# Light TV Viewers in 2012: A Major Shift to Online from TV

TV and Google YouTube/GDN are complementary in a cross media campaign strategy



# **Executive Summary**

- Light TV viewers are not reached effectively on TV but in 2012 they are watching online
- Light TV viewers are valuable and a significant part of your audience...and they are the future
- YouTube/GDN delivers efficient effective reach to light TV viewers
- Shift TV dollars to YouTube/GDN to cost effectively supplement exposure to the Light TV viewers

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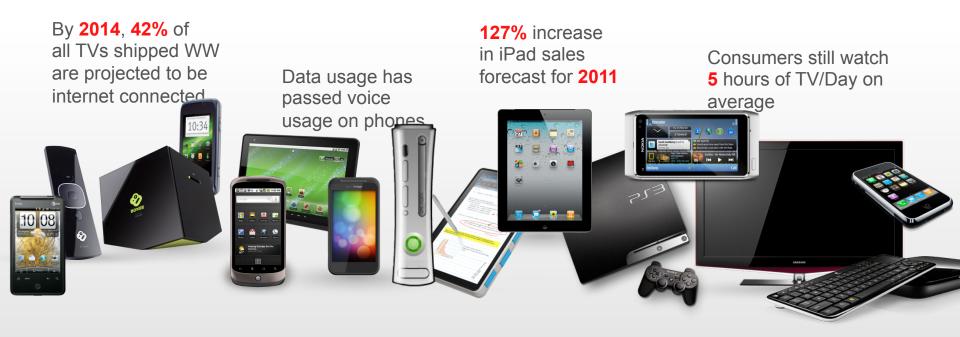
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# Audiences are Fragmented – Harder to Achieve Mass Reach

50%

of TV viewership is on networks that each have <1% share

# **Consumer Attention is Spread Across More Devices**



#### TV Viewers Don't All Watch in the Same Way

**Nielsen TV Viewership Quintiles** 



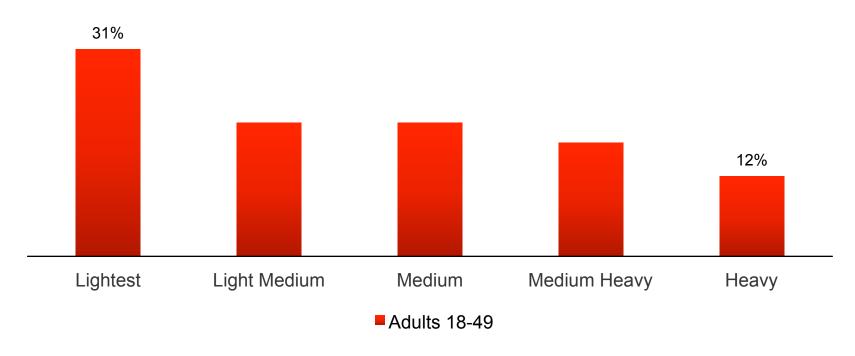
Light Viewers account for around 3% of TV viewing...

While Heavy Viewers Account for Around 48%



# 31% of the valuable A18-49 audience watches less than 2 hours of TV daily

1.5X more Light TV Viewers than Heavy TV Viewers in A18-49





Young & diverse

College education

Income over \$100K

**Broadcast** Only TV + **Broadband** 

Older

**High school** education

Lower Income

Couch **Potatoes** 

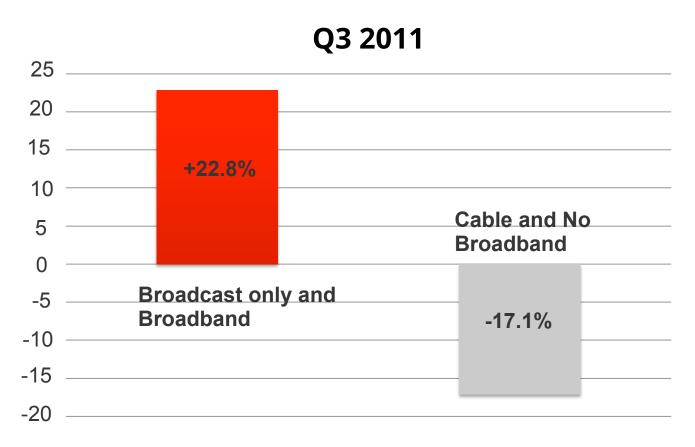


### Why should you care about the light TV viewer?

Indexes show stark contrast in audience composition

# Rise of "cable-less" TV viewers with broadband

+22.8% in broadcast only and broadband



"U.S. consumers in homes with broadband Internet and free, broadcast TV stream video twice as much as the general cross-platform population. They also watch half as much TV."

Nielsen Cross Platform Report Q3 2011

# The Research Methodology

What are we trying to accomplish?

#### Goal:

Can we prove that YouTube + the Google Display Network...

#### are complementary to TV

in a cross media video strategy

efficiently reach people you didn't reach on TV

deliver effective **frequency** to desirable audiences that are hard to reach on TV



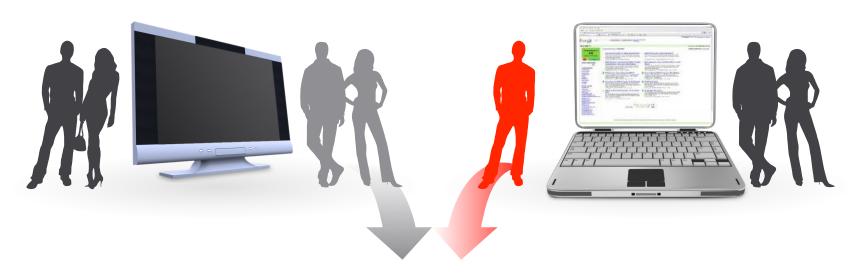
### Methodology of 6 Cross Media Studies (US)

Nielsen TV Panel

Group exposed to TV ad

Nielsen Online Panel

Group exposed to YouTube/GDN ad



#### **Nielsen Data Fusion**

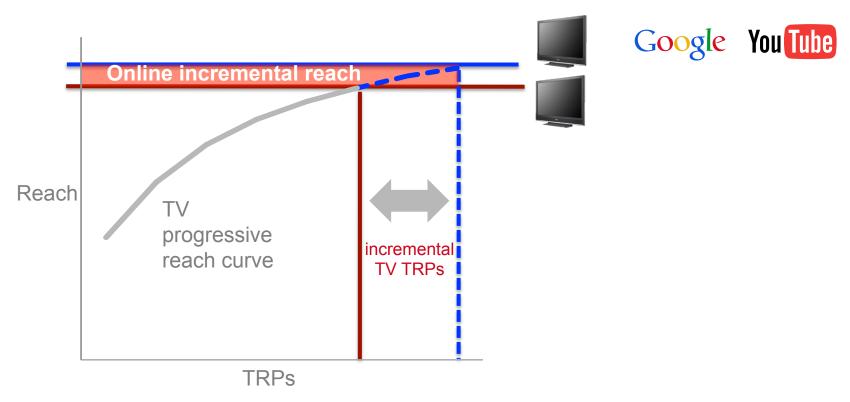
#### Online Incremental Reach to Light TV Viewers

1 – 4 month campaigns (Auto, Retail, Wireless)
Varied advertiser targets
Varied campaign sizes





### Methodology: Incremental Reach Forecast



Fit a nonlinear function to the progressive reach vs TRP curve

- Extrapolate TV to TV + online reach ->Incremental TV TRPs
- Incremental TRPs x Average CPP ->TV Incremental Cost



# The Results

# YouTube + GDN added 4% points incremental reach to the lightest TV viewer

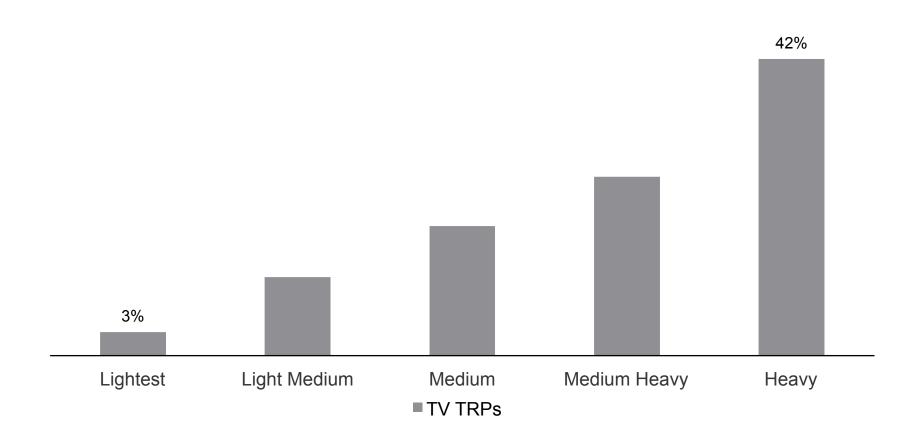


TV fails to reach 63% of lightest TV quintile

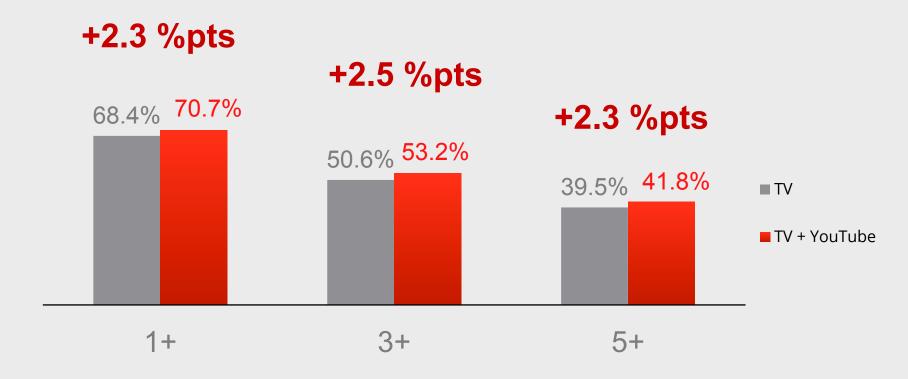
Online increased TRPs delivery to light TV viewers by 27%

### TV TRP Delivery Naturally Skews Heavy

Heavy TV Viewers Receive around 14X more TRPs than Light Viewers



# Online added lift in 3+ and 5+ effective reach overall

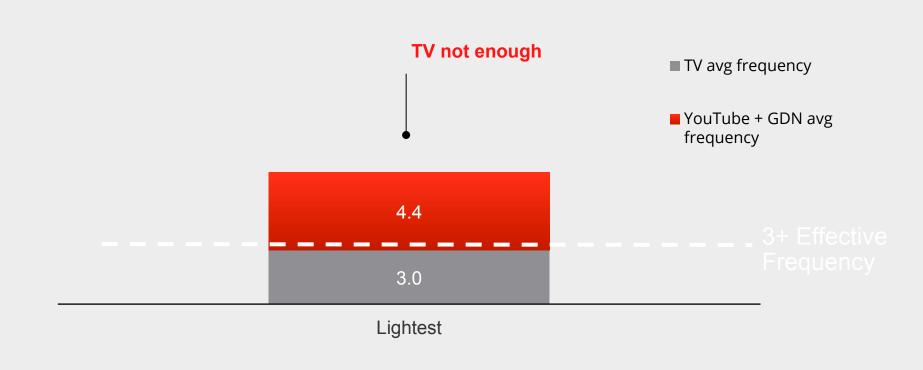


# Online delivered more impressions to light viewers to those exposed to both media

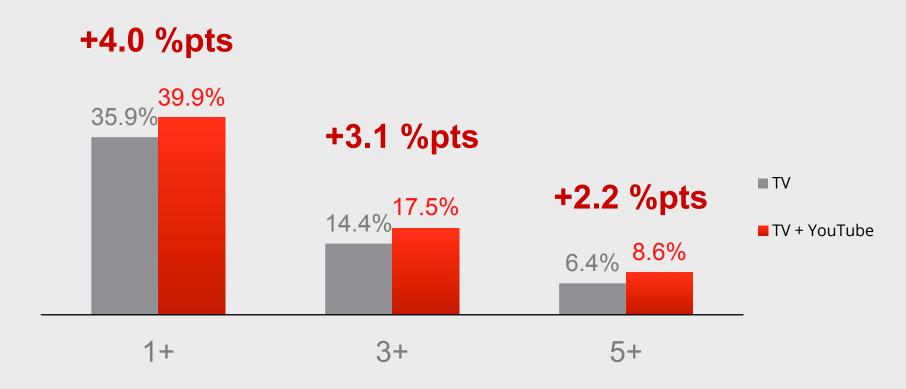
Increased frequency of exposure to lightest viewer by 145%

#### Average Frequency

(Overlap Group exposed to both TV and YT)

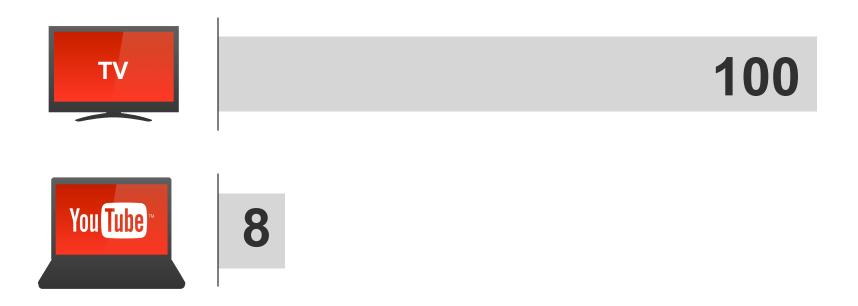


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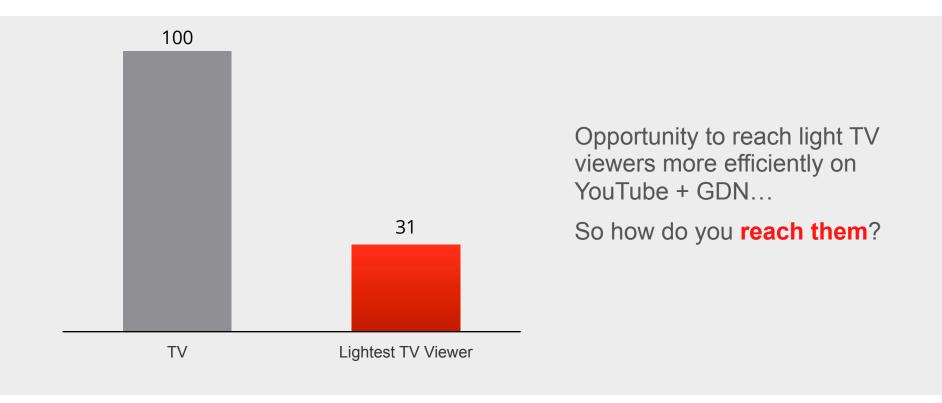
# YouTube + GDN delivers incremental reach to the lightest TV viewer at 8% the cost of TV

#### **Cost Per Incremental Reach Point**



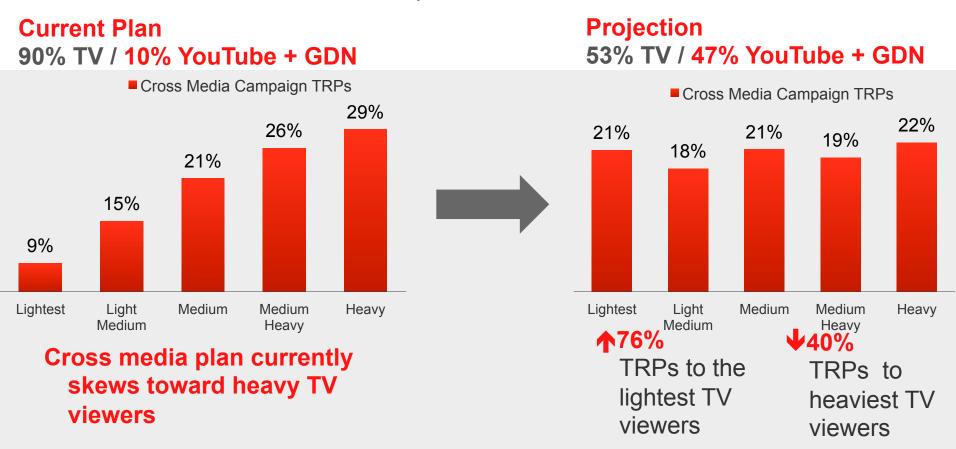
### Reach a Complementary Audience

Cost to reach to lightest TV viewers is more efficient on YouTube/GDN



### **Projection: TRP distribution shift**

Shifting budget from heavy skewing TV networks to online video creates more even distribution across quintiles



Example: M 18-24 target, TV + YT buy



# Implications

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 Incremental reach achieved online is much more efficient, especially to light TV viewers

- TV media does not deliver efficient media to light TV viewers
  - Delivers many more TRPs to heavy viewers, who are more likely older
  - Adds frequency to heavy TV viewers while overlooking light TV viewers
  - Distributes most of TV budget to heavy TV viewers
- Shift your light TV budget online to
  - Add "fresh" reach to a valuable, complementary, younger, audience
  - Add much needed frequency to light TV viewing audience
  - More evenly deliver media cross the quintiles
  - Achieve all this at an efficient cost



# **Appendix**

# Who Falls within the Lightest TV Viewing Quintiles?

This group is more likely than others to...

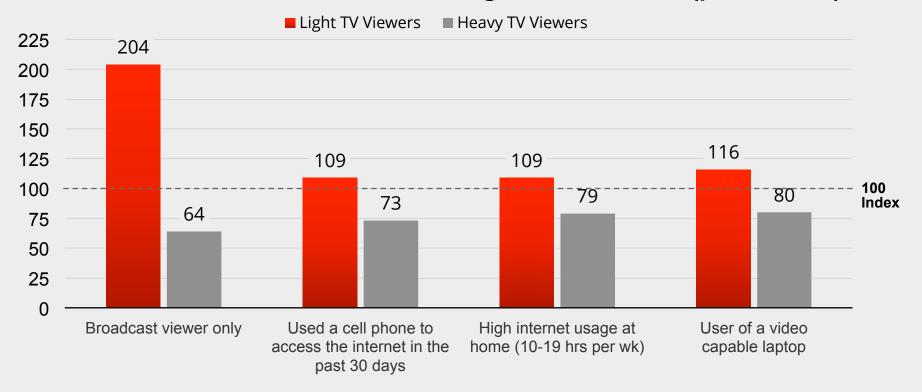
#### **Demographics**

- Be young
- Be ethnically diverse
- Be educated (4+ years of college)
- Have a household income of \$100K+
- Pursue a managerial/professional career track
- Have children under 18 in the household

#### **Media Consumption**

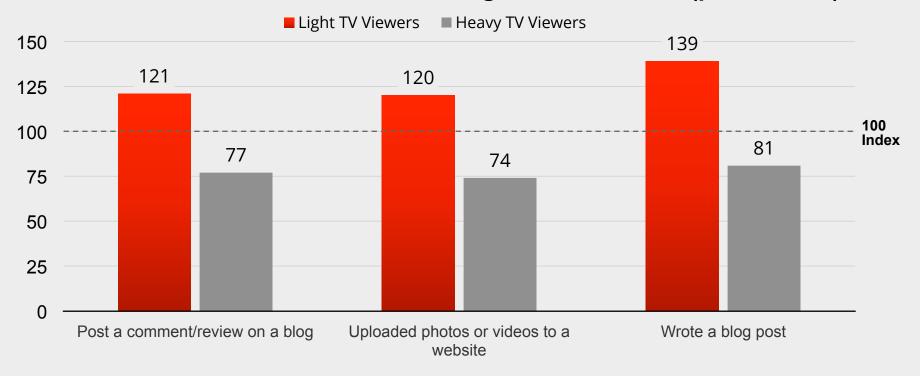
- Watch only Broadcast TV, stream video online
- Integrate devices and the internet into their lives
- Be more interested in non-TV forms of media entertainment (more interested in gaming and less interested in DVR)
- Create content online

#### Likelihood of each of the following characteristics (persons 2+)



# Consumer – Reaching the Right Audience Media Consumption

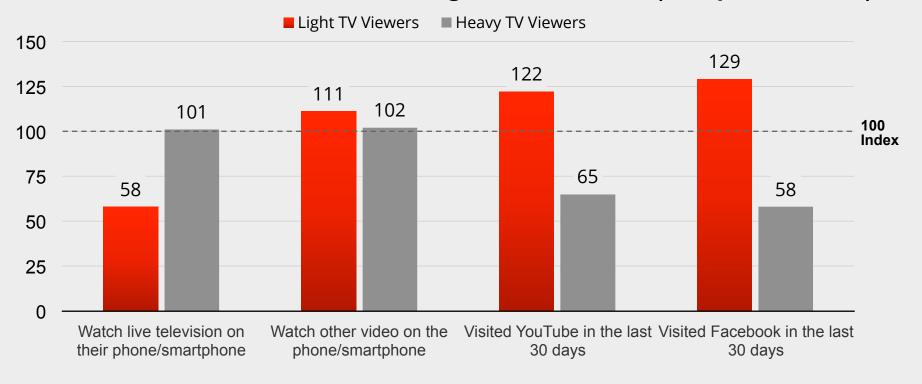
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**Online Content Creators** 

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Media Consumption

Source: Mediamark (MRI)