

Instagram. Ad formats.

A short explanation



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Photo Ads

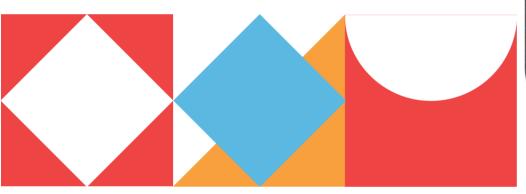
These usually consist of high-quality photos of a product that are placed in a user's feed. Their main objective is to draw attention to your product or service with eye-catching images that make people stop scrolling. This is an especially useful kind of ad when a brand has a strong and recognizable aesthetic. To get potential customers to engage, photo ads have configurable buttons that can display calls to action like "learn more" or "shop now."

Technical settings

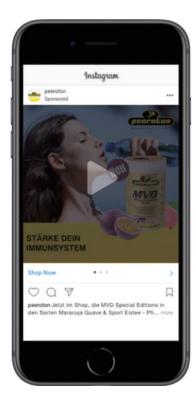
Maximum file size: 30MB

Landscape image size: 1200 x 628 pixels
 Square image size: 1080 x 1080 pixels
 Vertical image: 600 x 750 pixels

Text limit: 2200 characters (125 is recommended)







Video Ads

These can be displayed in either Stories or Instagram's main feed. They have the added benefit of grabbing attention through motion when they auto-play, even when the user's sound is turned off.

Technical settings

Use: Video media formats (e.g.: .mp4, h.264, .gif)

Landscape video: 600 x 315 pixels (min. Resolution)

Square video: 600 x 600 pixels (min. Resolution)

Vertical video: 600 x 750 (min. Resolution)

file upload size: 4GB

Video ratio: 4:5, max. 16:9

Video duration: 60 seconds

Text limit: 125 characters (recommended)

Hashtag number: 30 maximum



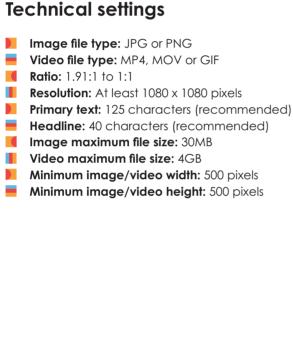
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Collection Ads

The collection ad format on Instagram makes it easier for people to discover, browse and purchase products and services from their mobile device in a visual and immersive way. With collection ads on Instagram, you can showcase your brand and multiple products in the Feed and Stories, and take customers on a seamless post-click experience to browse your products in a fullscreen Instant Experience.

Technical settings









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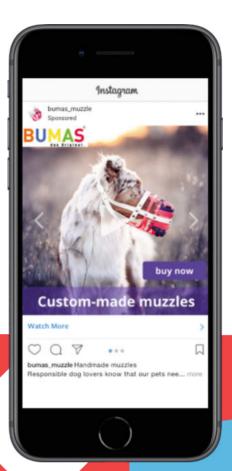
Carousel Ads

Carousel Ads allow advertisers to reach their target audience with more than one single piece of creative. Share an integrated story, multiple products, or a sequenced narrative with this versatile ad format. Instagram Carousel ads make it easy and seamless to showcase more products and tell a deeper story by using more than one image or video. Use this format to take your audience on a journey through your business, brand, or product.

Technical settings

- File type: jpg or png
- Maximum file size: 30MB
- Minimum image width: 600 pixels Image ratio: 4:5 minimum, max. 16:9
- Text limit: 2,200 maximum
- Video duration: 60 seconds maximum





Stories Ads

When you create a Stories ad, you can share either a photo or video. These are integrated seamlessly into the flow of Stories from other users that your target audience follows. Stories offer a "swipe up" option for business accounts, which allows a link to be shared with the viewer. Users simply need to swipe their finger up on their screen to go where you'd like them to, whether that's a blog post, product page, or landing page. Instagram stories ads are a great way to engage your audience and remind them of your deals and offers.

Technical settings

Image

- Use: jpg, png
- Maximum file size: 30MB
- Recommend image size:
 - 1080 x 1920 pixels
- Ad duration: 5 seconds

Video

- Use: mp4, mov
- Maximum file size: 4 GB
- Recommend image size:
- 1080 x 1920 pixels **Resolution:** 720p
- Video length: 15 seconds