EMBARGOED UNTIL 1PM (NZST) THURS JUL 15 2021





Christchurch 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

Jan St.

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*



Christchurch[^]

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

394,800 or 78% of people

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



On average Christchurch listeners tune in for

16 hours 18 minutes

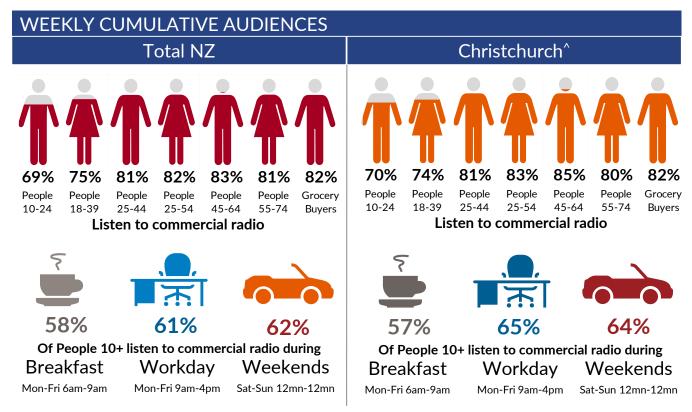
of commercial radio each week*

GfK RAM S2/21, Total NZ, Cume %, People 10+, Mon-Sun 12mn-12mn (Unless otherwise stated). ^CHRISTCHURCH *Time Spent Listening. All figures are based on commercial radio unless otherwise stated.





GfK Christchurch Commercial Radio Ratings | Survey 2 2021



The full <u>Commercial Total New Zealand</u> and <u>market by market</u> data reports including demographic and daypart information can be found by <u>clicking here</u>.

For more information, please contact:

Jana Rangooni, or Johan Haupt,
Chief Executive, Senior Account Manager, Radio, GfK

Radio Broadcasters Association Mob: 027 5677 333,

Mob: 021 2 446617, jana@rba.co.nz

Mob: 021 2 446617, jana@rba.co.nz

Johan.haupt@gfk.com

About GfK

GfK is the trusted source of relevant market and consumer information that enables its clients to make smarter decisions. More than 13,000 market research experts combine their passion with GfK's long-standing data science experience. This allows GfK to deliver vital global insights matched with local market intelligence from more than 100 countries. By using innovative technologies and data sciences, GfK turns big data into smart data, enabling its clients to improve their competitive edge and enrich consumers' experiences and choices.

For more information, please visit www.gfk.com or follow GfK on Twitter: https://twitter.com/GfK

Responsible under press legislation: Rekha Indiran Marcom Manager, South East Asia and Pacific Rekha Indiran@gfk.com