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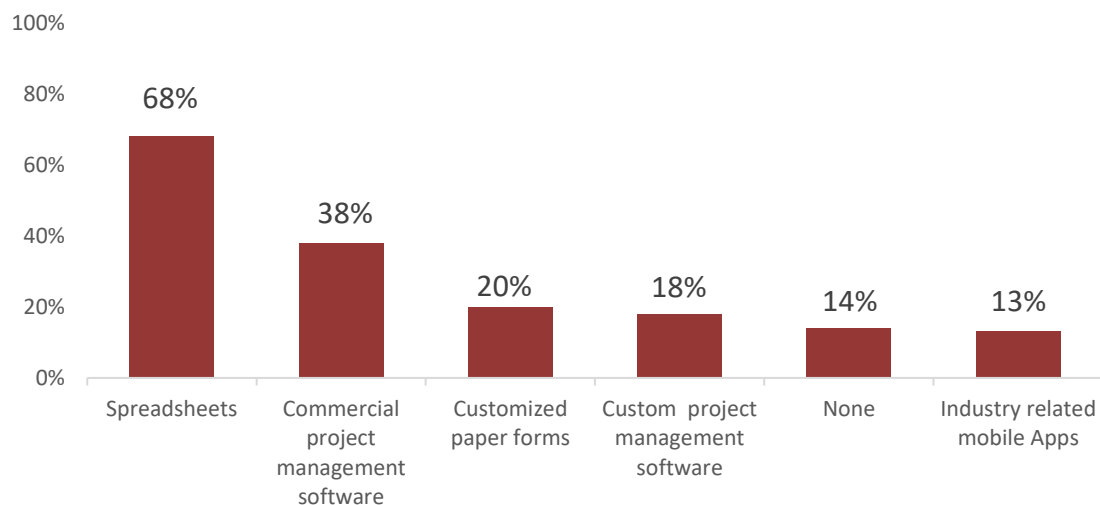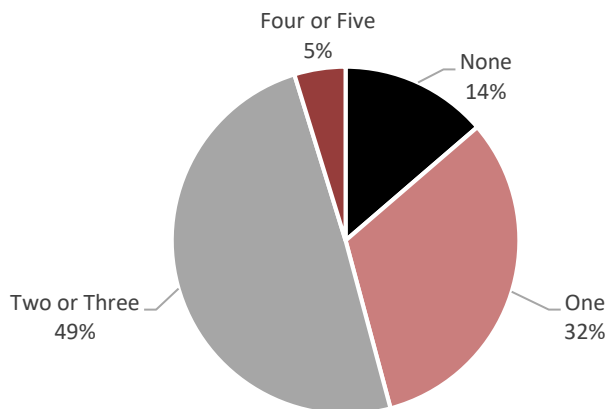***Most building professionals use simple spreadsheets and some type of project management software to manage, track and evaluate projects.***

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# What technologies/automation do you use regularly for tracking, managing or evaluating your projects?

### Types of Technology Used for Project Management



### Number of Technologies Used



**TAKE AWAY**: The majority of designers and facility management professionals will use a combination of different types of technology to meet their project management needs. Often times, designers will be required to use systems already in use by their clients.

# Purpose:

To evaluate what types of technology designers, facility managers and other building professionals use to assist with managing projects.

# Methodology:

AIM surveyed architects, interior designers and facilities. The survey was conducted on-line in October, 2019. Overall response was 170 completed surveys.

# Conclusion:

Although today's building professionals have access to a variety of different tools to assist with managing and tracking their projects, many are still using simple spreadsheets and/or paper forms. Most building professionals will use more than one type of system to assist with project management and over 50% are using either a commercial or custom designed software system. With the growth and sophistication of technology and IoT, designers and facility professionals can easily access data from anywhere. However less than 20% of respondents are using any type of industry related mobile app at this time. Trying to "upgrade" technology can be complex and often time consuming. Since designers often need to interface with a variety of different client systems, it might take added time to adapt.