Anatomy of the Ideal Messaging App

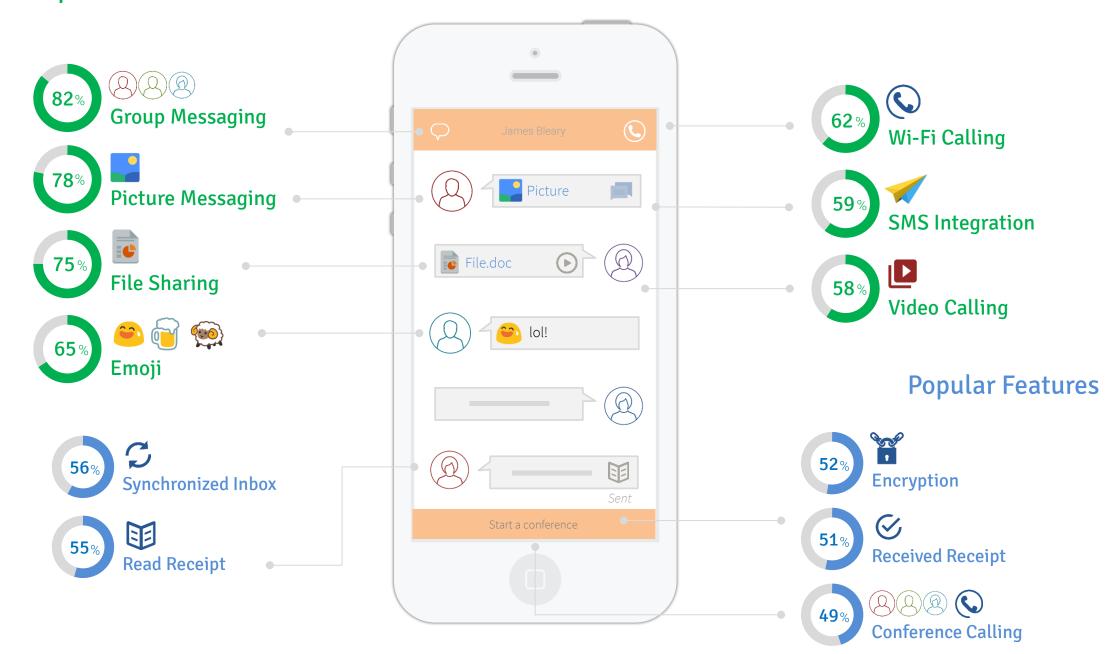




As service providers consider launching their own OTT mobile messaging apps, app functionality is key, and could make or break the initiative. A comprehensive <u>survey</u> by the Young & Rubicam Group studies this question. Survey respondents were asked to select most sought features from a list of options. The percentages below represent the percentage of people who chose specific features.

Q. What features do you want from your ideal messaging app?

Most Popular Features



Good-to-have Features





Profile



Audio Messaging



Video Messaging



Font Customization

















Social media Integration

Niche Features



VOIP











Analytics



Web

Access





Messages







Payments



RCS





LTE





Messaging







Web RTC



Service providers should consider these findings as they determine priorities to design a minimum viable product. The study indicates a desire for group focused messaging features, while current apps are focused on one-on-one messaging. While consumers have indicated they see their service providers as their go-to app developers, success in this super competitive market is hard won. We've developed Share.to, our service provider focused white label messaging app with close attention to studies like these.