SYNOPSIS

The connected TV remains a critical part of consumers’ in-home entertainment experience. Current television options for consumers offer large sizes, high resolution, and new features for a good price. This study provides a detailed examination of this important product category, including ownership, purchasing, features, sizes, brands, sales channels, connected devices, and consumer use.

ANALYST INSIGHT

“Manufacturers have invested in improvements to the app and user experience on their smart TVs and are being rewarded with higher connection rates, which keeps the user within their ecosystem. Higher connection rates result in greater opportunity in monetizing the user base, which is increasingly important as manufacturers and software providers look to extend into subscriptions and ad-supported OTT video services.”

— Kristen Hanich, Senior Analyst, Parks Associates

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