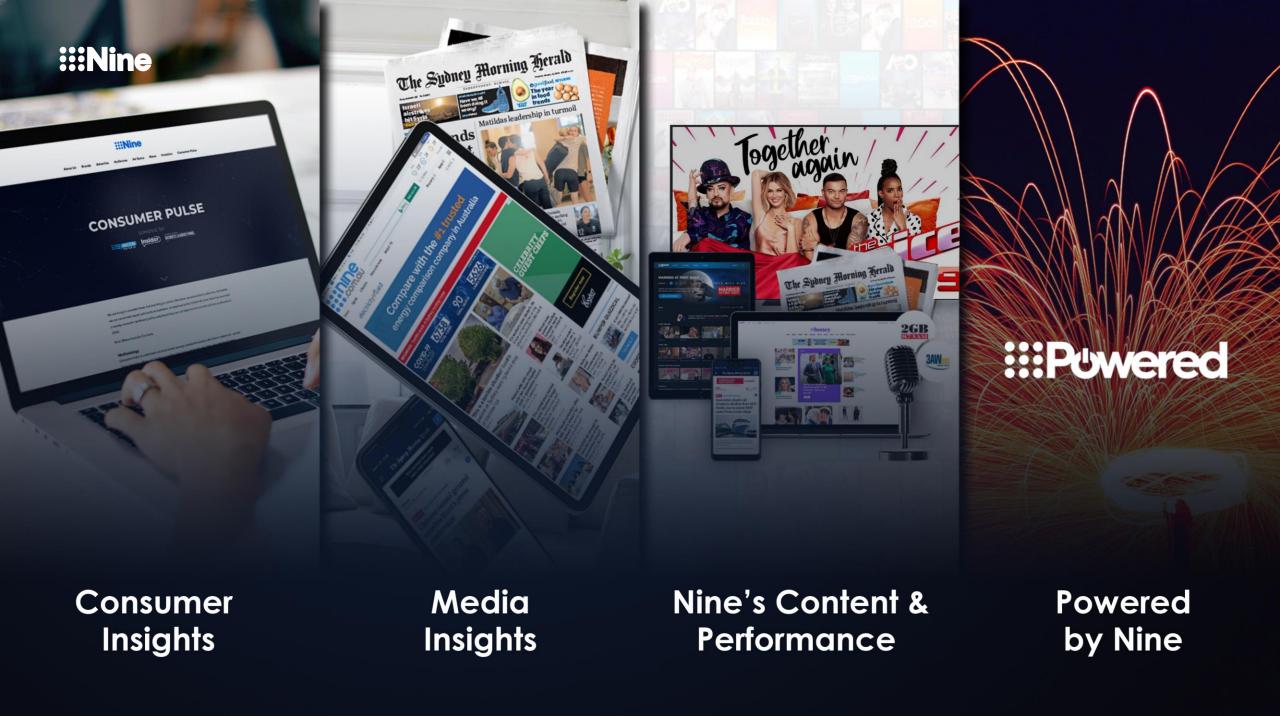


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WHERE AUSTRALIA CONNECTS

Mid-Year Update - 2020





### **CONSUMER PULSE**







### The evolution of the Australian consumer during COVID-19

Nine's Consumer Pulse study continues with a second wave of research looking at audience sentiment, media consumption and consumer behaviour/spending.



### People are feeling more positive and hopeful as time passes

Australians are feeling hopeful. Concern is no longer the top emotion and it has significantly decreased by 24% over the past few weeks. Negative emotions are in decline, whilst more positive emotions are increasing. 1 in 2 are feeling more positive\* than they did a month ago.



1 in 2

ARE POSTIVE, HOPEFUL OR OPTIMISTIC

TOP 5 Emotions Wave 2 (NOW)

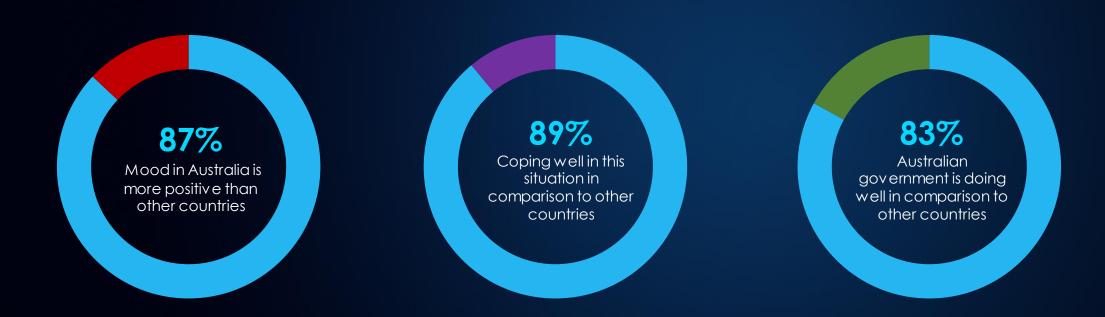
36% Hopeful
35% Concerned
32% Tired
28% Optimistic
27% Frustrated

# Top 5 (Negative) Emotions in wave 1 are in Decline Section 2007 Sectio



### Many think as a nation we are coping, better than other countries

When comparing to other countries, consumers think we are doing collectively better. They think the mood in the country is more positive and are coping better. They also believe our federal government is doing well comparatively.

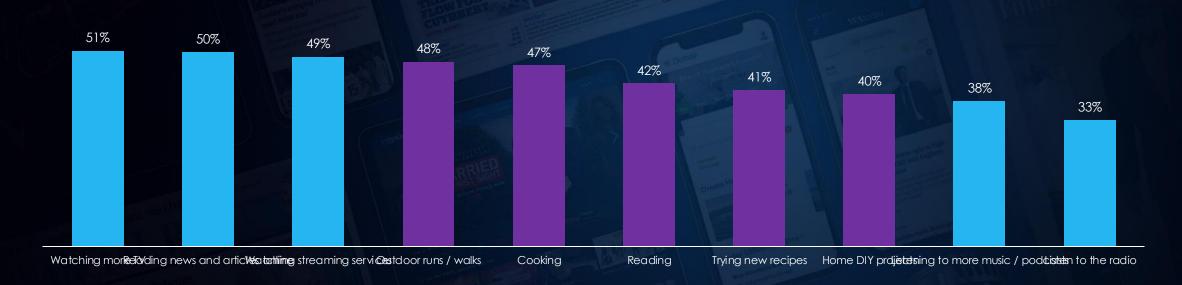




### Audiences continue to consume more media

Over the past few weeks, amongst top 10 activities they have done, five are related to media consumption.

#### Top 10 activities started past few weeks





### Nine continues to be the media powerhouse consumers trust to keep them up to date

7 in 10

Trust Nine's assets to bring them timely and accurate updates



74% Turning to Nine TV Programs



71% Turning to Nine Online Websites



Nearly 1 in 3

Turning to Nine Print Assets



1 in 4 Turning to Nine Radio Assets



# News consumption has stabilised with audiences continuing to choose trusted news sources

Over the past few weeks, people continue to stay on top of the latest updates on the pandemic. Turning to the sources they trust. News consumption has stabilised, with over 1 in 2 still consuming more news and current affair content.



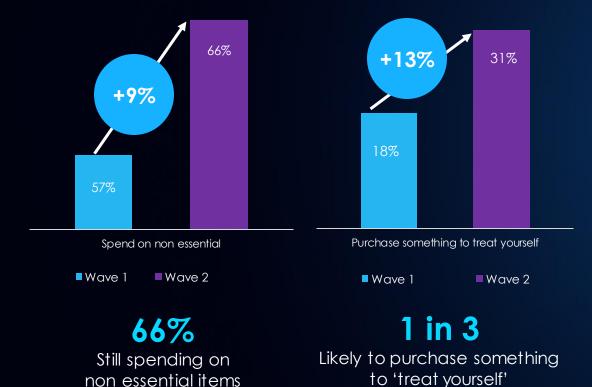


### Consumers are more open to purchasing non-essentials & treat yourself items

There has been a shift in what consumers are purchasing online since the start of the pandemic. Over time treat yourself items purchases like clothes and shoes have increased. Females and millennials are more open to spending across these categories

18-34

**Items** 



#### Top 3 Items likely to purchase online in the next few weeks







In the pursuit of truth, trust and entertainment more Australians have turned to Nine

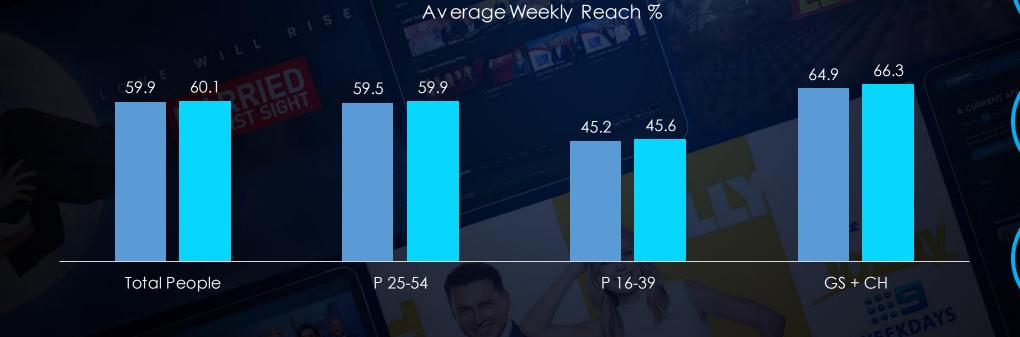
# Year to date, we provide the most consistent linear TV network for all key demographics

2020 CYTD Primetime Com Share (1800-2359)	SSS NETWORK	NETWORK	10 NETWORK
P25-54	39.15%	31.03%	29.82%
P16-39	38.66%	30.21%	31.13%
GS+CH	40.30%	31.54%	28.16%
Total People	39.45%	34.87%	25.67%



### And have continued to reach new audiences over the last four weeks

Nine Network's average weekly reach has increased across the 5 city metro across all key demos (Weeks 19-20 v 21-22)



Weeks 19-20 2020 Weeks 21-22 2020

+0.2 reach ppts Ttl Ppl

+0.4 reach ppts P25-54

+0.4 reach ppts P16-39

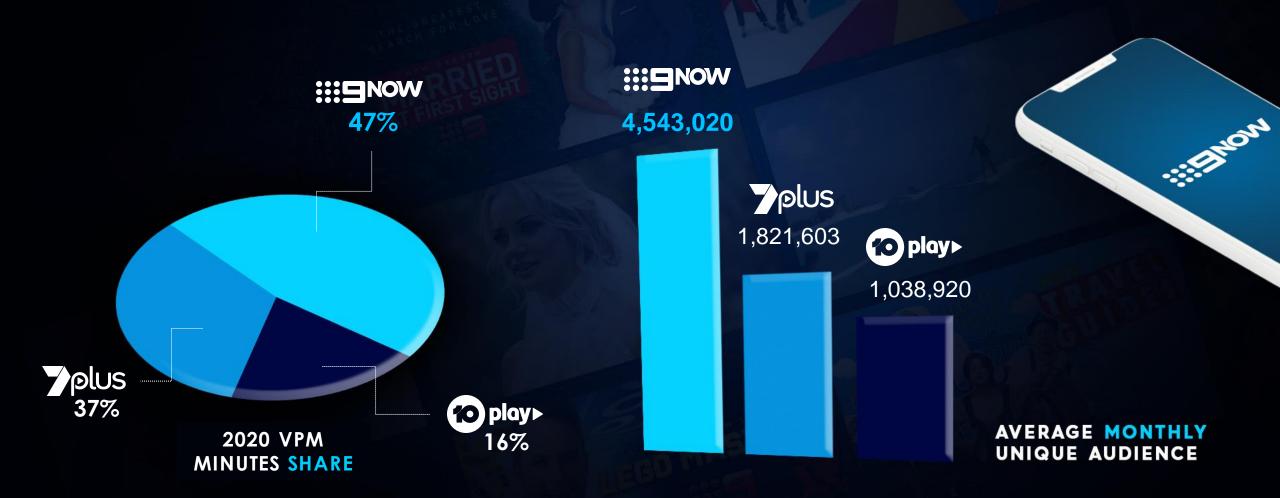
+1.4 reach ppts GS+CH

# We are the most consistent platform to reach P25-54 for over 40 consecutive survey weeks

		NETWORK	NETWORK	NETWORK			NETWORK	NETWORK	NETWORK
P25	twork 5-54 – 10-MN		7	10	P	etw ork 25-54 – 3:00-MN		7	10
	W23	40.04%	34.83%	25.14%	- 23	W43	38.55%	32.00%	29.45%
	W24	38.41%	35.14%	26.46%		W44	38.14%	32.64%	29.21%
	W25	37.63%	35.32%	27.06%	]   6	W45	40.30%	32.47%	27.23%
	W26	40.78%	33.49%	25.73%	201	W46	37.32%	34.44%	28.24%
	W27	38.12%	36.18%	25.70%		W47	38.28%	35.37%	26.35%
	W28	42.66%	33.53%	23.81%		W48	38.23%	36.52%	25.25%
	W29	36.71%	36.64%	26.65%		W7	40.97%	31.17%	27.86%
	W30	35.61%	35.21%	29.18%		W8	40.56%	33.20%	26.24%
	W31	39.87%	32.66%	27.47%		W9	40.39%	31.57%	28.04%
19	W32	39.88%	32.94%	27.18%		W10	41.35%	30.45%	28.20%
201	W33	39.01%	31.98%	29.02%	= p <sup>o</sup>	W11	42.47%	29.67%	27.86%
	W34	40.70%	32.40%	26.90%	2020	W12	39.72%	33.24%	27.03%
	W35	37.27%	31.64%	31.09%	20	W13	43.09%	30.63%	26.27%
	W36	38.35%	34.61%	27.04%		W14	41.84%	30.78%	27.38%
	W37	41.17%	32.64%	26.20%		W17	39.39%	30.34%	30.27%
	W38	36.55%	34.94%	28.51%		W18	36.56%	30.89%	32.56%
	W39	38.78%	34.31%	26.91%	13/5	W19	34.73%	33.17%	32.10%
	W40	39.20%	33.99%	26.81%		W20	35.96%	31.98%	32.05%
	W41	41.06%	30.14%	28.80%		W21	36.32%	30.28%	33.40%
	W42	36.55%	30.11%	33.33%		W22	37.68%	29.47%	32.85%

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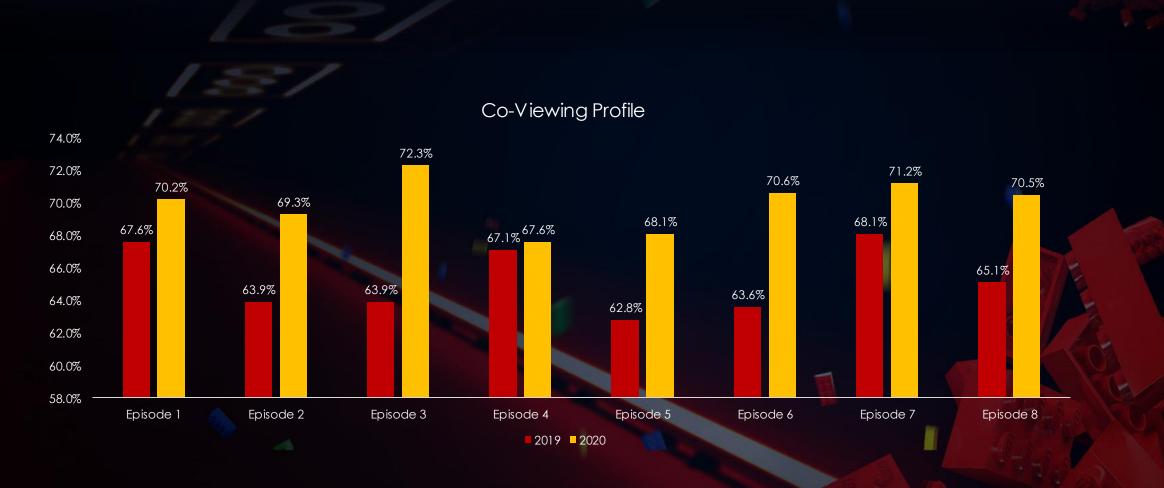
# We provide consistency across all screens Australia's leading broadcast video on demand platform







# Every episode of LEGO Masters season 2 delivered growth in co-viewing





## The Voice reaches 4.46 Million metro viewers season to date

#### **Primary Channel timeslot winner**

6 consecutive broadcasts
Total People & Grocery Shopper +Child

TIMESLOT AUDIENCE COMPARISON	The Voice 2020	7	10	
Season Average	977, 209	556, 104	853, 007	
Launch Episode	1, 011, 542	649, 088	795, 923	
Episode 2	951, 003	563, 919	905, 622	
Episode 3	987, 048	464, 267	842, 676	
Episode 4	1, 025, 727	599, 446	847, 972	
Episode 5	959, 174	590, 265	901, 966	
Episode 6	927, 101	460, 291	829, 763	



# The Voice delivers Year-on-Year growth across 9Now

The Voice Year-on-Year analysis for Episode 1-6



Average VPM Rating

115,000 +50% YoY **Total Streams** 

1.4 Million +55% YoY

**Total Minutes** 

52 Million +57% YoY





### Trusted news content proving to be more important than ever





P25-54: **+18.71%**P16-39: **+25.72%**GS + CH: **+12.10%**Total People: **+9.38%** 

**METRO GROWTH** 

YOY

P25-54: **+25.57%**P16-39: **+57.49%**GS + CH: **+11.30%**Total People: **+29.71%** 

### METRO GROWTH YOY

P25-54: **+12.81%**P16-39: **+18.28%**GS + CH: **+19.60%**Total People: **+11.71** 



### METRO GROWTH YOY

P25-54: **+9.63**% P16-39: **+17.12**% GS + CH: **+14.97**% Total People: **+9.89**%



### METRO GROWTH YOY

GS + CH: **+3.50**% Total People: **+0.60**%



#### METRO GROWTH YOY

Total People: +0.95%



# Round Three reaches 3.8 million Australians and returns with year-on-year growth

YEAR ON YEAR GROWTH	ROUND 3 – IN GAME		
P25-54	+23.48%		
P16-39	+25.11%		
G\$+CH	+20.94%		

+57%

Dynamic average audience share for all key demos across Round 3

Highest rating VPN on 9Now for Round 3

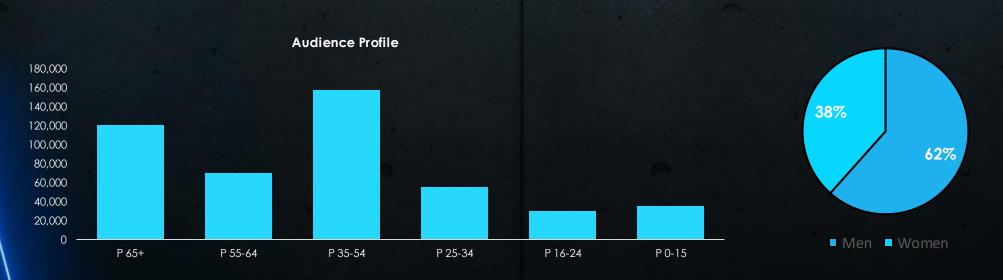
25K Live Average VPN Matches only, +250% on Round 3, 2019.

Source: OzTam metro TV, 28/05/20 – 31/05/20, Various Demos, Channel 9, Channel 7, Channel 10, contains 'NRL LIVE', excludes 'POST', Syd-Bris, Dynamic Share of Commercial Primary Channels, Overnight. Grow th based on In Game performance. 5 City metro., Round 3 on Nine (Thurs, Fri, Sun) LIVE VPM, 28 May 2020 – 31 May 2020 v 28 March 2019 – 31 March 2019, 2020 based on prelogs. OzTAM Metro Total TV & Regional TAM Regional FTA +WA, 28/05/2020-31/05/2020, Total People, Nine Network & Network Content Affiliates, Overnight, Cum e. Reach, contains "NRL".



### Engaging Australian footy fans in key NRL markets like never before

DYNAMIC PRIMARY CHANNEL TIMESLOT SHARE, OVERNIGHT SYD & BRIS	ROUND 3	NETWORK	NETWORK
P25-54	59.0%	21.2%	24.1%
P16-39	61.4%	16.9%	24.6%
GS+CH	59.8%	14.1%	20.8%





### The countdown to the Grand Final

On October 25th, the biggest sporting competition of the year comes to a head as the best teams of the season face off over 9 matches, to determine which team will be crowned the NRL champion for 2020.

All finals games are shown live and the Grand Final is exclusively on Nine's Wide World of Sports.



Source: OzTAM Metro Total TV 01/01/2019-13/10/2019, 1800-2359, Total Individuals, Commercial FTA Channels, Cons 7, 5 City Metro. Excludes: MOVIES GENRES & "Repeats and Encores", The Latest: Seven News, Specials, 60 Minutes – Summer, 60 Minu



# State of Origin Big event television

The Holden State of Origin series is the greatest rivalry in Australian sport and consistently amongst the most watched programs of the year.

For the first time in it's 40 year history the series will take place at the end of the NRL season, and all games are live and exclusive on Nine's Wide World of Sports.

- Game One Wednesday, November 4
- Game Two Wednesday, November 11
- Game Three Wednesday, November 18

9.537M fans reached nationally in 2019

Delivered TOP 3 programs in 2019 for P25-54





### THE BIGGEST MARKETING MOMENTS STILL TO COME











# Australia's favourite renovation reality show is back!

After fifteen mammoth seasons, *The Block* continues to excite and inspire audiences across the country with incredible renovations, fascinating characters and nail-biting auctions.



On-Air August



50 x Episodes



Sun: 1900 Mon – Wed: 1930



Short Form, Long Form, Live Stream



PLAYBACK ENCORE LIVE VPM VOD VPM
101k 198k 16k 99k

1.67 MILLION AVG. viewers per episode in 2019





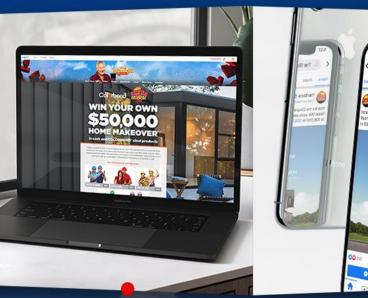


### **Viewers' Choice Sponsorship**











SOLUS **BILLBOARDS** 

ON-AIR CALL OUT

LIVE RESULT **GRAPHICS ON SUNDAY NIGHT REVEALS** 

BRANDED **WIN PAGE** 

SOCIAL **AMPLIFICATION** & EDITORIAL **DRIVERS** 



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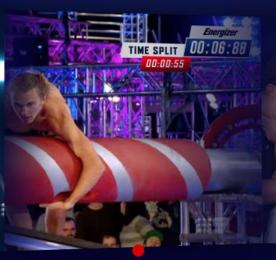


### NEW BRANDED ASSET

# OPPORTUNITIES.











BRANDED PERIMETER SCREENS BRANDED LEADERBOARD BRANDED TIMER AND BRANDED SPLIT AT HOME SUPPORTERS AND SUPPORT CREW IN POOL Branding







### Branded sneak peek



- Bespoke in-program content integration
- Sneak Peek (1 x Available)



#### **Digital Short Form**

• 15" Pre-roll

#### BVOD

- 30" Pre and mid-rolls
- Digital billboards



- 16 x 30" First run commercial content across the series
- Broadcast billboards



• 6 x **Insta Stories** - 'Swipe up' to see 'Sneak Peak' of next week's episode. Includes branded tag, logo and swipe up.





#### **:::Nine**

### The complete streaming experience with local and international exclusive content

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**WONE:::** 

9Now has evolved into a complete streaming experience offering viewers both locally produced Nine content and international exclusive programs from NBCU. Giving viewers more choice has seen 9Now experience year-on-year growth of daily active users and time spent.





More daily active users

+41% DAU July – May YoY

More content consumed per user

+22% hours/user
July – May YoY



NOW

**EXCLUSIVE ON DEMAND CONTENT** 

Love Island UK Season 1-6 launching Friday June 5

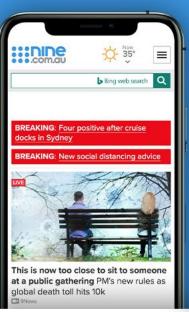








# An unrivalled network of news products with growing digital audiences

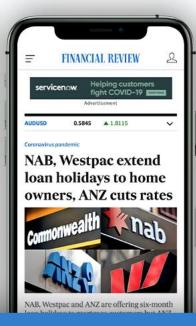




10.671M UAs



UA +27.5% YoY Moves to No 3. news website

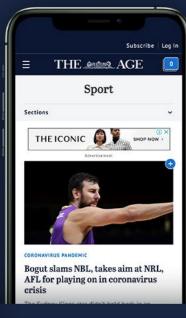


FINANCIAL REVIEW

3.169M UAs



UA +99.4% YoY No. 1 time spent (finance) 14.45 Mins



THE AGE

5.164M UAs



UA +62% YoY No. 2 commercial website time spent (news) 33.05 Mins



The Sydney Morning Herald

9.353M UAs



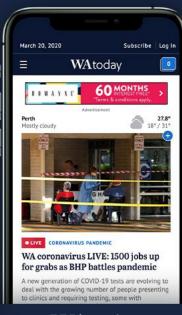
UA +32% YoY



brisbane times 2.003M UAs



UA +101.2% YoY



WA today

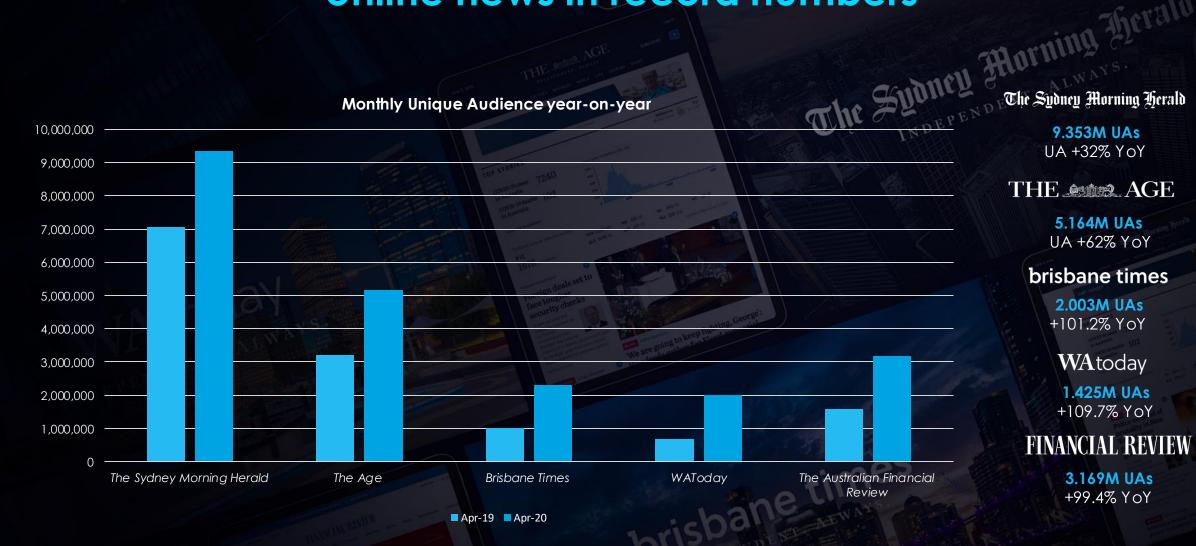
1.425M UAs



UA +109.7% YoY



### Australians turn to trusted online news in record numbers



9.353M UAs UA +32% YoY

THE AGE

5.164M UAs UA +62% YoY

brisbane times

2.003M UAs +101.2% YoY

**WA**today

1.425M UAs +109.7% YoY

FINANCIAL REVIEW

3.169M UAs +99.4% YoY



### Best in market cross-platform news products Australians turn to first





5.321M Monthly readers (print + digital)

+16% Vs Dec 2019

+20% YoY

#### The Sydney Morning Herald

INDEPENDENT. ALWAYS.

Australia's No. 1 news brand (print + digital)

11.033M monthly readers (print + digital)

+35% Vs Dec 2019

+38% YoY (March 2019)

#### FINANCIAL REVIEW

3.726M monthly readers (print + digital)

+52% Vs Dec 2019

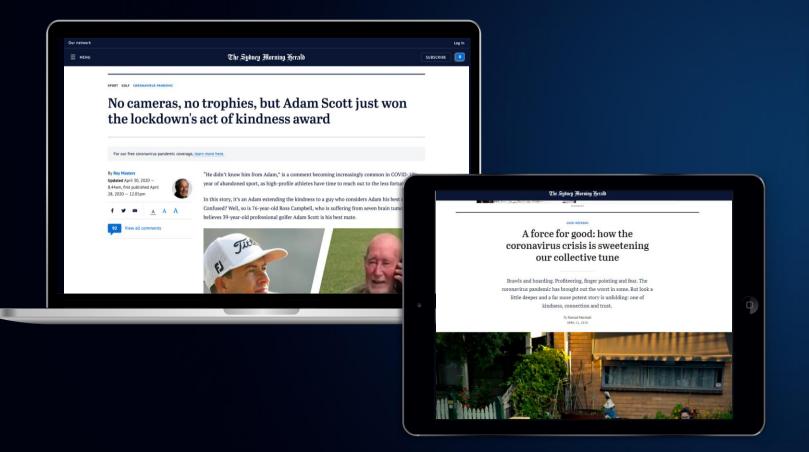
+43% YoY

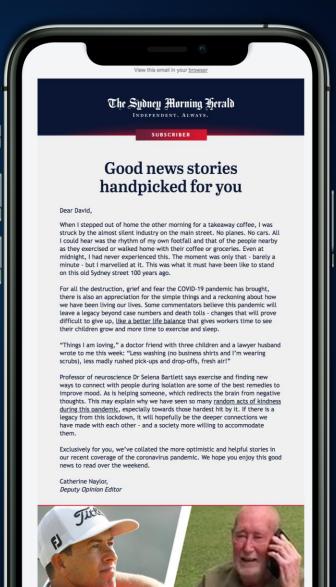
Print readership growth +4% YoY



## Feel good moments offer connection and optimism

As Australians look to escape heavier news content the metro mastheads have delivered good news stories, which are offering a moment of optimism for readers.







### **Empowering Australians with** cross-platform Money content



### **Digital**

Money indexed segment online, with content posted Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays

The Sydney Morning Herald THE AGE brisbane times WAtoday



#### **Print**

Money section - twice weekly (Wednesdays and Sundays)

The Sydney Morning Herald THE AGE



#### **Television**

Twice weekly Money segments (Wednesday's with Joel Gibson and Sundays with Jessica Irvine) nationally





#### Radio

Joel Gibson joins nights on Wednesday nationally. Brooke Corte hosting Money News program



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4BC1116 6PR882



### Good Food x Sunday Life

#### **NEW!** Good Food joins Sunday Life

Launching on Sunday 5th July, the Good Food "Flip-cover special" in Sunday Life.

Building on much-loved weekly Adam Liaw Good Food recipes, This monthly Good Food special edition offers half a million readers more pages of kitchen innovations, chef inspired recipes to eat in and reviews of the best places to eat out.

- Good Food Flip-back will be a minimum of 12 pages of food related content
- Published on the first Sunday of every month







In these extraordinary times, *The Australian Financial Review* is responding with an editorial series, *Invest in Australia*.

This special series of print and digital executions will go in depth into all the vital areas of our economy, revealing the challenges and opportunities our nation faces as we emerge from the COVID-19 global pandemic and enter the new decade and beyond.

We will examine what is needed in terms of investment and policy in order to make the most of this nation's extraordinary and untapped potential, and so guarantee our future business and economic prosperity.

### nvest in Australia

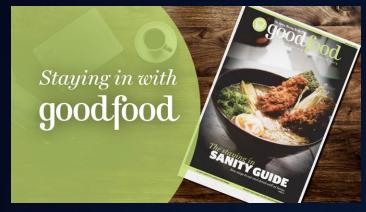
An editorial series by
The Australian Financial Review





## The best lifestyle publishing content is still to come















# The Nine Data strategy developing a World class offering



### **NINEUSERID**

Ability to identify our users who have signed up to one of Nine's services, across any device, and have these linked to a person



OFFLINE DATA AND PURCHASE HISTORY FROM BILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF TRANSACTIONS









Our data is matched against Australia's leading transactional data providers at a 1-to-1 person level



### Offline and transactional data from Australia's data leaders

### RED PLANET.

Travel data from 12 million Qantas Frequent Flyer members.



\$23 Billion worth of annual transactions analysed from grocery basket and bank transaction data.



Financial data from 50 million credit applications a year processed on behalf of Australia's financial institutions, including the big 4 banks.



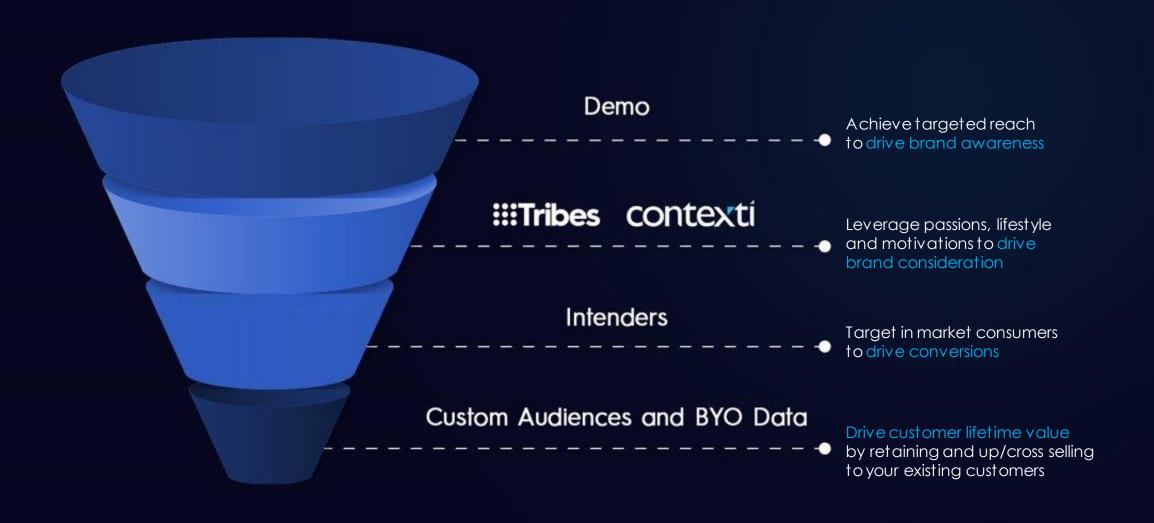
Behavioural data collected from 16M active MyTicketek members purchasing 30M tickets each year.

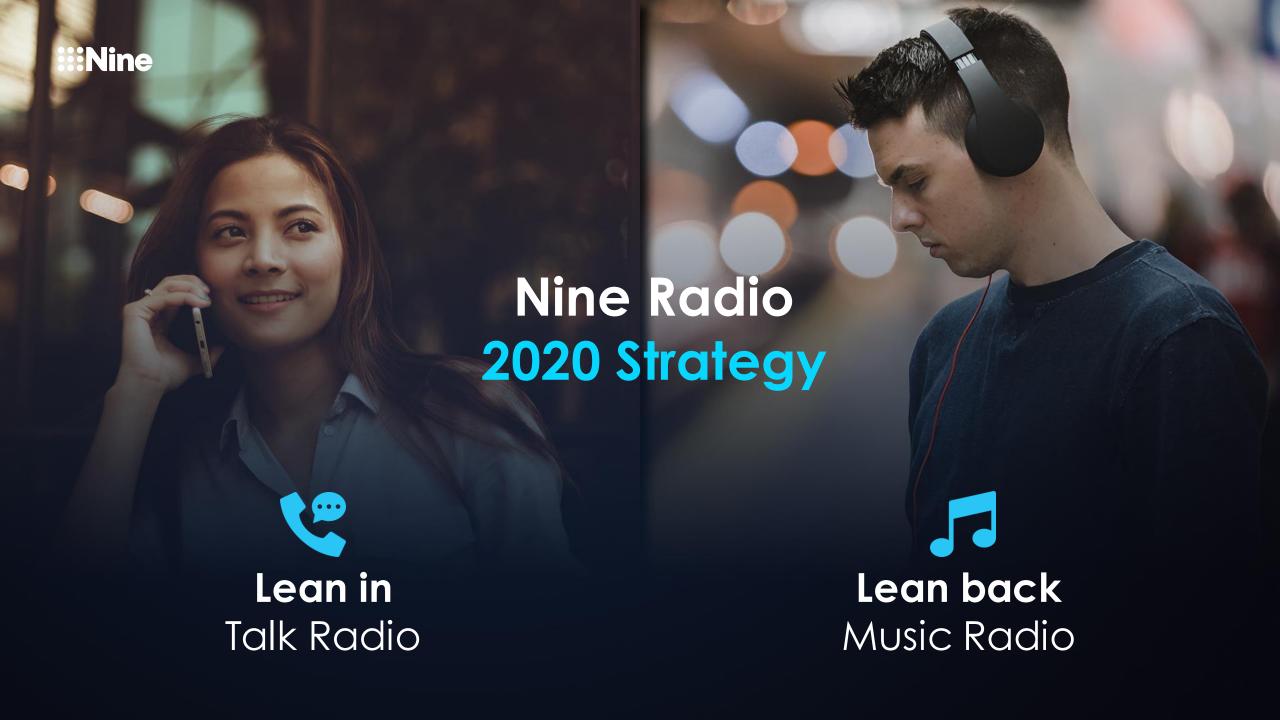


Location data collected on over 4.5M+ Nine web and app users, allowing advertisers to target physical store locations and measure footfall attribution across Nine.



### Nine's targeting products provide a full funnel solution to marketers









### Wealth & financial attitude

520k (35%)

Listeners have investments over \$300k - 71% higher than AP18+

790k (53%)

Own their home outright (not under mortgage)

### Spending on extras

271k (18%)

Spend on extras - **36%** higher than AP18+

904k (60%)

Are the main income earner - 14% higher than AP18+

### Key decision maker

83%

Of listeners (1.2M) are main grocery buyers spending \$143 a week

64%

of listeners (**954k**) are main decision makers for purchasing motor vehicles

71%

of listeners (1.06M) are main decision makers for Insurance, Financial Services and Investments



Talk radio engages more than any other radio platform



50%
of Talk Radio listeners
listen with a high level
of attention

Compared with only

25%
of FM Radio listeners

Our listeners are

40%

Less likely to change station "When I hear an ad come on"

# Hilline Audiences continue to turn to trusted voices and platforms where they can voice their own opinions



### Digital



Average session +8% month-on-month



Streaming +5%

### Digital



Average session +61% month-on-month



Streamina +2%

### Digital



Average session
+29% month-on-month



Streaming +4%

### **Digital**



Average session +13% month-on-month



Streaming +8%

#### **Podcast**



**April Downloads** 1.781 Million







2GB 4BC 1118





STEVE MILLS & BASIL ZEMPILAS

BEN FORDHAM & NEIL BREEN



ROSS STEVENSON & JOHN BURNS



RAY HADLEY



NEIL MITCHELL



GARETH PARKER



DEB KNIGHT



DEE DEE DUNLEAVY



SIMON BEAUMONT



MARK LEVY



TOM ELLIOT



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Ben Fordham Live Sydney's Best Breakfast

**2GB** 873AM

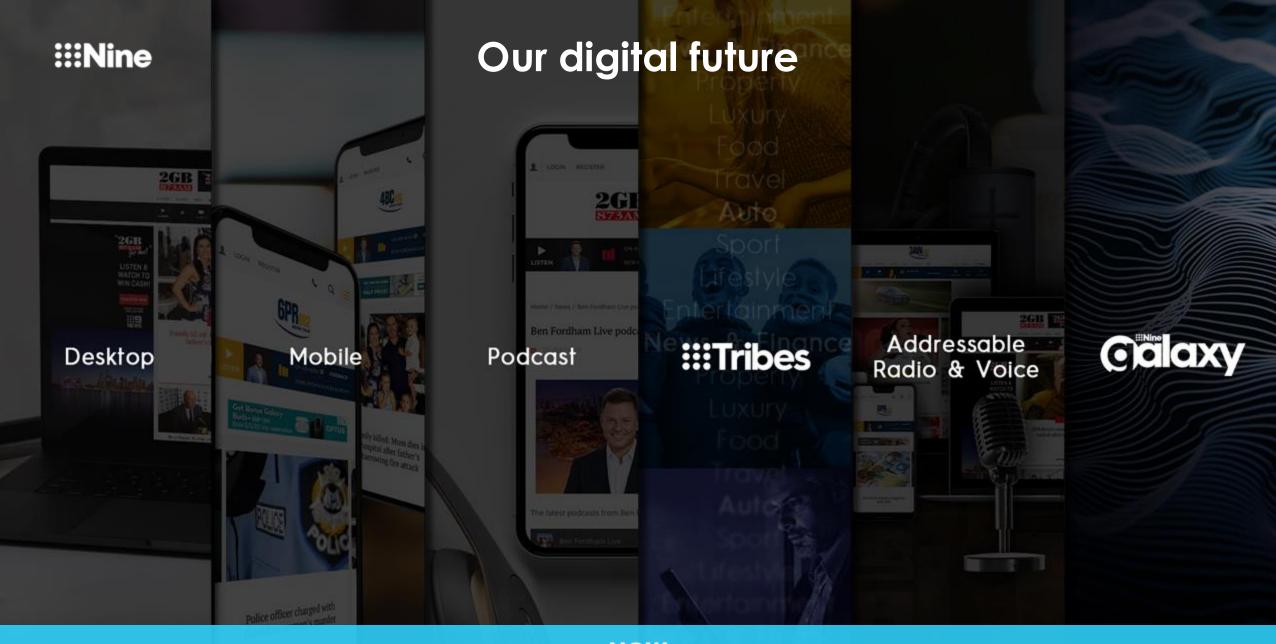
After launching his career in the 2UE newsroom, and Sky News Australia, Fordham joined the Nine Network in 1999 and has been a leading reporter on A Current Affair, and a senior journalist for Nine News, including stints on the Today show, 60 Minutes, and working with Laurie Oakes in the Canberra Bureau.

Fordham has been awarded 'Best Talk Presenter' five times (2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019) and voted 'Best Metropolitan Current Affairs Presenter' in 2017 in the prestigious ACRA Awards.













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BYNINE

**Branded** content TV, Digital, Print & Audio Production Design Creative Tech

Creative Solutions

Studios of





BIG IDEAS

Strategy

**EFFECTIVENESS** 

Effect iveness

**Talent** 

IP

Content PARTNERSHIPS & CLIENT EHPERIENCE

Content Integration

Implementation



### BIG IDEAS

### FOR NEW WORLD LIVING

Nine's new world living content partnerships allow brands to engage with consumers while at home.



#### **Health Today**

Health Today is an essential quide to help consumers navigate through their wellbeing concerns, whether it's physical health, mental health, nutrition or financial. Coming to life across Nine's TV, publishing, radio and digital assets, Health Today will bring together experts and unite household brands like Sunday Life, TODAY, 9Honey and Good Food to start a home health revolution right across Australia.



#### **Getting Together Today**

As the pandemic continues to change the way we live, the way we connect with our friends, families, colleagues and community changes with it. Join Nine as we engage the depth and breadth of the Nine ecosystem with **Getting** Together Today, exploring the latest in technology, the meaning of connection, and the state of the nation in a world of isolation.



#### The New Active

For many Australians exercise plays a crucial role in their everyday lifestyle, and the struggle to maintain it at present is real. The question on everybody's lips is how can I maintain my physical and mental health indoors? What defines The New and radio to digital, we set





#### **Brighten Up**

**Brighten Up** the lives of Australians and join the athome beauty revolution. Inspire and inform consumers with at-home, self-care beauty solutions from Australia's best beauty influencers, and harness the power of immerse ad creative and high impact publishing stunts - all while aligning with the best lifestyle brands Australians know and love.



#### **Finance Forward**

As consumers worry about job security, financial security and impacts on superannuation, many are taking conservative action to help keep a closer eye on their finances.

With Finance Forward brands have a real opportunity to offer quidance, help and information to consumers about cost savings/relief or other measures to help alleviate financial stress.







### In summary

Consumer habits and media consumption is changing and growing

Brand safe and cocooning content performing

Huge audience growth in data rich and addressable channels

Work with us to realise big ideas

# Nine