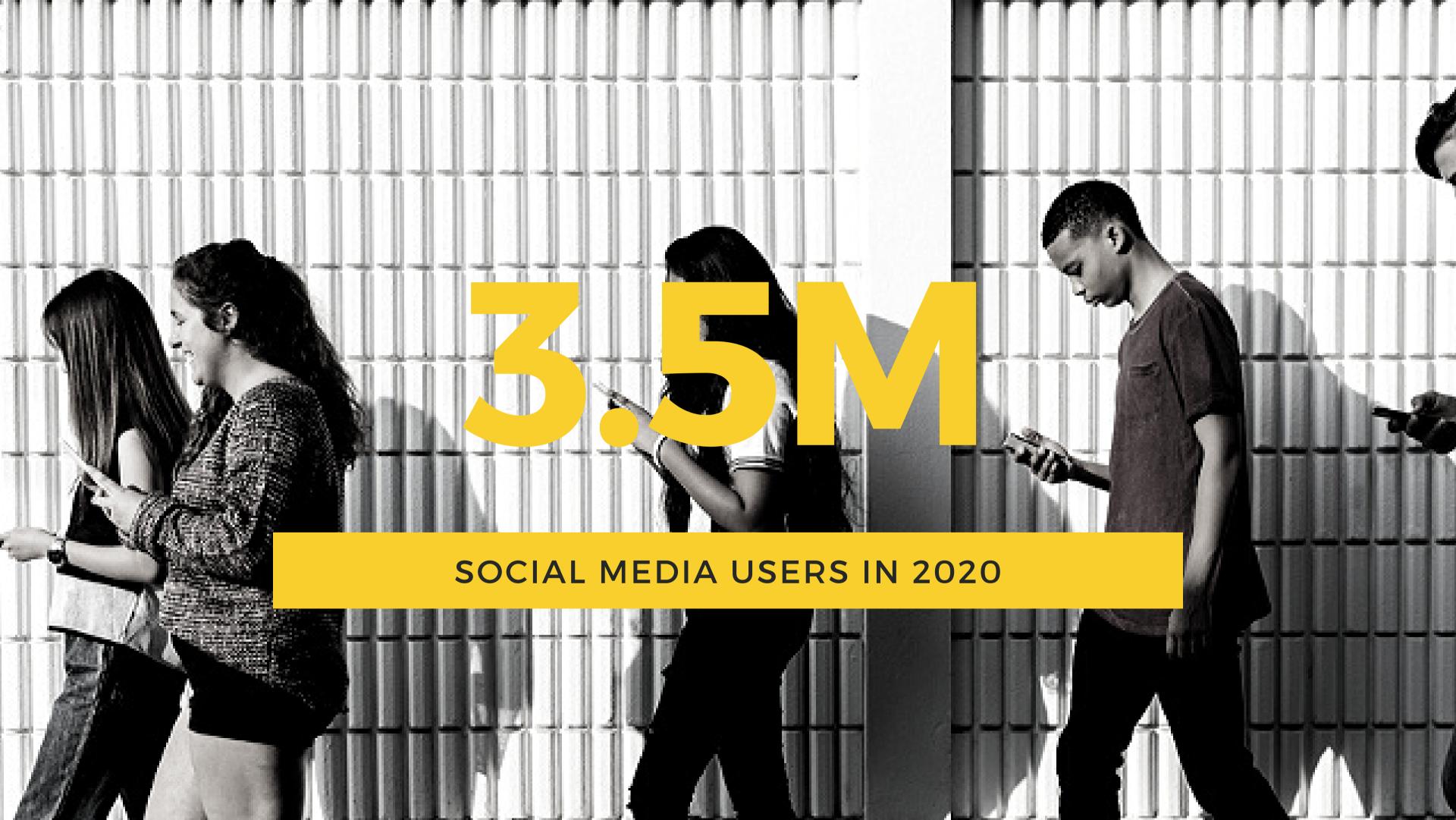
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Social Media and Me

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How has social media changed the way we process information

Social media is a huge compilation of multiple sources of information, some reliable and some not. Information tends to come from different perspectives, so we tend to see many sides of the story. This can lead to great confusion as we wouldn't know what's true or what's not, as there would also be posts arguing about the truth of other posts. Consuming information would become a difficult task.





Is social media hurting your mental health?

PART 2

Social media sculpts our society in a different way.

VALUE FROM SOCIAL MEDIA

Communication is very easy, in fact, it is so easy that people don't need to communicate in real life anymore. Social media also teaches people to lie, as it is extremely easy to fake things online, like posting fake news or creating a false persona.

SOCIAL MEDIA AND YOUTH CULTURE

People have a chance to connect with people that they share similar interests and values with, they have a chance to express themselves online in unique ways through posts or tweets.

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PART 3







DECEPTIVE

People will only get to see one side of the story, the side that others display to them.

ARTIFICIAL

People only interact to give eachother ratings, which, defined in our society, isn't a normal social interaction.

UNNATURAL

People are always trying to out rate eachother, competing for something virtual and fake, which doesn't mean anything at all.

CONCLUSION

As social media is become an abundant part of our lives, people are struggling to get hold of the correct information, and are increasingly reliant on the praise of other people given through social media.

