

The Power of Audio

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The New Audio Marketplace

Digital Technology has created Audio-first environments

- What you hear is more important than what you see
- Voice is the key interaction





Streaming Audio Continues to Explode

On-Demand Audio Streams grew 58.7% in a year, dominating music consumption patterns

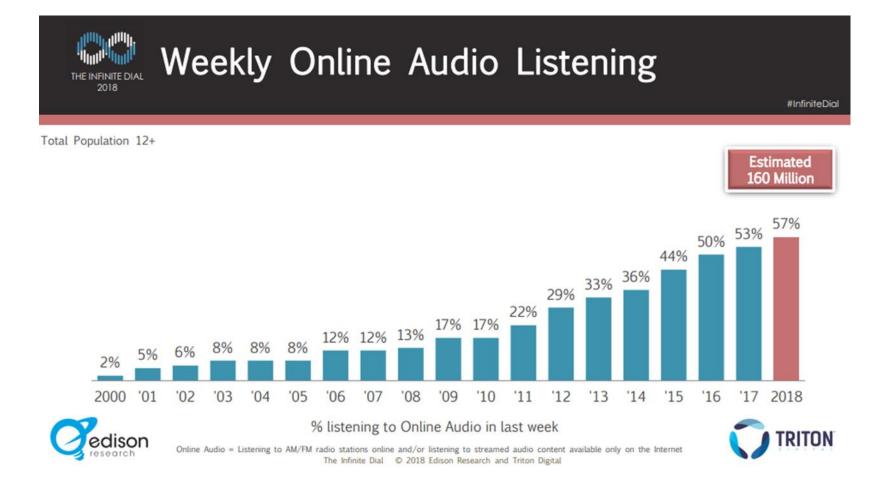
TOTAL ON-DEMAND STREAMS - AUDIO





<u>This is Main Stream</u> Media

With 57% of Americans listening, Streaming is now a Mainstream Media





Podcast Listening Continues to Surge

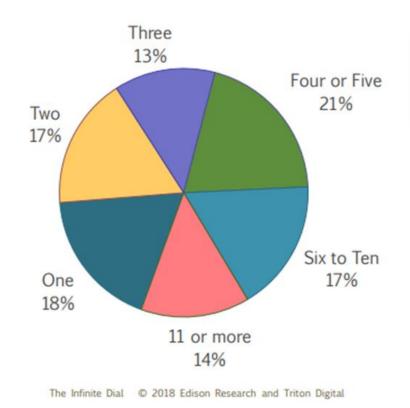
48 million Americans have listened to podcasts in the past week





Impressive Consumption Patterns

Weekly Listeners Listen to an Average of 7 Podcasts per Week.





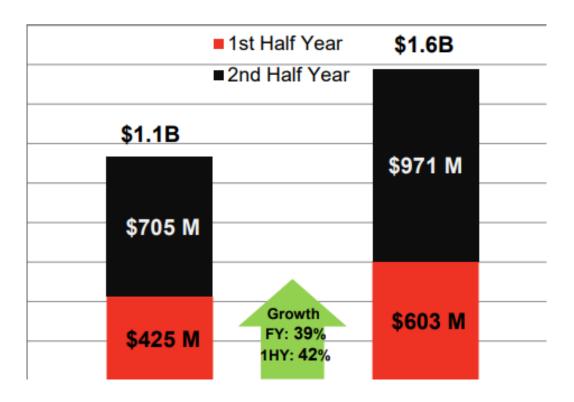






Audio Ad Revenue (Mobile + Desktop) Has Grown 39% Year Over Year

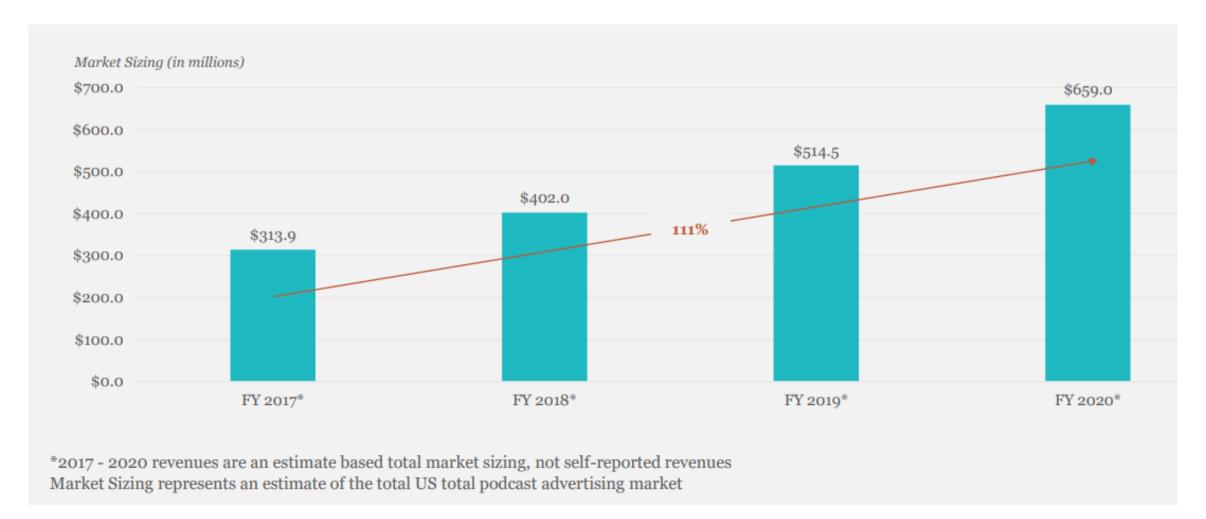
<u>Total Audio Ad Revenue (Mobile + Desktop) (\$ Millions)</u> Full Year, Half Year and % YoY Growth



- Total audio ad revenue (mobile + desktop) is up 39% to \$1.6 billion
- Mobile audio ad revenue is up 36% to \$1.2 billion
- 2017 Figures do not include podcast revenues



US podcast advertising revenue is expected to grow more than 110% by 2020, to \$659.0 million.





Trends Driving This Expansion..



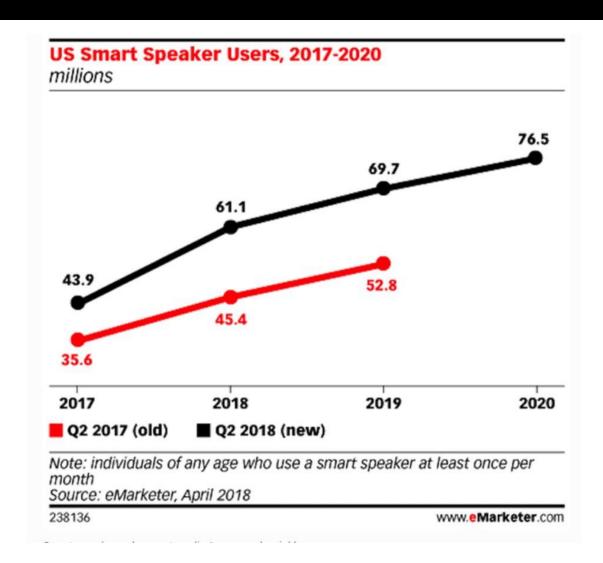
Connected Cars

- Apple CarPlay, Android Auto and Bluetooth systems have made it easy to connect and listen in the car
- 44% of people connect their phones to their car audio system to listen online
- Excellent options for advertisers looking to interact with consumers while they are in the car





Smart Speakers Make Voice Interactions Central to Our Lives



- # of Smart Speakers is Growing at a Rate of 48% annually
- > 76.5 Million Users by 2020



Voice is the new Touch

- Smart speakers are changing the way we interact with everything
- Voice and Audio are central to interactions with everything in the home from Smart Speakers to appliances, Smart TVs and home audio systems.
- 71% of people with a smart speaker listen to more audio

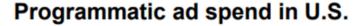


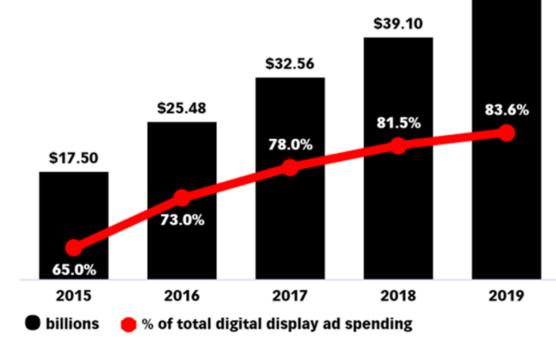


Programmatic Deployment

Flexible Options

- Better Targeting
- Enhanced Reach
- Managed Buys Across Channels





Source: eMarketer, September 2017

www.eMarketer.com

\$45.72

Source: https://numbers-na1.emarketer.com/584b26021403070290f93a55/5851918a0626310a2c186aad



What is the Advertiser Opportunity in Digital Audio?

- Brand Safe Environments
- Creative Opportunities
- High Engagement Opportunities



Reach Consumers While They are On The Move



Brand Safety and Digital Audio

- Listeners only hear one message at a time
- There is no screen required for delivery of an audio ad
- Ads in streams are usually non-skippable
- Listening often takes place on mobile devices and in-app where fraudulent bot activity is very low
- Selection of programming is intentional, therefore the listener is qualified as engaged



Direct Brands Play Well with Digital Audio

- Brands that want Direct Connections to Consumers
- Often Web Native
- Direct interactions with consumers that produce data exchanges
- Content-based marketing where the consumer is highly engaged



- Audio is Poised to be Front and Center
- High Engagement
- Storytelling
- Personalization



These Direct Brands Made Podcasting Part of Their Success Stories





Razors

Gillette's share of the U.S. men's-razors business fell to 54% in 2016, from 70% in 2010. Both Dollar Shave Club and Harry's combined U.S. share rose to 12.2%, from 7.2% in 2015.



Source: http://www.foxbusiness.com/markets/2017/04/04/gillette-bleeding-market-share-cuts-prices-razors.htm



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