

HOW ARE PEOPLE USING THEIR SMART SPEAKERS?



The steep growth in volume sales seen over the last 3 years looks set to level out in 2019; but Prime Day is coming up, which may well give a boost to the year-end figures.

*Moving Annual Total (the 12 months up to this date).

Source: GfK Panelmarket - Smart Speakers volume sales

36%

listening

to music

online



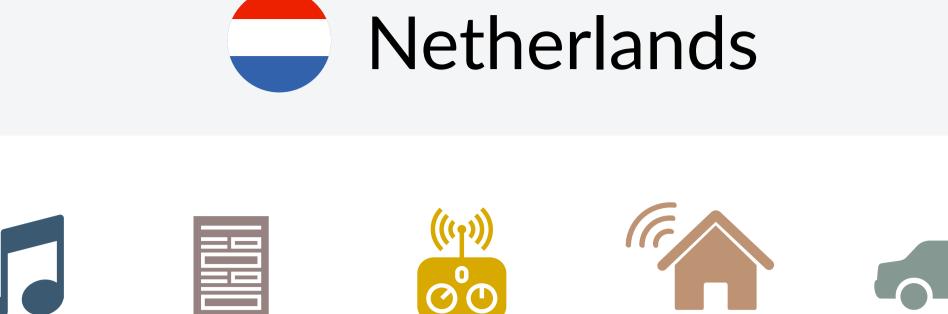
2017 +153%

+53% +10% +15%

2018

MAT* May 2019

Top activities of smart speaker owners



32%

listening to

music on the

radio

Source: GfK Trends in Digital Media 2018

25% 25% checking the using Smart Home weather/traffic applications

USA

78% asking questions 75% playing

music

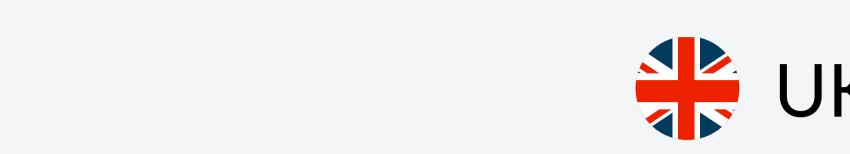
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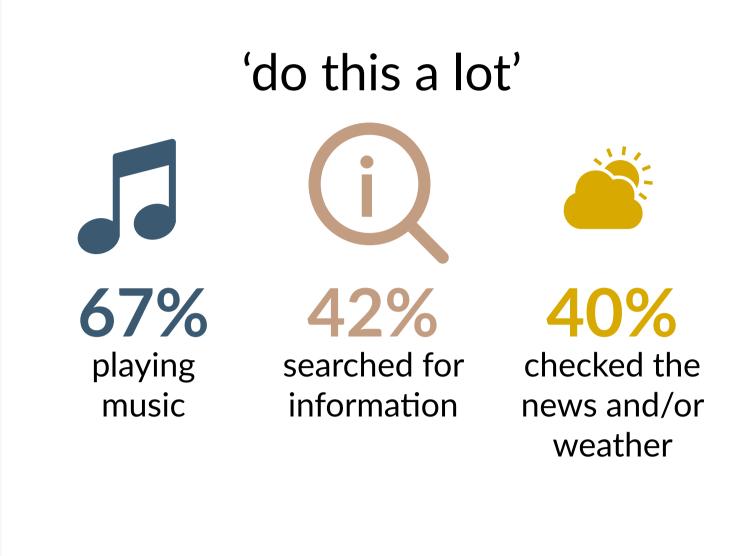
checking the

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59% controlling other devices

Source: GfK Future of Smart Home Study 2018, USA



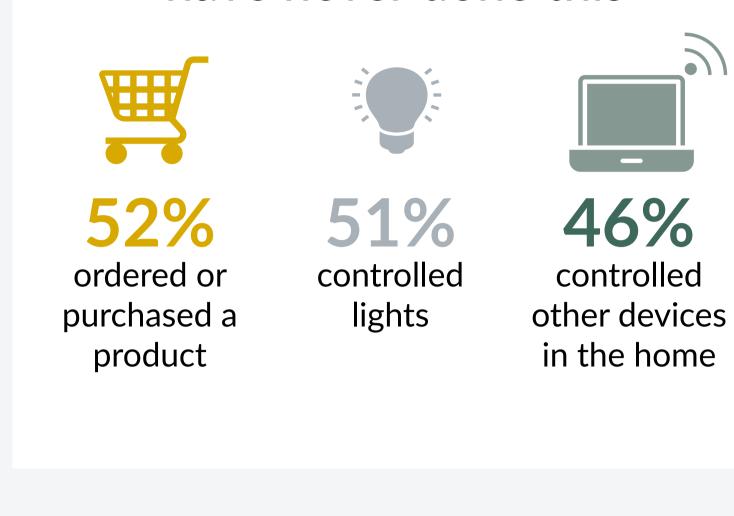


34%

checking the

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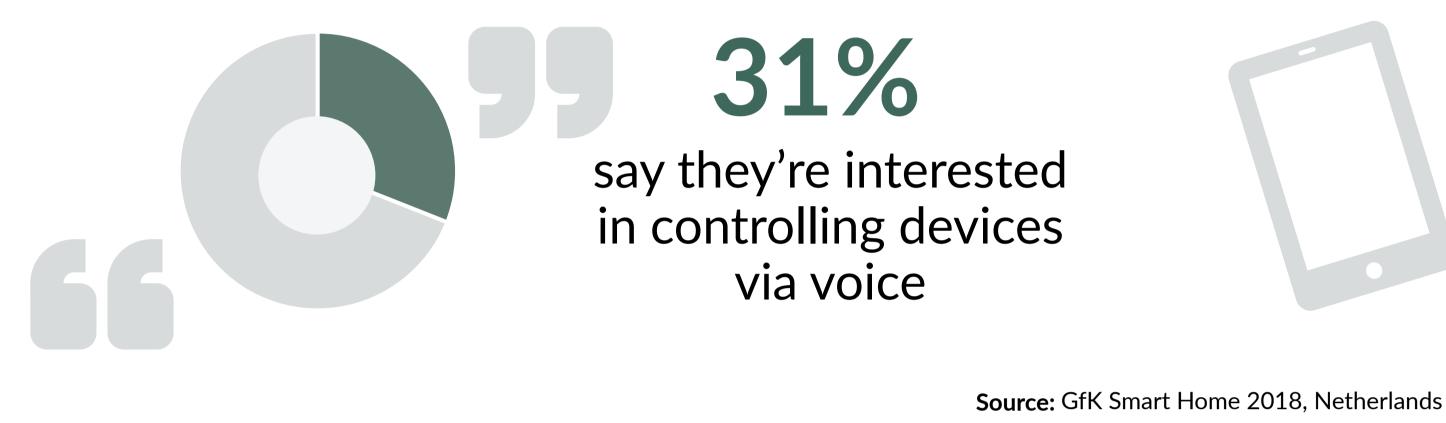




'have never done this'

Smartphones are still the go-to interface for controlling other smart devices





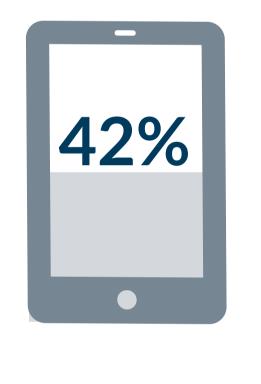


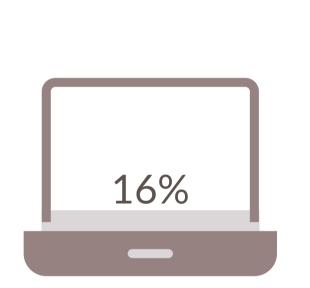
prefer to use their smartphone or tablet, when given a choice of interfaces

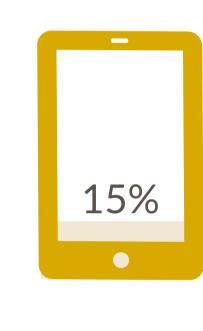


around double the number who are using their smart speaker.

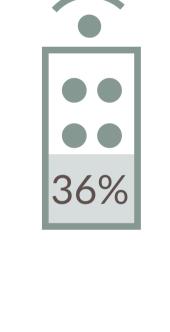
The number of people using their smartphone to control other devices in their home is

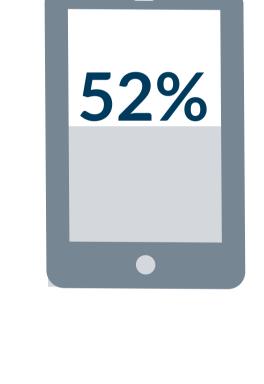


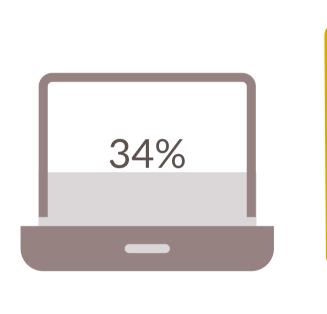


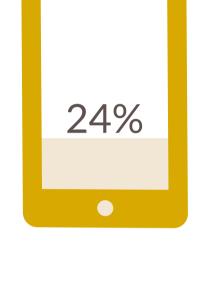


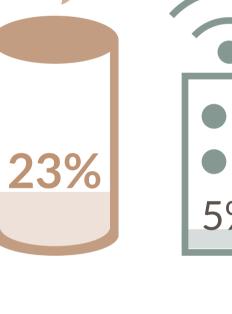


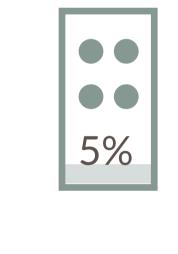








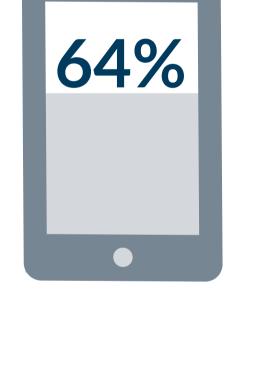


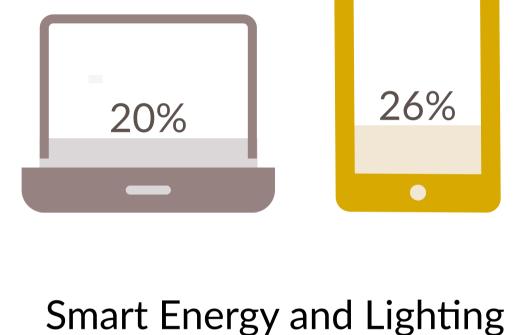


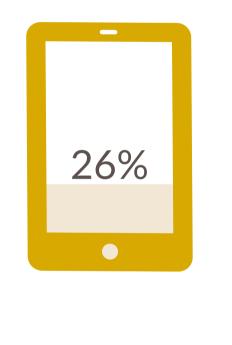
Smart Entertainment

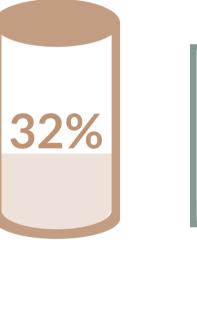


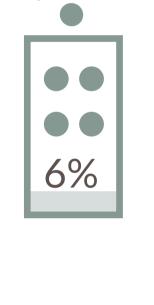
Smart Security and Control



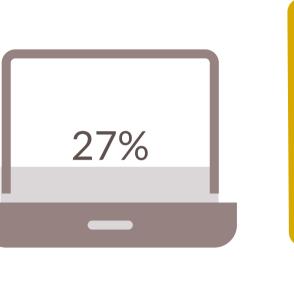




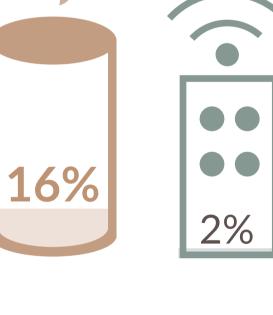












Smartphone Laptop

Tablet

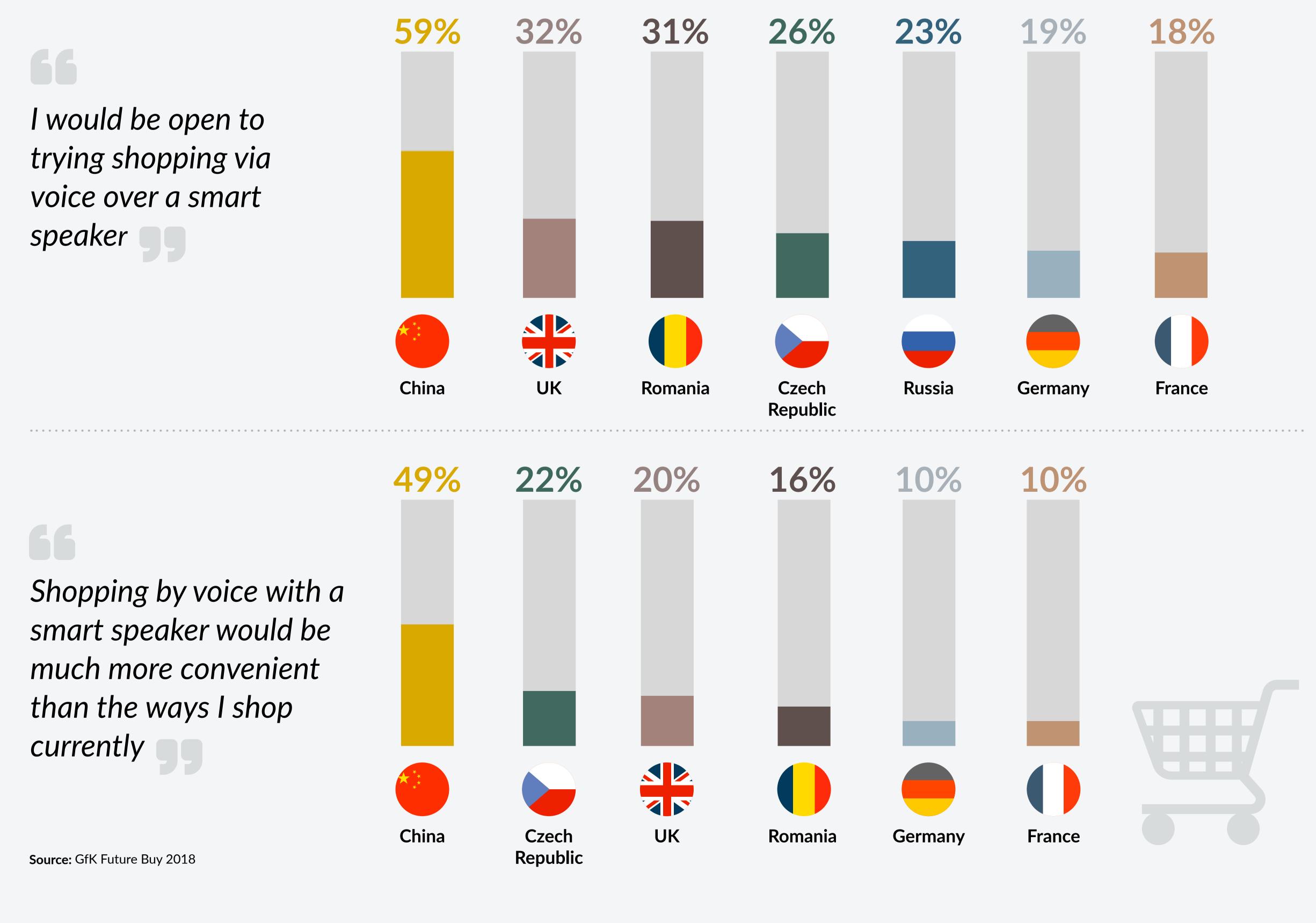
Home hub/Smart Speaker

Others

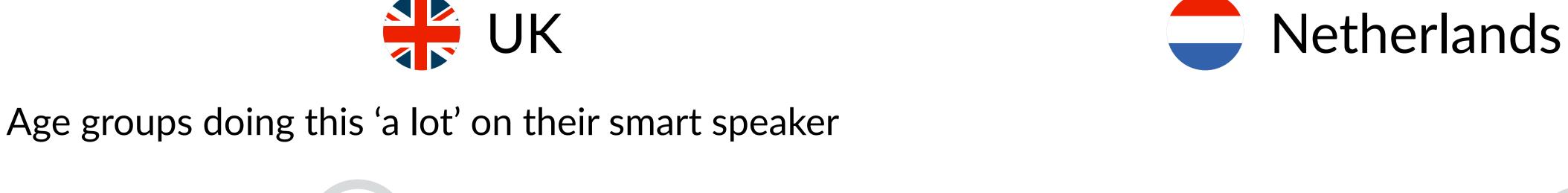
Smart Domestic Appliances

Source: GfK Smart Home 2019, UK

Consumers are open to the idea of shopping via Voice...



Early trends in younger consumers point to change



Search for information Playing music

year olds

GfK Smart Home 2019 UK





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across all

ages

Who uses their smart speaker

of 16-24

year olds

year olds

year olds