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Message

From: [REDACTED] [/O=THEFACEBOOK/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=[REDACTED]]
Sent: 5/12/2021 5:49:34 PM
To: Casey Newton [casey@platformer.news]
Subject: Re: Thorn report

Hey Casey – here's our statement on Thorn's report:

"We appreciate Thorn's research and value our collaboration with them. We've made meaningful progress on these issues, including restricting Direct Messages between teens and adults they don't follow on Instagram, helping teens avoid unwanted chats with adults, making it harder for adults to search for teens, improving reporting features, and updating our child safety policies to include more violating content for removal. Our work is ongoing, which is why getting feedback from groups like Thorn is so important." – Joe Osborne, a Facebook spokesperson

Recent safety updates to be aware of:

- **Instagram** – [Making Instagram Safer for the Youngest Members of Our Community \(March 2021\)](#)
- **Messenger** - [Updates to private messaging \(April 2021\)](#)

From: Casey Newton <casey@platformer.news>
Date: Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at 11:31 AM
To: [REDACTED]@fb.com>
Subject: Re: Thorn report

Ah good thanks!

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On Tue, May 11, 2021 at 11:29 AM [REDACTED]@fb.com> wrote:

All good, I got it from our folks who spoke with them. I'm all set!

From: Casey Newton <casey@platformer.news>
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Checking with them!

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On Tue, May 11, 2021 at 10:46 AM [REDACTED]@fb.com> wrote:

Hey Casey – really appreciate the heads up – any chance we can see the actual report to assist our efforts to respond appropriately?

From: Casey Newton <casey@platformer.news>

Date: Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at 10:05 AM

To: [REDACTED]@fb.com>

Subject: Thorn report

Hi [REDACTED] — hoping you can navigate me to the right people here; both FB and IG are involved. Wanted to flag that tomorrow I have the exclusive from Thorn on their new report about minors experiencing harm on social platforms. I think FB/IG have been briefed, but wanted to reach out to see if the company had a statement or wanted to talk about its child safety efforts here. Some findings from the report:

- The platforms with the highest number of survey participants reporting a potentially harmful online experience included Snapchat (26%), Instagram (26%), YouTube (19%), TikTok (18%), and Messenger (18%).
- Platforms where the most participants said they have had an online sexual interaction were Snapchat (16%), Instagram (16%), Messenger (11%), and Facebook (10%)
- 45 percent of minors 9-12 are using Facebook; 40 percent are using IG.

There are also questions about what platforms do when kids report these interactions; how effectively they catch ban evasion (most minors are re-contacted after blocking someone); and whether they are effectively verifying minors' ages before allowing them onto the platform.

Let me know if you want to talk — publishing at 5P tomorrow on Platformer and The Verge.

Thanks,

Casey

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