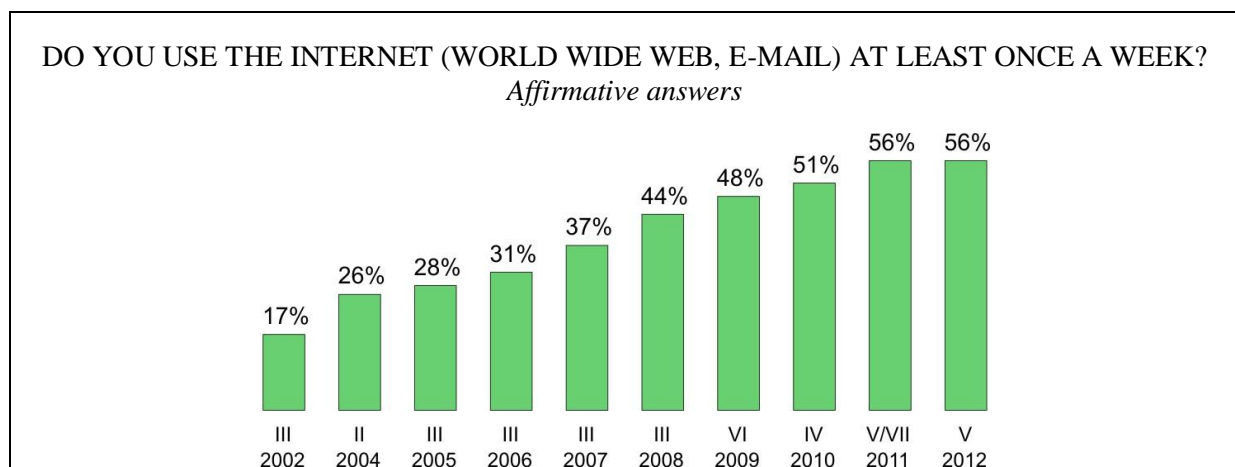


INTERNET USE

In the previous decade, internet use increased very fast. At present, the majority of adult Poles (56%) use the internet regularly, i.e. at least once a week. The proportion is the same as a year ago. It is to be expected that the increase in the number of internet users will now be gradual, rather than tidal, as was the case in the previous decade.

Internet use is strongly determined by age and education. The youngest generations acquire digital competence irrespective of other aspects determining the position in the social structure, thus almost all use the web. The older the respondents, the less likely they are to use the internet.

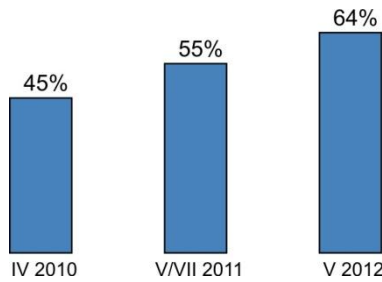


Almost all adults with higher education use the web, as well as over two-thirds of Poles with secondary education. People with primary education are least likely to be online.

During the last two years, the popularity of wireless connection greatly increased. At present, two-thirds of internet users (64%) use wi-fi connections.

DO YOU USE WIRELESS INTERNET CONNECTION WITH A LAPTOP, NETBOOK, TABLET, SMARTPHONE, ETC.?

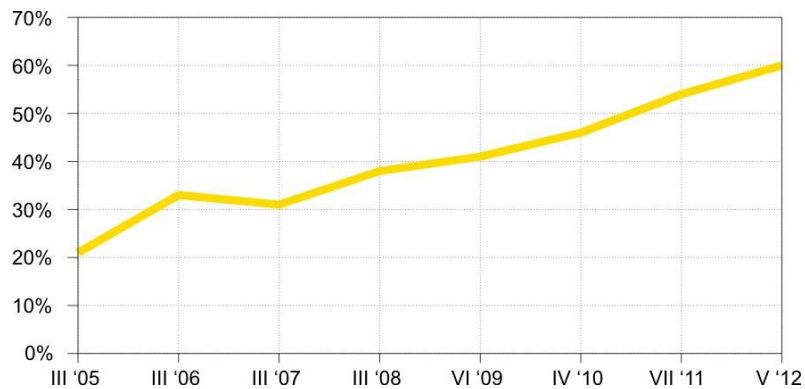
Affirmative answers of internet users



Different types of activities take place on the internet. Recently, internet banking has strongly increased in popularity. In the month preceding the survey, three-fifths of internet users (60%), or two-fifths of all adults, accessed their bank account via internet.

IN THE LAST MONTH, DID YOU USE BANKING SERVICES THROUGH THE INTERNET?

Affirmative answers of internet users



More information about this topic can be found in CBOS report in Polish: *"Internet use"*, June 2012. Fieldwork for national sample: May 2012, N=1017. The random address sample is representative for adult population of Poland.