Magazine Media

extraordinary content

premium audiences

immersive **experiences**

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The magazine industry evolution continues! As you'll see in this year's Magazine Media Factbook, it's a time of excitement — and opportunity.

Why? Because this business is based on something that hasn't changed: the exceptional relationship between reader and content. Magazines continue to deliver engagement. And consumer demand has never been greater for new content, delivered in exciting new ways. Whether through print, the web, tablets, smartphones or social media, magazines reach out and readers respond.

This newest version of the Factbook is not only informative, but inspiring. We look forward to what lies ahead, and taking on challenges and seizing opportunities together.

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Why magazines work

Action

Magazines are motivating. More than 60% of print magazine readers took action as a result of a magazine ad. Digital magazines also drive response, with 91% taking action after reading a digital issue. Studies show that 43% of magazine readers make online purchases vs. 21% of non-readers.

- pages 14, 19, 24, 25, 27, 39, 45, 60, 79

Engagement

Magazines continue to score higher than TV or the internet in "ad receptivity" and other engagement measures. **Readers spend an impressive 41 minutes with each issue.** Among digital readers, 73% read or tap on advertisements appearing in electronic magazines.

- pages 12-17, 59

Trust

Consumers trust and believe magazines

— and embrace advertising as a part of the brand experience. In fact, studies show that ads in magazines rank higher in trust than ads on TV, radio or online.

— pages 15, 17, 65

Youth

If you think teenagers only read texts, think again. **96% of adults under 25 read magazines** — and those under 35
read more issues per month than adults
35+. Studies also show that the top 25
magazines reach more adults and teens
than primetime television.

— pages 5, 7, 8 and 11

Influence

Magazine readers are more likely than users of other media to influence friends and family on product purchases across a variety of advertising categories. Magazine readers rank as #1 or #2 super influential consumers across 60 product categories and make an impact in every shopping segment.

— pages 19–21, 35–38, 40–44, 47, 48 and 53

Valued content

Readers have a positive attitude toward advertising in magazines and believe the ads provide useful information. This holds true among digital readers — and they further like to explore interactive ad tools and features.

— pages 15, 16, 46 and 81

Social

Magazines and social media go hand-in-hand. **69% of readers have posted a magazine article on Facebook,** and more than 6 in 10 have shared magazine content while chatting with friends on Facebook.

— pages 20 and 64-65

ROI

Studies show that allocating more money to magazines in the media mix improves marketing and advertising ROI across multiple product categories.

— pages 28-31, 54 and 55

Multi-platform

— pages 14, 22, 57, 65, 76 and 90

Magazine apps are among the topgrossing apps in key categories in the iPad App Store. Magazine readers are heavy smartphone users. And, magazines also rank #1 in driving consumers online among adults 18+. CONTENTS

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Engagement

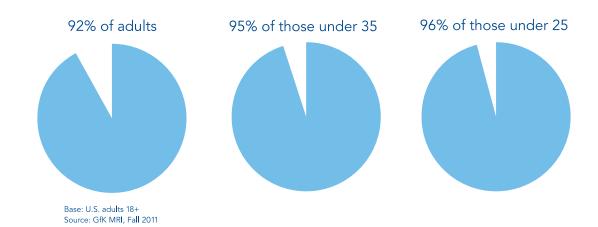
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Magazines: the universal medium

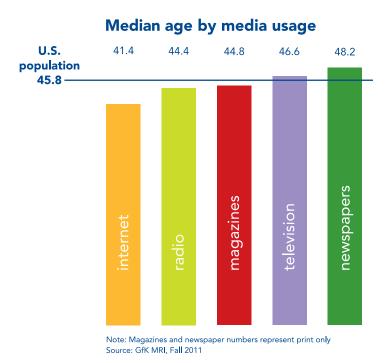
92% of Americans read magazines – including hard-to-reach millennials

Magazines read in the last 6 months

(paper or electronic versions)



Median age of magazine readers reflects the U.S. population



Young readers are heavy users



(index)	Boomers born 1946–64	GenXers born 1965–76	Millennials born 1977–94
magazine	s 88	104	117
internet	84	107	131
television	109	74	65
radio	105	102	102

Base: Percent of coverage among adults 18+, HHI \$50K+. Note: Heavy media usage = top quintile of usage for each medium (ranking excludes newspaper) Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

Younger = more involvement

Adults under 35 read **more issues** per month than adults 35+

Readership by age

	total	under 25	under 35	35 +	50 +
issues read/past month (median)	7.3	7.9	7.9	7.1	6.7
index	100	108	108	97	92
"heavy" magazine readers – top quintile	20.0	24.3	23.6	18.4	16.0
index	100	122	118	92	80

Base: U.S. Adults 18+ Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

A **diverse** audience

92% of African-American adults are magazine readers, equal to the total population. They read an average of 15.1 issues per month, compared to 10.4 issues per month for all U.S. adults.

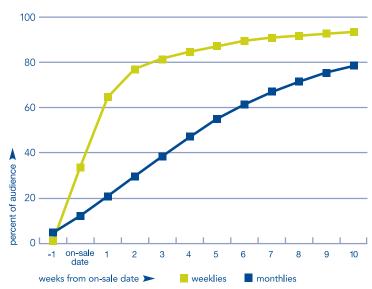
92% of Asian-American adults read magazines, equal to the total population and also African-American adults. They read an average of 10.8 issues a month, closely resembling the average number of issues for all U.S. adults.

86% of adult Hispanic-Americans read magazines. They read an average of 11.3 issues per month, slightly higher than the U.S. average.

Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

Readership starts strong and keeps on growing

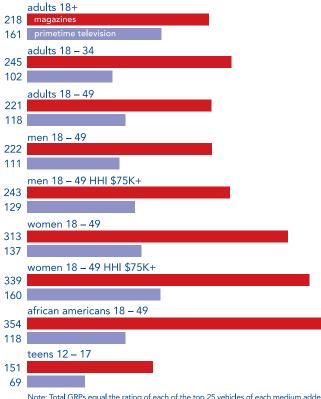
Magazine audience accumulation over time



Note: Magazine reach begins accumulating audience before the actual on-sale date. The on-sale date is the actual date the magazine will appear on the newsstand or is likely to arrive in subscriber households. For weeklies, it is generally one week earlier than the cover date of the magazine. For monthlies, the on-sale date is generally weeks ahead of the cover date. Source: GFK MRI, Fall 2011. GFK MRI variable used cume % GRPs

Better than primetime the top 25 magazines reach more adults + teens than TV

Gross ratings points (GRPs) of top 25 magazines and primetime television programs (index)



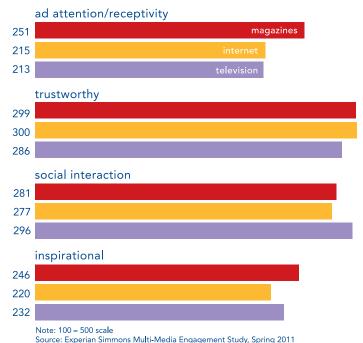
Note: Total GRPs equal the rating of each of the top 25 vehicles of each medium added together Source: Carat Insight: Nielsen, September 2010 – May 2011 (Regularly scheduled, primetime programs). Nielsen defines primetime as Monday to Saturday 8pm to 11pm and Sunday 7pm to 11pm; GfK MRI, Fall 2011; GfK MRI Twelveplus, 2011; TV Ratings based on Live+7 data

Magazines mean **engagement**

The average reader spends 41 minutes reading each issue

Source: GfK MRI, 2011

#1 in ad receptivity (index)



Readership doesn't take a vacation

audiences consistent

month-to-month

Issue-specific audiences

all measured publications by month/quarter

issue	audience	percent		
January	2,124,496	8.0%		
February	2,009,688	7.6		
March	2,230,885	8.4		
April	2,195,800	8.3		
May	2,619,895	9.9		
June	2,109,067	8.0		
July	2,150,636	8.1		
August	2,159,925	8.2		
September	2,202,486	8.3		
October	2,414,689	9.1		
November	2,219,324	8.4		
December	2,003,891	7.6		
	26,440,782	100.0		
quarterly				
January – March	6,365,069	24.1		
April – June	6,924,762	26.2		
July – September	6,513,047	24.6		
October – December	6,637,904	25.1		
June – August	6,419,628	24.3		

Source: GfK MRI, 2011

Magazine media delivers strong ad recall

55% vs. 54%

Percent of consumers who noted a magazine ad displayed on their digital device versus in a printed magazine.

Source: GfK MRI Starch, 2011

Printed magazines

average noting (index)



Note: Any action taken based on readers who noted the ad Source: GfK MRI Starch Advertising Research, 2010 – 2011

Magazine ads credible. informative. welcome.

Consumer experiences with advertising

	age	magazines	internet	television	radio	newspapers
Ads provide information about product use of other consumers	18+	39%	32%	41%	30%	40%
	18-24	38	37	43	30	32
Ads provide useful information about new products/services	18+	49	38	57	38	49
	18–24	46	43	53	36	39
Ads appear at inconvenient moments	18+	21	47	52	36	18
	18–24	25	49	49	40	23
Ads have no credibility	18+	19	31	31	24	17
	18–24	24	34	33	28	21
Ads are repeated too often	18+	29	46	64	48	22
	18–24	32	49	60	49	25
All ads are alike	18+	24	30	32	31	21
	18–24	32	37	35	38	24

Statements: Agree strongly or agree somewhat

Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

Magazines +TV dominate ad interest

key advertising touchpoints	places saw/ heard ad (millions)	have considerable/ some interest among those seeing ad (%)
television	50.6	62.2%
magazines	46.6	62.0
radio	45.9	54.5
mail sent to home	44.8	39.2
websites	42.9	51.4
newspapers	41.8	59.4
grocery stores	41.3	57.9
billboards	40.1	37.2
shopping malls	35.4	47.3
gas stations	34.8	27.4
department stores	34.6	55.3
movie theaters	33.8	44.2
restaurants	31.8	46.7
drugstores/pharmacies	30.3	39.8
airports	28.0	29.5
warehouse/club stores	27.3	51.8
video screen ads	25.9	28.1
convenience stores	25.6	33.9
bookstores	24.4	45.8

8 41.3%
7 38.0
5 30.2
3 32.3
1 36.1
8 33.4
7 33.8
6 35.4
2 22.8
1 24.3
0 19.1
7 23.7
4 31.4
3 24.2
7 26.7
5 25.9
3 25.6
3 19.2

Base: Adults 18+, HHI \$100,000+ Source: Mendelsohn Affluent Survey, 2011

Readers trust magazine advertising

To what extent do you trust the following:

(percentage of North American respondents answering "trust completely" or "trust somewhat")

ads in magazines	47 %
ads in newspapers	47
ads on tv	46
ads on radio	45
billboards and other outdoor advertising	41
ads before movies	40
ads served in search engine results	35
online video ads	31
ads on social networks	31
online banner ads	28

Source: Nielsen Global Trust in Advertising Survey, April 2012



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Readers respond to magazine ads

...anywhere in the book

Advertising effectiveness by position

by position	noted	action taken
first quarter of book	57%	61%
second quarter of book	52	61
third quarter of book	51	62
fourth quarter of book	52	62

Note: Includes all ads, size/color and cover positions Source: GfK MRI Starch Advertising Research, January – December 2011

Actions readers took or plan to take as a result of exposure to specific magazine ads

took any action (net)	61%
consider purchasing the advertised product or service	22
have a more favorable opinion about the advertiser	21
gather more information about advertised product or service	16
recommend the product or service	14
visit their website	13
purchase product or service	9
clipped or saved the ad	8
visited or plan to visit dealership	8
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Source: GfK MRI Starch Advertising Research, January-December 2011

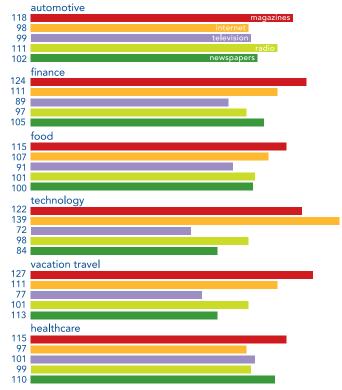
Magazine readers have influence they're social networkers

Used Facebook, Twitter or LinkedIn in past 30 days (index)

magazines	121
internet	161
television	72
radio	109
newspapers	86

Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

Trusted influencers are heavy magazine users (index)



Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ Category influentials – recommenders defined as people who frequently recommend products and services.

Magazine readers are super influencers

Number of times medium ranks #1 or #2 among super influential consumers across 60 product categories

magazines	51	
internet	38	
outdoor	28	
radio	2	
newspaper	1	
television	0	

Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ super influentials defined as people who have great experience in this topic and whose advice on this topic is trusted by friends and family members. Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

Magazines drive consumers on ine

Which medium triggers online search?

	adults 18+	male	female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
magazine	36%	33%	39 %	32%	36%	36%	37%	37 %	37%
television/broadcast	36	39	33	30	32	36	39	40	36
face-to-face	35	34	37	37	41	39	37	32	25
newspaper	30	31	29	19	22	26	32	38	42
cable television	32	36	27	42	40	34	29	26	22
radio	23	25	22	28	26	27	26	21	13
direct mail	25	24	26	18	23	25	25	28	28
email advertising	26	25	27	25	28	29	26	25	22
internet advertising	24	26	21	28	28	25	23	21	17
online/social media*	17	16	17	26	25	20	14	10	7
outdoor billboard	10	11	8	13	13	12	10	7	4
blogs	10	10	9	22	17	9	5	4	3

^{*}Online Communities i.e. Facebook, Twitter.

Note: The sum of the percent totals may be greater than 100 because the respondents can select more than one answer. Source: BIGinsight™, December 2011

Ahead of the curve: Magazine readers are early adopters

Early adopters and media use (index)

	magazines	internet	television	radio	newspapers
electronics	141	183	60	99	98
financial	123	165	54	104	101
food	126	124	77	104	104
home appliance	104	111	84	96	124
leisure	153	194	57	115	97
personal care/health	114	109	85	97	104
super innovators (3+ segments)	144	186	44	98	105

Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ Source: GfK MRI, Spring 2011

Adoption of action codes on the rise driving digital connections for readers

Action codes offer a compelling way to activate print with mobile and social content that engages readers, builds brand loyalty, and captures new business

Ad pages with an action code (percent)



Source: Nellymoser, Inc. Q1 2012 Report "Mobile Action Codes in Magazine Advertising."

...and motivating readers to interact with your brand

All but one of the top 100 U.S. magazines contained at least one action code in Q1 2012. They include 2D barcodes, QR codes, and Microsoft Tags.

Number of action codes per issue

	Q1/11	Q2/11	Q3/11	Q4/11	Q1/12
average number of codes per issue	2.33	4.23	4.83	6.50	4.88
median number of codes per issue	2	3	4	5	4
greatest number of codes per issue	12	29	54	70	32

Note: Number of action codes per issue for issues that contained at least one action code. Each weekly issue of a weekly magazine counted as a separate issue. Source: Nellymoser, Inc. Q1 2012

Uses for action codes

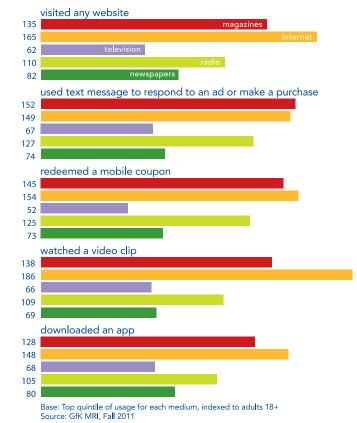
video	35%
e-commerce	21
opt-in/subscribe/sweeps	20
social media	18
store locator	11
coupon	8
photo gallery	7
downloads	7
recipes	2
voting	0

Note: Columns total more than 100% because each action code may lead to more than one engagement. For example, it may be a video and then offer to share the video.

Source: Nellymoser, Inc. Q1 2012

VVe've got your number: heavy magazine readers = heavy mobile users

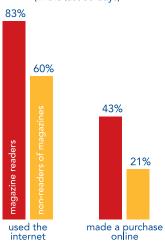
Heavy media usage among consumers who used cell phone activity in last 30 days (index)



Magazine readers spend more time-and money-online

Magazine readers vs. non-readers

(in the last 30 days)



Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

Heavy media usage among consumers who used online activity in past 30 days (index)

	magazines	internet	television	radio	newspapers
made personal or business travel plans	136	163	52	102	123
obtained financial information	128	167	64	97	107
obtained information for new or used car purchase	153	166	76	118	101
obtained information about real estate	146	177	65	112	110
obtained medical information	150	160	80	107	123
obtained childcare or parenting information	166	168	64	113	77
looked for recipes	137	153	76	108	108
looked up movie listings or showtimes	150	176	67	111	97

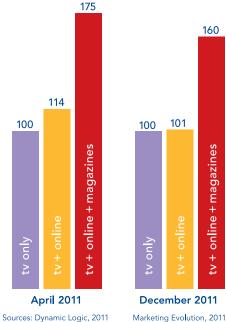
Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+

Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

Magazines influence purchase decisions

Lifts in "purchase intent" index to TV

Results from 14 ROI studies from Dynamic Logic and Marketing Evolution aggregations (index)

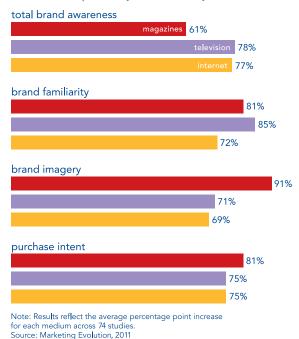


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Magazines generate purchase intent

Aggregate trends across the purchase funnel

Percent of 74 studies in which purchase funnel metrics were positively influenced by medium

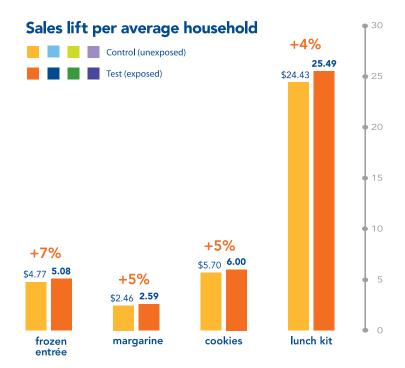


Magazine advertising increases sales

Households exposed to the magazine campaign (test) spent significantly more (+3% to +36%) than those not exposed (control)

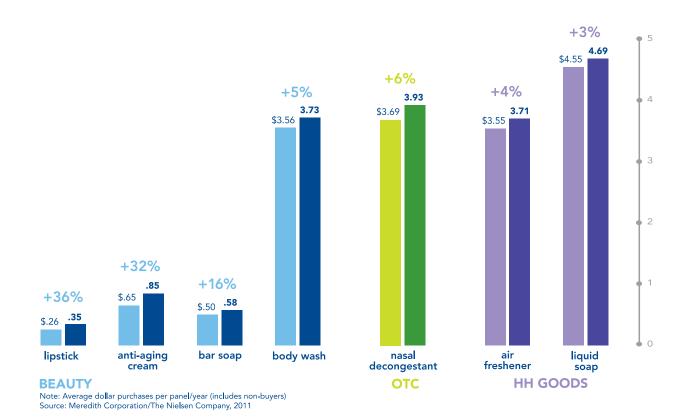
- Sales lift ranging from 3% to 36% vs. control
- Positive ROI for all brands ranging from \$1.69 to \$19.99 incremental for every media dollar spent
- Campaign period July 2009 through December 2010





Note: Average dollar purchases per panel/year (includes non-buyers) Source: Meredith Corporation/The Nielsen Company, 2011

...across multiple categories



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- Retail: Magazines make an impact in every shopping segment
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Marketing Mix Modeling

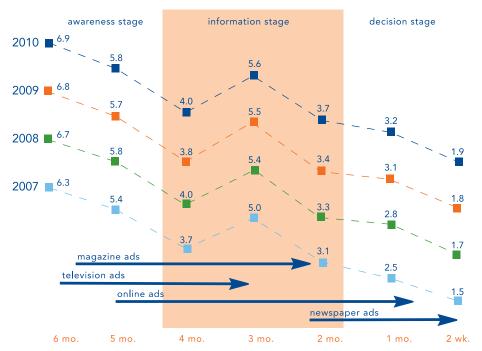
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Magazine ads impact key early shopping stages for automotive

Magazines are a strong influence in the all-important early stages of the purchase funnel. This helps ensure that a brand makes it to the finals when the number of contenders is small.

Creating a new car shopping list 2007-2010

Average number of vehicles in consumer consideration set



Note: arrows show stages at which each medium plays a leading role Source: Time Inc. and CNW Research, Automotive Purchase Process Studies, 2007 – 2010

Magazines motivate auto purchases

Top 5 primary sources of information

Upper funnel

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Build Demand 6–5 months prior to purchase

television ads	12.9%
manufacturer websites	11.3
friends / relatives	10.5
consumer magazine ads	10.1
consumer reports	7.3

Middle funnel

Maintain Consideration 4–2 months prior to purchase

third party sites*	13.5%	
consumer magazine ads	11.2	
consumer reports	10.7	
television ads	9.4	
manufacturer websites	8.4	

Lower funnel

Commit to Spend 4–2 weeks prior to purchase

local newspaper ads	14.5%
consumer reports	10.7
dealer websites	9.1
friends / relatives	8.7
third party sites*	8.4

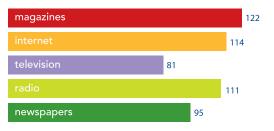
Note: Consumer Magazines, Local Newspapers and Consumer Reports include both print and digital versions Source: Time Inc. and CNW Marketing Purchase Process Study. 2011

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^{*} Third Party Sites: i.e. Edmunds, Kelley, AOL Auto, etc.

Magazine readers are #1 in reaching auto influencers and purchasers

Heavy magazine usage among auto super influential consumers (index)



Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011. Super influentials defined as people who have great experience in this topic and whose advice on this topic is trusted by friends and family members

Heavy media usage among consumers who intend to purchase a vehicle (index)

very/somewhat likely to buy in next 12 months

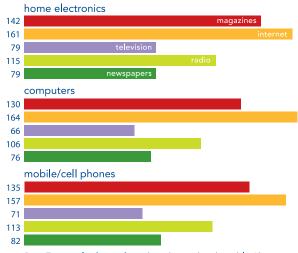
	magazines	internet	television	radio	newspapers
4-door car	116	105	95	104	92
sport utility vehicle	121	115	86	113	88
hybrid/alt. fuel vehicle	117	110	88	103	88
any vehicle	113	105	96	107	92

Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

Magazines impact electronics sales

Internet + magazines are most important to influencers

Super influential consumers for electronics purchases are heavy users of magazines and the internet (index)

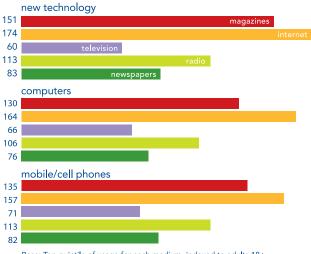


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Magazine readers are tech sector influencers

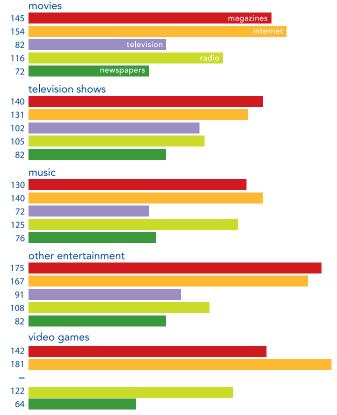
Heavy media usage among super influential consumers for technology purchases (index)



Magazines impact entertainment sales

magazines influence the influencers

Heavy media usage among super influential consumers for entertainment purchases (index)



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Magazines are a hit among entertainment enthusiasts

Top media usage for entertainment activities

	magazines	internet	television	radio	newspapers
attended movies 2-3 times per month in last 90 days	134	139	77	106	99
movies: category influential consumers	140	140	83	103	79
prefer to see a new movie on opening weekend	150	137	96	107	77
purchased 3+ video games in past 12 months	125	132	73	108	77
likely/somewhat likely to buy portable DVD player in next 12 months	135	107	107	106	82
bought a home theater/entertainment system in last 12 months	123	119	68	_	_
bought 5+ CDs in last 6 months	121	126	92	109	120

Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ Note: Heavy newspaper and heavy radio is unstable for "bought a home theatre/entertainment system" Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

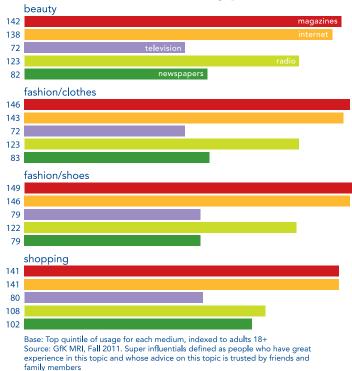
Magazines look good when it comes to influencing consumers

Top six major media influences for apparel/clothing

magazines	25%
broadcast television	24
newspaper	19
internet	20
cable television	15
radio	10

Base: Adults 18+, N=24, 578 Source: BlGinsight™, Media Behaviors and Influence Survey™, December 2011

Heavy media usage among super influential consumers for fashion/beauty purchases (index)





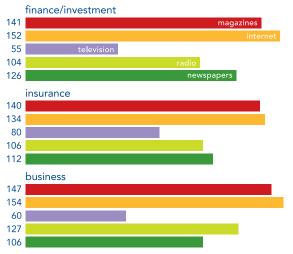
Magazines are a **smart investment**

Affluent investors read magazines

in past year	magazines	web	television	radio	
Used full-service broker	140	95	108	106	
Value of financial accounts by HH (liquid assets) \$250,000+	•	93	106	98	

Heavy media users, indexed to adults 18+, HHI \$100,000+ Source: Mendelsohn Affluent Survey, 2011

Heavy media usage among super influential consumers in business/finance (index)

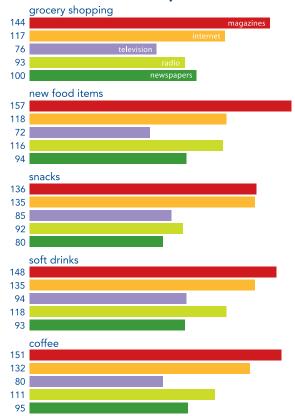


Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011. Super influentials defined as people who have great experience in this topic and whose advice on this topic is trusted by friends and family members.



Food influencers devour magazines

Heavy media usage among super influential consumers for food purchases (index)





Going green: magazines reach environmentally conscious consumers

Segmentation by environmental friendliness

	magazines	internet	television
green advocates	120	129	57
green at their best	t 108	103	92
ungreen (least gre	en) 95	104	103

Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

Media usage among environmentally-friendly consumers (index)

Super influential consumers for environmentally-friendly products 132 magazines 124 television 97 I have a great deal of knowledge/experience in environmentally-friendly products 113 107 94 102 My family/friends often ask for and trust my advice on environmentally-friendly products 121 112 102 107 Participated in public activities in the past 12 months 108 105 93 100 111 Agree completely: I buy vehicles that reflect my commitment to support the environment 109 114 106 109

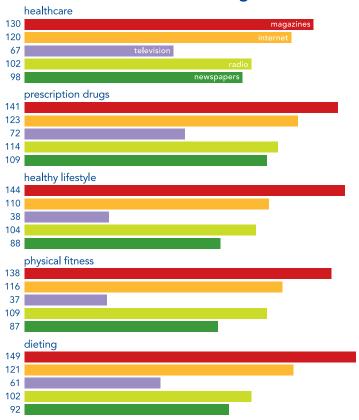
Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+



Magazine readers know about healthcare

Heavy media usage among super influential consumers for healthcare categories (index)



Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011. Super influentials defined as people who have great experience in this topic and whose advice on this topic is trusted by friends and family members

Magazines are a prescription for **healthy results**

The MARS OTC/DTC study reveals that magazine readers are by far the most likely to take action on healthcare ads when compared to the users of any other medium.

Actions Taken Last 12 Months Due to Healthcare Advertising

	magazines	internet	television	radio	newspapers
Returned free sample card	179	88	168	139	117
Discussed an ad with your doctor	148	102	123	119	113
Called a toll free number to get additional information	161	118	136	112	138
Asked doctor for a prescription sample	140	97	118	110	104
Visited any website	142	139	129	100	124
Consulted a pharmacist	133	90	126	112	118
Switched to a different brand	145	96	134	120	104
Discussed an ad with a friend/relative	150	104	116	109	122
Asked doctor to prescribe a specific drug	135	116	122	108	114
Purchased a non-prescription product	126	99	122	107	108

Base: Top two quintiles by medium, indexed to adults 18+ Source: MARS OTC/DTC Study, April 2012

Magazines are a fit resource for health-conscious consumers

Media Ads	very much/ somewhat value
television ads	20%
magazine ads	19
newspaper ads	13
radio ads	13
internet ads	13
Source: MARS OTC/DTC Study, April 2012	2

Public Place Media verv much/ somewhat value materials* in doctors' offices 37% brochures in dentists' offices. 30 magazines in doctors' offices 29 brochures in grocery/drug stores 22 television programs in doctors' offices 19 13 in-store television in-store radio 11 posters/wallboards at health clubs posters/wallboards at bars/clubs 5

^{*}Ads/brochures/pamphlets/wallboards Source: MARS OTC/DTC Study, April 2012

Magazine readers know about healthcare

Consumers who make their own personal healthcare decisions and influence those of their friends and family are most likely to be magazine readers.

Consumer Attitudes

any agreement	magazines	internet	television	radio	newspapers
I am more knowledgeable about medicines because of the information provided in pharmaceutical advertising	130	87	110	103	102
I research healthcare information so that I am better informed about different healthcare options	117	108	97	100	111
Friends come to me for advice about healthcare and medications	126	113	94	102	100
I often discuss new prescription medicines with my doctor	122	87	109	101	100
I trust pharmaceutical companies that advertise the medications I take	118	76	108	91	90
It's worth paying more for branded prescription medications rather than to get generic products	116	89	101	100	98

Base: Top two quintiles by medium, indexed to adults 18+ Source: MARS OTC/DTC Study, April 2012

Magazines are prime real estate for reaching home influencers

Magazine readers #1 of all media in home spending

	magazines	web	television	radio
\$1,000+ HH appliances	131	117	107	112
\$3,000+ HH appliances	175	130	115	100
\$3,000+ furniture	133	117	115	113
\$1,000+ decorating services	156	116	114	95
\$3,000+ decorating services	167	120	120	113
\$5,000+ decorating services	183	100	150	100
\$10,000+ remodeling service	es 128	100	113	123

Heavy media users, indexed to adults 18+, HHI \$100,000+ Note: Dollars reflect money spent in last year Source: Mendelsohn Affluent Survey, 2011

Heavy media usage among super influential consumers for home improvement purchases (index)



Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011. Super influentials defined as people who have great experience in this topic and whose advice on this topic is trusted by friends and family members

Magazines are an **inspiration** to remodelers and renovators

Heavy media usage among consumers who intend to make home improvements (index)

very/somewhat likely in next 12 months

	magazines	internet	television	radio	newspapers
buy first house/residence	124	111	94	118	66
buy second house/vacation	126	104	90	107	88
remodel kitchen	119	99	97	99	107
convert room to home office	115	100	93	105	100
add rooms/exterior additions	127	94	82	115	103
buy home/property insurance	103	97	105	98	109

Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+

Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

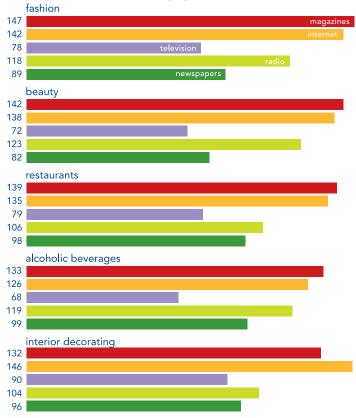
Get the goods: Affluent buyers read magazines

Affluent Luxury Goods Buyers Spending in Past Year

spent/designer items	magazines	web	television	radio
\$1,000+ watches	167	133	114	103
\$1,000+ fine jewelry	156	119	100	103
\$3,000+ fine jewelry	159	131	109	131
\$10,000+ apparel and accessories	185	149	103	124
\$1,000+ day spa	175	142	92	133
\$2,000+ skin care/ cosmetics/fragrance	179	152	115	123

Heavy media users, indexed to adults 18+, HHI \$100,000+ Source: Mendelsohn Affluent Survey, 2011

Heavy media usage among super influential consumers for luxury goods purchases (index)

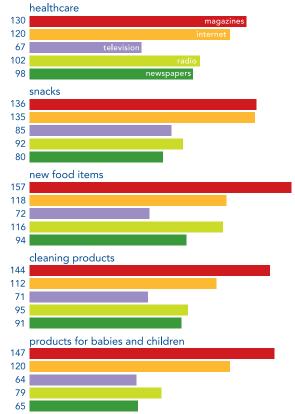


Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011. Super influentials defined as people who have great experience in this topic and whose advice on this topic is trusted by friends and family members



Magazines and shopping go hand-in-hand

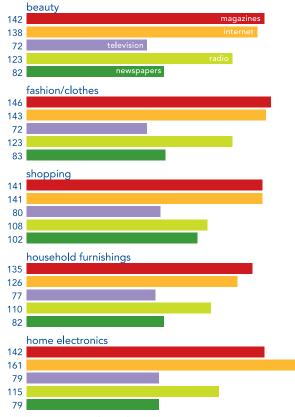
Super influential consumers for packaged goods purchases are heavy users of magazines (index)



Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011. Super influentials defined as people who have great experience in this topic and whose advice on this topic is trusted by friends and family members

In ever make an

Heavy media usage among super influential consumer segment (index)



Base: Top quintile of usage for each medium, indexed to adults 18+ Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011. Super influentials defined as people who have great experience in this topic and whose advice on this topic is trusted by friends and family members



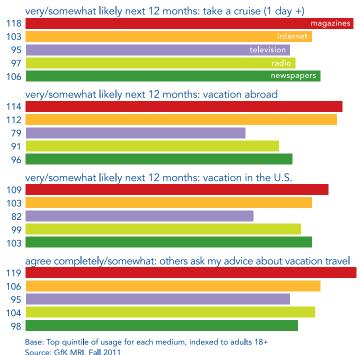
Magazines reach the **on-the-go** consumer

Affluent travelers use magazines most

travel activity	magazines	web	television	radio
Europe/past 3 years	142	115	89	101
\$5,000+ vacation outside U.S.	144	112	94	102

Heavy media users, indexed to adults 18+, HHI \$100,000+ Source: Mendelsohn Affluent Survey, 2011

Heavy media usage among travelers (index)



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75% of major advertisers utilize **Marketing Mix Modeling** to evaluate their media effectiveness

Marketers and Media Agencies now have access to modeling tools that readily provide weekly accumulated market level GRP data that fully measure magazine advertising ROI.

Better, more consistent alignment of media inputs, in most cases reported as weekly GRP delivery, will deliver a better model and more accurate and actionable results.

Source: Marketing Mix Modeling and Media Inputs, MPA 2011
Download this study at magazine.org/accountability

"Improving marketing mix models is essential for enhancing integrated marketing effectiveness. As the media landscape proliferates, data precision is critical to insure the growth in marketing mix quality and reliability."

- Bob Liodice President and Chief Executive Officer, ANA

MPA's FIPP Award-winning research study on modeling "...is an innovative piece of work that will be taken up by many other associations and media groups, not least because the study can lead to changes in the way advertisers assess magazine advertising effectiveness."

- Chris Llewellyn President and Chief Executive Officer, FIPP

More precise inputs increase accuracy

Three separate studies show that more precise media inputs yielded a better match with marketing mix modeling results, e.g., GRPs provided greater accuracy than did dollars.

Using more precise inputs can affect magazines' contribution by as much as 18%

Index based on the contribution from modeling results





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Digital is dynamic



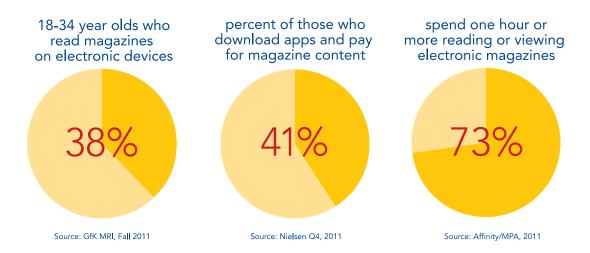
77% of men and 68% of women are open to digital reading.

71% of tablet owners are interested in reading magazines on their devices... 67% prefer to.

85% of men in the hard-to-reach 18-34 demo are interested in reading magazines on their tablets.

Source: GfK MRI, February 2012

Consumers are connected – to magazines



Digital drives engagement among readers

70% want the ability to purchase products and services directly from electronic magazines.

2 hours is the median time spent reading digital magazines in a typical week.

73% read/tap on advertisements appearing in electronic magazines.

86% access the same electronic magazine issue two or more times.

Source: Affinity/MPA, GfK MRI, 2011



Digital readers respond

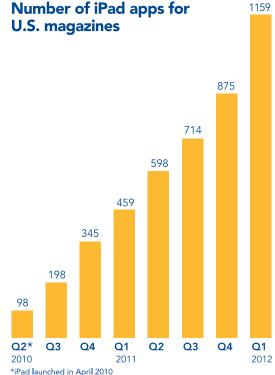
action taken

- > share their experience with peers
- > choose to read multiple magazines on their iPad
- > visit websites both advertising and editorial

net: took any action	91 %	
among those who took action		
net: mentioned app/content to someone else	82 %	
decided to read another magazine on iPad	58 %	
visited a website mentioned in an article	56%	
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net: visited advertiser website or retail store	58%	
and the second second flow	2/0/	
purchased something	26%	
followed a tip or advice I would also the	400/	
followed a tip or advice I read about	48%	

Note: Cumulative of enhanced and Zinio editions. Source: Hearst Digital Editions. Consumer Research, 2011

"Our clients have seen that there's almost no now — and 92-95% of those are new to the



Source: McPheters & Company iMonitor™ 2012

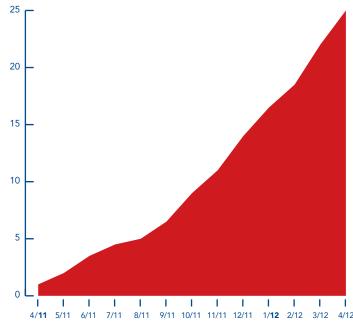
An appetite for apps

25 million issues delivered in the last year and 120,000 every day

Readers spend 2.5+ hours per month consuming content

Source: Adobe Systems Inc., 2012

Total issues downloaded (millions)



Source: Adobe Systems Incorporated, 2012

Magazine apps are top earners in key iPad categories

Top grossing iPad apps (as of May 2012)

Lifestyle Apps

- 1 Creston Mobile Pro G
- 2 Cosmopolitan
- **3** GQ
- 4 Glamour
- 5 Allrecipes Your Kitchen Inspiration
- 6 Food Network Magazine
- 7 Bon Appétit
- 8 Maxim+ Magazine
- 9 O, The Oprah Magazine
- 10 Esquire, iPad Edition
- 11 Food Network Cupcakes
- **12** How to Cook Everything
- 13 Food & Wine
- **14** Martha Stewart Living Magazine
- 15 Better Homes and Gardens

Source: MinOnline/iPad App store, 2012

News Apps

- 1 NYTimes for iPad
- 2 The Daily
- 3 Zinio
- 4 New York Post
- 5 The New Yorker
- 6 The Economist
- 7 National Geographic
- 8 Mac Life
- 9 Wired
- **10** Bloomberg Businessweek
- 11 San Francisco Chronicle
- 12 Newsweek
- **13** 60 Minutes for iPad
- 14 New York Daily News
- **15** Consumer Reports

Health and Fitness Apps

- 1 SELF Magazine
- 2 Men's Health
- 3 MyNetDiary
- 4 Daily Workouts
- 5 Kinesis Capture
- 6 Prevention
- 7 Posture Screen Mobile
- 8 Oxygen Magazine
- 9 Calorie Tracker
- 10 Fitness Magazine
- 11 iMuscle
- 12 Men's Fitness
- 13 Women's Health
- 14 Runner's World
- **15** Relax Melodies Premium

Magazines and social media are #BFFs

Among adults 18-34 who read magazines and use social media: 37% read or looked into a digital magazine in the past 60 days. Nearly half say that the experience of interacting with other media is generally enhanced when shared with others. 35% love to share articles or products that they see in magazines immediately with others. Nearly half have visited a magazine's Facebook page. Nearly 3/4 "liked" a magazine on Facebook. 69% posted a magazine article to Facebook. More than 6 in 10 have chatted with friends on Facebook while reading a magazine and shared what they were reading. More than half posted photos to a magazine's Facebook page. More than half uploaded content (such as recipes) to a magazine's Facebook page. More than 2/3 have followed a magazine editor or columnist on Twitter. Nearly 3/4 have followed a magazine on Twitter. 3 in 4 have followed a magazine on Pinterest, or have re-pinned content from a magazine.

General Population is adults 18-34 who read magazines and use social media. Source: Magazines and Social Media GfK, MRI/MPA, 2012

Magazine readers are social

Avid magazine readers are more social media savvy than the general population

Profile of tablet users compared with general public

Avid magazine readers are more engaged with social media	total respondents	avid readers
I like to share information about my daily activities with my family and friends	47%	66%
The experience of interacting with media is generally enhanced when shared with others	48	67
Magazines for me are one of the most highly credible sources of information for the areas that I am personally interested in	33	62
I trust the opinion of a magazine editor	30	54
Shopping activities (frequently/sometimes)		
Download coupons from a company's Facebook page	53	63
Enter contests on Facebook or Twitter to win products or receive discounts	59	66
Redeem an offer from a "check-in" service such as Foursquare	29	41
Redeem an offer from a company's Twitter feed or Facebook page	51	61
Seek the opinion of your Facebook friends before buying a product	50	62
Tell your friends on Facebook or Twitter about a special sale that you heard about	53	62
Agreement with social media involvement statements		
I love to share articles or products that I see in magazines immediately with others	35	54
I like to use social media to talk about what I am reading in magazines	29	47
It is important to me to be able to engage with a magazine brand on social media platforms	27	46

Source: Magazines and Social Media, GfK MRI/MPA, The Marketing Democracy, 2012

Magazines make the social scene

2.4 million unique visitors every month

Top magazine brands on social media destinations

monthly audience	magazine brand
3,196,000	People Magazine
2,441,000	Game Informer
2,377,000	ESPN the Magazine
2,283,000	Sports Illustrated
2,144,000	WebMD The Magazine
2,091,000	Playstation
1,857,000	Entertainment Weekly
1,629,000	Official Xbox Magazine
1,607,000	Maxim
1,538,000	Time
1,531,000	Food Network Magazine
1,502,000	TV Guide
1,497,000	US Weekly
1,411,000	National Geographic
1,347,000	Cosmopolitan
1,295,000	Newsweek
1,215,000	Rolling Stone
1,199,000	Playboy
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1,116,000	O, The Oprah Magazine
1,096,000	Forbes
1,009,000	Wired
1,000,000	Weight Watchers

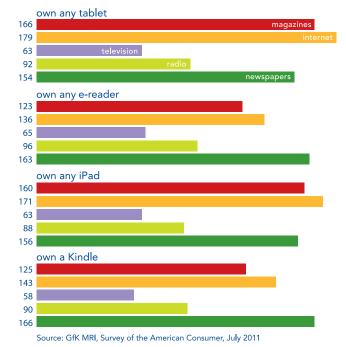
Note: Unduplicated monthly audience delivery across all social networking sites

Source: Affinity, American Magazine Study, Spring 2011

Who owns tablets? Magazine readers

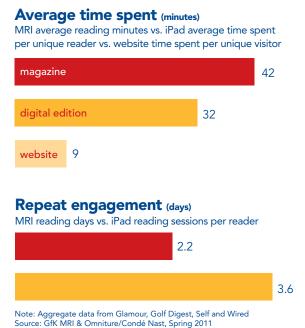
Tablet owners are 60% more likely to be heavy users of printed magazines

Traditional media consumption by owners of tablets and e-readers (index)



Digital reading habits reflect print behaviors

Engagement metrics for digital editions are closer to magazines for time spent, in contrast to shorter grab-and-go website visits.

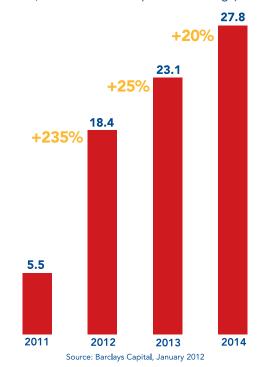


Kindle Fire gets a warm welcome

growing by 235% this year and double digits the next two

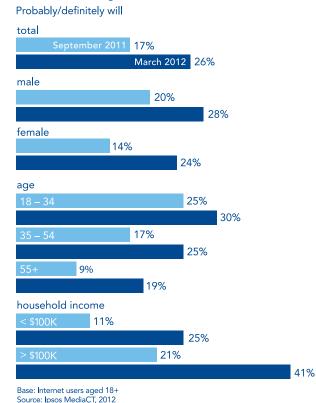
Amazon Kindle Fire tablet sales 2011 – 2014

(millions of units and percent of change)



Americans plan to purchase more tablets

Likelihood of purchasing a tablet this year



Tablet owners: more educated and affluent

Profile of tablet users compared with general public (percent)

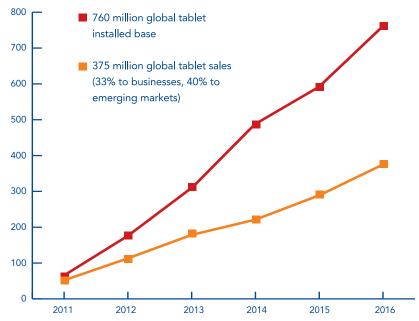
	tablet users	general public
men	52 %	48%
women	48	52
white	65	68
nonwhite	35	33
age		
18 – 29	22	22
30 – 49	46	35
50 – 64	25	26
65+	7	17
education		
college graduate+	51	28
some college	23	28
high school or less	26	44
family income		
\$75K or more	53	28
\$30K - 74,999	32	36
less than \$30K	15	36
employment status		
employed full-time	62	44
employed part-time	11	14
not employed	26	41
don't know	*	*
political ideology		
conservative	33	36
moderate	39	36
liberal	23	22
don't know	5	5

Source: PEW Research Center's Project for Excellence in Journalism/The Economist Group, 2011

Tablets go global

760 million
people globally
will own a tablet
by 2016, including
one-third of
Americans.

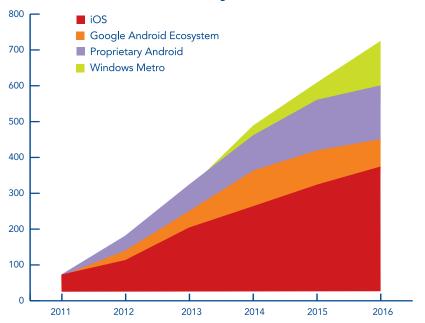
Global tablet sales and installed base by OS (millions)



Note: Other tablet operating systems excluded due to negligible installed base share. Source: Forrester Forecast, April 2012

53% of tablets in 2016 will be iPads

Global tablet installed base by OS (millions)

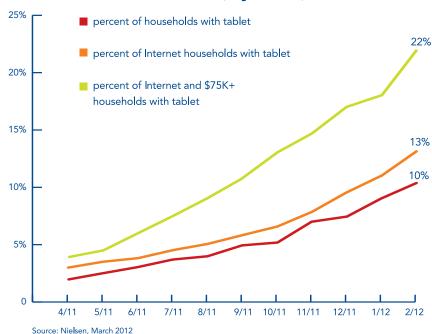


Note: Other tablet operating systems excluded due to negligible installed base share (number of units actually in use).

Source: Forrester Forecast, April 2012

Tablets hit home increasingly popular in U.S. households

U.S. households with tablets (weighted intab%)



Where and when do readers engage with tablets?

At home, mainly in the evening and at night

Strongly or somewhat likely (%)

I use my tablet	U.S.	worldwide median
at home in the evening	95 %	93 %
at night in bed	80	77
at home during the day	79	88
during lunchtime	62	48
during breakfast	60	49
while I am at work	51	51
during dinnertime	34	35
on the way to work	27	38

Source: BCG e-reader survey, November 2011

At home, mainly for personal activities

Strongly or somewhat likely (%)

I use my tablet	U.S.	worldwide median
personal email	93%	87 %
surfing the internet for personal use	90	90
social networking	66	55
watching videos	63	59
reading e-books and e-magazines	62	58
listening to music	54	54
playing games	51	51
work email	43	41
surfing the internet for work use	32	38
creating/editing personal files	30	33
personal video conferencing	29	30
creating/editing work files	26	24
using other software for work	15	16
video conferencing for work	7	11

Source: BCG e-reader survey, November 2011

Affluent consumers **connect** via multiple platforms

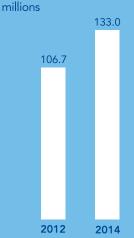
How do you read, look into or view each of the following? (percent)

ma	gazines	websites	television	newspapers
read hard copy	93%	_	_	86%
view on computer	27	94%	23	39
view on smartphone	9	32	7	14
view on television	6	13	94%	7
view on tablet computer	6	15	6	7
view on tablet via website	e 5	14	3	6
view on tablet via app	4	8	4	4
view on e-reader	4	5	_	3

Source: Mendelsohn Affluent Barometer, March – May 2011; Based on 3 month moving average

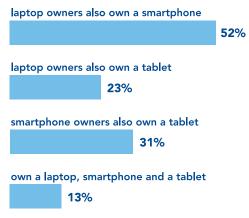
Smartphone usage big and growing

U.S. smartphone users



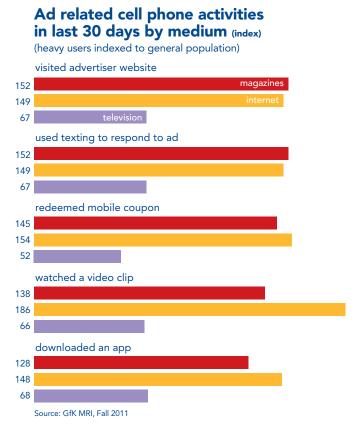
Note: Use the devisce at least once a month, ages 18+ Source: eMarketer, August and November, 2011

Digital doubles: many own more than one device



N's: desktop/laptop = 2,342; smartphone = 1,180; tablet = 511 Source: PEW Research Center's Project for Excellence in Journalism, State of the Media, 2012

Smartphone interactivity high among magazine users



Digital ads make an impact

74% of those surveyed recalled seeing ads when reading the enhanced issue

70% of tablet owners say they want to be able to buy items by clicking on an ad in a digital magazine.

47% took action after reviewing an ad, among respondents who recall at least one ad.

Of those...

62% visited an advertiser website or retail store.

54% made or considered a purchase.

Source: GfK MRI iPanel, February 2012; Hearst Tablet/E-edition Consumer Research, February, 2011

Enhanced ads boost performance

Reporting ad-specific metrics

readers/

45.9

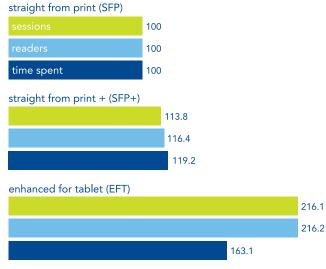
Issue advertiser data is shown for a monthly title based on an eight-week test reporting period.

tablet ads	exposures	index
unduplicated readers	33,554	161
total number of ad engagements	46,963	166
average time spent on ads (seconds)	10.7	153
engagement		
total content views	*5,7	12,489
average session length (minutes)		*14.0

average reader length (minutes)

*Supplemental to MPA standard reporting
Note: Indices are created by comparing the advertisements' performance
against the issue averages. Test includes multiple Condé Nast digital
edition brands and straight from print (pdf) brands.
Source: Condé Nast, 2012

Ad performance by format (index)



Note: SFP, SFP+ and EFT, MPA Tablet Metrics Task Force, 2012 Source: Condé Nast, January 2012

Digital readers like and want ads

10 point scale

10 = strongly agree; 1 = strongly disagree

- 6.9 I liked exploring the interactive tools/features of the ads
- **6.3** The ads generally improved my perception of the advertiser brand
- The ads generally improved my perception of the advertiser product/service
- **6.0** The ads were useful

Source: Hearst Tablet/E-edition Consumer Research, February 2012

Digital **interactivity** increases key ad metrics

A study commissioned by Adobe exposed participants to either static (print format) or interactive (iPad) ads featured in an issue of a consumer technology magazine.

Part I: Realistic Exposure (browsing the magazine)
Participants in either condition were exposed to five articles
and seven ads that were the same. This part of the study used
a realistic exposure condition, without coaching about
paying attention to any specific magazine content or ads.

The interactivity of digital ads improves readers' levels of perceived interactivity, perceived engagement, message involvement and attitude towards ads.

(print vs. digital; 1 – 9-point scale)	print ads	interactive ads
perceived interactivity	6.03	7.38
perceived engagement	5.38	6.67
message involvement	5.36	6.36
attitude toward the ad	5.50	6.63

Source: Adobe/Alex Wang Ph.D University of Connecticut, 2011

Part II: Forced Exposure (reviewing a specific ad)

A forced exposure condition was used as participants were asked to review a specific advertisement. In the interactive ad condition, the ad enabled higher interactivity, inviting participants to play a game to solve a business problem. Participants in the static ad condition reviewed the same ad in the print issue of the magazine.

In the specific ad, purchase intent was improved 59% by the interactivity in the tablet version of the ad. The research showed overall improvement.

(print vs. digital; 1 – 9-point scale) perceived interactivity	print ad 3.96	interactive ad 6.81
perceived engagement	4.16	6.67
message involvement	5.07	6.45
attitude toward the ad	3.75	6.36
purchase intention	2.50	3.98

Source: Adobe/Alex Wang Ph.D University of Connecticut, 2011

Tablet metrics measuring magazine tablet issues

Timeframe for metrics release (number of weeks)

Publishers will provide metrics as available from individual data providers.

weeklies	1	4	2	7
biweeklies	2	4	2	8
monthlies	4	4	2	10
quarterlies	12	4	2	18
SITI special issu	time on es newsstand	4	2	time on newsstand +6 weeks

Five initial recommended metrics for use by publishers, agencies and advertisers

- 1 total consumer paid digital issues consumer paid subscriptions and single paid issues
- 2 total number of tablet readers per issue issues opened by individual devices
- 3 total number of sessions per issue aggregate number of times an issue was accessed
- 4 total amount of time spent per reader per issue time spent (on average) with an issue across the total audience
- 5 average number of sessions per reader per issue the average number of times each reader accessed the issue

Source: MPA Tablet Metrics Task Force, 2012



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A magazine for everyone

Number of magazines 2002 - 2011

year	consumer magazines
2011	7,179
2010	7,163
2009**	7,110
2008**	7,383
2007	6,809
2006	6,734
2005	6,325
2004	7,188
2003	6,234
2002**	5,340

^{**}Represents economic downturn. Note: Fluctuations reflect that the number of magazines changes based on economic conditions
Source: National Directory of Magazines/Oxbridge Communications, 2012

Magazines meet consumer interest

213 new magazines launched in 2011

New U.S. magazine launches by category in 2011

28 special interest/lifestyle	4 photography
18 crafts/games/hobbies/models	3 computers
15 metropolitan/regional/state	3 fitness
15 sports	3 gay/lesbian
12 epicurean	3 music
11 children's	2 bridal
10 home	2 business
9 ethnic	2 camping/outdoor recreation
8 fashion/beauty/grooming	2 dressmaking/needlework
8 men's	2 entertainment
7 comic technique/comics	2 health
6 art/antiques	2 popular culture
6 motorcycles	2 travel
5 politics	1 fishing & hunting
5 religion	1 gaming
5 women's	1 military/naval
4 automotive	1 nature/ecology
4 literary/reviews/writing	1 teen

Note: This list represents weekly, bi-monthly, monthly, and quarterly titles only Source: Samir Husni's Guide to New Consumer Magazines, 2012

Average cost of magazines 2002 - 2011

	single copy	one-year basic subscription
2011	\$ 4.95	\$ 29.85
2010	4.91	29.29
2009	4.86	28.86
2008	4.70	28.01
2007	4.53	27.83
2006	4.46	27.30
2005	4.40	26.78
2004	4.40	25.93
2003	4.22	26.55
2002	4.11	25.70

Source: Averages calculated by MPA from ABC Publishers Statements, 2002 – 2011

It's all about the audience 10-year growth

Counting who reads magazines is more important than how many copies are available to read.

Total 18+ magazine audience

year	
2011	188,602,000
2010	191,086,000
2009	189,487,000
2008	189,681,000
2007	187,398,000
2006	184,096,000
2005	181,595,000
2004	179,373,000
2003	178,391,000
2002	172,108,000

Note: Measured magazine titles excluding Sunday magazines and newspapers Source: GfK MRI, Fall 2011

Subscription/single copy sales 2002 - 2011

		1 2	
year	subscription	single copy	total
2011*	282,919,614	29,558,699	312,478,313
2010*	292,237,864	32,999,207	325,237,070
2009*	310,433,396	36,138,517	346,571,912
2008*	324,818,012	43,664,772	368,363,773
2007*	322,359,612	47,433,976	369,793,587
2006*	321,644,445	47,975,657	369,620,102
2005	313,992,423	48,289,137	362,281,559
2004	311,818,667	51,317,183	363,135,850
2003	301,800,237	50,800,854	352,601,091
2002	305,438,345	52,932,601	358,370,946

*Paid and Verified -Effective 2006, ABC established verified subscription circulation as a category. Source: Averages calculated by MPA from each year's ABC Publishers Statements, 2002-2011. Comics, annuals and international editions are not included. The Audit Bureau of Circulations ruled in 2011 that digital editions would be reported as part of the Fas Fax data; as of March 2012 digital editions make up less than 1% of A.B.C.'s Fas Fax data.

Magazines: the original targeted medium

Total paid and verified circulation 2011

Magazines by circulation size groups

	MAGA	ZINES	TOTAL CIR	CULATION
circulation size	# in group	% of total	for group	% of total circ.
Over 10,000,000	2	0.4%	44,605,742	14.3%
5,000,000 - 9,999,999	3	0.7	19,974,787	6.4
2,000,000 - 4,999,999	29	6.3	79,928,690	25.6
1,000,000 - 1,999,999	50	10.9	70,071,654	22.4
750,000 – 999,999	25	5.5	21,915,919	7.0
500,000 – 749,999	46	10.0	28,051,701	9.0
250,000 – 499,999	62	13.5	22,734,764	7.3
100,000 – 249,999	127	27.7	19,925,929	6.4
Under 100,000	114	24.9	5,269,128	1.7
Totals	458	100.0%	312,478,313	100.0%

Source: Averages calculated by MPA from Audit Bureau of Circulations Publishers Statements, 2011. Comics, annuals and international editions are not included. The Audit Bureau of Circulations ruled in 2011 that digital editions would be reported as part of the Fas Fax data; as of March 2011 digital editions make up less than 1% of A.B.C.'s Fas Fax data.

Print and digital distribution metrics



- Total internet sold subscriptions grew dramatically from 2008 to 2011
- Direct to publisher sales have shown consistency throughout 2008 to 2011
- Online agent sales have been volatile over the period Source: MPA Internet Subscriptions Survey, 2011

Magazine distribution revenue



Source: Averages calculated by MPA from ABC Publishers Statements, 2011. Verified circulation is not included in these revenue calculations. The Audit Bureau of Circulations ruled in 2011 that digital editions would be reported as part of the Fas Fax data; as of March 2011 digital editions make up less than 1% of A.B.C.'s Fas Fax data

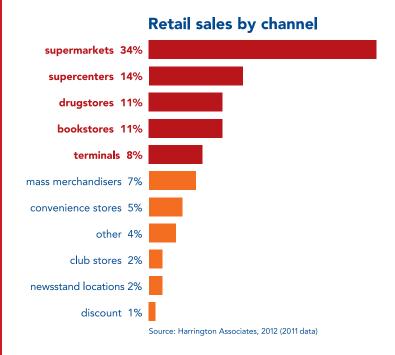
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markets of retail outlets

Consumers rely on multiple outlets to buy their favorite magazines



Magazines are a key source of profits at checkout

Magazines, confectionery and beverages generate the bulk of checkout sales and profits

category	share of checkou dollar sales	t share of checkout total profits
confectionery	29.9%	30.5%
beverages	24.3	79% 25.4 819
magazines	24.8	24.8
miscellaneous	ŕ	,
batteries	3.0	3.8
video/media	0.6	1.4
snacks	3.7	2.8
other GM/HBC	1.4	1.9
razors/blades	2.0	1.8
tobacco accessori	es 2.0	3.4
gift/phone cards	6.2	1.3
oral care	0.6	0.8
lip care	0.5	0.7
cookies/crackers	0.6	0.6
film/cameras	0.3	0.4

Source: Front End Focus, 2010 (2008 data)



Top ad categories

Magazine advertising rate card reported revenue – top 12 categories, 2011

Top categories total \$	17,679,239,647	88.0%
public transportation, hotels and resort	s 781,195,907	3.9
technology	833,069,483	4.1
home furnishings and supplies	1,005,508,238	5.0
financial, insurance and real estate	1,080,183,047	5.4
direct response companies	1,171,216,253	5.8
automotive	1,232,439,470	6.1
retail	1,473,950,902	7.3
media and advertising	1,519,354,555	7.6
apparel and accessories	1,719,513,598	8.6
food and food products	1,773,757,865	8.8
drugs and remedies	2,128,916,357	10.6
toiletries and cosmetics	\$ 2,960,133,972	14.7%
	revenue	share

Note: Sunday magazines excluded Source: PIB, January 2012 Consumer magazines are a vital part of the advertising mix

Share of advertising spend by medium

Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
outdoor	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.5
local radio	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.4	4.8	4.9
national spot radio	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.8
network radio	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
hispanic newspapers	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
local newspapers	10.9	11.5	12.7	13.9	15.1	15.9
national newspapers	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.3
spanish language television	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.5	2.3	2.2
syndicated television	3.5	3.1	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.8
spot television	11.1	11.9	10.3	11.7	11.4	12.5
cable television	17.0	16.1	15.5	13.6	12.7	11.5
network television	16.4	17.2	17.3	16.3	15.8	15.9
internet	9.2	7.6	7.9	6.7	6.1	6.4
B-to-B magazines	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.7	2.8	3.0
hispanic magazines	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
local magazines	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
sunday magazines	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
consumer magazines	14.7%	15.1%	15.4%	16.4%	17.0%	15.8%
	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006

Source: Kantar Media Intelligence, March 2012

Leading marketers believe in magazines and invest to reach engaged readers – who are buyers

Total 2011 top marketers' magazine rate card reported spend \$7,696,995,260

Top 50 marketers' spending equals 39% of overall magazine rate card revenue

1	Procter & Gamble Co	\$1,042,502,952
2	L'Oréal SA	679,985,771
3	Pfizer Inc	316,540,554
4	Time Warner Inc	255,204,061
5	Johnson & Johnson	243,585,380
6	Joh A Benckiser Gmbh	241,170,771
7	General Motors Corp	214,960,995
8	LVMH Moet Hennessy Louis Vuitton SA	204,685,230
9	Nestlé SA	197,598,766
10	Kraft Foods Inc	187,157,061
11	Campbell Soup Co	173,508,256
12	Advance Publications Inc	158,580,563
13	Berkshire Hathaway Inc	154,240,572
14	Esteé Lauder Cos Inc	152,284,771
15	Unilever	146,581,356
16	Chrysler Group Llc	144,017,460
17	Walt Disney Co	142,732,837
18	Ford Motor Co	136,230,464
19	Toyota Motor Corp	134,220,958
20	Mars Inc	128,846,830
21	AstraZeneca Plc	124,907,188
22	Hearst Corp	120,821,815
23	Church & Dwight Co Inc	120,586,798
24	Kellogg Co	119,077,321
25	Eli Lilly & Co	114,708,045

Note: Sunday magazines excluded. Source: PIB, Data as of January 2012

26	Merck & Co Inc	112,889,037
27	Pepsico Inc	104,653,146
28	GlaxoSmithKline Plc	102,307,457
29	Allergan Inc	96,665,097
30	Target Corp	95,246,657
31	Comcast Corp	94,761,501
32	Honda Motor Co Ltd	89,358,891
33	Clorox Co	86,373,856
34	Nissan Motor Co Ltd	85,614,025
35	Chanel SA	84,500,190
36	Ppr SA	82,548,706
37	Bose Corp	81,266,074
38	Kao Corp	79,525,369
39	Blackstone Group Lp	78,014,538
40	Abbott Lab	76,988,489
41	Iovate Health Sciences Inc	71,684,009
42	Sprint Nextel Corp	71,659,568
43	Macy's Inc	71,611,502
44	Gap Inc	70,908,459
45	Meredith Corp	70,602,905
46	Revlon Inc	69,653,951
47	JC Penney Co Inc	69,459,923
48	Reckitt Benckiser Plc	68,038,887
49	Novartis AG	64,205,367
50	Phillips-Van Heusen Corp	63,720,881

Rate card revenue exceeds \$20 billion

Magazine rate card revenue

200+ PIB-measured magazines



Note: Sunday supplements excluded
Source: PIB January 2012

Magazine ad pages and rate card ad revenue 2002 – 2011 among measured magazines

year	pages	rate card revenue
2011	164,225	\$ 20,086,199,882
2010	169,634	20,083,795,458
2009	169,218	19,450,949,765
2008	220,813	23,652,018,530
2007	244,737	25,501,793,278
2006	244,907	23,996,768,141
2005	243,305	23,068,182,388
2004	234,428	21,313,206,734
2003	225,831	19,216,085,358
2002	225,619	17,254,061,740

Note: Sunday magazines excluded Source: PIB, January 2012

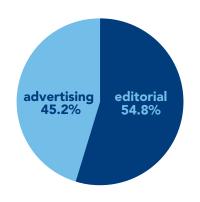
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Impact of magazine advertising

type/size of magazine ads all ads size/color	noted 54%	action taken 61%
AD SIZE		
multiple pages (excluding spreads)	70	62
gatefold ads	61	60
spread	66	66
full page	53	60
half page	45	64
third page	43	65
less than half page	49	61
COLOR		
four color	62	61
black and white	51	59
PREMIUM POSITION		
inside front cover	77	60
inside back cover	62	60
back cover	66	63
adjacent to table of contents	61	61

Source: GfK MRI Starch Advertising Research, January - December 2011

Editorial and advertising are **both important** to the reader experience



Editorial vs. advertising pages 2002–2011

year	% editorial	% advertising
2011	54.8%	45.2%
2010	54.1%	45.9%
2009	56.0	44.0
2008	53.8	46.2
2007	52.9	47.1
2006	53.0	47.0
2005	52.8	47.2
2004	51.9	48.1
2003	52.1	47.9
2002	53.4	46.6

Note: Sunday magazines excluded Source: Hall's Magazine Reports, 2012

Magazines cover the world for consumers: informing and entertaining on a vast range of topics

Number of editorial pages 2011

Note: Sunday magazines excluded

Source: Hall's Magazine Reports, 2012

type of editorial	pages	percent
entertainment/celebrity	19,937.6	15.0%
wearing apparel/accessories	17,449.4	13.1
food & nutrition	11,188.1	8.4
home furnishings/management	8,909.3	6.7
business & industry	8,778.8	6.6
culture	7,691.0	5.8
travel/transportation	7,628.6	5.7
miscellaneous	6,426.0	4.8
beauty & grooming	6,266.4	4.7
sports/recreation/hobby	5,241.8	3.9
national affairs	4,708.3	3.5

Total editorial	132,960.6	100.0%
fiction	374.9	0.3
consumer electronics	1,308.2	1.0
children	1,477.0	1.1
gardening & farming	1,493.3	1.1
building	2,471.8	1.9
global/foreign affairs	2,760.7	2.1
fitness/beauty	2,906.0	2.2
personal finance	3,160.1	2.4
self-help/relationships	3,840.7	2.9
health/medical science	4,434.6	3.3
general interest	4,508.0	3.4%
type of editorial	pages	percent

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