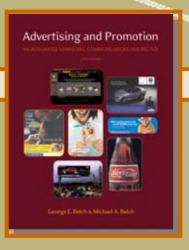
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Evaluation of Print Media

Classifications of Magazines

By Content

- Consumer Magazines
- Farm Magazines
- Business Magazines
 - Professional Group Magazines
 - Industrial Magazines
 - Trade Magazines
 - General BusinessMagazines
 - Health Care magazines

By Size

- Large
- Flat
- Standard
- Small or Pocket

By Geography

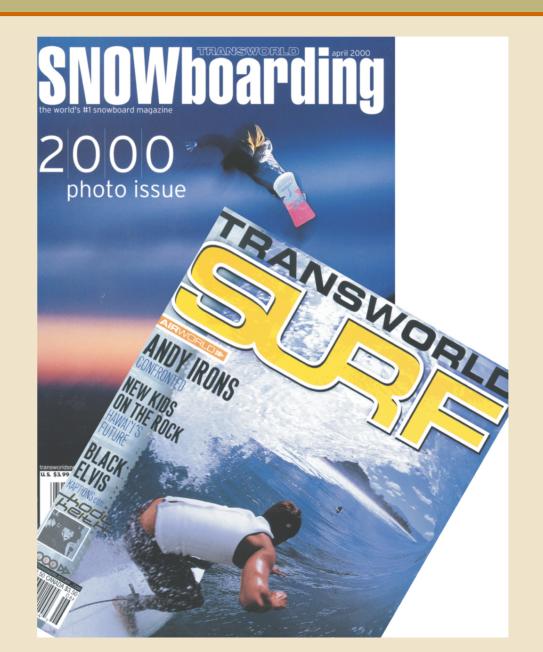
- Local
- Regional
- National

Advantages of Magazines

- > Selectivity
- > Reproduction Quality
- > Creative Flexibility
- > Permanence
- > Prestige
- > Receptivity, Involvement
- > Services



Magazines are targeted to specific audiences



Special Magazine Features

- ➤ Bleed Pages
- **≻**Cover Positions
- > Inserts
- ➤ Gate Folds
- ➤ Island Halves

Disadvantages of Magazines

- > Costs
- ➤ Limited Reach and Frequency
- ➤ Long Lead Time
- Clutter and Competition

Magazine Circulation and Readership

> Circulation

- Primary Circulation
- Guaranteed Circulation
- Controlled-circulation
- > Readership and Total Audience
 - Pass-along readership
 - Total audience (readers per copy X circulation)

Audience Information and Research

- Circulation Verification Services
 - Audit Bureau of Circulation (ABC)
 - Business Publications Audit
- > SRDS Media Solutions
- > Syndicated Audience Studies
 - Simmons Market Research Bureau
 - Mediamark Research Inc. (MRI)

SRDS Media Solutions provides information on magazine for media planners



Factors determining magazine ad rates

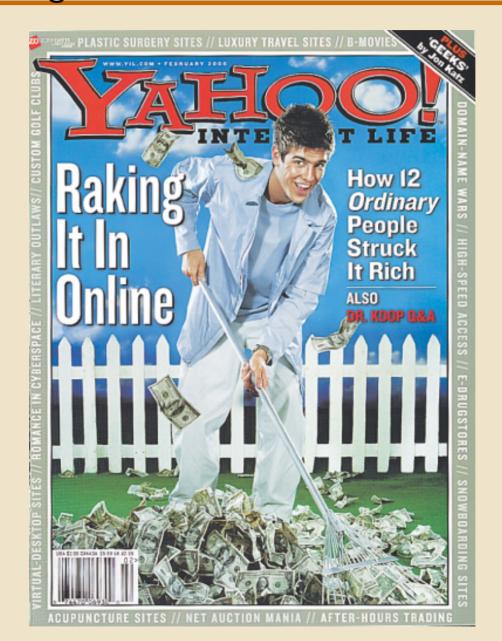
- > Circulation of the magazine
- > Color
- > Size of the ad
- > Position in the magazine
- > Special mechanical or production
- > Number and frequency of insertions

The Future of Magazines

- ➤ Declining Ad Revenues
- ➤ Stronger Editorial Platforms
- ➤ Circulation Management
- ➤ Cross-Magazine and Media Deals
- ➤ Database Marketing
- > Advances in Technology
- ➤ Electronic Delivery Methods



Most magazines cannot survive without advertising revenue



Newspaper Overview

- > The dominant advertising vehicle
- > Account for 22% of ad dollars
- ➤ Over 1,400 daily papers in print
- ➤ Daily circulation over 60 million
- ➤ Main community medium
- ➤ Local ads provide 85% of revenue

Newspaper Classifications

Publication Frequency

- Daily
- Weekly

Type

- National
- Special-Audience
- Supplements

Size

- Standard
- Tabloid

Audience Type

- Ethnic, religious
- Business, financial
- College

Newspaper Advertising

- ➤ Display Ads
 - Local (mostly retail)
 - National or General
- Classified Ads
 - Small items arranged by topic
 - Rates based in size, duration
 - Classified display combination
- ➤ Public Notices
 - Legal notices public reports
 - Notices by people, organizations
- > Printed Inserts
 - Prepared separately by advertisers

Advantages of Newspapers

- > Extensive Penetration
- > Flexibility
- ➤ Geographic Selectivity
- > Reader Involvement, Acceptance
- > Services Offered

Section Segmentation

- ➤ Sports Section
 - Heavy (down-scale) male readership
- ➤ Society Section
 - Heavy (mid-scale) female readership
- > Financial Section
 - Appeals to the business reader
- > Comic Section
 - Heavy child/adolescent readership



Ads can be run in various sections of most newspapers



Daily San Diego Union-Tribune

Each day, The San Diego Union-Tribune is read by more San Diegans than any other newspaper. As the county's largest newspaper, the Union-Tribune offers you something no other newspaper can — 871.300 San Diego consumers.

Target your message with these Union-Tribune daily sections:



in partnership for your success

Newspaper Drawbacks

- > Production quality may be low
- ➤ Short life span
- ➤ Lack of selectivity
- > Clutter
- > Potential for poor ad placement
- ➤ Maybe overlapping circulation

Two Ways to Buy Newspaper Space

Agate Lines

- Measuring 1/4" deep by 1 standard column wide
- A standard column is usually 2" wide

Column Inch

- Column inch is 1 inch deep by 1 column wide
- There are 14 agate lines per column inch

Rate Terminology

- General Rates
- Local Rates
- Flat Rates
- Open Rates

- Preferred position
- Run-of-Paper (ROP)
- Color rates
- Combination Rates

Unique Newspaper Features

- ➤ Mass audience
- Cross-section of population
- > Local geographic coverage
- ➤ Wide range of content, subjects
 - Selective readership by area
- >Timely coverage, daily issues
- > Readership concentrated in time

The Future of Newspapers

- > Competition from other media
- > Circulation management
- Cross-media buys with other newspapers and magazines
- > Attracting and retaining readers



Newspapers are trying to attract younger readers

