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The State of Influencer Equality™

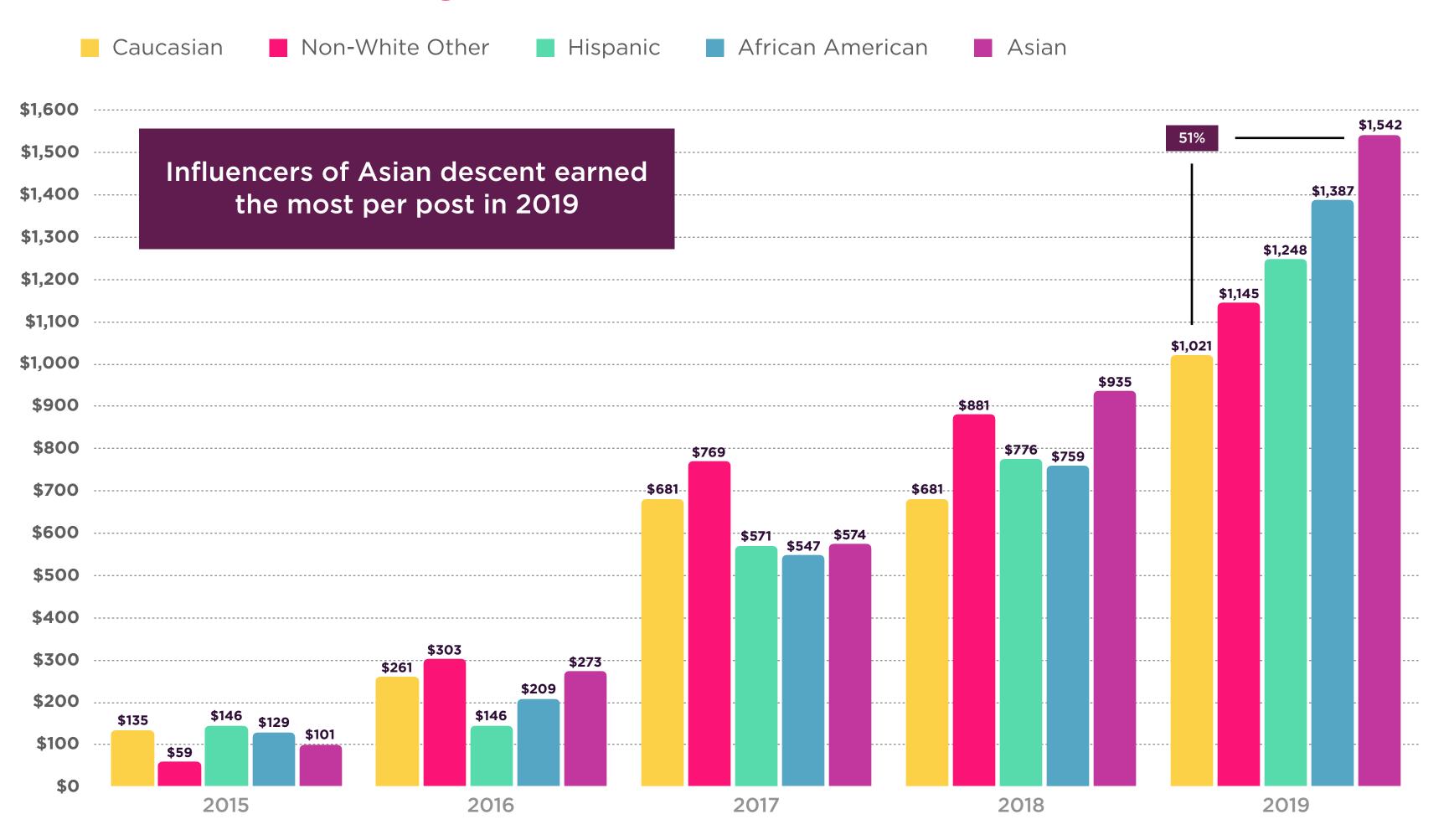
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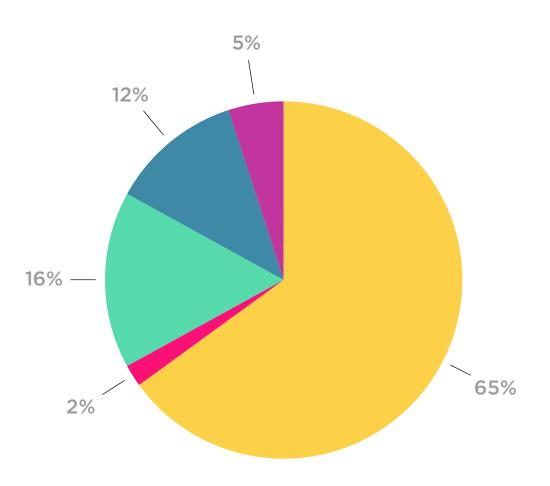
Influencer Marketing Payments by Ethnicity



2015-2019 Average Cost Paid Per Post Across All Social Platforms



U.S. Population Distribution

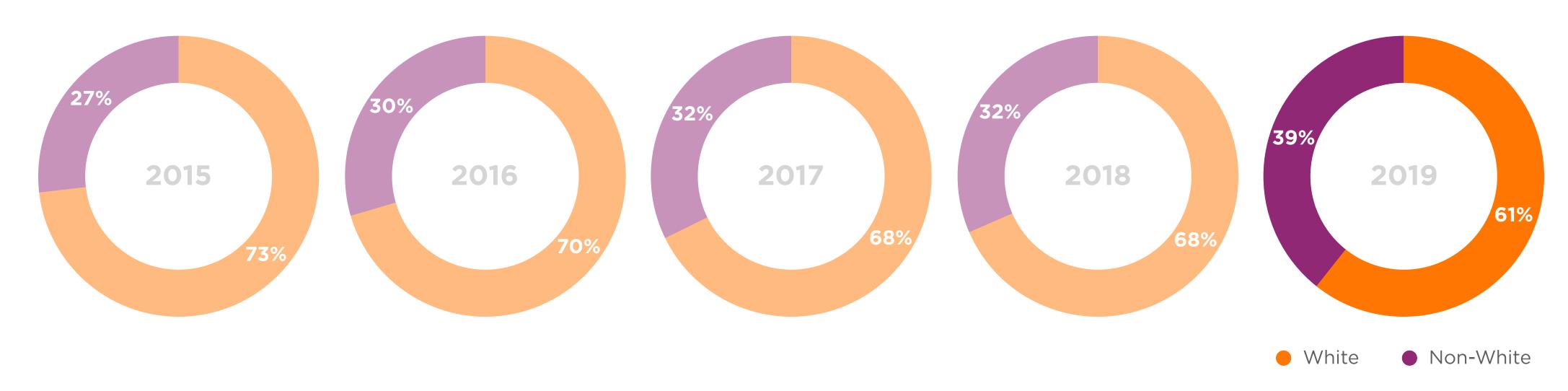


Smaller populations of non-white influencers along with marketer demand to reach more diverse audiences has driven dramatic price increases over time.

Influencer Marketing Deal Flow by Ethnicity



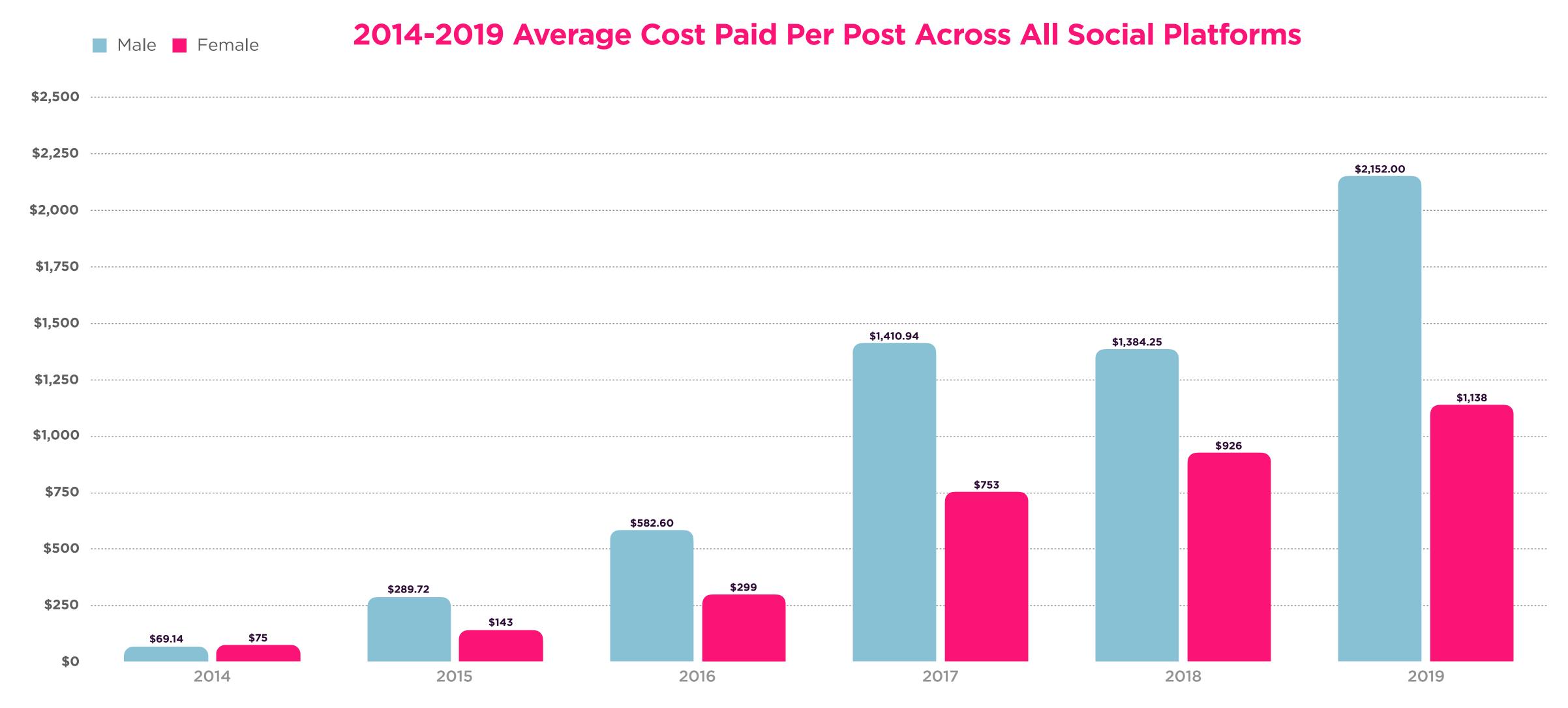
2015-2019 % Share of Sponsorship Transaction Volume Across All Social Platforms



Non-whites have gained **12% more market share** over the course of the past 5 years. Sponsorship deal flow for ethnic minorities has reached a point where share of transactions mimic the U.S. Population.

Influencer Marketing Earnings by Gender

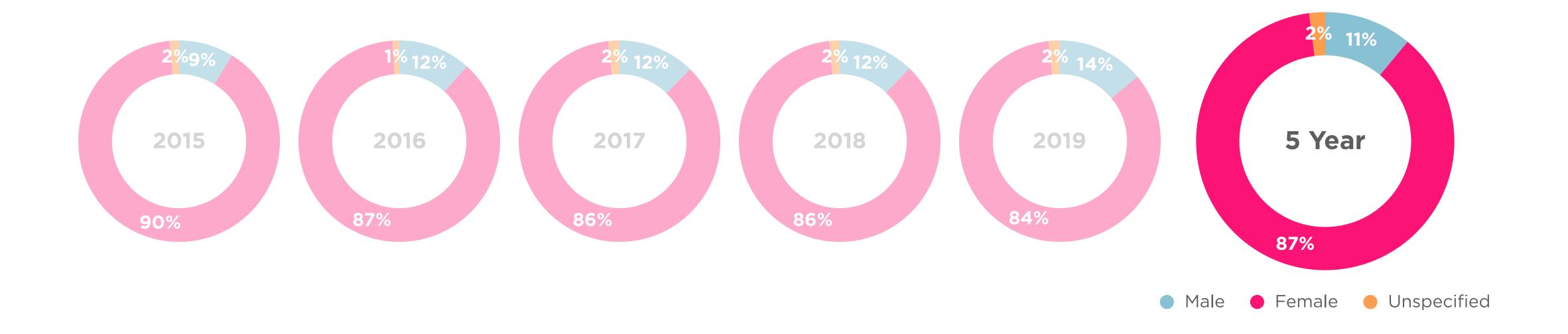




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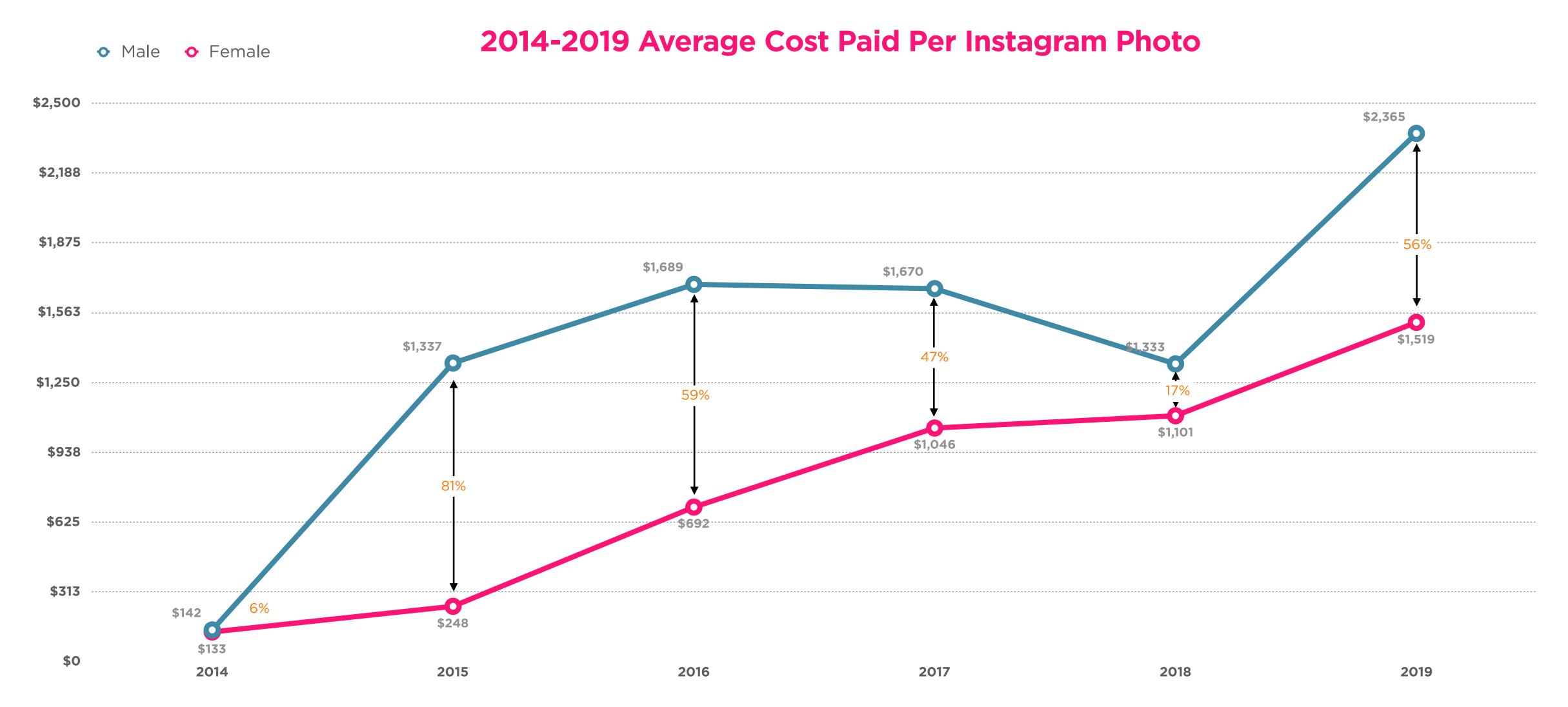
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Females have averaged 87% of all deal flow over 5 years, but got paid 45% less during the same time frame. This is largely due to an abundance of brand friendly female influencers vs. their male counterparts.

Instagram Sponsorships by Gender

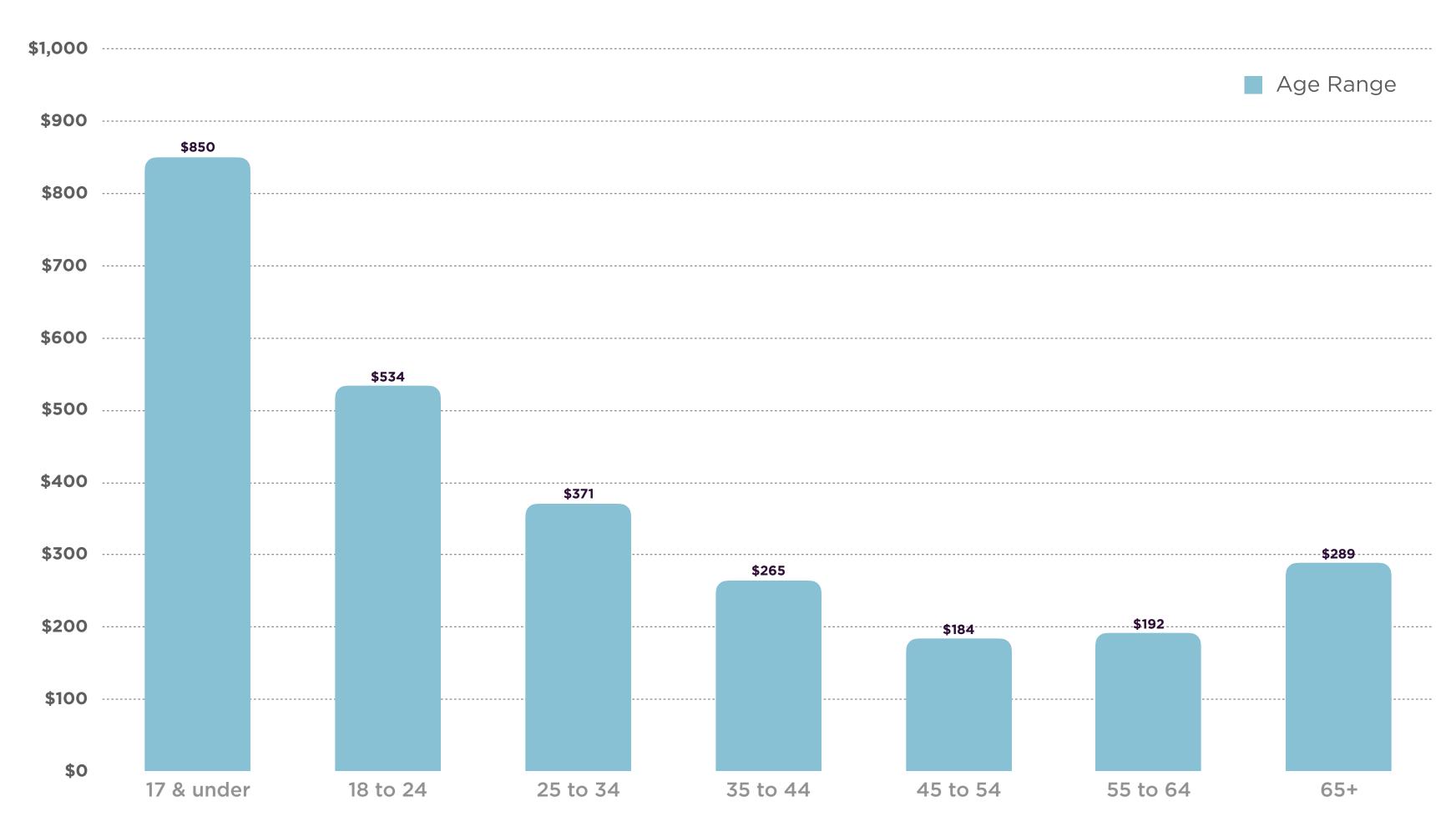




Influencer Marketing Earnings by Age



Average Cost Paid Per Post Across All Social Platforms (2014-2019)

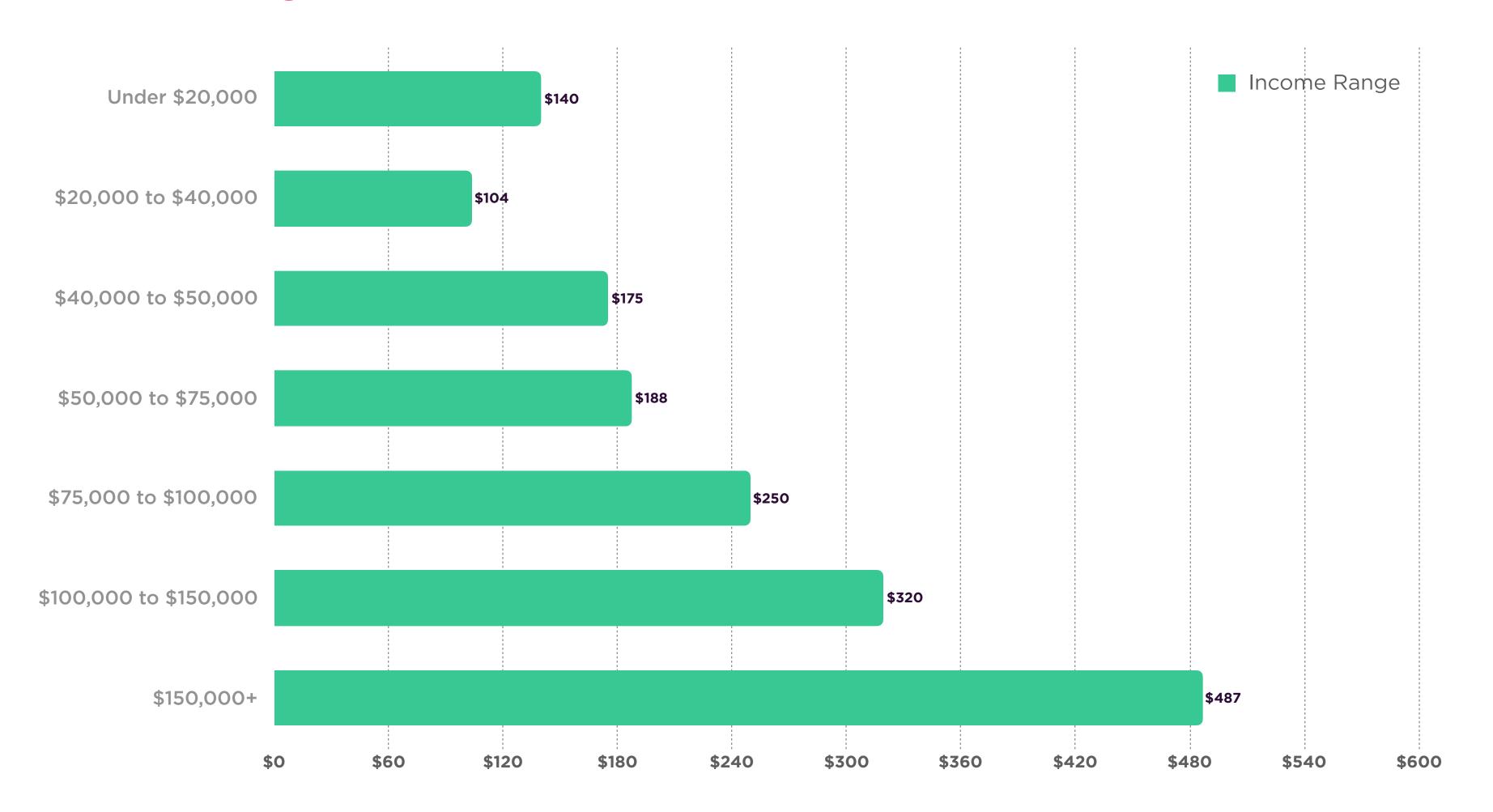


Influencers under the age of 24 command a premium of at least 44% more than those 25+

Influencer Earnings by Influencer Annual Income



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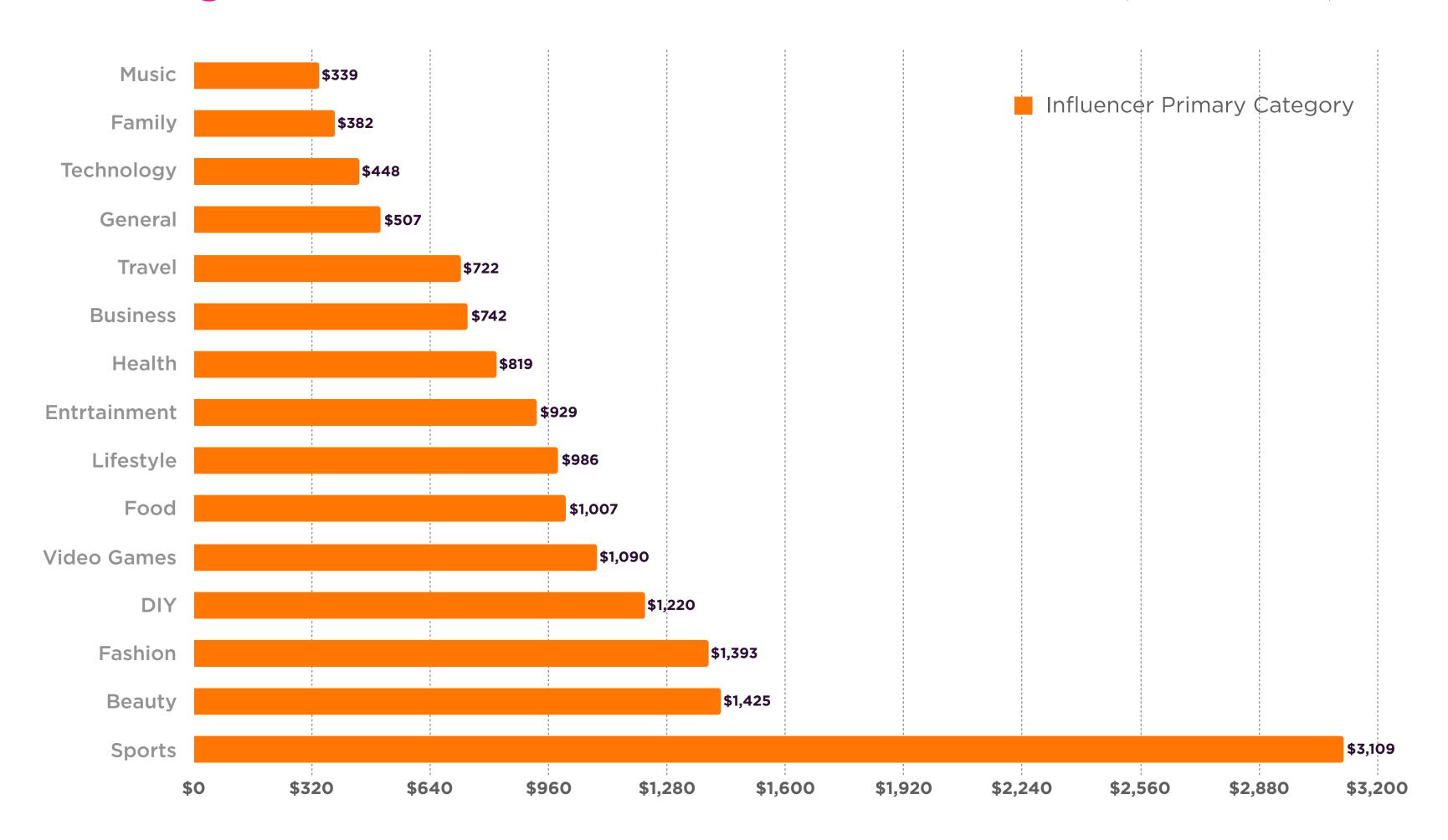


Those earning \$100k+ or more per year **charge an 80%+** premium for a sponsored post compared to their counterparts making \$50k or less per year.

Influencer Earnings by Influencer Category



Average Cost Paid Per Post Across All Social Platforms (2014-2019)



Professional athletes drive sports related sponsored content to command a **2x premium** over the next most expensive category.