

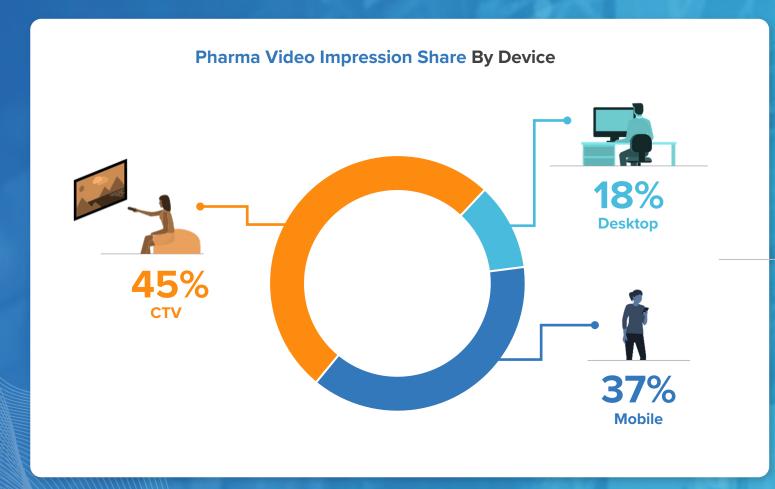
Introduction

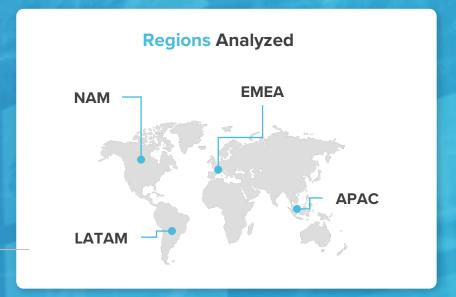
The 100% digital future of television is imminent. Amazon Prime, Apple TV+, Netflix, and other streamers have announced adsupported subscription tiers. Live sports are moving to streaming, and you can bet advertiser dollars will move there as well. Marketers will spend more than \$40 billion on CTV advertising in 2027, according to eMarketer projections.

To help advertisers stay competitive, in the following report Innovid has analyzed 380 billion video advertising impressions across verticals served on our platform between Jan. 1-Dec. 31, 2023. **We have an unprecedented view into streaming viewership** and our data can help Pharma advertisers understand how to connect, engage, and drive outcomes in a media world dominated by CTV.



Overview







Among Pharma advertisers, CTV's share of impressions has **grown by 36%** since 2019



Data Featured In This Report

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Video Completion Rate

Break down the influence that different lengths, devices, and formats have on video completion rate.

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Click-Through Rate

Evaluate the impact that ad length, device, and creative format have on click-through rate.

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Engagement Rate

Dive deep into engagement, gaining insight into how ad length, device, and creative format impacts interaction.

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Average Reach

Compare the average reach seen across all video impressions to how the vertical is approaching reach.

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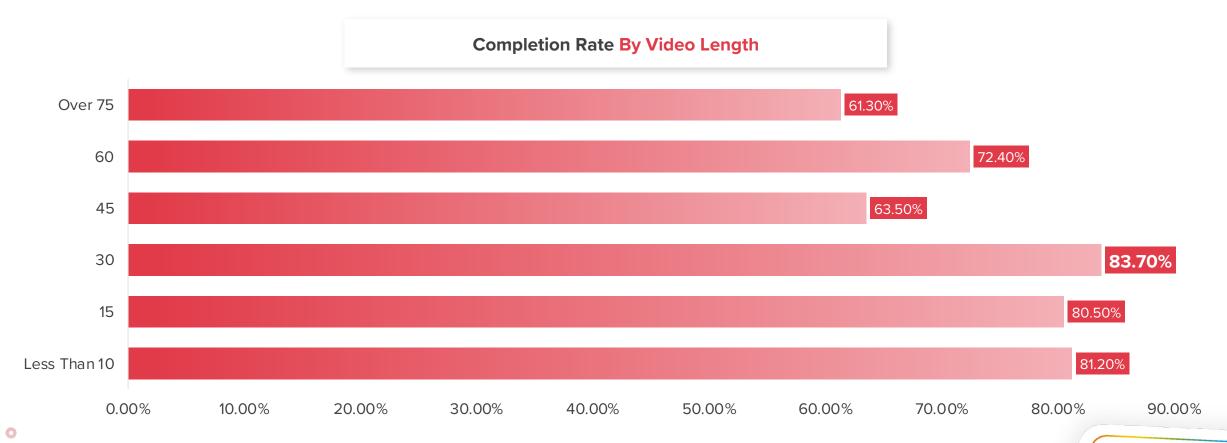
Average Frequency

See the average frequency seen across all video impressions vs. how the vertical is approaching frequency.



Completion Rate By Standard Video Ad Length

Completion Rate, or VCR, is calculated by dividing the total number of impressions by the number of impressions which reached 100% completion and is often considered to be the core metric for video performance. Within the 2023 data for Pharma, we found that 30-second videos performed best among standard videos in terms of completion rate.





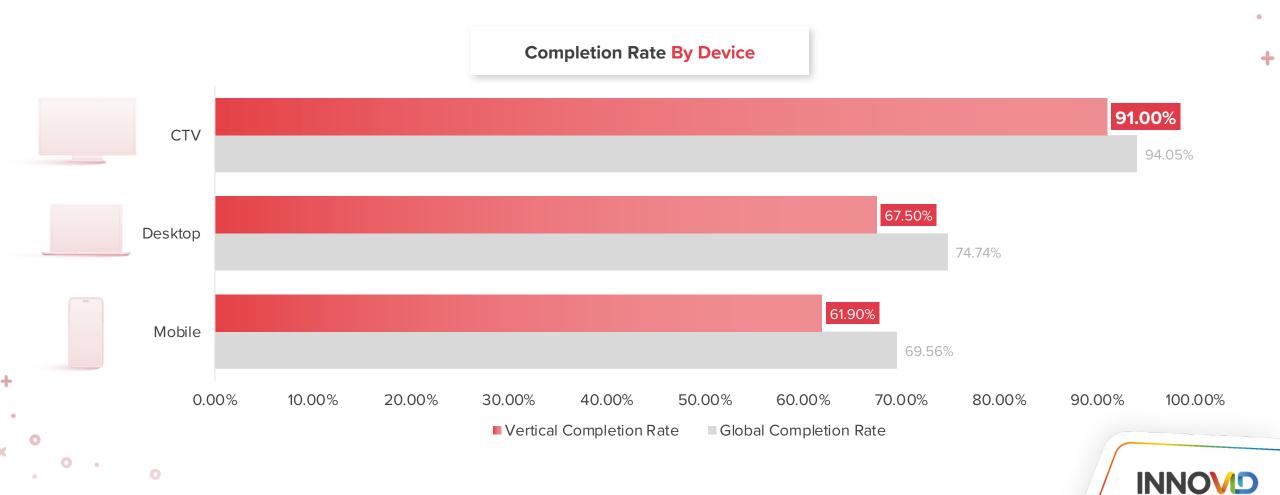
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Completion Rate By Standard Video Device Type

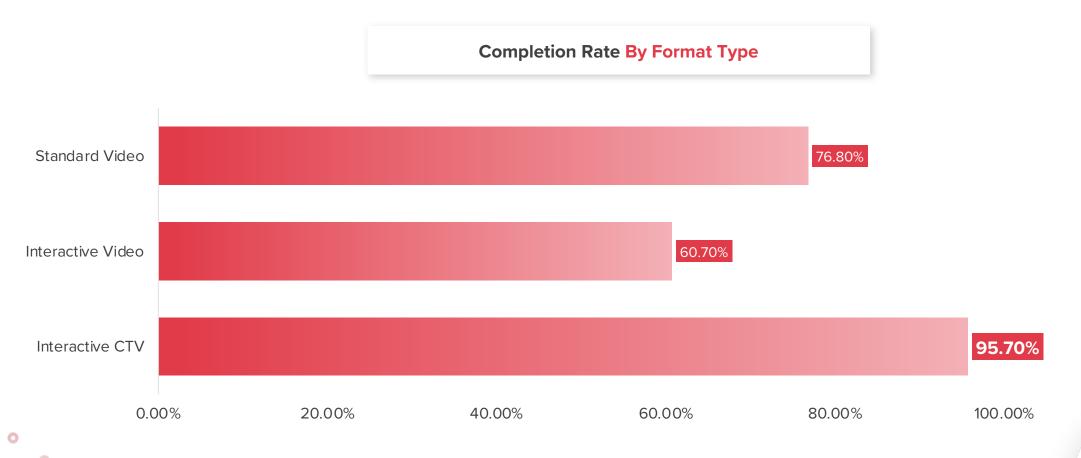
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Completion Rate By Format Type

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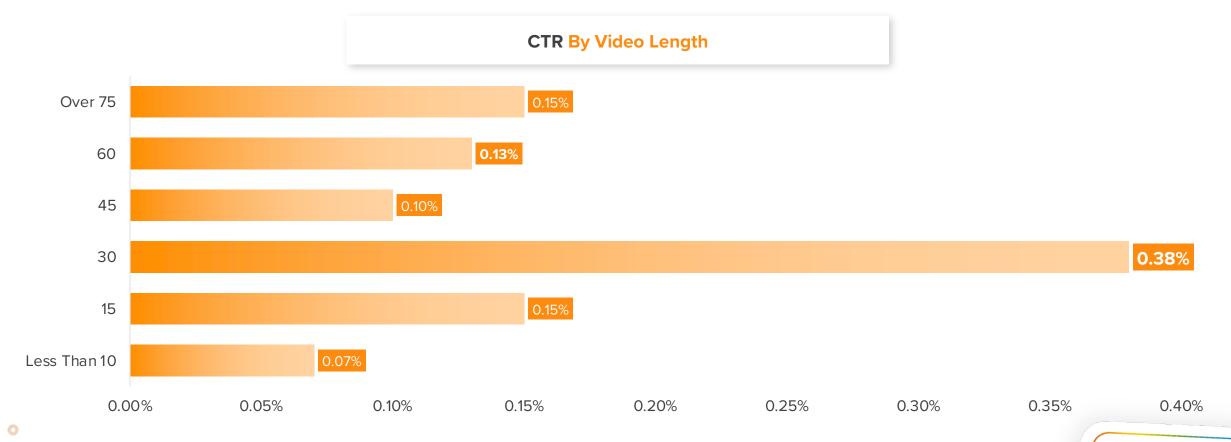




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Click-Through Rate By Standard Video Ad Length

Click-Through Rate, or CTR, is calculated by dividing the total number of impressions by the number of ad impressions that resulted in a click-through to an external new web page. Within the 2023 data for Pharma, we found that 30-second videos massively outperformed other standard videos in terms of CTR.



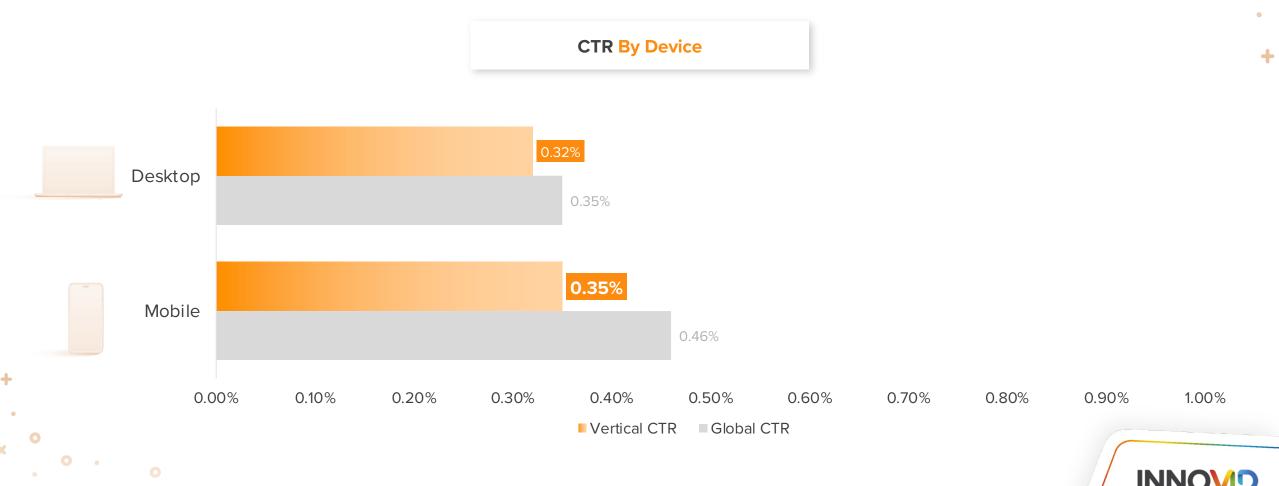


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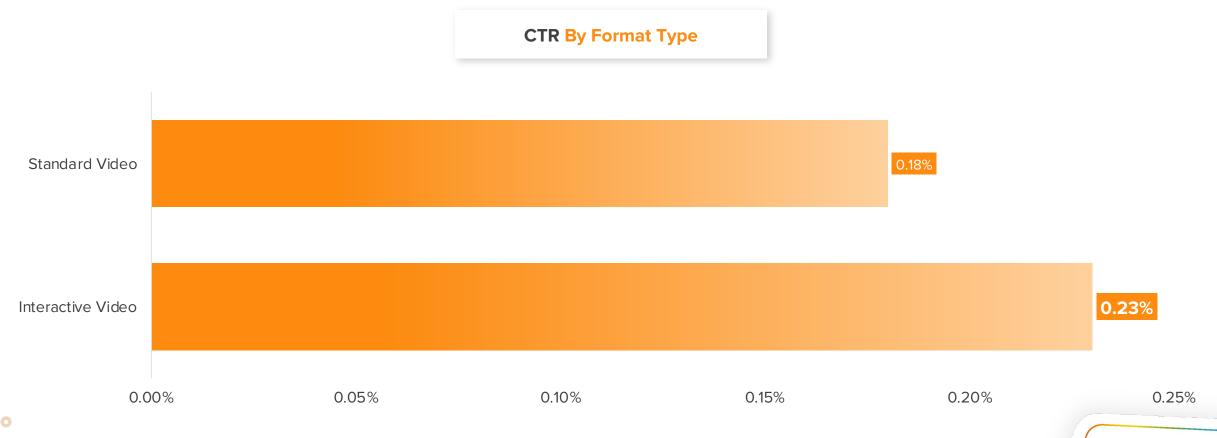
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Click-Through Rate By Format

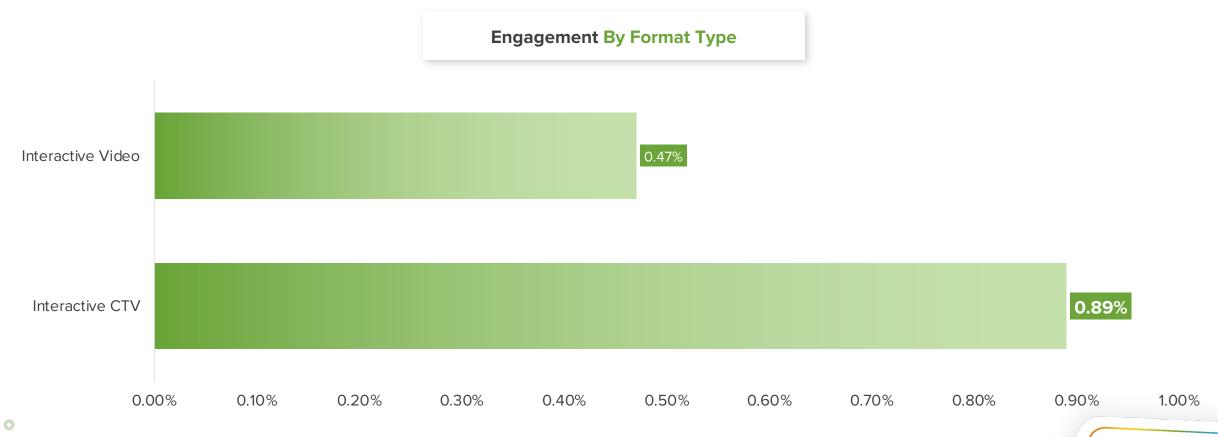
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Engagement Rate By Format

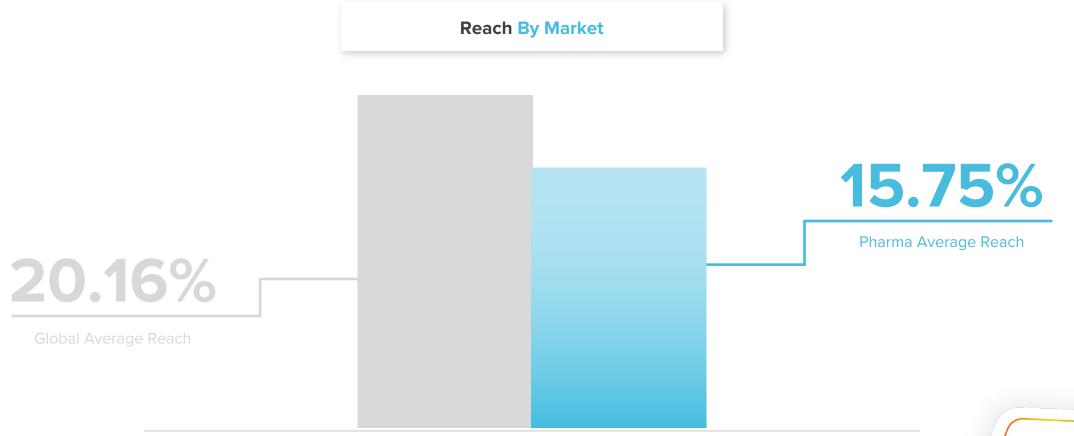
Engagement Rate is calculated by dividing the total number of impressions by the number of impressions which contained at least one user interaction. Interactions range from a user expanding a panel, to clicking through a video gallery, or even taking an in-unit quiz. Within the 2023 data for all Pharma, we found that interactive CTV outperformed other formats for engagement rate.





Average Reach For Pharma Video

Total reach is calculated as the number of unduplicated households that received messaging during a campaign. This metric is de-duplicated, meaning each count is a distinct household. Within the 2023 data for all Pharma, we found that the average reach was lower for the vertical compared to the total global average.





Average Frequency For Pharma Video

Frequency is the average number of times a single household was exposed to messaging during the campaign. This is calculated as Impressions divided by Total Reach. Within the 2023 data for all Pharma, we found that the average frequency was lower for the vertical when compared against the total global average.

Frequency By Market







Pharma Global Frequency



Case Study HAL≡ON

Haleon Deploys Personalisation Infrastructure For Greater Relevance and Efficiency

Goal

The team at Haleon wanted to leverage dynamic creative optimisation (DCO) technology to drive deeper personal connections and scale those ad experiences across video and display. They identified Voltaren's different audience profiles as a prime opportunity to match segmentation with relevant messaging in a quick, replicable fashion.

Approach

Trainings were coordinated across teams to gain alignment on timelines, roles, and responsibilities. Innovid's Composer Suite was used as a conduit to the design tools the team was already using. After 5 base frameworks were created, Innovid's rendering engine went to work, building 343 unique creative versions in less than an hour. With the help of a publisher macro, Haleon's messaging was aligned with audience targeting and deployed across video and display.

- Align teams regularly with syncs and responsibility mapping when efficiency is the name of the game. This helps reduce time spent waiting between the steps to launch a campaign.
- Create even more time savings by using Innovid's Composer Suite to author and map dynamic creative in the tools designers already know.
- Strengthen cross-platform insights through the flexibility of DCO. Messaging strategy can be easily tested and honed against a campaign's performance KPI, then shared across all owned properties.

Results

94% Increase In Video Clickthrough Rate (CTR) vs. Brand Benchmarks

2.5x

Better CTR on YouTube For DCO Video Compared To Standard

1.6x

Improved Display CTR Through Inflight Optimisations



Methodology

Innovid analyzed almost 380 billion video advertising impressions served on our platform between January 1 and December 31, 2023. Researchers examined mobile, desktop, CTV devices, and social platforms to compile the most complete picture of video advertising available in terms of benchmarks and insights across the globe. Across reach and frequency performance, researchers studied the top CTV advertisers across all their campaigns with at least 1 million CTV impressions.



Key Terms To Know

Standard Video: A standard promotional video message that plays before the content the user has selected, also known as pre-roll video.

Standard Display: A standard promotional banner served across digital inventory.

Dynamic Display: A form of advertising technology that uses data to inform and optimize creative elements and messages such as copy, pictures, backgrounds, video, animation, and interactive elements in banner ads.

Dynamic Video: A form of advertising technology that uses data to inform and optimize creative elements and messages such as copy, pictures, backgrounds, video, animation, and interactive elements in video ads.

Interactive Video: An Interactive experience such as an overlay, branded canvas, or expanded unit that runs across desktop and mobile devices.

Interactive CTV: An Interactive and/or Dynamic TV experience such as an overlay, branded canvas, or expand unit that runs across connected TV.

Reach: The number of unduplicated households that received messaging during a campaign.

Frequency: The average number of times a single household was exposed to messaging during a campaign.

Advanced Creative: Premium ad formats that include Dynamic and/or Interactive components.

Connected TV (CTV): A TV that is connected to the internet, whether natively or by a device, that is primarily used to stream video content. This includes smart TVs, gaming consoles (e.g., Xbox, PlayStation) and devices (e.g., Roku, Apple TV, Amazon Fire Stick).



About Innovid

Innovid (NYSE: CTV) powers advertising delivery, personalization, and measurement across connected TV, linear, and digital for the world's largest brands. Through a global infrastructure that enables cross-platform ad serving, data-driven creative, and measurement, Innovid offers its clients always-on intelligence to optimize advertising investment across channels, platforms, screens, and devices. Innovid is an independent platform that leads the market in converged TV innovation, through proprietary technology and exclusive partnerships designed to reimagine TV advertising. Headquartered in New York City, Innovid serves a global client base through offices across the Americas, Europe, and Asia Pacific.

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