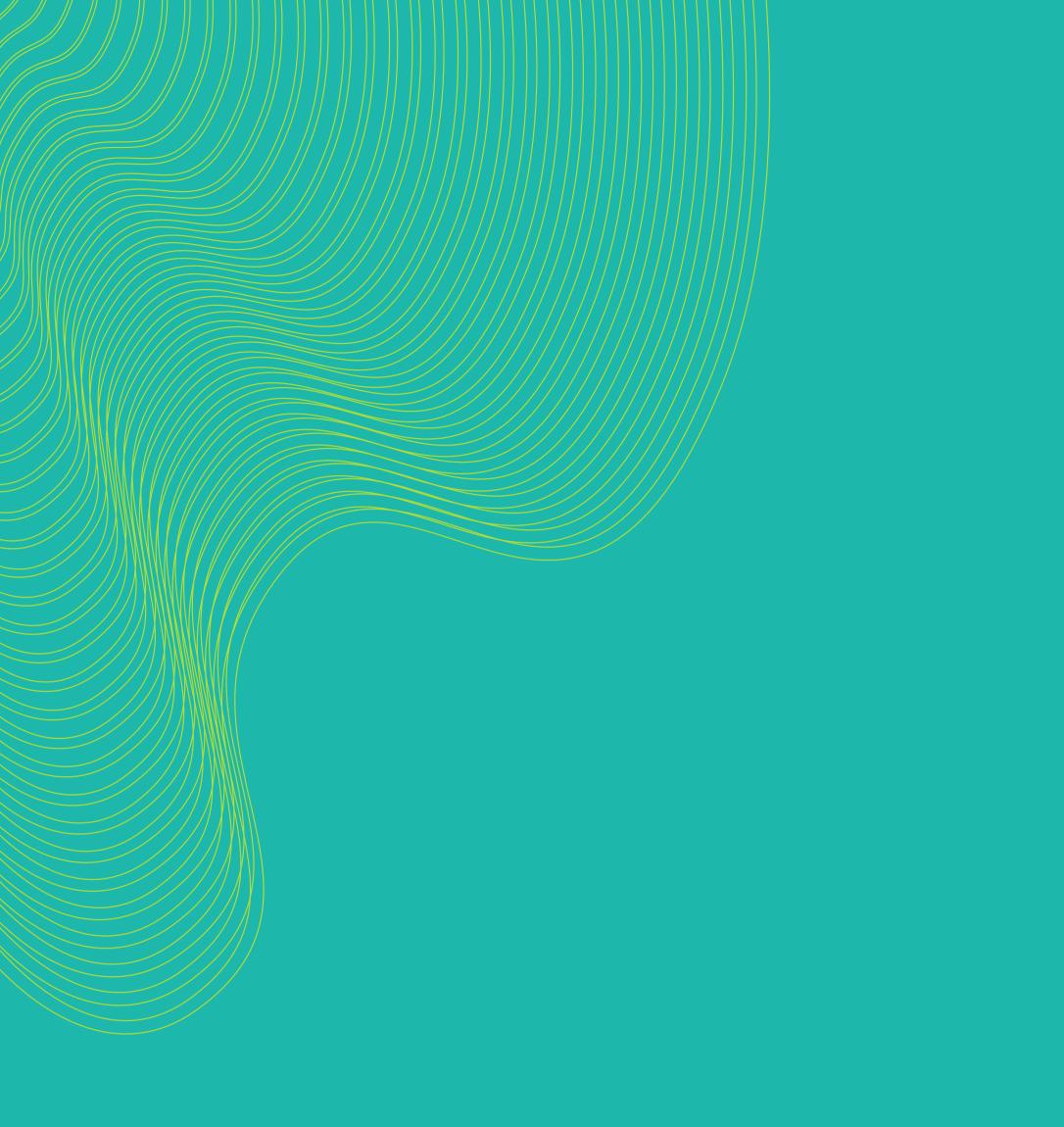


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# ICT EQUIPMENT AND USES IN 2020

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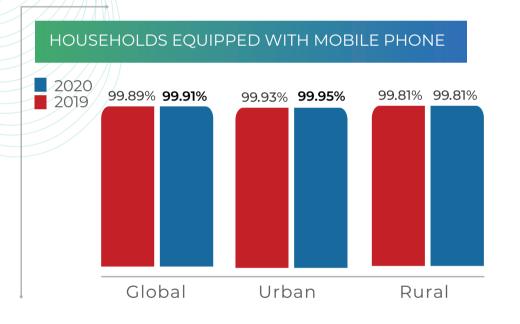


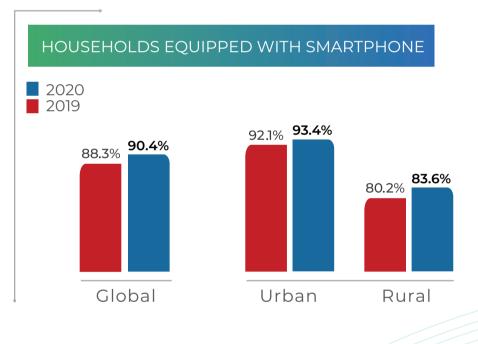
# ICT in Households

# Household equipment with mobile phones



Almost all households are equipped with mobile.





AVERAGE NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS EQUIPPED WITH MOBILE PHONE IN HOUSEHOLD



Household equipment with Computers



While in 2019 **PC** and **Tablet** equipment stabilized, 2020 recorded a substantial increase with 64.2% equipment rate

# **COVID19** Effect :

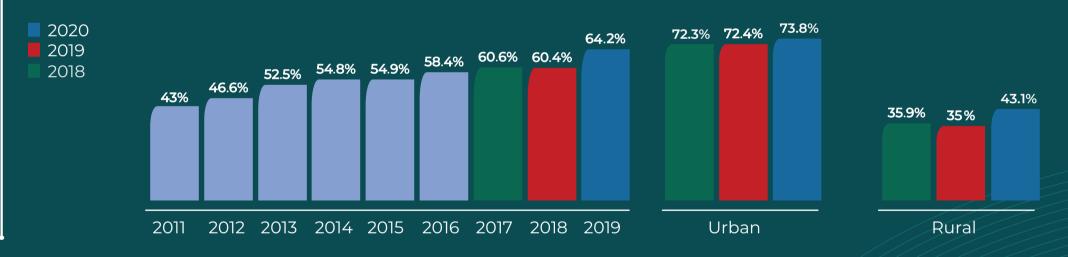


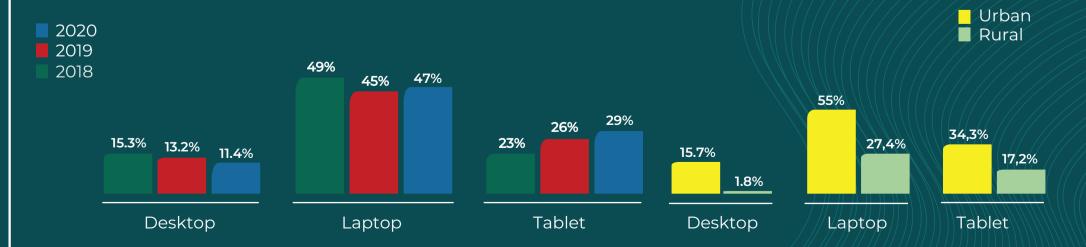
Teleworking, e-learning and e-commerce have resulted in increased demand for laptops and tablets.



Desktop computers are in sharp decline: this is the corollary of factors related to teleworking. One in three households is equipped with a tablet, thus confirming the trend towards mobility. There is an interesting jump in rural areas with **+8 pts.** 

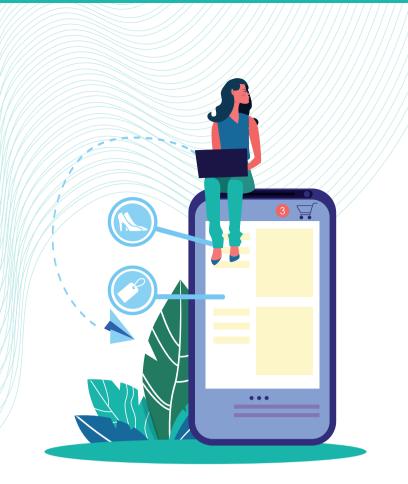
#### HOUSEHOLDS EQUIPMENT WITH COMPUTERS AND / OR TABLET







## Internet Household Equipment

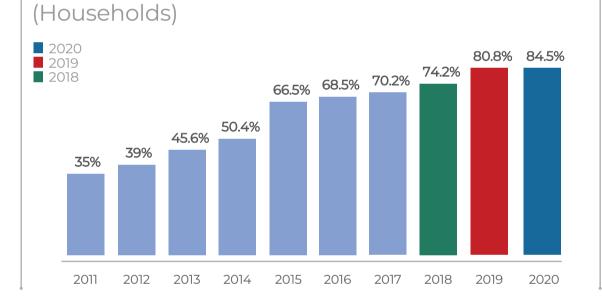


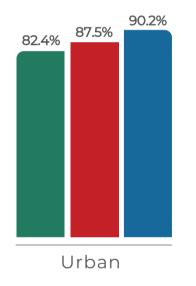
Internet access equipment increased among Moroccan households in 2020.

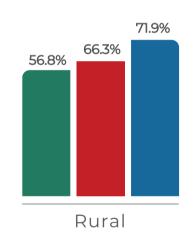
- Household Internet access equipment concerns more than 8 out of 10 equipped households at national level.

- The increase is more important in rural areas.

# INTERNET EQUIPMENT



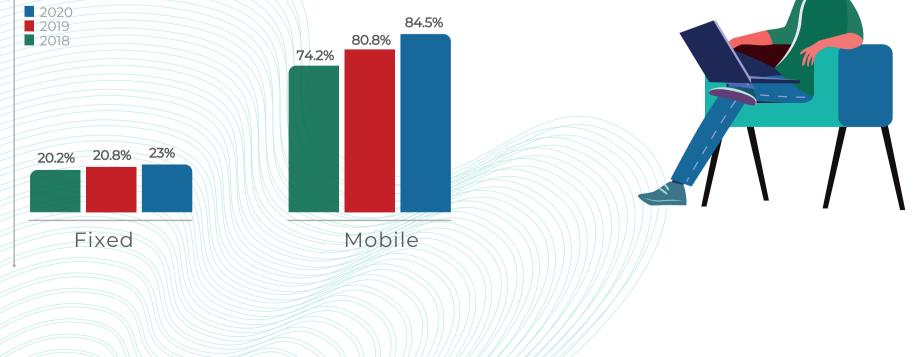




## INTERNET ACCESS BY TYPE

(Households)



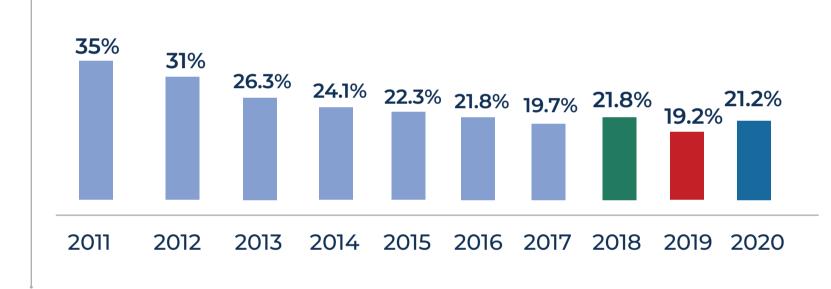


Household equipment with fixed telephony

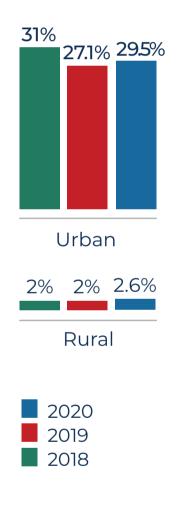


In the context of Covid-19, households have equipped themselves with a fixed telephone : + 10% on average. The progression is stronger in rural areas.

# FIXED TELEPHONY EQUIPMENT (Households)



MOTIVATIONS FOR EQUIPMENT IN FIXED TELEPHONY (among households equipped with fixed telephony

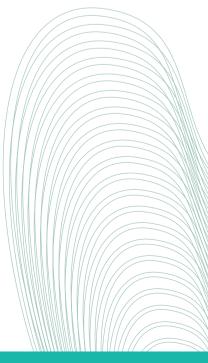




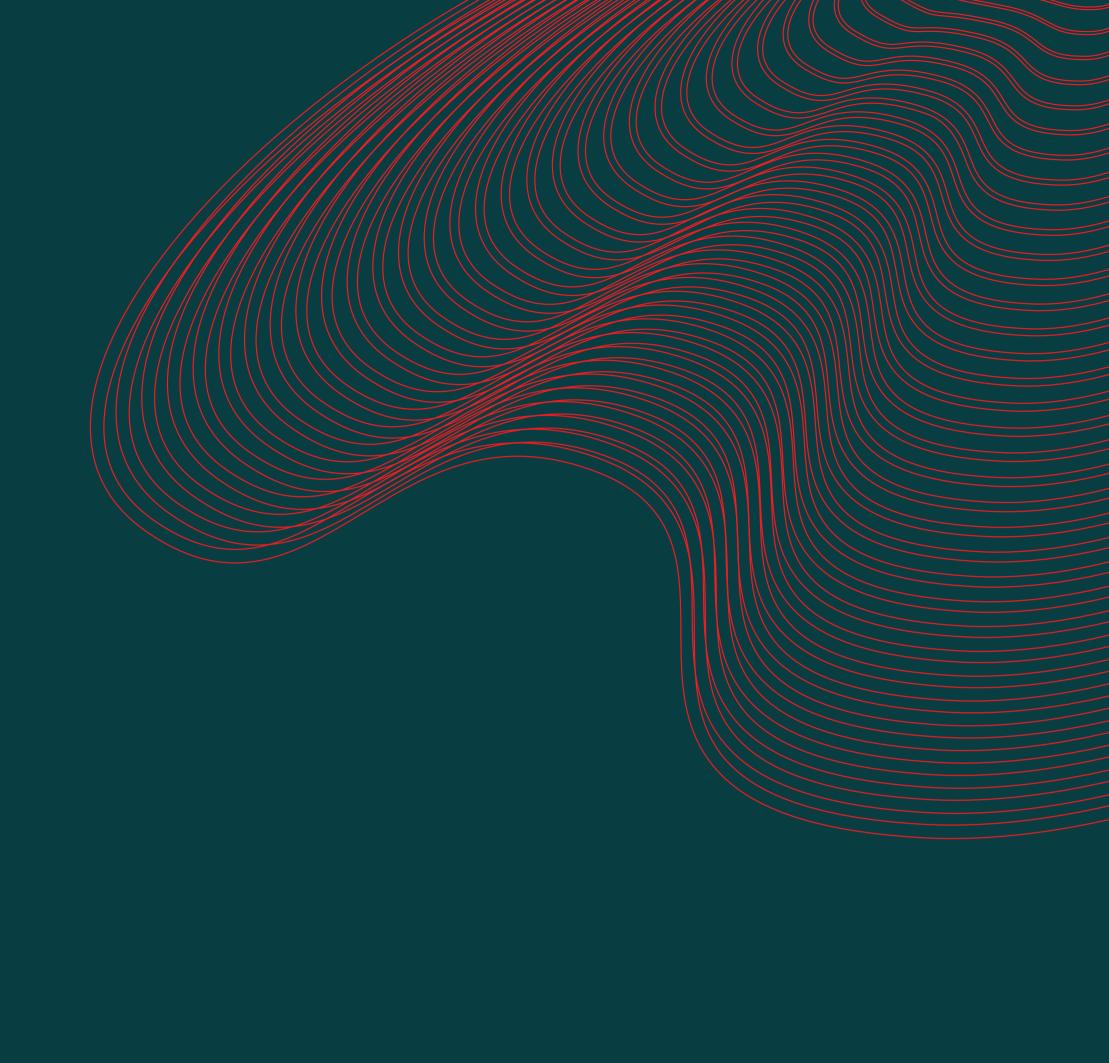




To have fixed Internet access (ADSL or FTTH\*) To have TV access through digital receiver connected to Internet (e.g. - IPTV)







# ICT for Individuals

# Mobile telephony has reached saturation, which resulted in a slight variation of the equipment rate

The growth of mobile telephone accounts is progressing faster than the demographic growth:

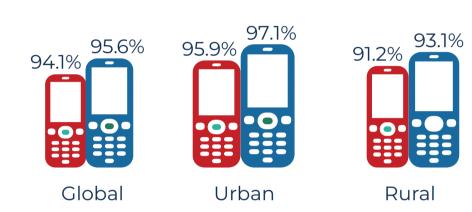
More than 840,000 new people have acquired a mobile phone.

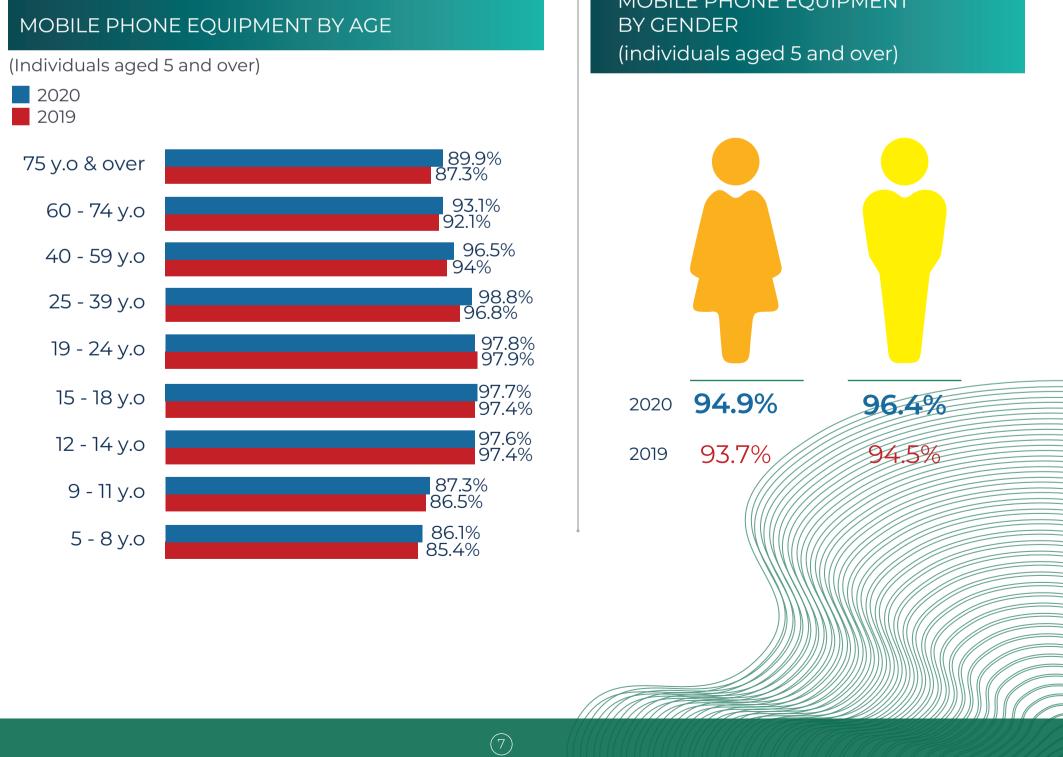
This represents 140% of the population growth between 2019 and 2020 (+365,000).

### INDIVIDUALS EQUIPPED WITH MOBILE PHONE

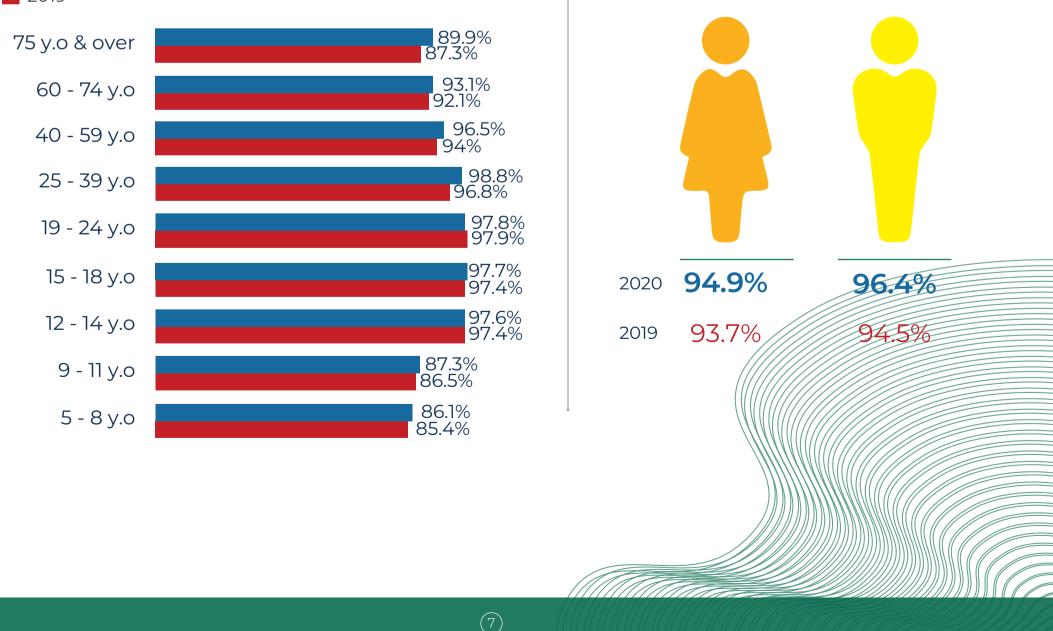
Individuals aged 5 and over

2020 2019





MOBILE PHONE EQUIPMENT



# Individual equipment with Smartphone





**25.7 million** individuals aged 5 years and over are equipped smartphones.



A great increase in smartphone equipment in rural areas.

#### SMARTPHONE EQUIPMENT

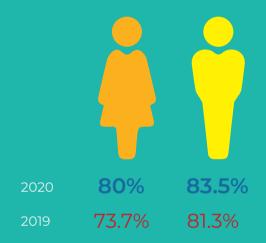
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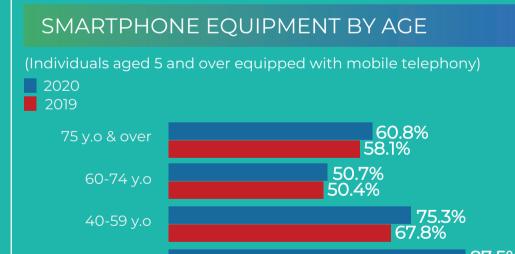




#### SMARTPHONE EQUIPMENT BY GENDER

(Individuals aged 5 and over equipped with mobile telephony)





25-39 y.o	87.5% 83.4%
19-24 y.o	93.8% 91.2%
15-18 y.o	90.4% 86.9%
12-14 y.o	89.4% 83.6%
9-11 y.o	88.4% 87.5%
5-8 y.o	86.9% 85.5%

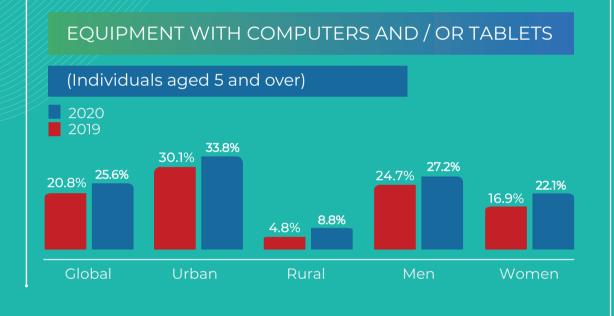
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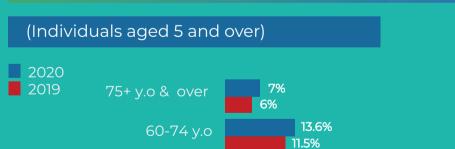
1 out of 4 people own a PC or tablet (*smartphone excluded*): An increase of 23% compared to 2019

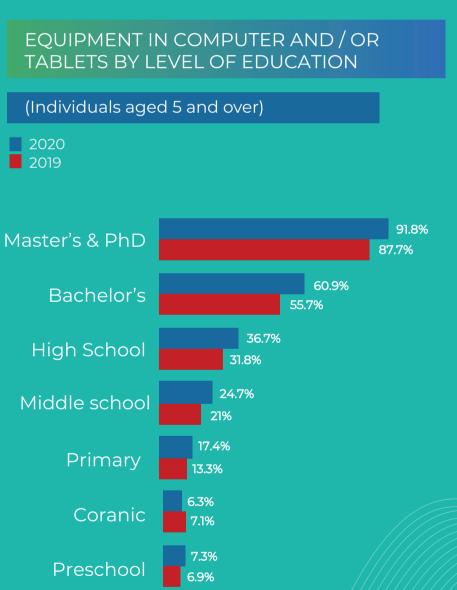
#### COVID-19 EFFECT :

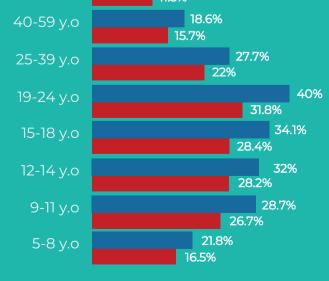
The rural area is equipped with devices with a growth rate of over 83% against + 12% for the urban area.



### EQUIPMENT IN COMPUTER AND / OR TABLETS BY AGE



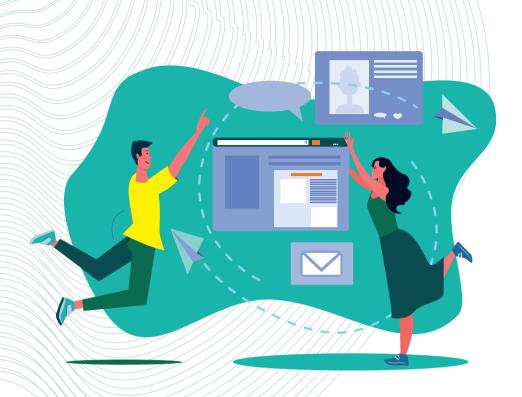








#### Internet use records a remarkable jump with a rate of 14.4% between 2019 and 2020.

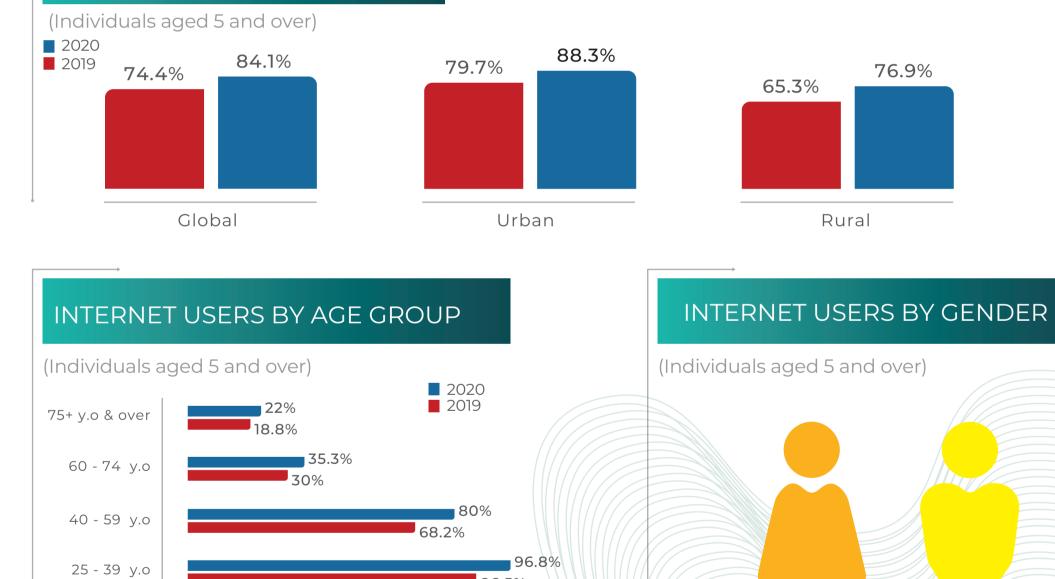


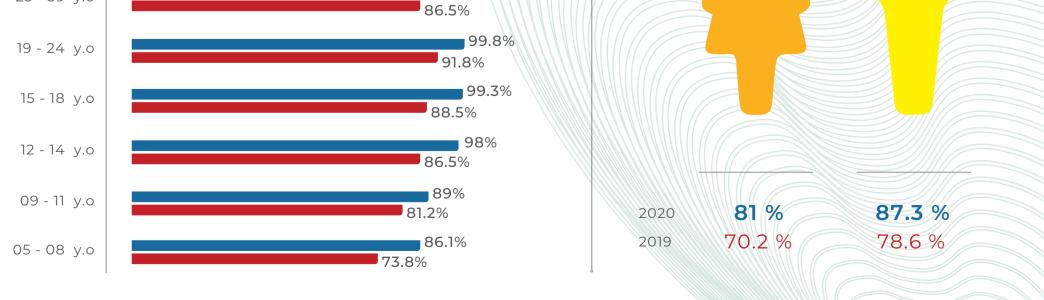
The context of the pandemic and what it entailed in terms of teleworking, e-learning and e-commerce has broadened the Internet users base.

#### **3.5 M more**

joined the community of Internet users in 2020.

### PROPORTION OF INTERNET USERS





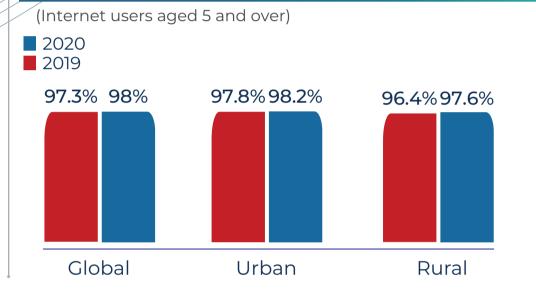


# Participation to Social Media



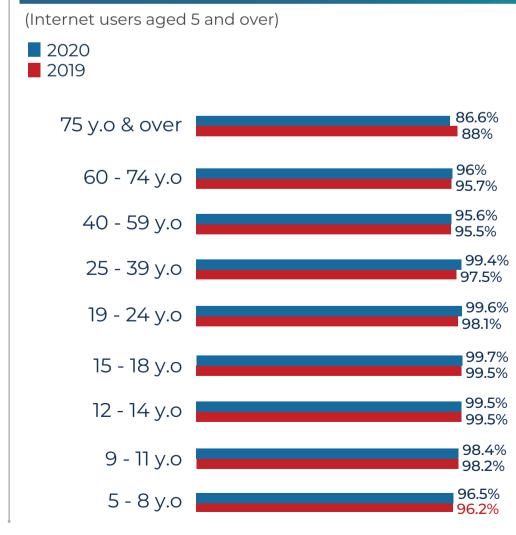
Social networks are a new place of sociability: they attract more Internet users in both urban and rural areas and as many men as women.

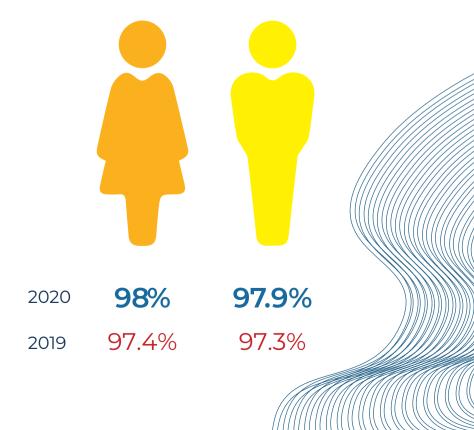
With the exception of Internet users aged 75 and over, all age groups exceed the 95% threshold for social media attendance.



# PARTICIPATION IN SOCIAL MEDIA

## PARTICIPATION IN SOCIAL MEDIA BY AGE AND GENDER









Global

Urban

Online shopping has increased by more than **3 points**. In the urban area : **1 out of 4 people** made an online purchase in 2020

The most remarkable phenomenon in 2020 is the frequency of online shopping which is 2 to 5 times for more than three quarters of the population

17.4%

2020

2019

19.9%



Rural







The pandemic has had a notable impact on the use and perception of digital technology



3 out of 4 people note that their phone use greatly increased during the lockdown.

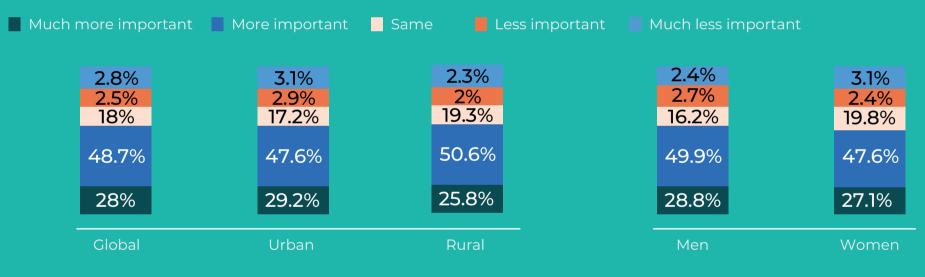


8 out of 10 people note that their internet use increased during lockdown.

Almost 2 out of 3 people have increased their consumption of traditional media.

#### PHONE USAGE DURING LOCKDOWN

(Internet users aged 5 and over and owning at least a mobile phone)



#### INTERNET USAGE DURING LOCKDOWN

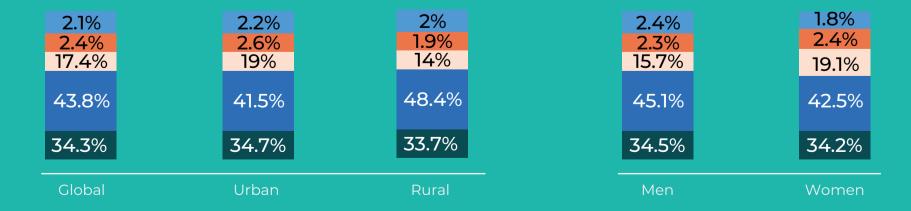
(Internet users aged 5 and over)

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Same

Much less important







8 out of 10 people believe that the pandemic has accelerated the use of digital tools in Morocco and that these changes will last

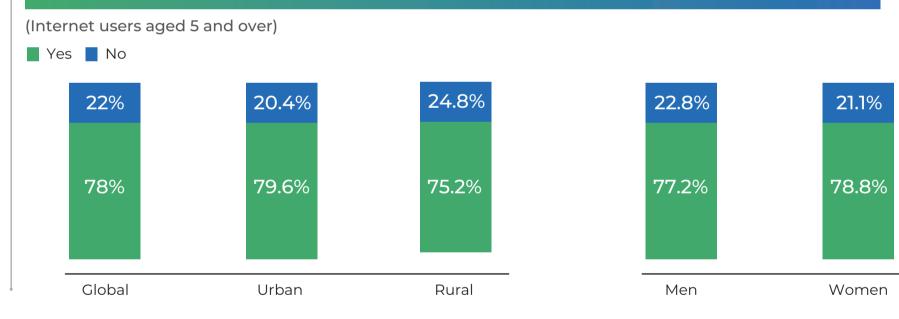
Whether according to urban/rural area or to the respondent's gender, a large majority of Moroccans have realised that the pandemic has served as a catalyst for the use of digital tools.

In urban area, more than 84% of individuals believe that the changes induced by the pandemic will be maintained.



Moroccans have realised that the resulting changes will be lasting.

#### DO YOU THINK THE PANDEMIC HAS ACCELERATED THE USE OF DIGITAL TOOLS?



#### WILL THESE CHANGES INDUCED BY THE PANDEMIC BE SUSTAINED?

(Internet users aged 5 and over)

