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## Wellington Commercial Radio Ratings - Survey 2 2021

The New Zealand Commercial Radio Industry released the S2 2021 GfK Radio Audience Data into the market today, showing New Zealand radio audiences at an all time high. More than 3.7 million New Zealanders were listening to radio every week and over 3.5 million of those listen to commercial radio stations.

"The radio industry continues to maintain a strong role in our local media mix – it's more critical than ever for our stories to be told, and to be told by the very best broadcasters in Aotearoa. Commercial radio will continue to contribute the most engaging content for all New Zealanders, including for our audiences and commercial partners. From news and sport to music and entertainment, radio is becoming more accessible across more devices than ever before." said NZME CEO Michael Boggs.

MediaWorks CEO & RBA Chair Cam Wallace says it's fantastic to see radio listening remain resilient as New Zealand, and the radio industry continues to move through COVID-19.

"With borders still largely closed, localisation has never been more important. This survey clearly demonstrates the hunger Kiwis have for engaging and entertaining radio content, as well as the effectiveness of radio to drive results for advertisers."

# TOTAL RADIO LISTENING

**3.76 million people or 83%** of New Zealanders aged 10+, listen to radio each week in Survey 2 2021.



83%

of the New Zealand population aged 10+ tune in to radio each week

# **COMMERCIAL RADIO LISTENING**

# Total NZ\_

**78%** 

of the New Zealand population aged 10+ tune in to commercial radio each week

### 3.51 million people or 78%

of New Zealanders aged 10+, listen to commercial radio each week in Survey 2 2021. This is an increase of approximately 46,600 people aged 10+ on Survey 1 2021.



On average Total NZ listeners tune in for

15 hours 42 minutes of commercial radio each week\*



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Wellington<sup>^</sup>

of the Wellington population aged 10+ tune in to commercial radio each week

# 248,300 or 64% of people

in Wellington aged 10+, listen to commercial radio each week in Survey 2 2021.



On average Wellington listeners tune in for

13 hours 28 minutes

of commercial radio each week\*

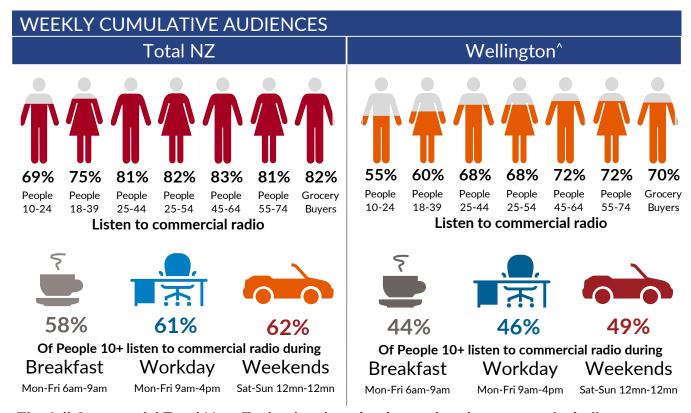
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