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You Tube INSIGHTS

QUARTERLY STATS, TRENDS AND INSIGHTS ON VIDEO FROM YOUTUBE AND GOOGLE











DRIVE ENGAGEMENT WITH YOUTUBE TRUEVIEW ADS









YOUTUBE TRUEVIEW ADS ARE 76% MORE LIKELY TO DRIVE A RELEVANT SEARCH BEHAVIOR

YOUTUBE TRUEVIEW ADS ARE

10x More Likely to Drive Engagement
on the Advertiser's Youtube Channel

Build your audience with FANSHIP

Fans are a brand's most powerful customers; they're active advocates who are also more likely to purchase with greater regularity. Develop meaningful relationships with your customers by aligning your brand with their passions and become part of their lives and communities.

MORE PEOPLE WATCH YOUTUBE THAN WATCH CABLE NETWORKS

YouTube is #1 in reaching 18- to 34-year-olds compared with all cable networks

YouTube is #3 in reaching 25- to 54-year-olds compared with all cable networks





(U.S. statistics, Nielsen Quarterly Reach vs Top Cable Nets, November 2013)

CONSUMER INSIGHTS

IGEN C CONSUMERS ARE BRANDS' BEST FANS

2 IN 3 GEN C CONSUMERS

AGREE THAT: "IF THERE IS A BRAND I LOVE, I TEND TO TELL EVERYONE ABOUT IT"

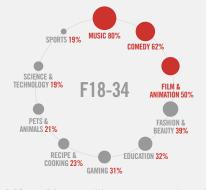
Want to know more? Visit www.google.com/think/collections/the-power-of-gen-c.html

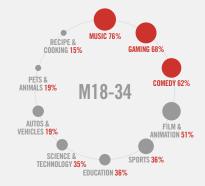
(Global statistics, Ipsos/YouTube Audience Study, December 2013, *Vs. non-Gen C consumers)

BECAUSE NOT ALL 18- TO 34-YEAR-OLDS ENGAGE SIMILARLY ON YOUTUBE, WE LOOKED AT DIFFERENCES BY GENDER

The top three genres most 18- to 34-year-old women engage* with are **music**, **comedy** and **film & animation**

The top three genres most 18- to 34-year-old men engage* with are **music**, **gaming** and **comedy**





Percentage of 18- to 34-year-old women engaging with each topic

Percentage of 18- to 34-year-old men engaging with each topic

Engagement is defined as any action including comments, likes, favorites, or playlisting a video on YouTube within a certain topic or channel.

(Global statistics, Tubular Labs, December 2013)



ENGAGING WITH COOKING AND FOOD

COOKING AND FOOD IS THE FASTEST GROWING GENRE ON YOUTUBE FOR BOTH MEN AND WOMEN

370 MILLION VIEWS

Generated by **top 20 cooking and food channels** on YouTube in 2013

CAKE

The most engaging food for women on YouTube

35% of women engaged with the topic in 2013

2.4x

Increase in subscriptions to the **top 20 cooking and food channels** on YouTube in 2013

BACON

The most engaging food for men on YouTube

31% of men engaged with the topic in 2013

(Global statistics, Tubular Labs, December 2013)

TOP TEN MOST SUBSCRIBED COOKING AND FOOD CHANNELS

(NUMBER OF GLOBAL SUBSCRIBERS — IN MILLIONS)

6.1

EPIC

MEALTIME

1.3

ROSANNA

PANSINO

LAURA VITALE'S KITCHEN

0.9

FOOD WISHES

0.7

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COOKING WITH DOG

0.7

O.6 SORTED

FOOD

0.6 NICKO'S

KITCHEN

0.6

JAMIE

OLIVER

0.5 YOYOMAX12 0.5

O ROLE Gourmet

(Global statistics, Tubular Labs, December 2013)



1. ENGAGED FANS WITH A BREAKTHROUGH LAUNCH

The Jamie Oliver Food Tube channel built buzz by launching with a 30-minute live show, preceded by a unique interactive video.

HIGHLIGHTED Youtube Channel

THE JAMIE OLIVER FOOD TUBE CHANNEL

British chef **JAMIE OLIVER'S YOUTUBE CHANNEL** grew its passionate community of food lovers to **600K subscribers** with three key strategies:

2. CURATED REGULAR COMMUNITY CONTENT

The strand "Jamie Presents" showcases the latest cooking talent on his channel and provides regular programming.

3. BUILT PERSONAL CONNECTIONS WITH THE FANS

"What's Jamie Eating Today?" delighted audiences with a peek into his daily life yet required a minimum of his time.

www.google.com/think/case-studies/jamie-oliver-youtube-case-study.html

CONSUMER INSIGHTS

The ways in which consumers use **media across devices** changes by time of day

Engagement is steadily high on smartphones and desktops throughout the day, whereas engagement on tablets and connected and cable TVs peaks at primetime hours

SMARTPHONE

Short bursts of activity

Consistent use throughout the day: first thing in the morning, last thing before bed

am

Used throughout the day; the usage does not fade in the evening Evening usage is often in conjunction with TV watching

11 pm

CONNECTED AND CABLE TV

DESKTOP

Use peaks during primetime evening hours

Cable is a constant throughout the day, often in the background

(U.S. insights, YouTube User Experience Research, Q4 2013)

TABLET

Use peaks in the evening

Tablets are the most versatile device with changing roles throughout the day



GEN C IS **2x more likely*** to agree that...

"THE ONLY ADS I LIKE TO WATCH ARE ADS THAT I HAVE A CHOICE TO SKIP"

(Global statistics, Ipsos/YouTube Audience Study, December 2013, *Vs. non-Gen C consumers)

Harness the power of **PARTICIPATION**

Gone are the days when brands broadcast messages and audiences watched passively. Today brands are in constant conversation with their fans, following their passions and making relevant, meaningful and fun contributions to popular culture. Just look at the brand response to Harlem Shake.

THE TOP TEN VIDEO ADS OF 2013 GENERATED AN AVERAGE THREE EXTRA VIEWS ON YOUTUBE BRAND CHANNELS FOR EVERY PAID VIEW

TOP FIVE ADS FROM THE 2013 YEAR-END YOUTUBE ADS LEADERBOARD

www.google.com/think/collections/youtube-leaderboard.html

EVIAN



BABY & ME 66 MILLION VIEWS

DOVE



REAL BEAUTY SKETCHES 60 MILLION VIEWS

INTERNET EXPLORER



CHILD OF THE 90S 48 MILLION VIEWS

PEPSI MAX



TEST DRIVE 40 MILLION VIEWS

POOPOURI



GIRLS DON'T POOP 20 MILLION VIEWS

(Global statistics, YouTube, December 2013)

WHAT'S THE SECRET TO MAKING A TOP AD?

THE TOP FIVE ADS WERE ALL MADE FOR YOUTUBE. THEY WEREN'T SIMPLY REPURPOSED FROM TV ADS, AND THEY USE THE EXTRA AIRTIME; THEY WERE ALL WELL OVER A MINUTE LONG

With a clear video strategy focused on creative content and user engagement, Activision's most popular game franchise, the first-person shooter series **Call of Duty** has pulled **1.9 million subscribers** to its YouTube channel and more than half a billion video views of its professional content, such as trailers and behind-the-scenes clips.

"We look to YouTube as one of the most important communication media we have, and a super large percent of our content is created for YouTube exclusively."

Jonathan Anastas, Activision's VP-Digital Marketing



HARLEM SHAKE WAS THE MOST SEARCHED TOPIC ON YOUTUBE IN 2013

1.7 MILLION

Videos posted of or about the Harlem Shake

2.5 BILLION

Views of those videos posted on YouTube

The meme was established by teenagers in Australia, and **brands uploading their own videos received millions of views**

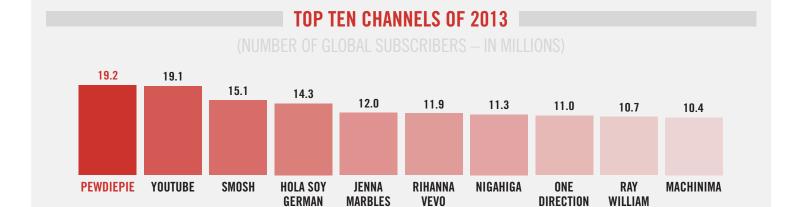
REDBULL 7 MILLION VIEWS

PEPSI

TOPSHOP

Visit www.youtube.com/trends for more trends on YouTube

(Global statistics, YouTube, December 2013)



Top ten channels now have

13.4 MILLION SUBSCRIBERS

on average

The average number of subscribers of the top ten channels **GREW BY**23% from Q3 to Q4 2013

VEVO

JOHNSON

(Global statistics, OpenSlate, December 2013)

Irrespective of device, YouTube preroll ads generated significant lift in unaided brand awareness vs. control

(Global insights, Google/Ipsos Mobile Preroll Ad Effectiveness Study across nine countries, Q4 2013)

UNAIDED BRAND AWARENESS LIFT VS. CONTROL

17%

19%

DESKTOP

SMARTPHONE

(16 OF 18 CAMPAIGNS) (16 OF 18 CAMPAIGNS)

TrueView gives viewers choice and control over which ads they see and when. In experiments with real campaigns, we found that TrueView ads drive further engagement with advertised brands.

IMPACT ON SEARCHES



In 12 of the tested campaigns, **TrueView ads** were 76% more likely to drive a (relevant) web or YouTube search behavior.



In 13 campaigns, TrueView ads were 3x more likely to drive a relevant search on YouTube.

IMPACT ON ENGAGEMENT WITH ADVERTISER'S OWN MEDIA



In 13 campaigns, TrueView ads generated 74% lift in those visiting the advertiser's site.



In six of nine measured campaigns, **TrueView** ads were 10x more likely to drive engagement on the advertiser's YouTube channel.

Visit www.google.com/think/products/youtube-trueview.html for more information on TrueView

(U.S. results, Google/Complete experiments, Q4 2013)



EXECUTE: EXTRA SPACE STORAGE

Extra Space Storage boosted its share of online conversions **14x** with a cross-channel hyper-local campaign.

EXTRA SPACE STORAGE leveraged its YouTube brand channel and social channels, including G+, to showcase its space rental solutions with how-to videos—one of the most popular genres on YouTube—and connect with customers.

THIS CONTENT CURATION STRATEGY GENERATED:

- 200,000 engagements on their YouTube channel
- 14x growth in their share of rentals from online conversions
- 2-3x ROI on the marketing investment created by targeted search and display ads
- 6% increase in conversion rates from prospects who viewed their how-to videos on YouTube

www.google.com/think/case-studies/extra-space-storage-google-video.html

Useful links

Want to learn more? Check out the links below.

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THE POWER OF GEN C

The Collection

http://www.google.com/think/collections/the-power-of-gen-c.html

The Article

https://www.google.com/think/articles/the-power-of-gen-c-connecting-with-your-best-customers.html

Gen C Around the World (infographic)

http://www.google.com/think/infographics/gen-c-around-the-world.html

Connecting with Gen C on YouTube (infographic)

http://www.google.com/think/infographics/connecting-with-gen-c-on-youtube.html

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TOP TEN MOST SUBSCRIBED COOKING AND FOOD CHANNELS

Epic Mealtime

http://www.youtube.com/user/EpicMealTime

Rosanna Pansino

http://www.youtube.com/user/RosannaPansino

Laura Vitale's Kitchen

http://www.youtube.com/user/LauraVitalesKitchen

Food Wishes

http://www.youtube.com/user/foodwishes

Cooking with Dog

http://www.youtube.com/user/cookingwithdog

Sorted Food

http://www.youtube.com/user/sortedfood

Nicko's Kitchen

http://www.youtube.com/user/robjnixon

Jamie Oliver

http://www.youtube.com/user/JamieOliver

Yoyomax12

http://www.youtube.com/user/yoyomax12

O Rolê Gourmet

http://www.youtube.com/user/oRoleGourmet

Jamie Oliver FoodTube Channel

http://www.google.com/think/case-studies/jamie-oliver-youtube-case-study.html

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YOUTUBE ADS LEADERBOARD

http://www.google.com/think/collections/youtube-leaderboard.html

Evian – Baby & Me

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pfxB5ut-KTs

Dove - Real Beauty Sketches

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XpaOjMXyJGk

Internet Explorer – Child of the 90s

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qkM6RJf15cg

Pepsi Max – Test Drive

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q5mHPo2yDG8

Poopouri — Girls don't Poop

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZKLnhuzh9uY

Activision — Call of Duty

http://www.youtube.com/CallOfDuty

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TOP TEN BRAND CHANNELS

PewDiePie

http://www.youtube.com/user/PewDiePie

YouTube

http://www.youtube.com/user/YouTube

Smost

http://www.youtube.com/user/smosh

Hola Soy German

http://www.youtube.com/user/HolaSoyGerman

Jenna Marbles

http://www.youtube.com/user/JennaMarbles

Rihanna VEVO

http://www.youtube.com/user/RihannaVEVO

Nigahiga

http://www.youtube.com/user/nigahiga

One Direction VEVO

http://www.youtube.com/user/OneDirectionVEVO

Ray William Johnson

http://www.youtube.com/user/RayWilliamJohnson

Machinima

http://www.youtube.com/user/machinima

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Trueview

http://www.google.com/think/products/youtube-trueview.html"

Extra Space Storage

http://www.google.com/think/case-studies/extra-space-storage-google-video.html

RESEARCH

Openslate

http://outriggermedia.com

Tubular Labs

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