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All About Men's Grooming – What She Said

(Part one of a two-part Beauty By The Numbers)

Ladies aren't the only ones that primp, according to a recent TBC study. Men's grooming is a fast-growing category on the beauty and personal care market! TBC wanted to know what role "she" plays in her guy's grooming habits. More importantly, what is he doing in front of the bathroom vanity?



She reports his top male grooming activities

90% shave his face 72% trim excess hair in and around nose/ears

70% trim facial hair neatly

55% use hair products to style his hair

53% trim hair in private areas



The secret is out, grooming is in!

63% of women tell us their man loves to groom and is not bashful about it

Razors are the top grooming product he will buy for himself

23% of men have purchased products from a male grooming company such as Dollar Shave Club, Art of Shaving, Harry's Shave Club, Jack Black or the Grooming Lounge



She holds the purse strings

96% purchase grooming products or personal care products for one or more men in her household

36% purchase for a man outside her household

76% say they don't wait for him to ask, they just buy grooming or personal care products when she sees he is running low

20% say there is "no way" he knows how much his personal care and grooming products cost



He's brand loyal, though she does the brand research

Top 3 specialty grooming products he buys for himself

68% note that the man/men in her household ask her to buy specific brands of grooming products for all types of products

> 74% research men's grooming products much like she researches her own beauty and cosmetics products prior to purchase

> > 63% say he trusts her opinion because she's more knowledgeable about personal care products

Top 5 personal care products she buys for him 92% deodorant 89% shampoo **86%** razors 80% shaving cream **79%** liquid shower soap/body wash

Top 5 specialty grooming products she buys for him

68% cologne

57% hair styling products

56% electric hair grooming (electric razor, nose hair trimmer)

45% after shave/men's grooming kits/gift boxes

37% beard/mustache care products

32% razors 21% cologne



16% electric hair removal, electric razors/ nose hair trimmers

For men, it is all about the hair. According to the women surveyed who purchase hair products for their men, here are her most frequent purchases:

75% gel 45% pomade **42%** mousse **41%** hair spray

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