

# Personal digital photos: the most popular User Generated Content in the social media

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- ❑ The upload of personal photographic collections – often taken with the camera phone - is the prevalent practice across all social media environments, especially on social network sites, among teens and young people
- ❑ However there are few findings regarding the new internet/photography merge, especially on the *social uses and meanings of the online circulation of digital private photos*, except some recent studies (such as Zizi Papacharissi 2011)