

HOW DO YOU LOOK ONLINE?

Nope, we're not talking about the selfie that's your profile picture on Facebook, but the online presence of your business.

When was the last time you Googled your own company?

As narcissistic as this may sound, this is something you should be doing regularly – even daily – if you're serious about ensuring the way you appear online is consistent with the way you wish to promote your business to the public.

We've complied a preliminary online brand audit of your business to ensure you're sending out a consistent message about who you are and what you offer.

66 These days, your online reputation really does precede you. ??

STEP 1	STEP 2
Google your business!	Google your Number 1 competitor.
What are the first five (5) 'hits' you see?	What did you find about your number 1 competitor?
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4	Does your business show up anywhere in the
5	first 1-3 pages? Yes No
Is it what you expected or are you surprised by it?	Who else shows up when Googling your service/ product or industry?
Why?	1
C F A P C U	2
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STEP 2 - CONTINUED

Do you need to focus more on your content or messaging? Yes No

What are the top five (5) common talked about points for your service/product/industry?



STEP 3

Search for reviews.

There are many online platforms where reviews of your company may be visible depending on your industry.

Site	Review +/-

Closely monitor reviews your organisation may be listed on.

What do your customers think you are doing well?

Analyse your website – word by word.

This can be a little tedious, but website content plays a major role in establishing a trusted and credible brand. Go through your website content with a finetoothed comb:

Spelling and grammar check
Images review - still relevant?
Content review - still correct?
Remove unwanted content

Can you place your website content on ONE main page with 'sections' as menu options? Y N If yes, identify the pages you can consolidate.

Can you add more to your website through blog content instead of having pages on your site full of text? Y N If yes, what can you upload as blogs?

Can any of the text on your website be represented by images, graphs or charts? Y N

If yes, which ones?

Where do your customers see room for improvement?

Having reviews can be helpful for your Google search, or other search engines. You can set up review pages you have the ability to manage for very little time allocated each month.

Sites like: XXXXXXX XXXXXXX

STEP 5

Analyse traffic.

If you're not up to speed with Google Analytics, now is the time to brush up on your skills or hire a professional to do so for you. It is a good idea to analyse the traffic your website generates.

Let's take a current snapshot of your organisation:

How many visitors are you attracting each month?

What is your bounce rate?_____ How long is the average visitor staying on the site before navigating away?_____

STEP 5 - CONTINUED

What are the top 3 pages they are staying on?

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What percentage of visitors are new?

Other steps you can take

There are plenty more things you could do to audit your business online, such as:

- Collate feedback from employees
- Dig deeper into your value proposition
- How you stand out from your competitors
- Monitoring your social media channels and match it against your website traffic analytics.

CONSIDERATIONS

When it comes to reviews:

- Anything that pops up more than once could be a genuine issue you need to resolve immediately.
- Be open-minded and honest with yourself as you gauge how your company's output is referenced across the internet, constructive feedback can = opportunities for growth and improvement.

NOTES

While Ingredior offers a whole of business multi-discipline approach to honing your business strategy and setting you on the right track for growth, our focus on strategic marketing extends into assisting you to conduct a thorough audit of the way your business is perceived – both online and offline.

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