GOOGLE ADWORDS BOOTCAMP DAY 1

Alex Sierra, CEO Sigma Ridge



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Alexander Sierra

CEO, Sigma Ridge

Alexander Sierra has a diverse background. He has a bachelor's degree in Aerospace Engineering from the University of Florida, A master's in Finance from Harvard University, and an MBA from the University of Massachusetts. Over 23 years of experience as a leader in Consulting, Sales & Marketing. Alex has managed teams of over 130 direct reports in 13 different countries and Marketing budgets of over 25 million dollars a year. He has been able to achieve year-overyear growth for his clients from 25% to 120%.

His consulting practice **-Sigma Ridge-** was a spinoff from the Harvard University Consulting club where he works with companies like Cisco, Dell, and some of the largest fashion companies in the US.









Please tell us about yourself

- Name
- Current professional work
- What are you hoping to get from this bootcamp?

What you'll learn

- Learn how to build successful Google Ads campaigns that work for user acquisition, e-commerce, and lead generation.
- Find out how to run successful A/B testing
- Discover how to optimize spending and avoid throwing your money down the Google Ads wishing well.
- Find out the most important strategies to maximize conversions and ROI for your Google Ads campaigns.

Agenda

- Google Ads Overview (a lot of info don't fall asleep!)
- Google ads (NOT Adwords)
 - Campaign Type
 - Keywords
 - Impressions
 - Clicks
 - Clickthrough Rate
 - Page Rank / Ad Rank
 - Landing Page
 - Call to Action (CTA)
 - Bidding
 - Campaigns, Ad Groups
 - Ad Extensions
- Google ads application

- Review
- Testing and Optimization
- Partners, Ad Extensions,
 Campaign settings
- Display Advertising
- Recap

Google Ads Certification Exams

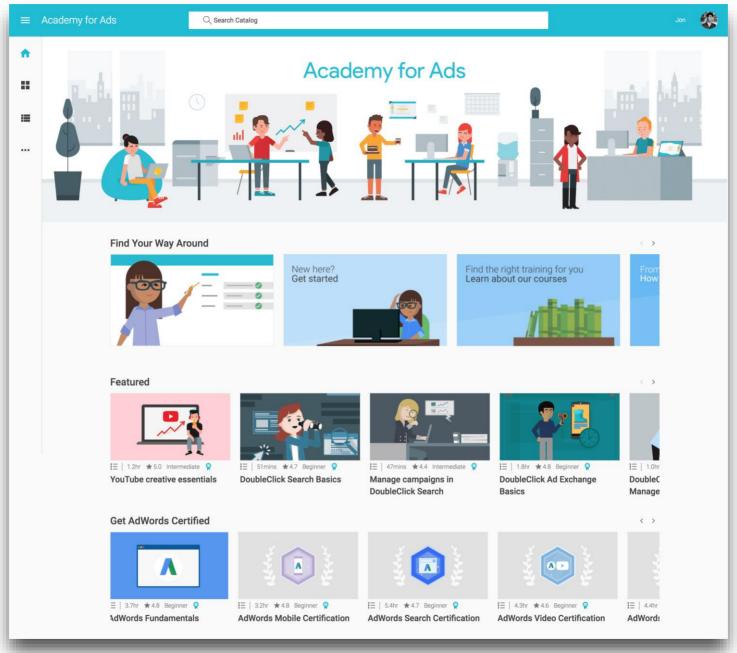
Assessment	Description		
Google Ads Fundamentals	The Google Ads Fundamentals assessment covers basic and intermediate concepts, including the benefits of online advertising and Google Ads, and best practices for managing and optimizing Google Ads campaigns.		
Search Advertising	The Search Advertising assessment covers basic and advanced concepts, including best practices for creating, managing, measuring, and optimizing search ad campaigns across the Search Network.		
Display Advertising	The Display Advertising assessment covers advanced concepts and best practices for creating, managing, measuring, and optimizing Display campaigns.		
Mobile Advertising	The Mobile Advertising assessment covers the basic and advanced concepts of mobile advertising, including ad formats, bidding and targeting, and campaign measurement and optimization.		
Video Advertising	The Video Advertising assessment covers basic and advanced concepts, including best practices for creating, managing, measuring, and optimizing video advertising campaigns across YouTube and the web.		
Shopping Advertising	The Shopping Advertising assessment covers basic and advanced concepts, including creating a Merchant Center account and product data feed, and creating and managing Shopping campaigns.		

Google Ads Certification Exams

Exam	Passing score	Time limit
AdWords Fundamentals	80%	120 minutes
Search Advertising	80%	120 minutes
Display Advertising	80%	120 minutes
Mobile Advertising	80%	90 minutes
Video Advertising	80%	90 minutes
Shopping Advertising	80%	90 minutes

https://support.google.com/google-ads/answer/9028754

Google Ads Certification Exams



https://academy.exceedlms.com/student/catalog





HOW EFFICIENT IS SEARCH ADVERTISING?

High intent

Consumers are actively trying to buy your product or service.

Responsive

You can reach thousands of people looking for your products within minutes.

Testable

Quantifiably determine the best performing ads and easily optimize.

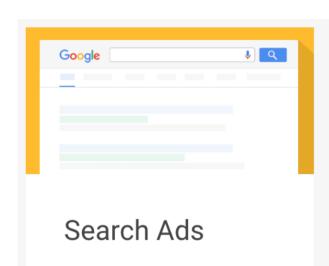
Targeted

Show different ads based on location, time of day, device, etc.

Profitable

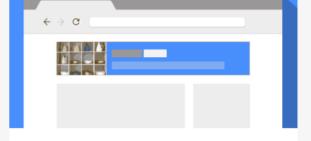
Return-on-investment typically falls between 200% and 600%.

Google Ad Types



Your ad appears next to search results on Google. Talk about good timing.

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Display Ads

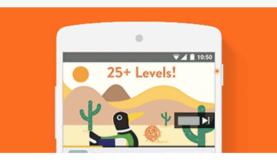
With text and banner ads across Gmail and a network of over two million websites and apps, your ad can show up where your customers are.

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Video Ads

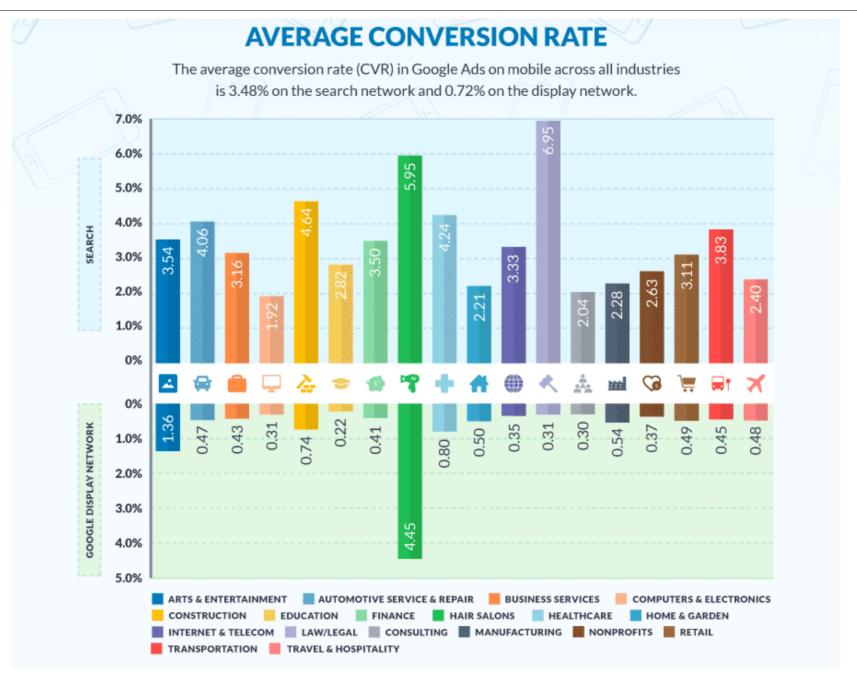
Your business comes to life in front of new customers on YouTube. It's a unique way to share your story.



App Ads

Promote your app by running ads across the entire Google network – no design experience required.











Industry	Average CPA (Search)	Average CPA (GDN)
Advocacy	\$96.55	\$70.69
Auto	\$33.52	\$23.68
B2B	\$116.13	\$130.36
Consumer Services	\$90.70	\$60.48
Dating & Personals	\$76.76	\$60.23
E-Commerce	\$45.27	\$65.80
Education	\$72.70	\$143.36
Employment Services	\$48.04	\$59.47
Finance & Insurance	\$81.93	\$56.76
Health & Medical	\$78.09	\$72.58
Home Goods	\$87.13	\$116.17
Industrial Services	\$79.28	\$51.58
Legal	\$86.02	\$39.52
Real Estate	\$116.61	\$74.79
Technology	\$133.52	\$103.60
Travel & Hospitality	\$44.73	\$99.13



SEARCH MARKETING





Google Search

I'm Feeling Lucky





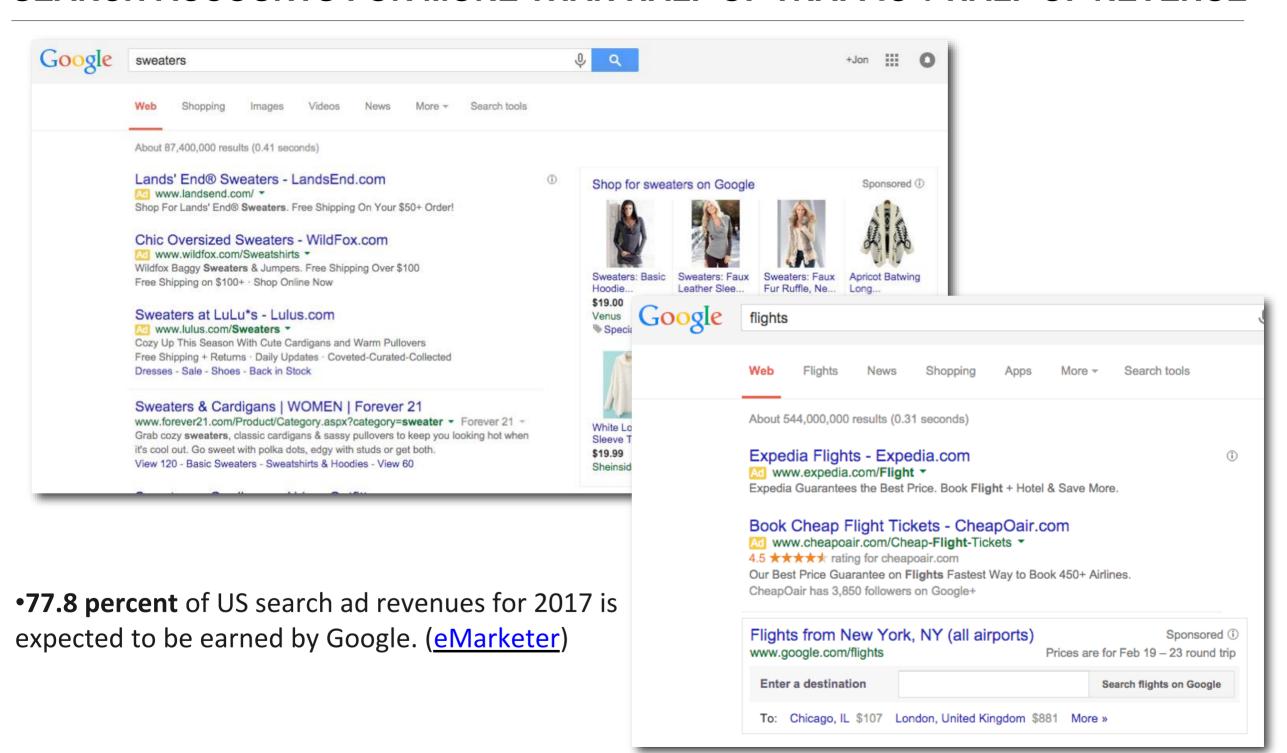
Activity

INSTRUCTIONS

1.Search or Google "Sailboat" on an incognito window

2. Now search the same on your phone

SEARCH ACCOUNTS FOR MORE THAN HALF OF TRAFFIC + HALF OF REVENUE



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- 51 percent of all website traffic comes from organic search, 10
 percent from paid search, 5 percent for social, and 34 percent from all
 other sources.
- 73 billion: The estimated number of phone calls that will be generated from mobile search alone by the end of 2018.
- As at December 2018, there are approximately 1.94 billion websites in the world.

SEARCH ENGINE OPTIMIZATION

SEO IS ORGANIC SEM IS PAID





All S

Shopping

Images Videos

News

More

Settings

Tools

About 441,000,000 results (0.72 seconds)

Scented Playology Dog Toys | Shop Now | playologypets.com

Ad www.playologypets.com/ ▼

Millions Of Microbeads Of All-Natural, Irresistible Scent In Each Toy.

Checkout Our Products · Find a Store Near You · The Science. How it Works · Product Benefits

Dog Toys at Chewy.com | 24/7 Award-Winning Support.

Ad www.chewy.com/DogToys/-- ▼

**** Rating for chewy.com: 5.0 - 411,562 reviews - Order accuracy: 95-100%

Dog Toys at Chewy, Free 1-2 Day Shipping, Low Prices, 24/7 Expert Help, Shop Now

Prices 10/10 · 24/7 Customer Service · Service 10/10 · Fast, Free Shipping · Overall 10/10

Interactive Toys · Chew Toys For Dogs · Balls & Dog Fetch Toys · Stuffed Plush Dog Toys

Dog Toys & Puppy Toys: Low Prices - Free Shipping | Chewy.com

https://www.chewy.com/b/toys-315 ▼

Results 1 - 36 of 1560 - Make the most of playtime with **dog toys** from Chewy. Discover fetch toys, chew toys, squeaky toys, tug toys and more that were made to ...

Dog chew toys · Dog Plush Toys · Puppy / Toys / Dog · KONG / Toys / Dog

The Best Dog Toys, from Plush to Tough and More at BarkShop

https://barkshop.com/dog-toys ▼

Sniffing out the best **dog toys** ever? From durable super chewer toys to soft and snuggly plushies, we've got the perfect toy for Fido. Check out BarkShop today!

Top Reviewed Toys · Oh My Dog You're 1?!? · Super Chewer · Plush

Dog & Puppy Toys: Indestructible Chew Toys | PetSmart

https://www.petsmart.com/dog/toys/ •

437 Items - Every kind of **toy** for every kind of **dog**. We have balls for fetch, puppy **toys** for teething, indestructible and tough **toys**, interactive games, along with ...

Shop for dog toys on Google



Busy Buddy Jack Dog Toy, Medium \$9.95 Chewy.com



Busy Buddy Kibble Nibble D... \$14.95 Chewy.com



Sponsored

KONG Plush
Teddy Bear Dog...
\$1.99
Chewy.com
(765)



Busy Buddy
Calming Dog To...
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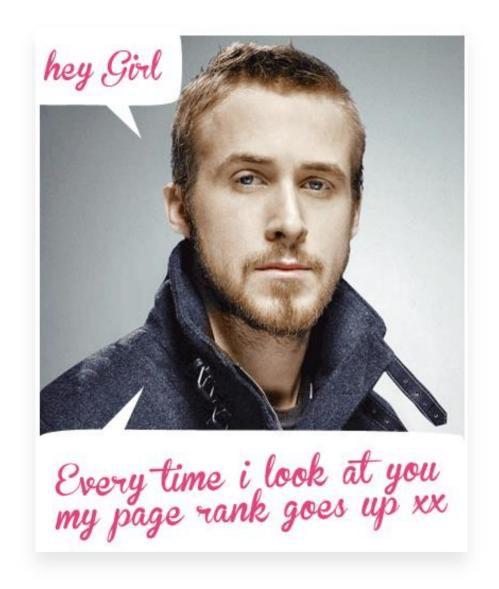
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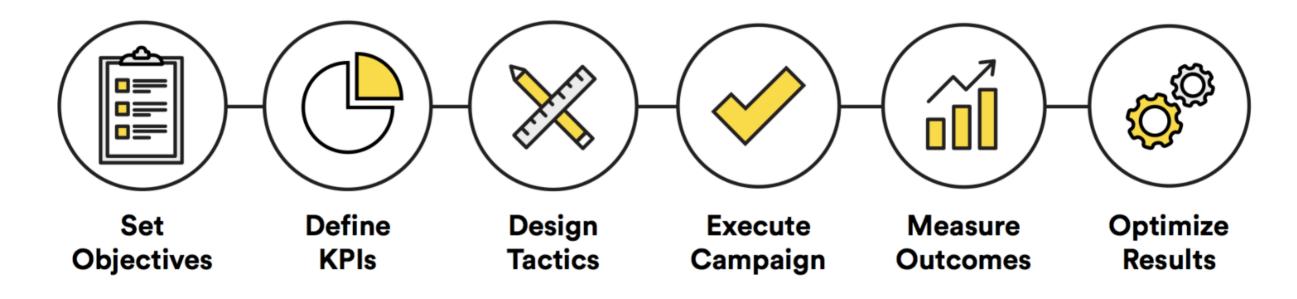
- 80% of consumers search for a product/service before purchasing it
- 70% read online reviews before making purchase decisions
- 68% of consumers begin their decisionmaking while searching with a keyword
- Websites that blog regularly receive 55% more traffic and over 80% more leads compared to websites that don't
- Over 70% of search clicks are organic

source: Matthew Capala



Revisiting the Objective-First Framework

Now that we know what we want to achieve, how do we do it?

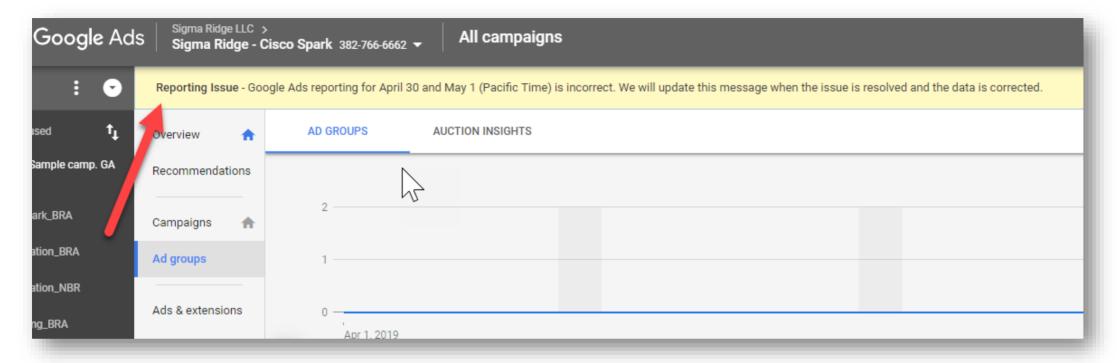


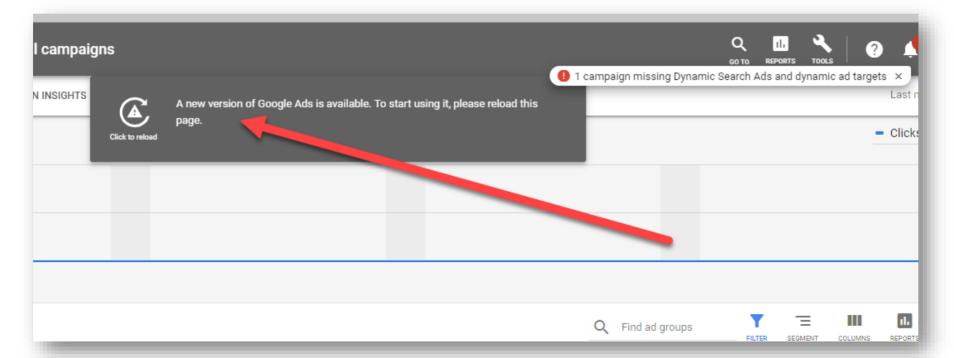
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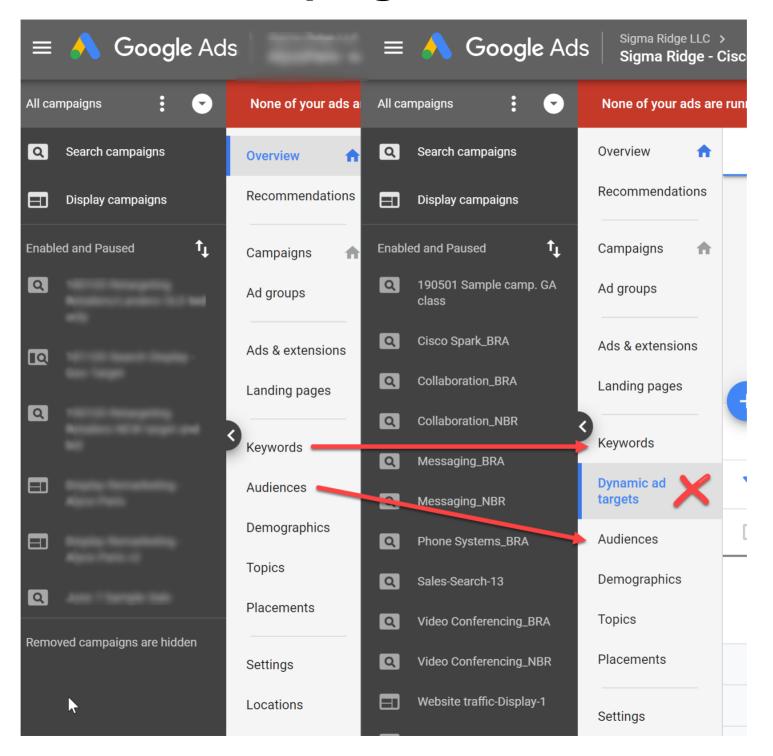


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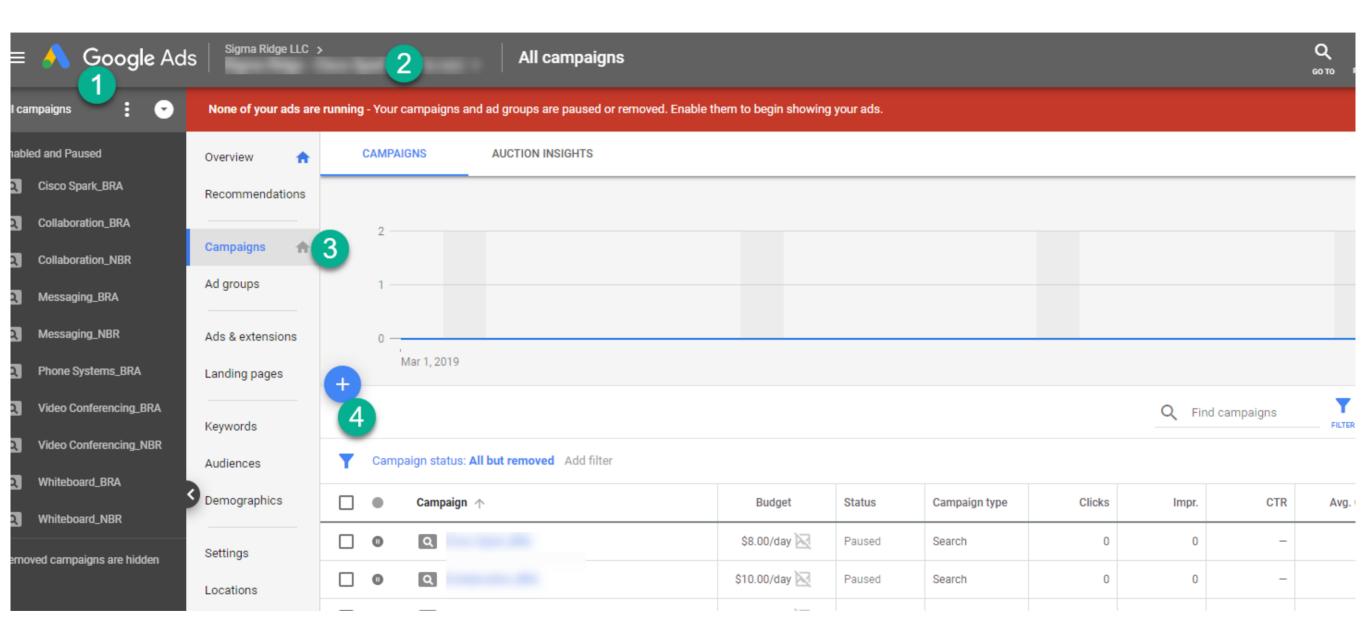




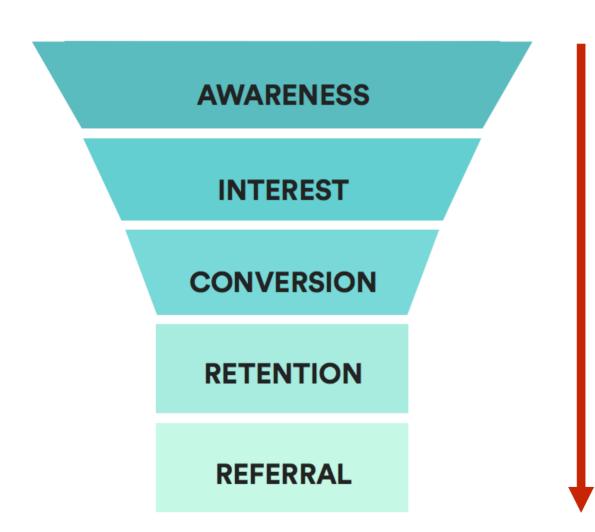
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Where it all begins, campaigns



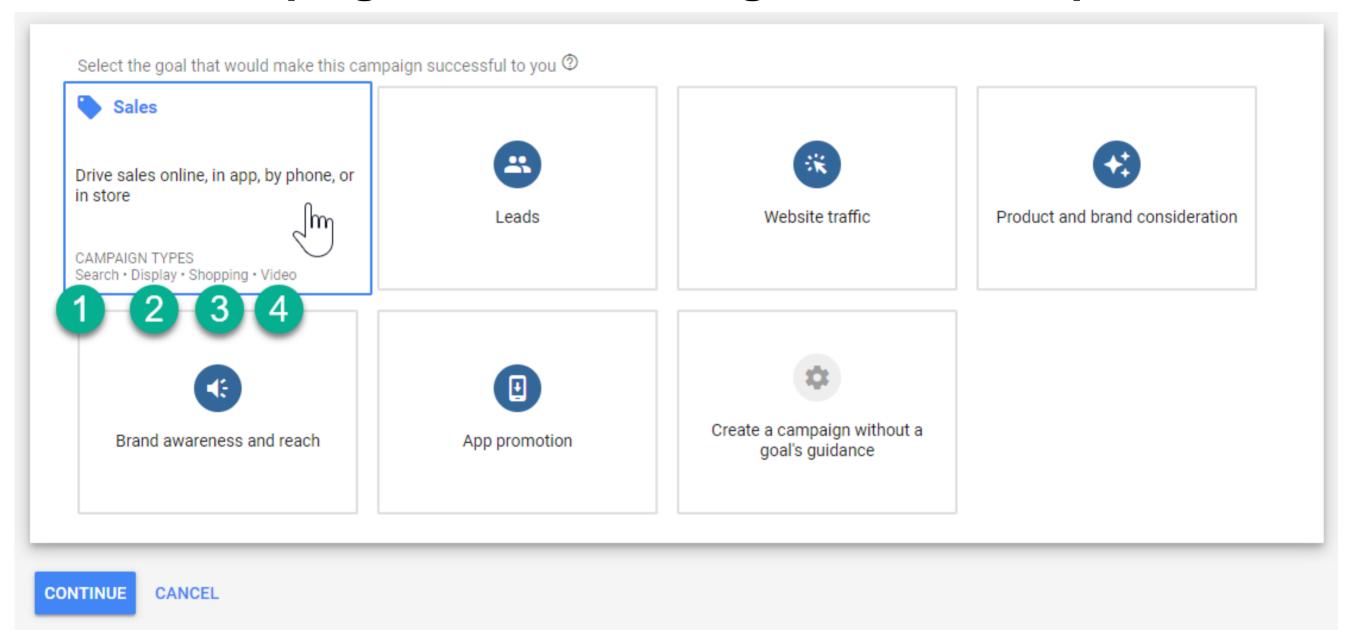
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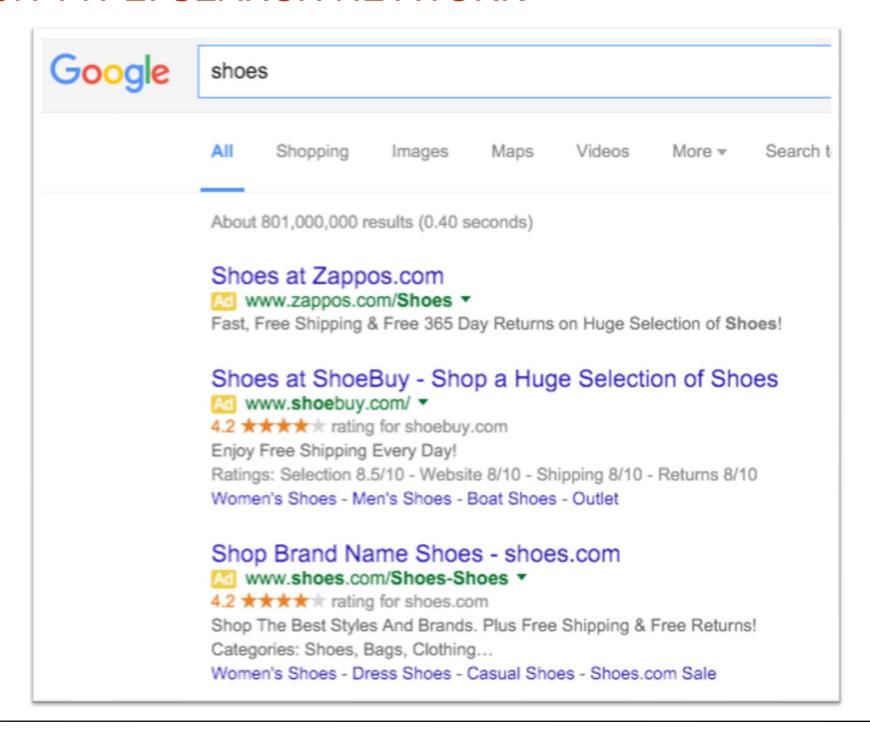
- Brand Marketing:
 "I want to make people aware and excited about what we have to offer!"
- Customer Acquisition:
 "I want to grow my bottom line by gaining new customers."
- Retention and Loyalty:
 "I want to engage my customers and get them to buy more!"

Keep in mind: Business goal, Conversion goal, Personas and products

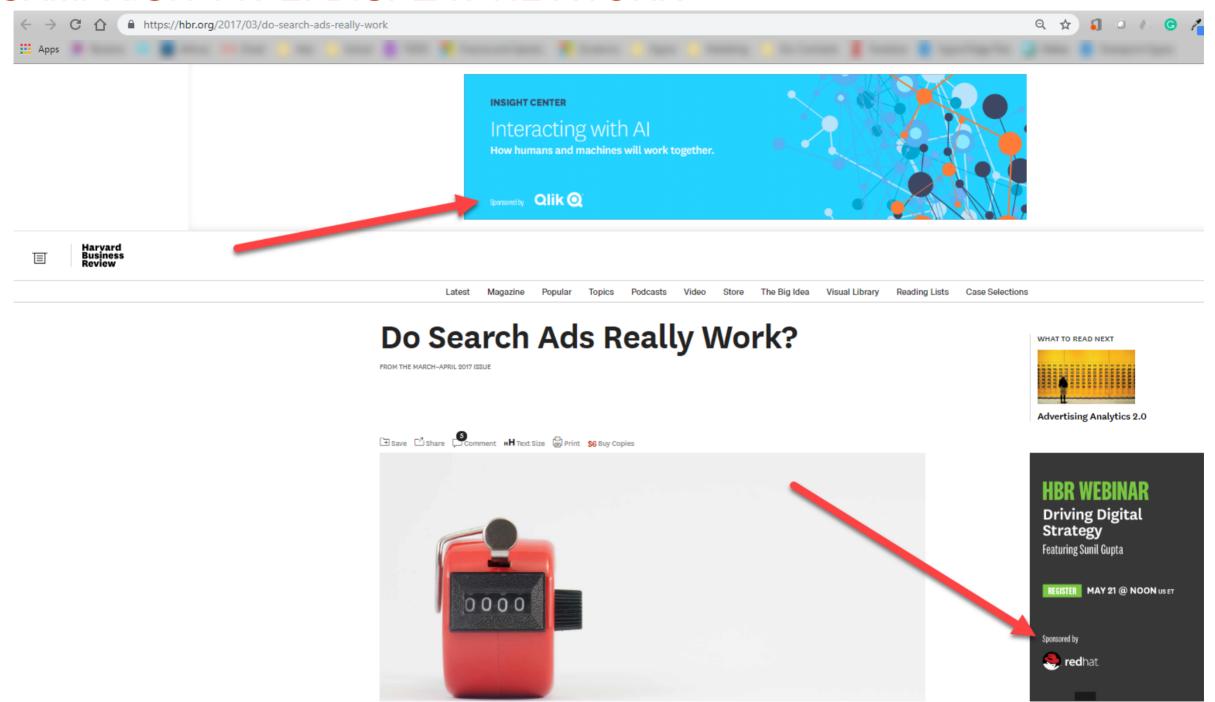
Smart Campaigns are based on goals, funnels, personas



CAMPAIGN TYPE: SEARCH NETWORK

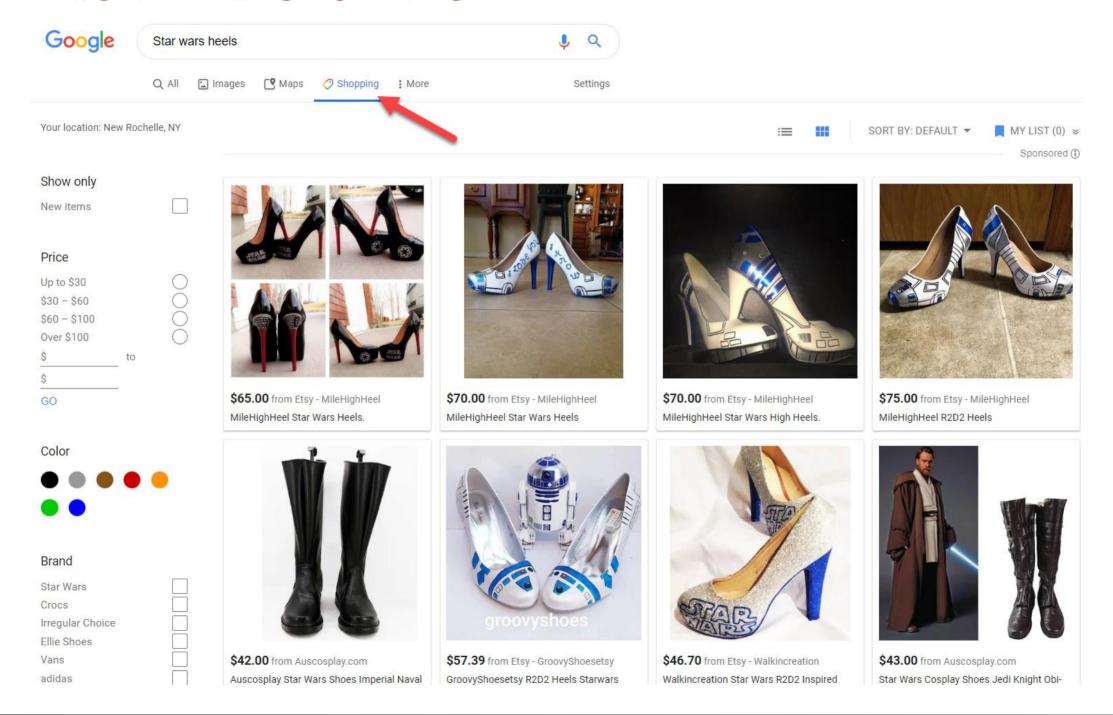


CAMPAIGN TYPE: DISPLAY NETWORK



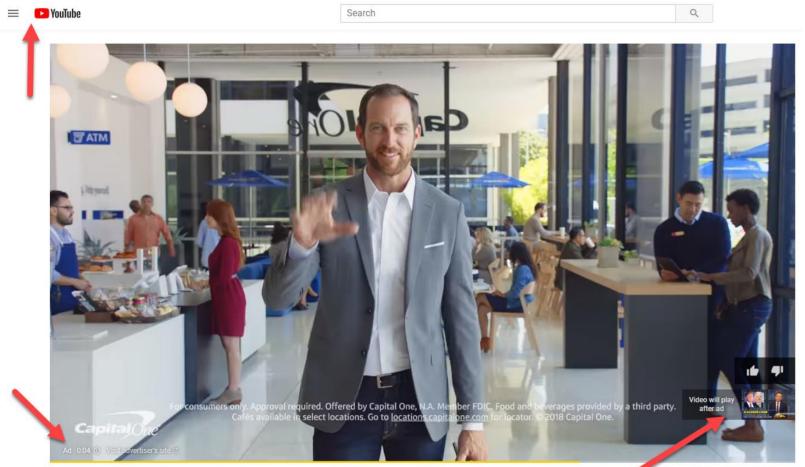


CAMPAIGN TYPE: SHOPPING





CAMPAIGN TYPE: VIDEO NETWORK



Trump Dodges Questions on Mueller, Tax Returns, WikiLeaks: A Closer Look 2.676.812 views

1 29K 4 1.1K → SHARE =+ SAVE ...

Display Network:

A group of more than **2 million websites**, videos, and apps where your ads can appear.

Display Network sites reach over 90% of Internet users worldwide*. With the Display Network, you can use targeting to show your ads in particular contexts (like "outdoor lifestyles" or "cnn.com"), to particular audiences(like "young moms" or "people shopping for a new sedan"), in particular locations, and more.

*Source: Comscore.

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KEYWORDS



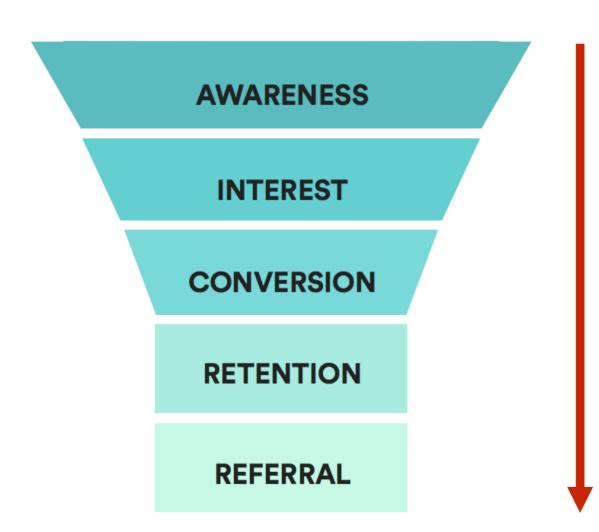
Keywords start here



Google Search

I'm Feeling Lucky

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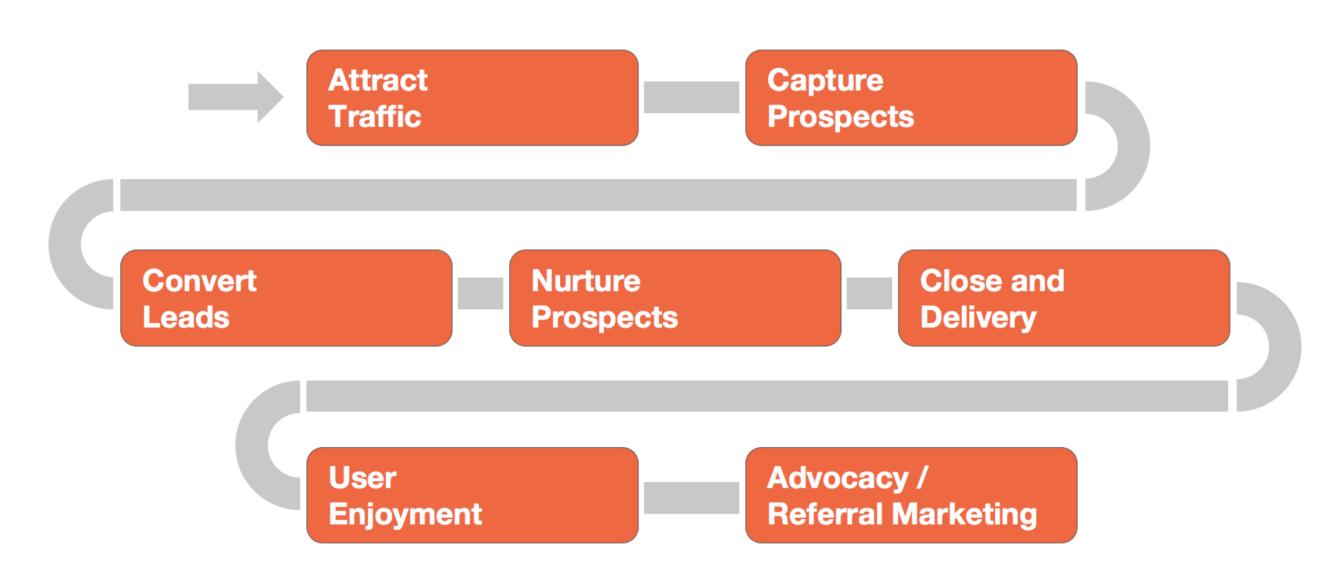
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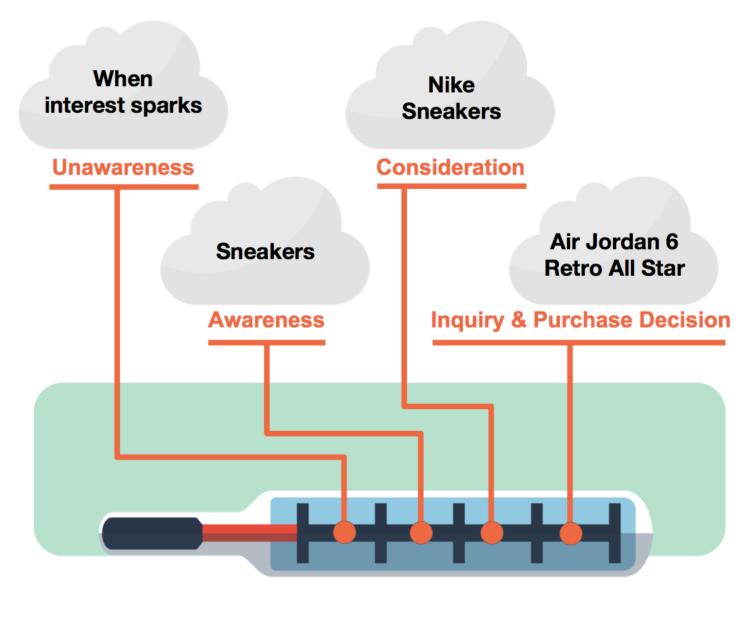
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Lead Pipeline







INTENT VS. VOLUME FUNNEL

LOW INTENT

MEDIUM INTENT HIGH INTENT

Shoes

Kids Shoes

Kids Shoes at Old Navy

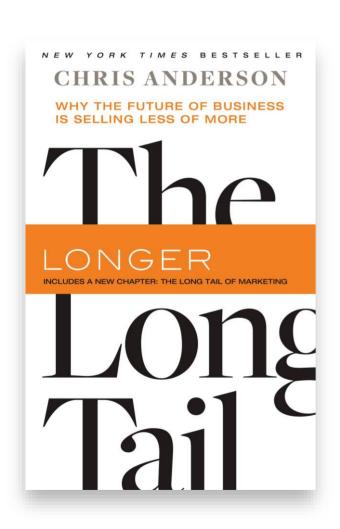
Footwear

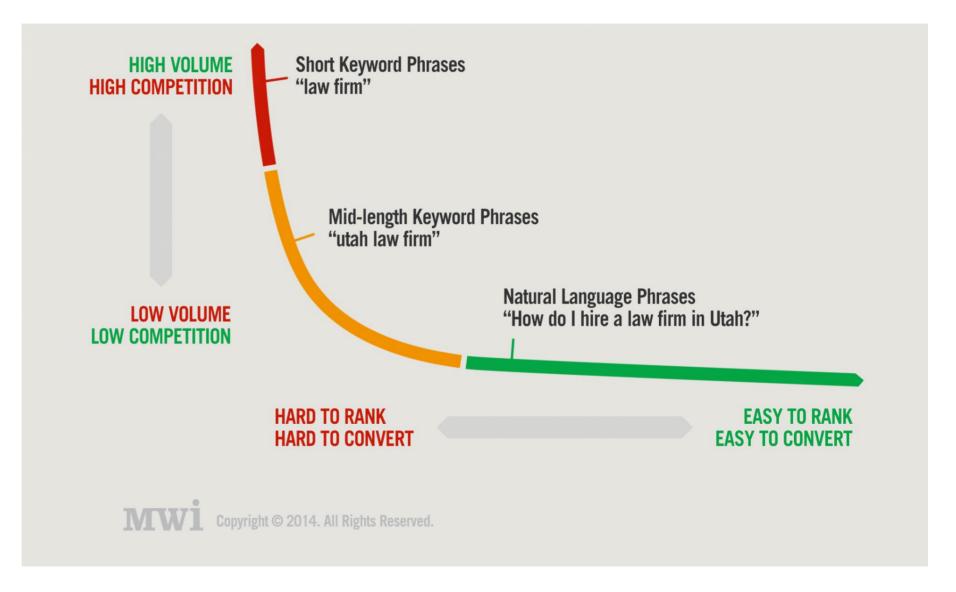
Comfortable Footwear

Buy Comfortable Camping Footwear

HIGH VOLUME LOW VOLUME

Keywords Lists





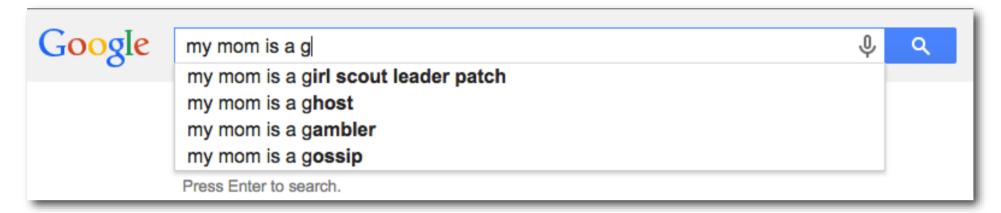
KEYWORD RESEARCH TIPS

- 1. Use Google Keyword Planner
- 2. 3rd Party Tools: SEMrush, Spyfu,
- 3. Google predictive search
- 4. Google Trends



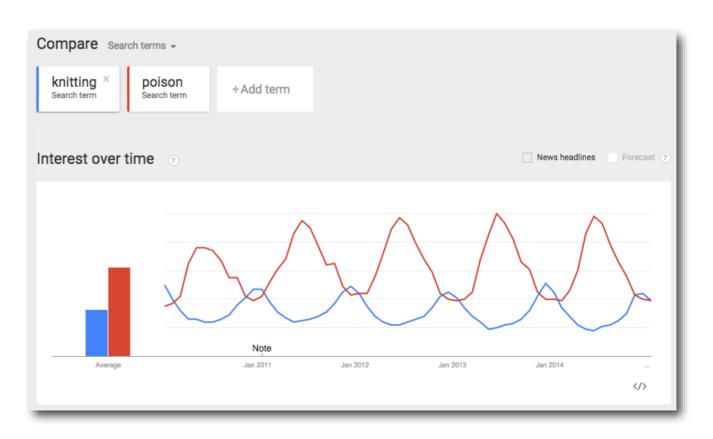
TAGS + KEYWORDS

Use Google Predictive Search to see the most popular phrases on the web.

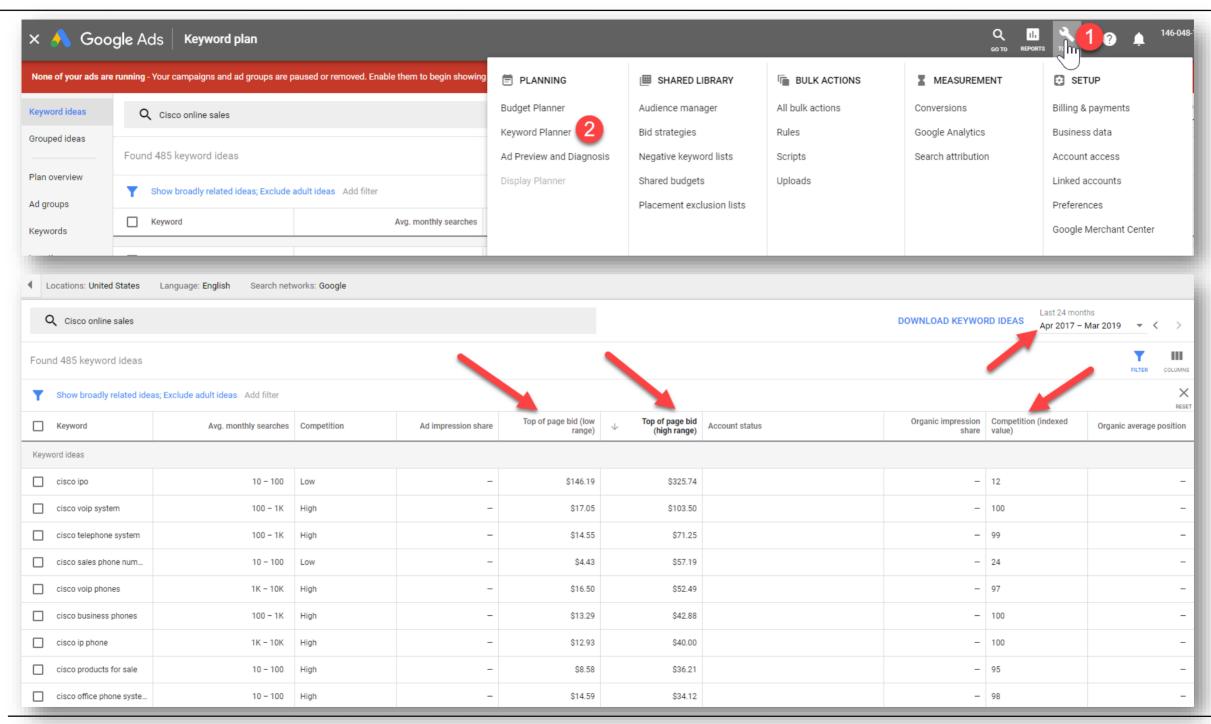


Use Google Trends Explore to see query behavior.

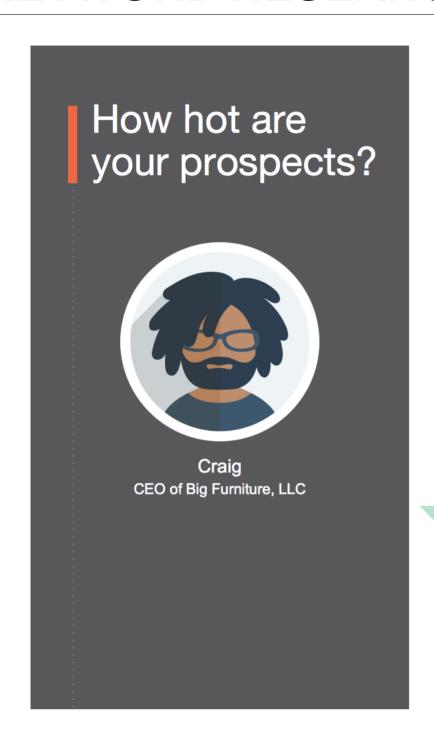
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KEYWORD PLANNER



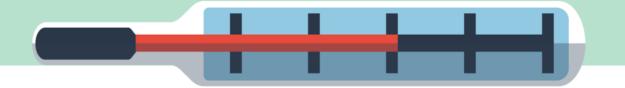
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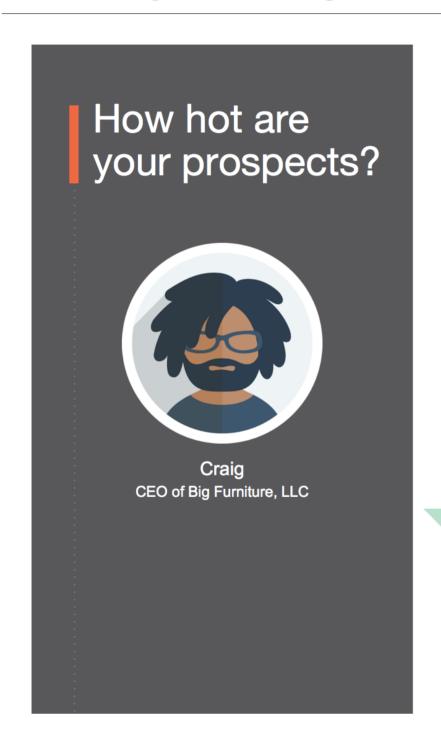




Awareness

"I am uncomfortable, but not ready to seek out a solution"







Consideration

"I am hurting, it is time to find a solution"





Craig
CEO of Big Furniture, LLC

[Air Jordan 6 Retro 'All Star']

"Air Jordan 6 Retro 'All Star" +Air +Jordan +6 +Retro +All Star

Inquiry and Purchase Decision

"I need a solution right now!"

Keywords Lists



ACTIVITY



Computers Out: Keyword Research Activity 1

DIRECTIONS

- 1.Use the Keyword Planner to find a general list of keywords for your campaign(s)
- 2. Write a list of 20 keywords you think best describe your business
- 3.Input those keywords into the Keyword Planner
- 4.At least 50% of the keywords will have 3+ words
- 5. Refine the list into this worksheet: http://bit.ly/KeyPlanSigma

DELIVERABLE



KEYWORD MATCH TYPES

Broad Match (aka Expanded Broad Match). Keyword: mens formal shoes Matches: womens shoe, formal dresses, mans flip flops, horse shoes Initial Bids: 20%

Anchor Modified Broad Match (BMM). Keyword: mens formal +shoes Matches: womens shoe, formal shoes, cheap boys shoe, horse shoes Initial Bids: 40%

Dual Anchor Modified (BMM). Keyword: +mens formal +shoes **Matches:** mens shoe, mans shoe formal, horse shoes for men **Initial Bids:** 60%

Fully Modified (BMM). Keyword: +mens +formal +shoes Matches: formal man shoe, formal mens horse shoes Initial Bids: 80%

Phrase Match. Keyword: "mens formal shoes"
Matches: cheap mens formal shoes in miami
Initial Bids: 80%

Exact Match.

Keyword: [mens formal shoes] **Matches:** mens formal shoes

Initial Bids: 100%

Pay Per Click Keyword Match Types - July 2010 - Infographic by WebRanking.com

Broad Match: Matching search query only needs to loosely match 1 word of any of the terms contained within your bidded keyword to display your ad. Targeting & Control: Keyword matching is very loose with a low level of control. Bidding Strategy: Initial bids should be set at a minimum.

Anchor Modified Broad Match: Matching search query must match the designated "anchor" word contained in the bidded keyword to display ad.

Targeting & Control: Limited keyword targeting with minimum level of control.

Bidding Strategy: Initial bids should be low for testing and new keyword discovery.

Dual Anchor Modified Broad Match: Matching search query needs to match the 2 designated "anchor" words contained in bidded keyword.

Targeting & Control: Selective keyword targeting with a moderate level of control.

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Fully Modified Broad Match: Matching search query needs to match all of the designated "anchor" words contained within your bidded keyword.

Targeting & Control: Very good keyword targeting with higher level of control.

Bidding Strategy: Initial bids can be set at a competitive level.

Phrase Match: Matching search query needs to contain within it the entire bidded keyword in the exact order that the words appear.

Targeting & Control: Good keyword targeting with high level of control. Bidding Strategy: Initial bids can be set at a competitive level.

Exact Match: Matching search query needs to contain the exact bidded keyword and cannot contain additional terms.

Targeting & Control: Exact keyword targeting with high level of control. Bidding Strategy: Initial bids can be highly competitive.



KEYWORD MATCH TYPES

- Broad = Reaches anything Google considers 'relevant.'
- +Modified Broad = Add a plus in front of any word in the keyword phrase to indicate in must be included in the search.
- "Phrase" = "cute women's shoes" the phrase is contained in the search (e.g. buy cute women's shoes)
- [Exact] = [cute women's shoes] exactly matches the term
- (-) = Negative. If (-) is in front of a word, it wont activate the ad.
- · This includes Singular, plural, misspellings: [men's formal shoes] ... man formak shoe
- It will also ignore "function words" like to, for the, and, over

Computers Out: Keyword Research Activity 2

DIRECTIONS

Create keyword versions for each Match Type: Choose 3 long tail keywords on your list (3+ words) for this exercise

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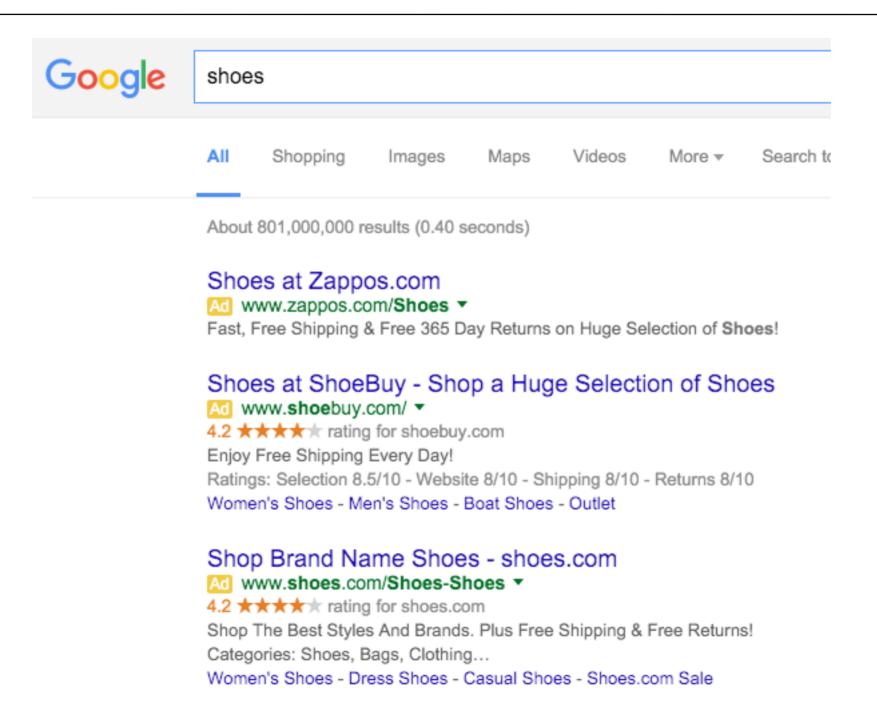
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IMPRESSIONS



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CLICK THROUGH RATE

CLICK THROUGH RATE (CTR) = CLICKS / IMPRESSIONS



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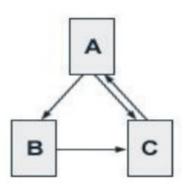
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PAGE RANK

PageRank (PR) is an algorithm used by Google Search to rank web pages in their search engine results. PageRank was named after Larry Page, one of the founders of Google. PageRank is a way of measuring the importance of website pages.

PageRank

$$PR(p_i) = \frac{1-d}{N} + d \sum_{p_j \in M(p_i)} \frac{PR(p_j)}{L(p_j)}$$



Consider an imaginary web of 3 web pages.

And the inbound and outbound link structure is as shown in the figure. The calculations can be done by following method:

$$PR(A) = 0.5 + 0.5 PR(C) PR(B) = 0.5 + 0.5 (PR(A)/2) PR(C) = 0.5 + 0.5 ((PR(A)/2) + PR(B))$$

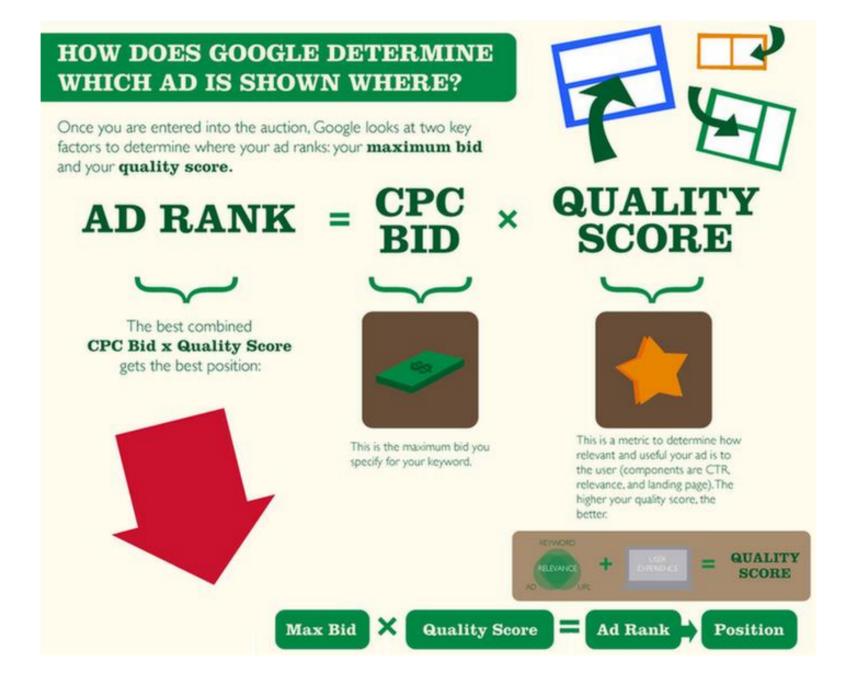
$$= 0.5 + (0.5*1)$$

$$= 1 = 0.5 + 0.5 (1/2) = 0.5 + 0.5 (1/2 + 0.75)$$

$$= 0.5 + (0.5*0.5) = 0.5 + 0.5 (1.25)$$

$$= 0.5 + 0.25 = 0.5 + 0.625$$

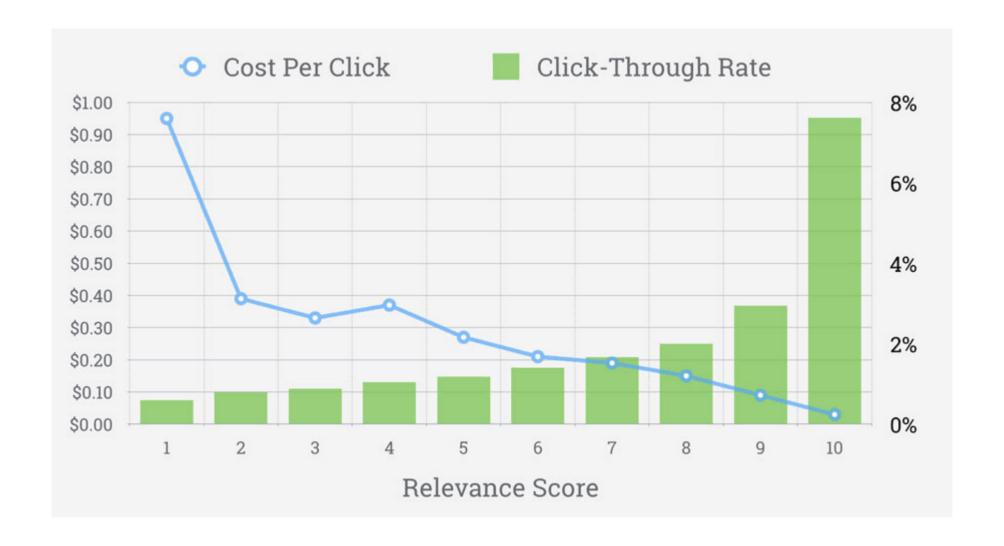
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QUALITY SCORE



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HOW DOES GOOGLE DETERMINE WHICH AD IS SHOWN WHERE?

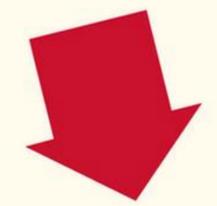
Once you are entered into the auction, Google looks at two key factors to determine where your ad ranks: your **maximum bid** and your **quality score**.





The best combined

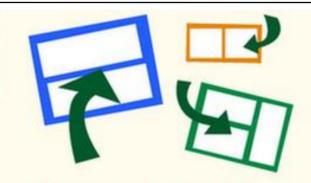
CPC Bid x Quality Score
gets the best position:







This is the maximum bid you specify for your keyword.



QUALITY SCORE



This is a metric to determine how relevant and useful your ad is to the user (components are CTR, relevance, and landing page). The higher your quality score, the better.



Max Bid



Quality Score



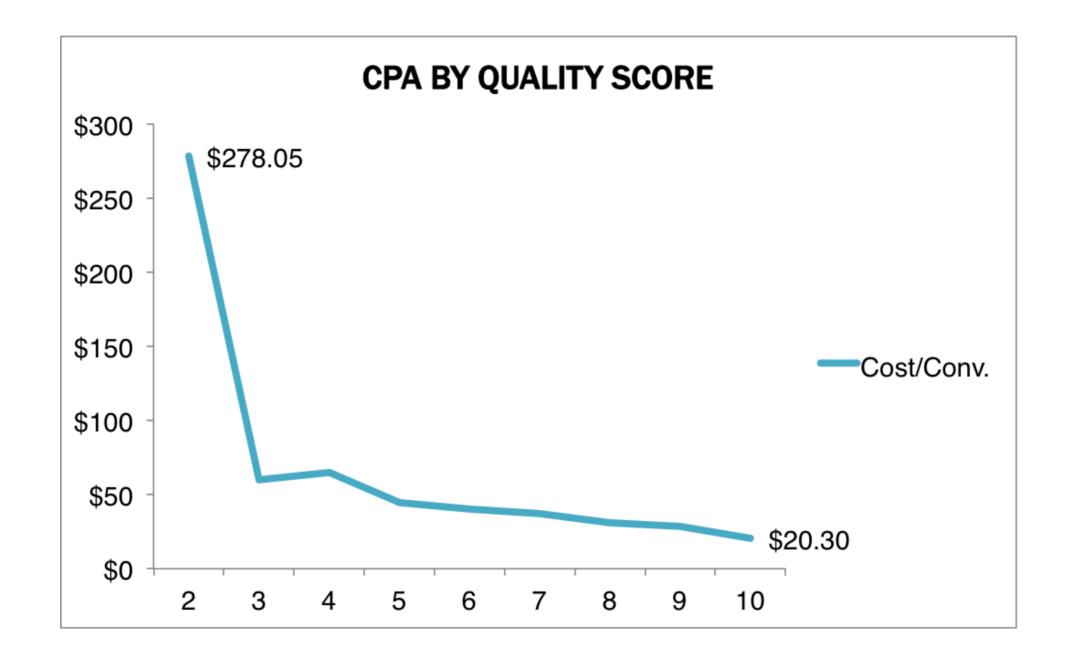
Ad Rank











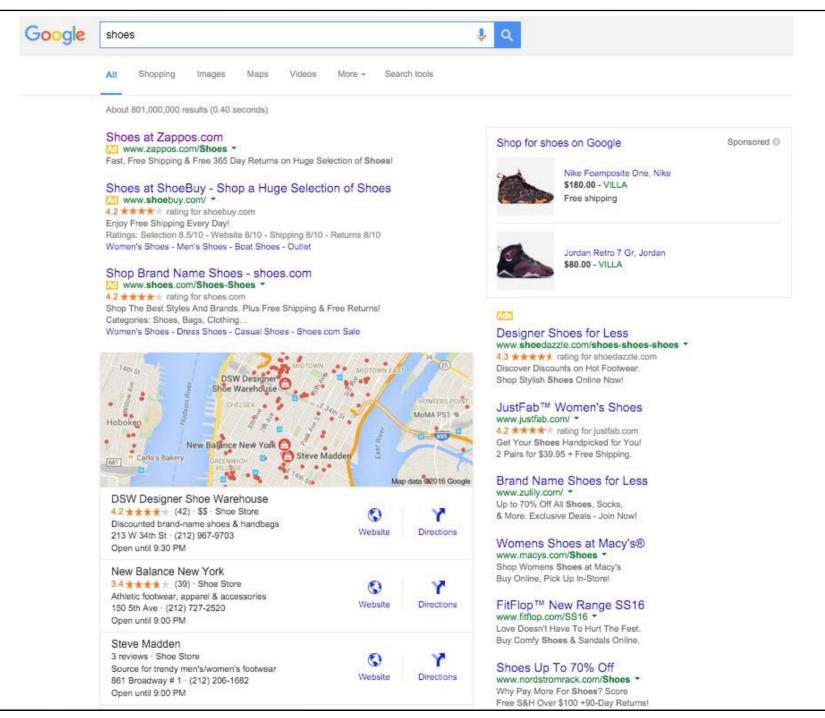
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Campaigns 🏫											'
Ad groups	Y Keyword statu	s: All but removed									
Ads & extensions	☐ K eywo	ord ils Fi	inal URL	Clicks	Impr.	CTR	Avg. CPC	Cost	↓ Quality Score	Ad relevance	Landing pexp.
	Total: All but removed	d keywords		2,300	96,466	2.38%	\$1.58	\$3,632.98			
Landing pages	colleg studer	e – nts		0	43	0.00%	-	\$0.00	8/10	Above average	Above average
Keywords	"grant: colleg studer	е –		0	0	_	_	\$0.00	8/10	Above average	Above average
Dynamic ad targets	fashio schola fund	n		16	160	10.00%	\$0.82	\$13.07	7/10	Average	Above average
Audiences	"fashio schola fund"			32	262	12.21%	\$0.67	\$21.28	7/10	Average	Above average
Demographics	best schola websit	arship –		0	1	0.00%	-	\$0.00	6/10	Below average	Average
Settings	job va fashio indust	cancies n – ry		0	1	0.00%	_	\$0.00	6/10	Average	Below average
Locations	fashio schola fund	n		0	6	0.00%	_	\$0.00	6/10	Average	Average
Ad schedule	"fashio schola fund"	on arship –		1	19	5.26%	\$1.08	\$1.08	6/10	Average	Average
Devices		arships –		5	279	1.79%	\$1.78	\$8.92	5/10	Above average	Average
Advanced bid adj.	macys	· –		2	81	2.47%	\$1.83	\$3.65	5/10	Below average	Average
Change history	schola founda	arship _		1	122	0.82%	\$1.24	\$1.24	5/10	Above average	Average
	fashio	n design		0	21	0.00%	_	\$0.00	5/10	Below	Below

There are three possible statuses your keywords can have:

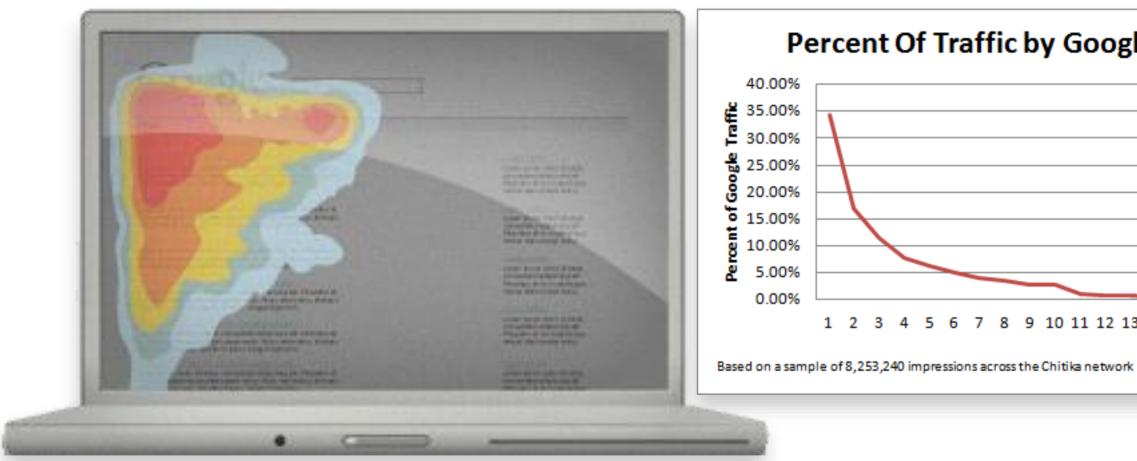
- 1. Above average
- 2.Average
- 3.Below average

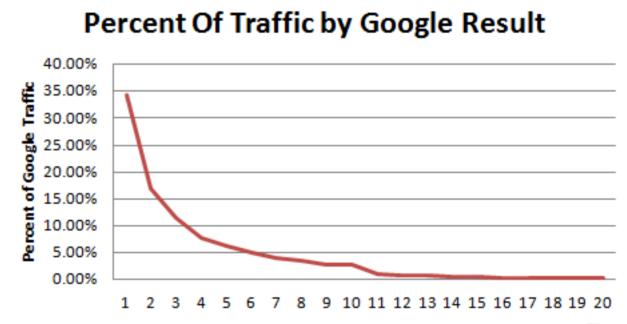
Having an "average" or "above average" status means that there are no major problems with this keyword's ad relevance when compared to all other keywords across Google Ads.

A "below average" status means that your ad or keyword may not be specific enough or that your ad may cover too many topics. Try creating tightly-themed ad groups by making sure that your ads are closely related to a smaller group of keywords.









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LANDING PAGE





LANDING PAGE

1 Google

Influencer marketing software

Google Search

I'm Feeling Lucky

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The Challenge.

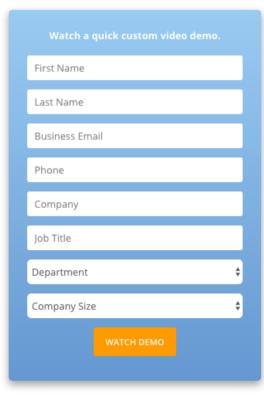
Whether you're a digital marketer, social media manager, marketing automation pro, or beyond, the most important performance metrics are often hard to measure. Information like:

- ROI by channel
- · Revenue and lead attribution
- · Cost per acquisition and customer LTV

The Domo Solution.

Domo's enterprise business management platform that solves that problem by bringing real-time online marketing data—from your CRM, web analytics, PPC, social media, marketing automation, financials, and more—into a single place.



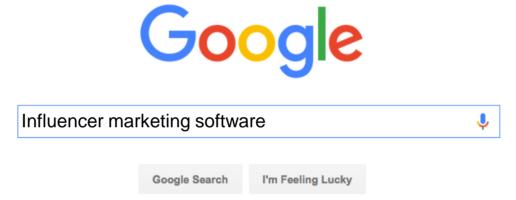


Domo helps businesses of all sizes, in every industry:



LANDING PAGE

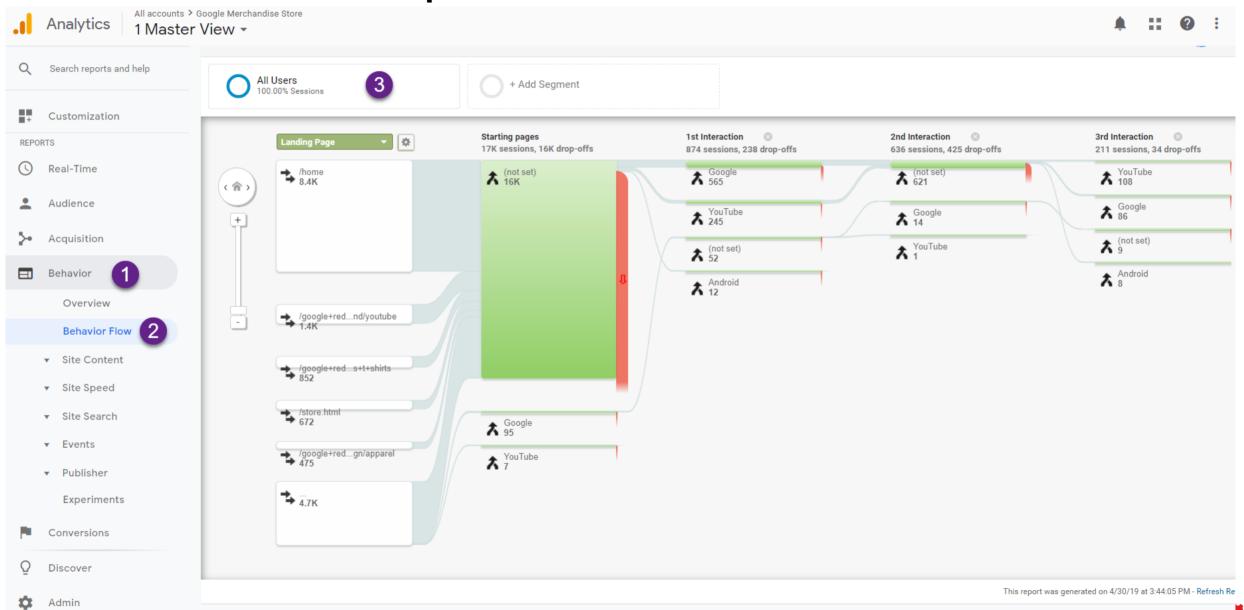
Lets do our own test





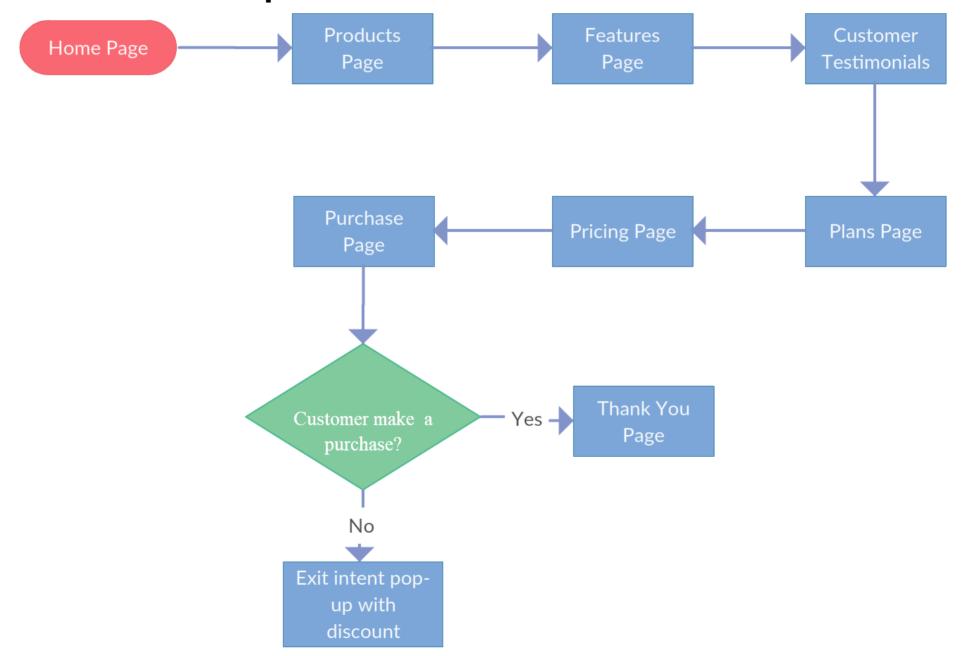
BOUNCE RATE

Website flow sample



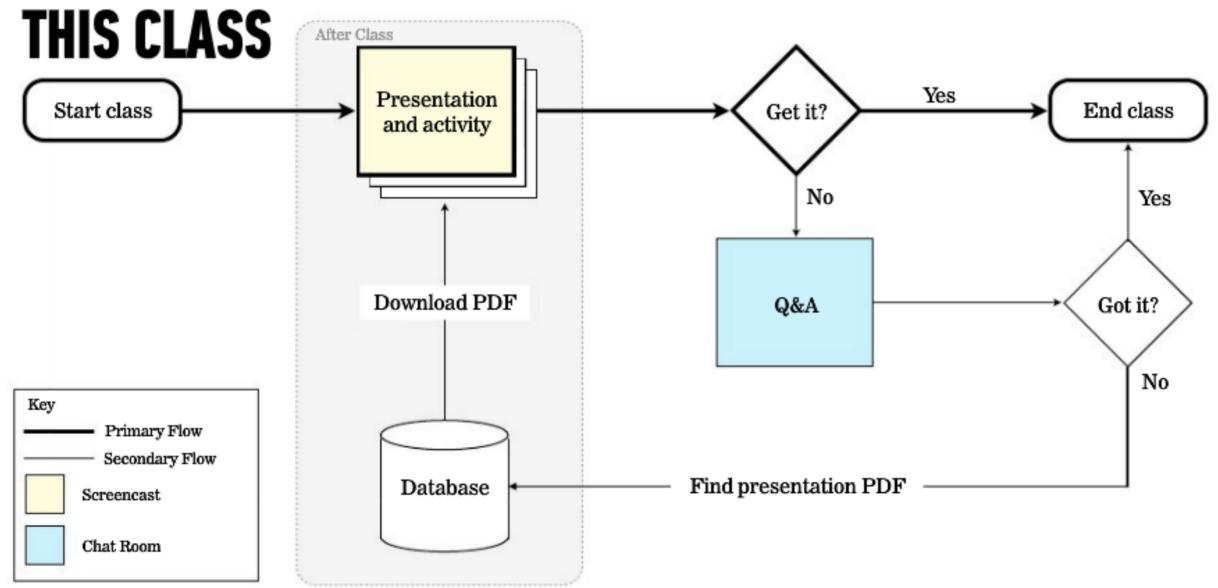
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The Puzzle Pieces of a User Flow

These are the standard titles, shapes, and functions of the pieces used in a flow:

"Start/End
"Arrow"

"Process"

"Decision"

The beginning or end point of the flow.

The connection between points.

What a user does.

The choice a user must make.





Solo Exercise: Finding Data on User Flows

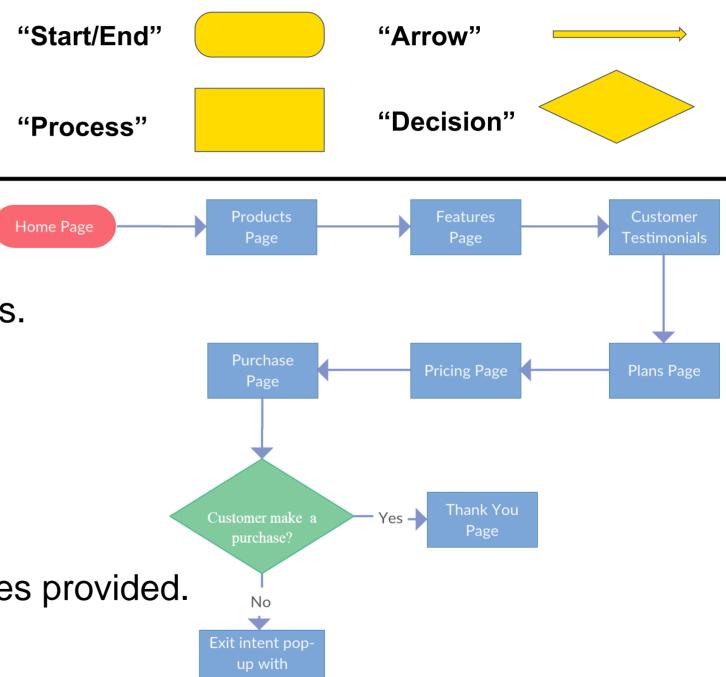




1. Define your objective, e.g.:

- Build a mailing list.
- Drive sales.
- Increase app downloads.
- Encourage webinar registrations.
- 2. Define your target audience:
 - . Who are you targeting?

Draw your user flow using the shapes provided.





Solo Exercise: LANDING PAGE ACTIVITY

REMEMBER THE WEBSITE FLOW?

1. Choose the best landing page for your ads

2.If your ideal landing page doesn't exist, write a description and/or sketch it

AWARENESS

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CALL TO ACTION (CTA)

Shoes at Zappos.com

Ad www.zappos.com/Shoes ▼

Fast, Free Shipping & Free 365 Day Returns on Huge Selection of Shoes!

Shoes at ShoeBuy - Shop a Huge Selection of Shoes

Male www.shoebuy.com/ ▼

4.2 ★★★★ rating for shoebuy.com

Enjoy Free Shipping Every Day!

Ratings: Selection 8.5/10 - Website 8/10 - Shipping 8/10 - Returns 8/10

Women's Shoes - Men's Shoes - Boat Shoes - Outlet

Shop Brand Name Shoes - shoes.com

Model www.shoes.com/Shoes-Shoes ▼

4.2 ★★★★ rating for shoes.com

Shop The Best Styles And Brands. Plus Free Shipping & Free Returns! Categories: Shoes, Bags, Clothing...

Women's Shoes - Dress Shoes - Casual Shoes - Shoes.com Sale

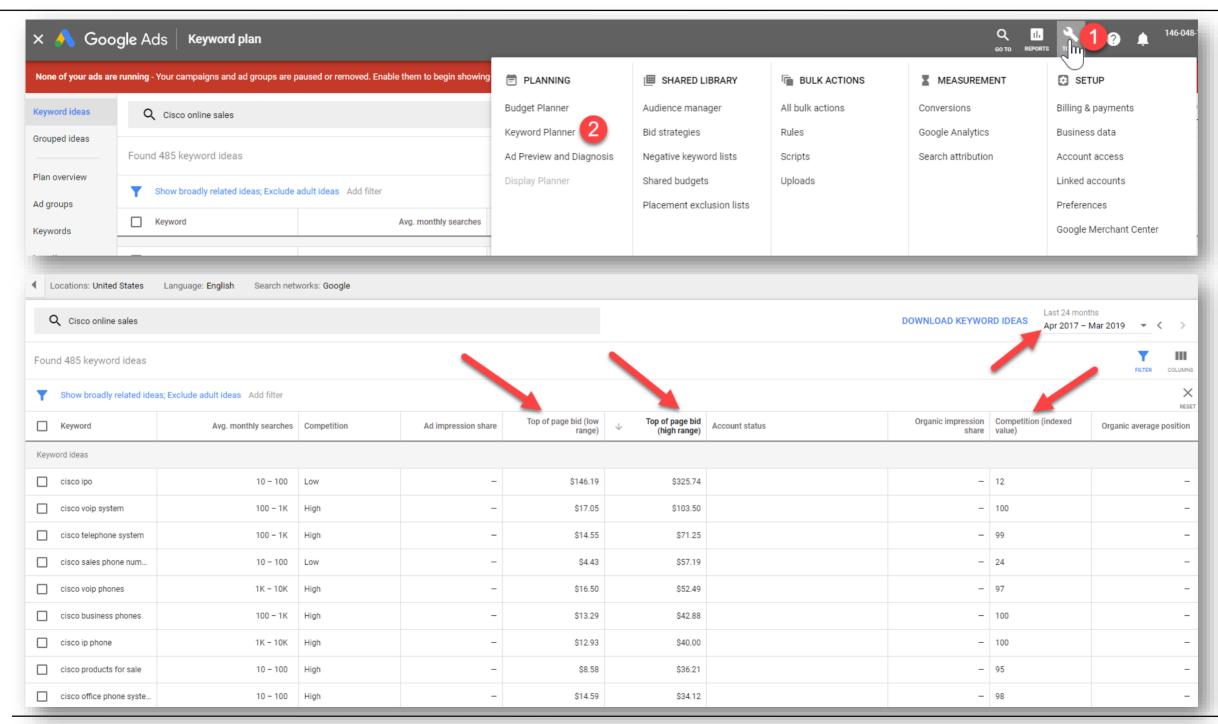
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PAID SEARCH

BIDDING STRATEGY

BIDDING



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BIDDING

Flexible Bid Strategy	When to use it or not	Where it can be applied
Maximize Clicks – set bids to get the most clicks for a target spend amount Flexible version of auto bidding	Use when your goal is to get traffic to your site. Do not use when you have strict ROI and CPA goals	Campaigns, ad groups, and keywords
Target Search Page Location — have Google set your bids in accordance to the First Page or Top of Page bid estimates	Use when you want to be on the first page or top of page and cost is not an issue. Do not use if you have a small budget or strict ROI and CPA goals	Campaigns, ad groups, and keywords
Target Cost-per-Acquisition – sets bids in accordance to reach your target CPA goal. Google will set bids to get you as many conversions as possible within an average CPA	Use when you want to get the most conversions for a target CPA. Do not use when you want control over bids and ad scheduling	Campaigns and ad groups
Flexible version of Conversion Optimizer		



BIDDING

Enhanced Cost-per-Click — adjusts the bid you manually set up or down based on a click's likelihood to convert	Use when you want to get more conversions but still want control over	Campaigns and ad groups	СТ
click's likelihood to convert	your bids. Do not use when you are		
Flexible version of Enhanced	limited by budget		
CPC			
Target Return on Ad Spend	Use when conversions	Campaigns, ad groups,	
(ROAS) – sets bids to maximize	have different values and	and keywords	
conversion value while aiming	you want them to meet a		
to reach an average return on	target return.		
ad spend	Do not use when you do		
	not know the different		
	values of your		
	conversions.		

BIDDING STRATEGY

Expected
Revenue
from X
Acquisition

Conversion X
Rate X
Rate X

Margin

Max. Willing to Spend Per Visit

\$100 15% 50% \$7.5



BIDDING STRATEGY

Expected
Revenue
from X
Acquisition

Conversion X
Rate X

Rate X

Average Max. Willing to Spend Per Visit

\$100 5% 20% \$1



BIDDING STRATEGY

CPA = Cost / Conversions

Ok, now I'm really going to blow your mind with some math trickery. Let's break down that CPA formula—cost is actually number of clicks multiplied by your CPC and conversions are the number of clicks multiplied by conversion rate.

$Cost = Clicks \times CPC$

Conversions = Clicks x Conversion Rate

Nix clicks from the equation and you'll discover that CPA can also be found by dividing CPC by conversion rate.

CPA = CPC / Conversion Rate

Now, if that's the case, simple algebra tells me that CPA multiplied by conversion rate will give me my CPC.

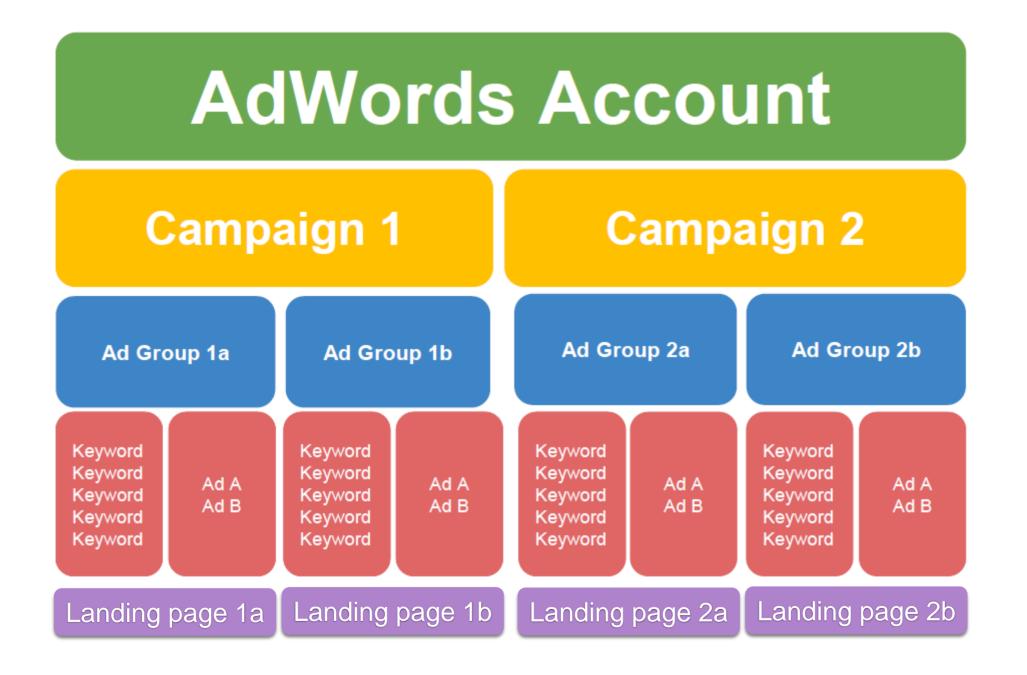
CPC= CPA x Conversion Rate

The bottom line is here, if you know your *goal* CPA and your current conversion rate by ad group, you know *exactly* what you're willing to pay for a click to the keywords in that given ad group. Use this information to drive your bid decisions moving forward.

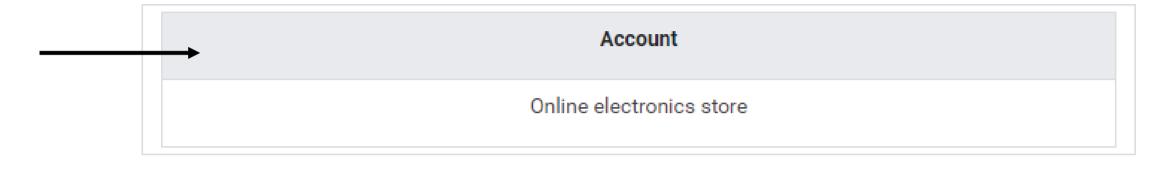
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STRUCTURE FOR CAMPAIGNS, AD GROUPS...



CAMPAIGNS, AD GROUPS



	Campaign		Campaign
Televisions		• Cameras	

Ad Group	Ad Group	Ad Group	Ad Group
Flat Screen TVs	Plasma TVs	Digital Cameras	Compact Cameras

CAMPAIGNS, AD GROUPS

Account Online electronics store

Campaign	Campaign
Televisions	Cameras

Ad Group	Ad Group	Ad Group	Ad Group
Flat Screen TVs	Plasma TVs	Digital Cameras	Compact Cameras

CAMPAIGNS, AD GROUPS

AdGroups need a name, an ad and keywords.

AdGroups will share Ad Extensions (set at the Campaign level) and so should have a common theme. A new feature of Enhanced Campaigns is that you can now set Ad Extensions at the AdGroups level as well as the Campaign level.

Here is an example of three AdGroups in our Coffee Bean campaign.

Gourmet	Dark Roast	French Roast
Gourmet Coffee Beans	Dark Roast Coffee Beans	French Roast Coffee Beans
Gourmet Whole Coffee Beans	Dark Roast Whole Coffee Beans	French Roast Whole Coffee Beans
Gourmet Ground Coffee Beans	Dark Roast Ground Coffee Beans	French Roast Ground Coffee Beans



Solo Exercise: CAMPAIGN AD GROUP ACTIVITY



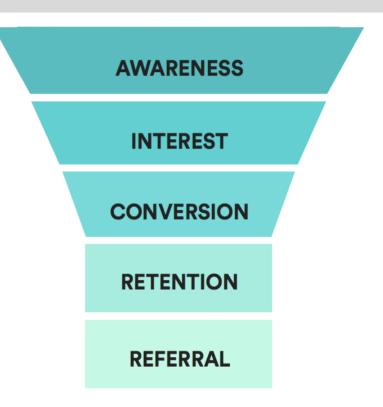
SETUP YOUR CAMPAIGNS AND AD GROUPS

As you create your structure think:

- 1.Brand Objectives
- 2. Products and categories
- 3.Clients (Personas)
- 4.Locations –languages?

DELIVERABLE

At least one Campaign, a few Ad Groups, and several keywords in those Ad Groups



Campaign	Campaign
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Manual Extensions

- Sitelinks
- Call-out
- Structured snippets
- Call
- Message

- Location
- Affiliate location
- Price
- App
- Review





AD EXTENSIONS



Mushroom Foraging Tours

Ad www.example.com

Find chanterelle, porcini, oyster mushrooms with a fungi guide!
"So impressed. Brought home a pound of ceps." - exampleblog.com

San Francisco to New York - Up to 30% Off on all Flights

www.acmetravel.com/flights *

Up to 30% off flights when you book by March 31.

Nonstop Flights: Average 5/day from San Francisco to New York City

Daily Flight Deals - Top Destination Flights - International Flights

Nike.com - Nike Official Store

www.nike.com/ -

Shop for Nike Shoes and Gear. Available Now at Nike.com
Free Shipping With Nike+ - Free 30 Day Returns - No Minimums
Nike has 3,771,377 followers on Google+

Nike New Releases

Shop our Latest Shoes, Gear & Clothing. Available Now at Nike.

Custom Nike Shoes

Create Your Customized Footwear. For Performance, Fit and Style.

New Nike Pegasus 32

Find Your Fast with The New Nike Air Zoom Pegasus 32 - Shop Now.

New Nike Free Shoes

Shop the Latest Free 3.0, 4.0 & 5.0 Styles Exclusive Colors at Nike.com

Walter's Bakery for Dogs

Ad www.example.com

Artisanal Biscuits and Cakes. Doesn't your dog deserve it?

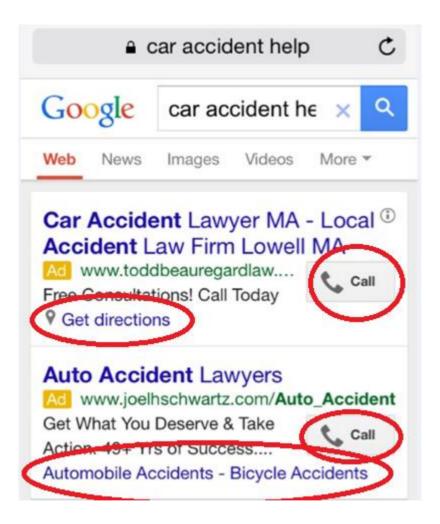
Hours

Specials

Biscuits

Special diets

AD EXTENSIONS



{lpurl}?keyword={keyword}



TRACKING TEMPLATES

Tracking parameters pass information about the click for your account, campaign, or ad group in the tracking template. There are two types of tracking parameters:

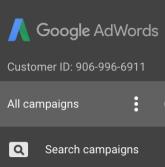
•Custom parameters represent an advertiser-defined value that can be set in the tracking template. For example, you could define {_campaign} = branding or {_campaign} = leads in your campaign's custom parameters and set your account tracking template to {lpurl}?source_campaign = {_campaign} Learn more

•ValueTrack parameters represent the value in a URL parameter (e.g. the "{network}" in the URL parameter "network={network}").

The {network} parameter will record the network the click came from (Search Network or Display Network) in your ad's landing page URL. Learn more

PAID SEARCH

HOW GOOGLE SERVES ADS



All campaigns

GO TO



All time



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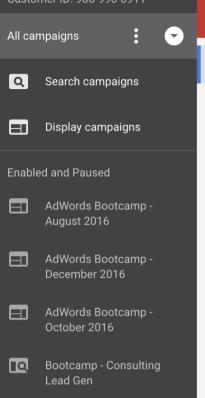






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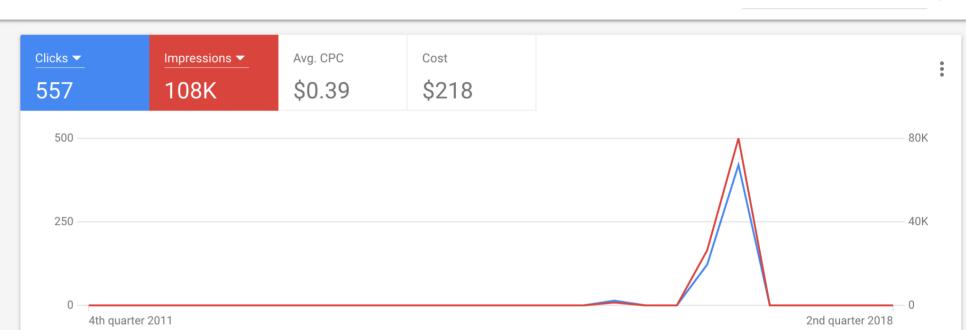
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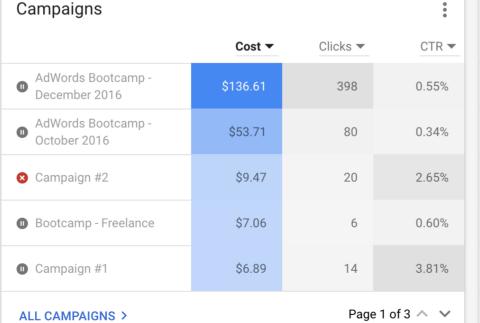
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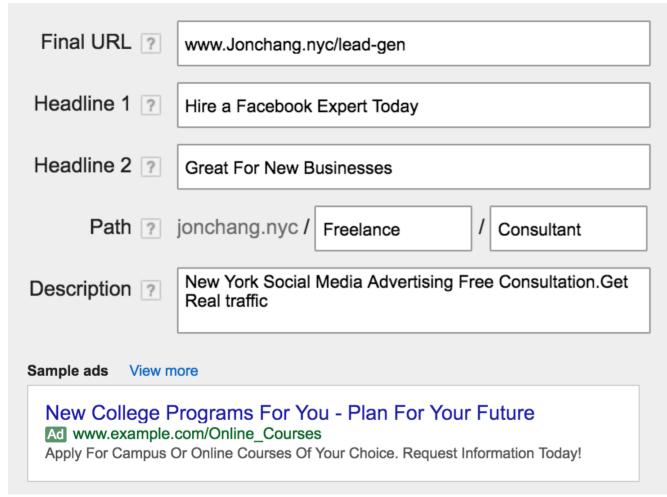
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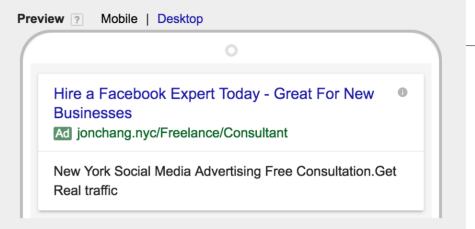
THEN COME ADS

Expanded Text Ads have 5 elements.

- ▶Two headline fields (up to 30 characters each)
- ► A single, expanded description field (up to 80 characters)
- ► A display URL that uses your final URL's domain
- ▶Two optional "Path" fields, used in the ad's display URL (up to 15 characters each)

WRITING ADS





PRO TIPS

- Line 1 should highlight what you're offering, aka the Benefit.
- •Line 2 should include a clear CTA. *Tell me* what I should do!
- If the user's search term appears in your ad, the text will be bolded.
- Most tests indicate that seeing the actual keyword(s) in the ad copy generates higher clickthroughs (hence, dynamic keyword insertion).

AD COPY CONCEPTS

Value

-Affordable

Low cost

-Save on

Include Price

Quality

High quality

-US made

Money back guarantee

Great service assured

Product

Information

Unique selling proposition

→The "only" product

Testimonials

Fred from New York says "great service"

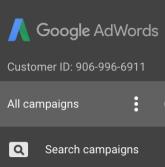
BEST PRACTICES

Do

- Keep in mind limited Real Estate
- Be Specific
- Highlight your Value Prop
- Relate ads to keywords
- Include a Call-to-action
- Take advantage of all characters
- Use a unique display URL
- Maintain strong relationship between Ads and LP's

Don't Do

- Length
- Exaggerated punctuation (only one! allowed)
- ALL CAPS
- Curse words
- The word "click"
- Link to non-owned properties
- Use of trademarked terms



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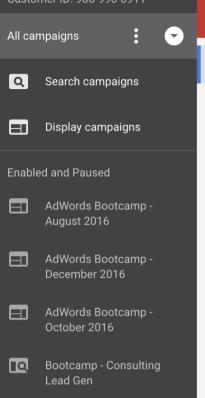






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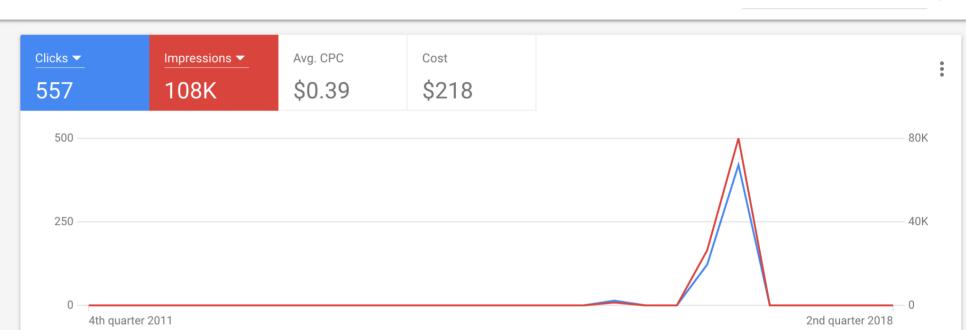
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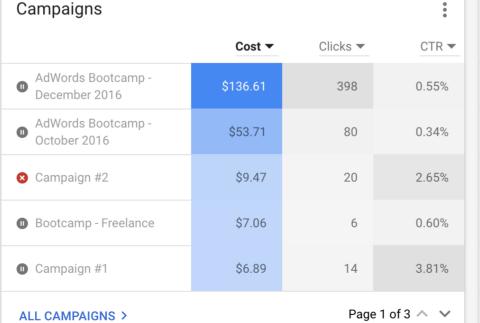
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ACTIVITY



Solo Exercise: BUILD YOUR AD



DIRECTIONS

- 1. Write at least 2 Ads for the objective you identified earlier. Save your Ads to your Ad Group. Give each group a name. These will be your new Ad Groups.
- 2. Pick another Ad Group, and write 4 ads for that AdGroup. Change your approach to better address the keywords, theme, and intent of the keywords contained in your new AdGroup.

DELIVERABLE

6 Ads: 2 in one AdGroup and 4 in another AdGroup

AWARENESS

INTEREST

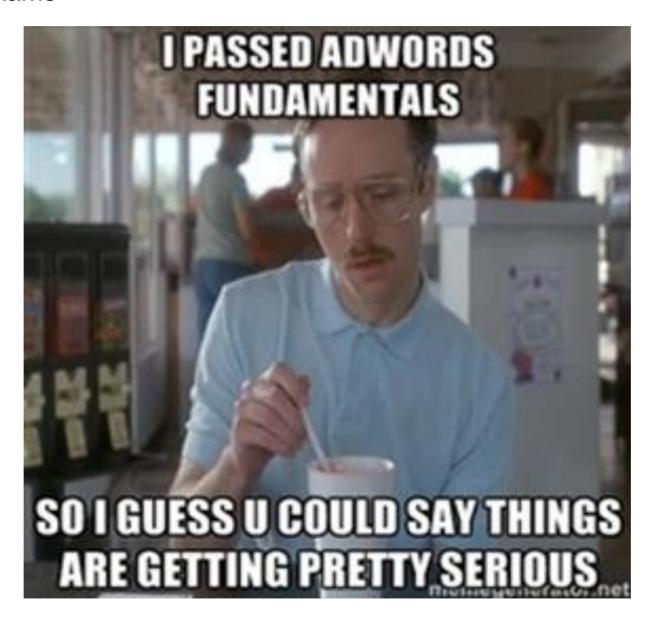
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FURTHER LEARNING (OPTIONAL)

Download AdWords Editor:

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- http://www.google.com/intl/en/adwordseditor/

Example AdWords Questions and Answers

http://coodie.com/adwords-search.php

Read more about AdWords!

http://searchengineland.com/library/google/google-adwords

Sign up for Google Partners

https://support.google.com/partners/answer/3198387

THANK YOU.

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