



Branded Content Marketing Association & Contentworx

'Milestone' Attitudinal Consumer Study





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Introduction

- As a barometer of the changing attitudes towards branded content, the BCMA commissioned a wide ranging survey of 'milestone' questions to establish a benchmark level for branded content activity
- This will form the basis of any on-going measures to initiate trend data for the sector in the future and to understand how attitudes towards advertising are rapidly changing





Survey Parameters

- The study focused mainly on those brands that had already been active in producing branded content campaigns
- They were asked whether people were aware of this activity and whether they had engaged with the brand on that basis
- Following this they were asked whether they preferred the company to undertake this type of activity compared to traditional advertising





Methodology

- The survey was devised by branded content specialist contentworx in partnership with the BCMA
- The on-line survey consisted of 60,000 adults aged 18+ (one of the largest commercial surveys ever undertaken)
- Data was collated by NewVista (part of ICM Research)





Executive Summary (1)

- Over one-third of certain groups were sceptical about brands that advertised regularly in a traditional way
- Only around one-tenth trusted brands that advertised in a traditional way
- Orange Wednesdays, Tesco Race for Life, Pepsimax Download Show and Carling Live scored highest in terms of awareness and generally in terms of participation
- Heinz Dinner Doctors, Bupa Health Show, B&Q DIY Show, BMW Films and Nokia Fashion House scored lowest





Executive Summary (2)

- Waitrose and Sainsbury branded customer magazines scored highly for both awareness and participation
- In the overwhelming majority of cases consumers preferred the more innovative approach compared with traditional advertising
- When buying products or services, consumers felt that it was most important that companies were 'efficient or price conscious'
- In most cases it was deemed important for companies to be environmentally conscious



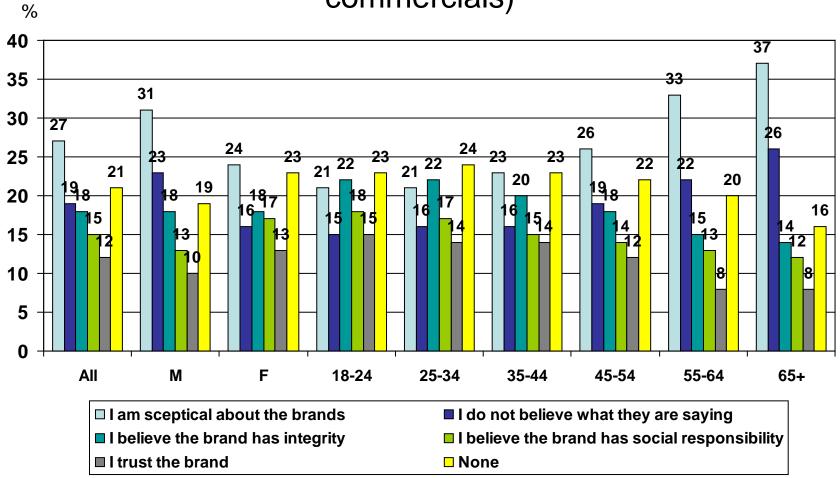


Attitude towards brands that advertise in traditional ways





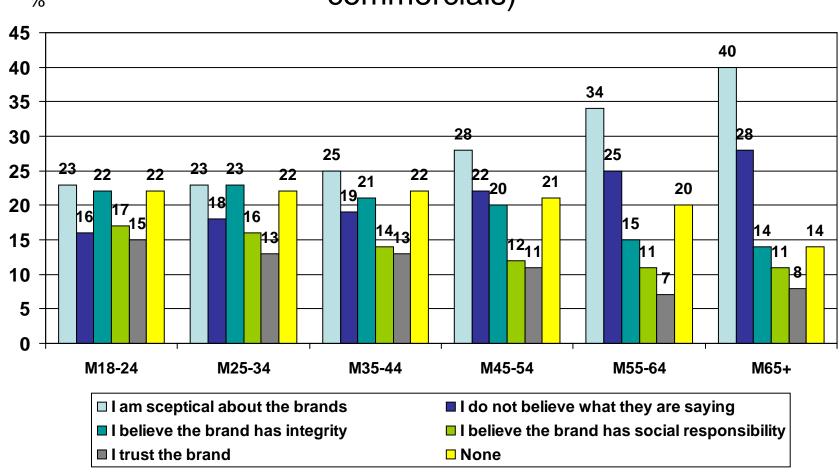
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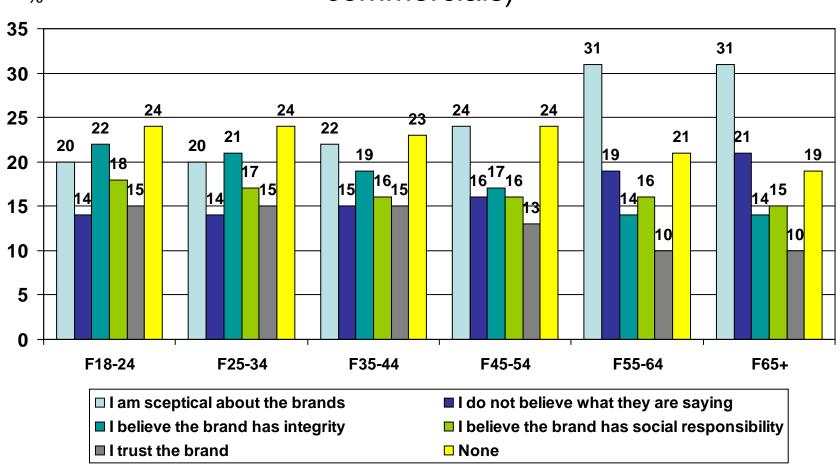
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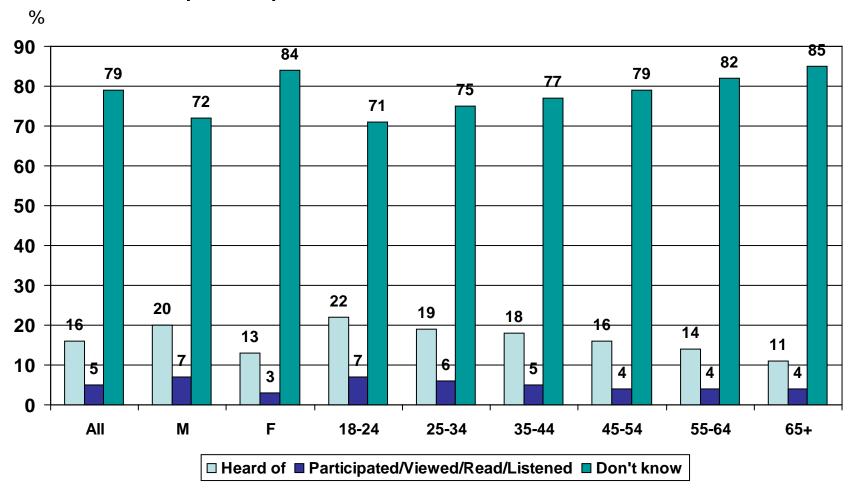


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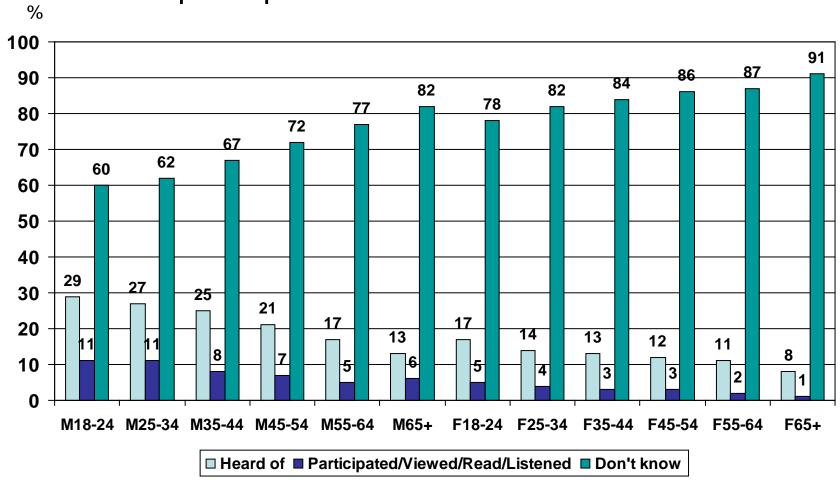
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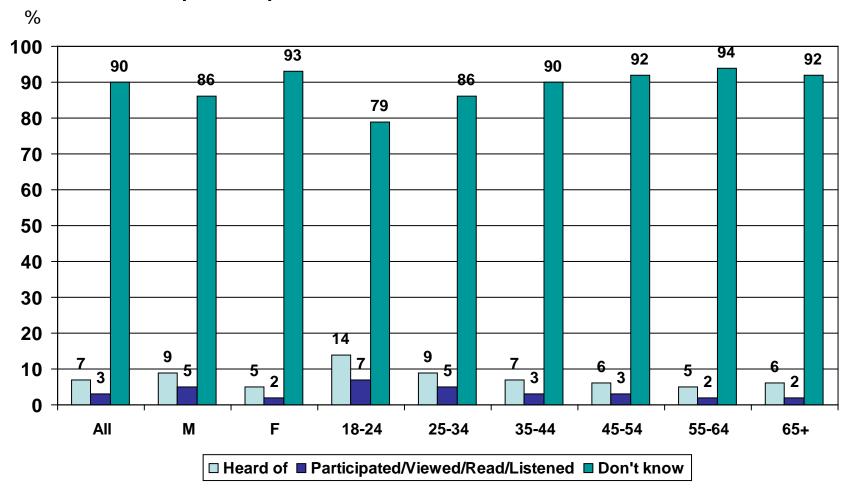
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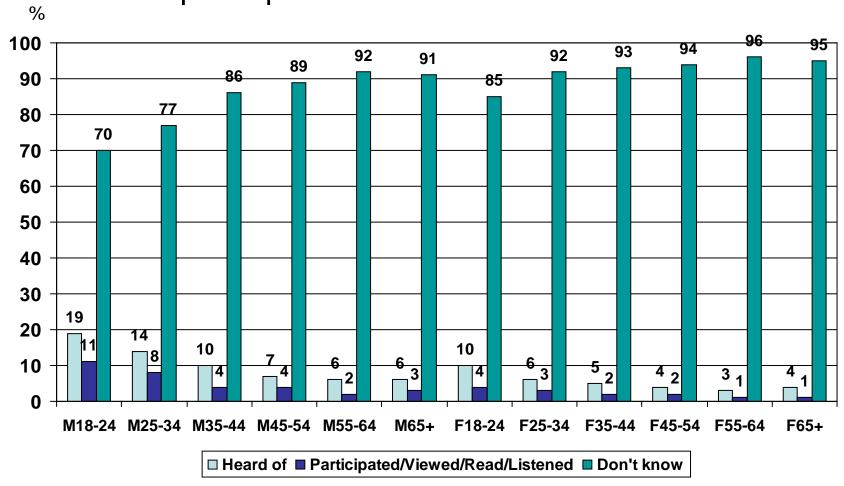
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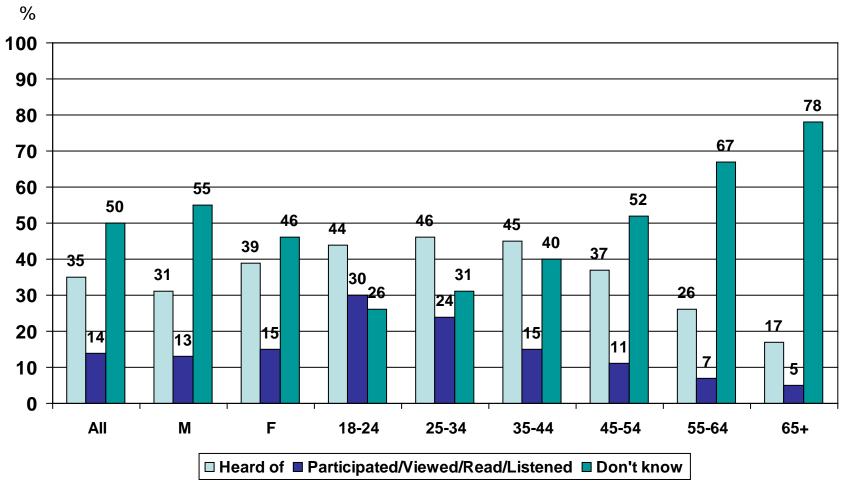
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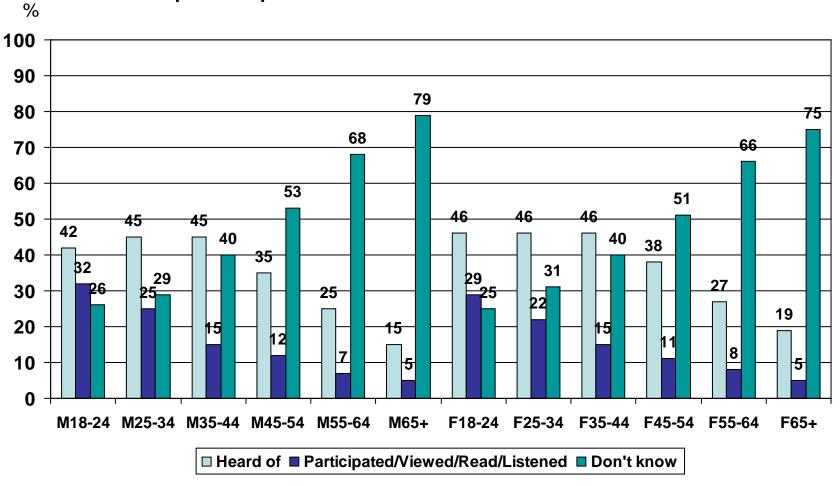
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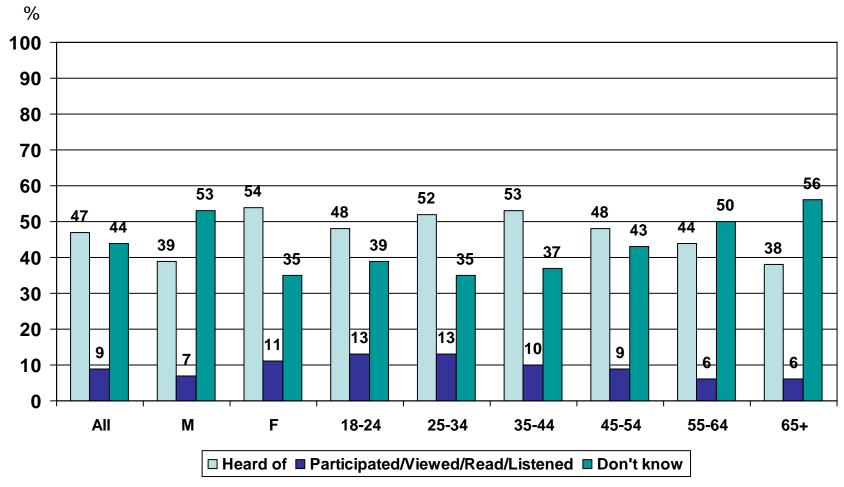
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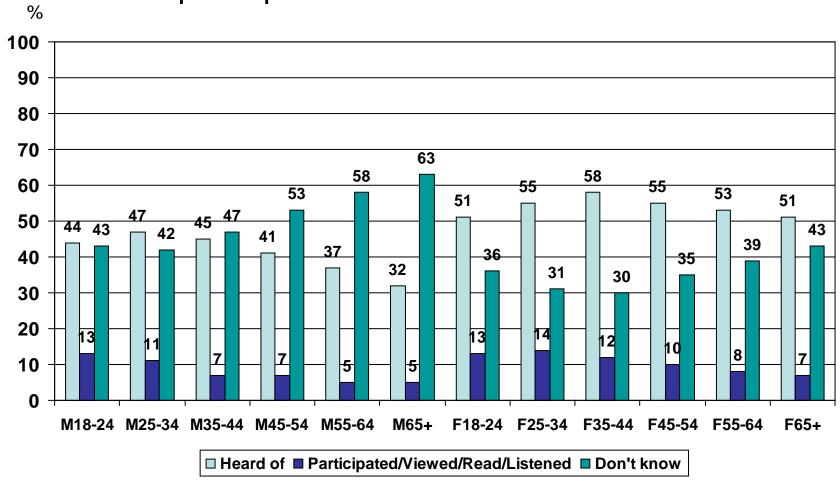
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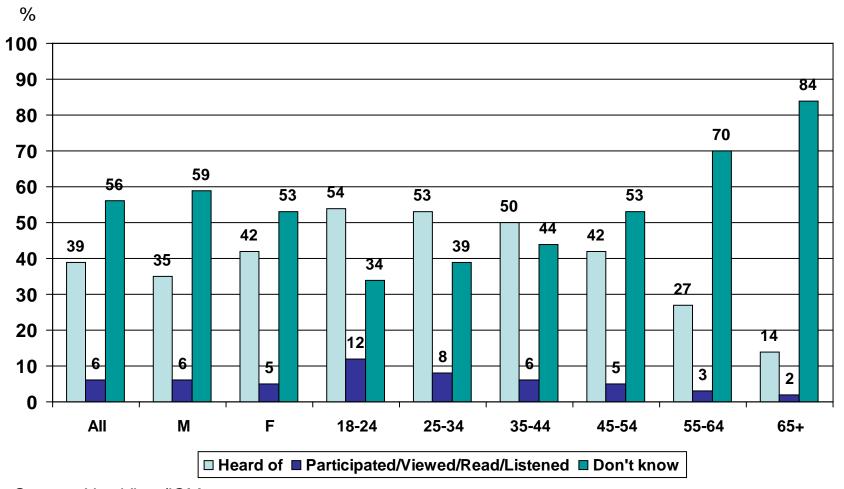
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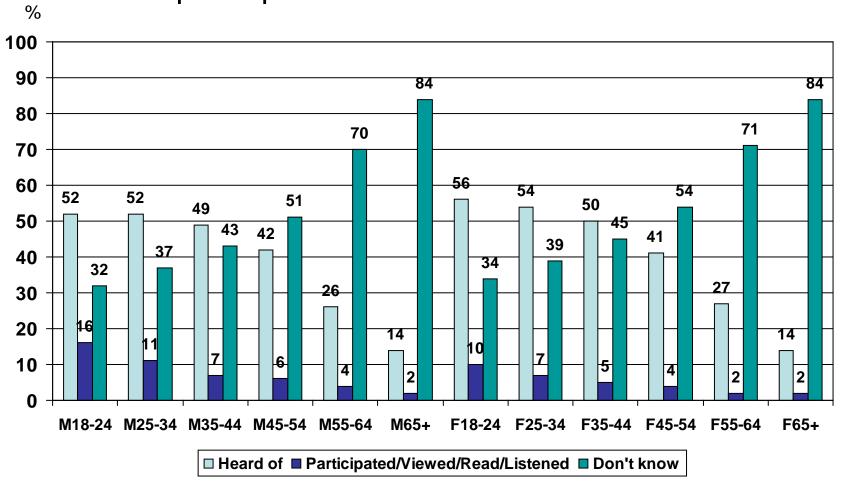
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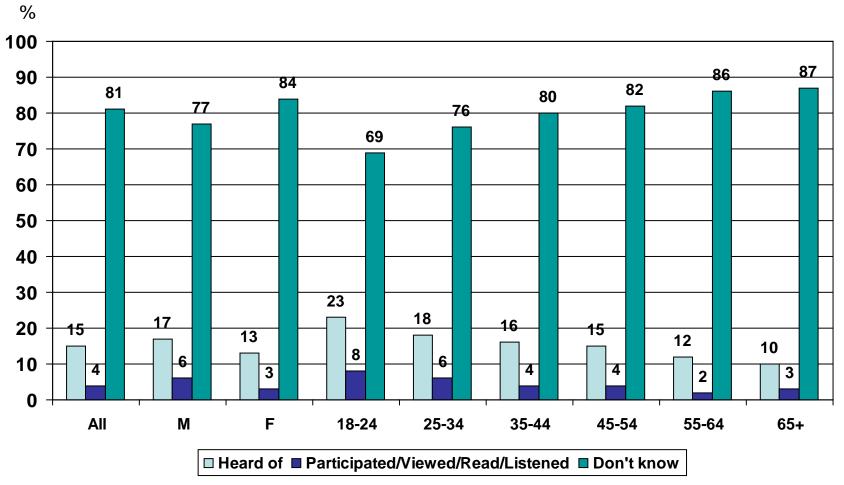
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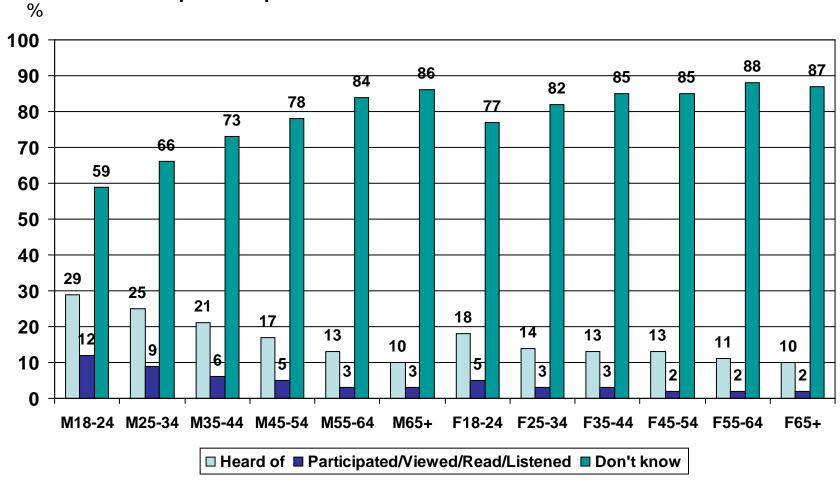
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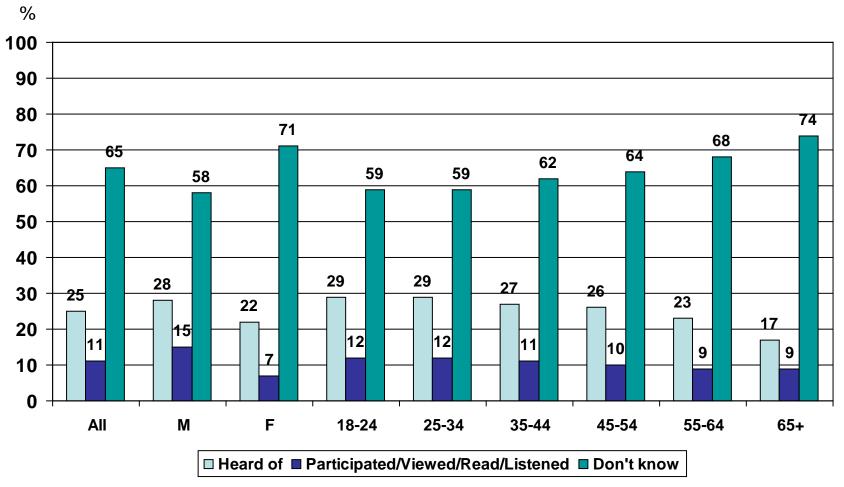
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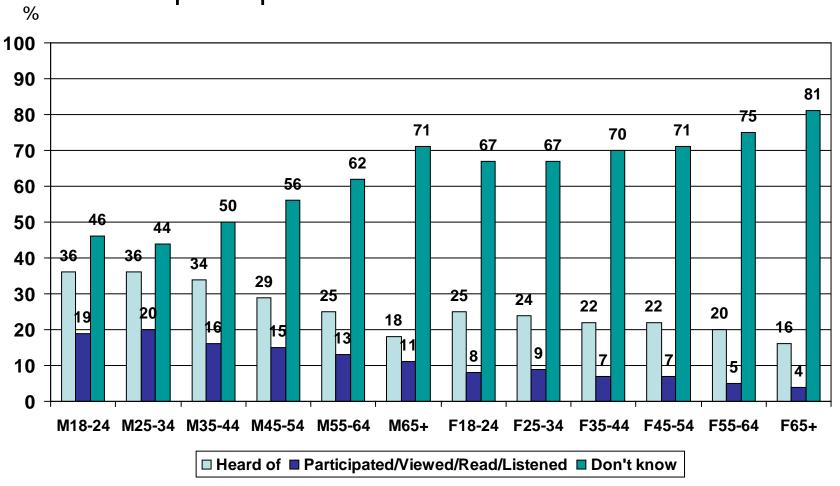
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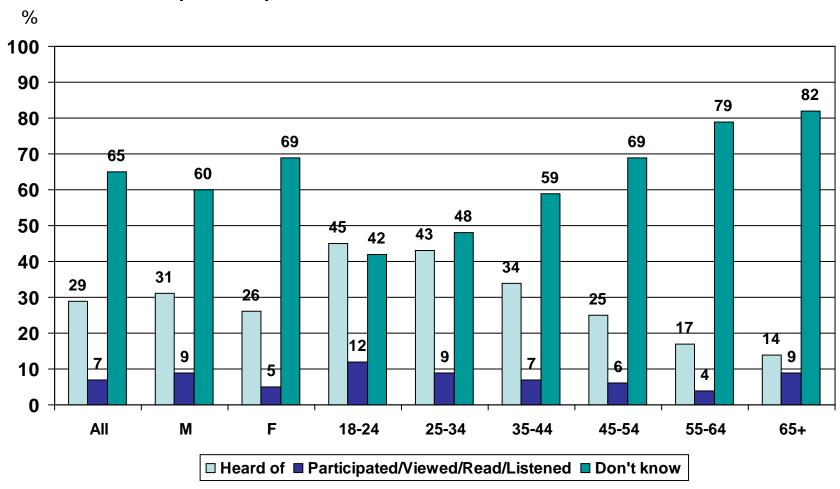
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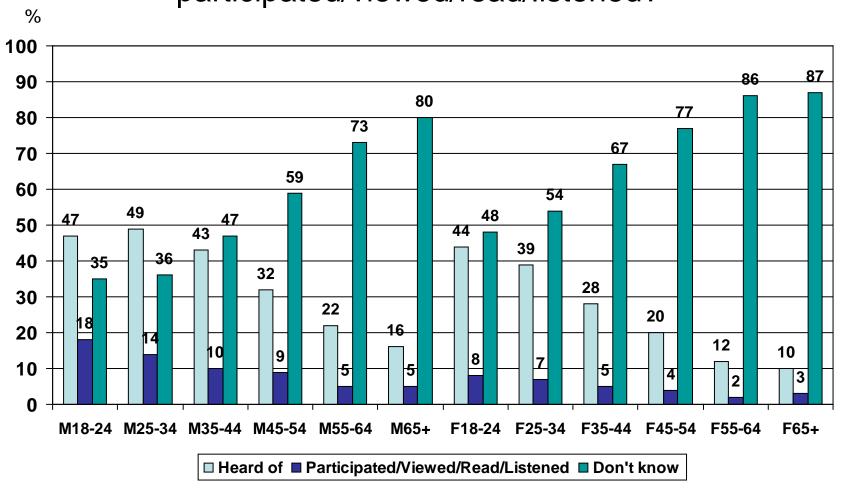
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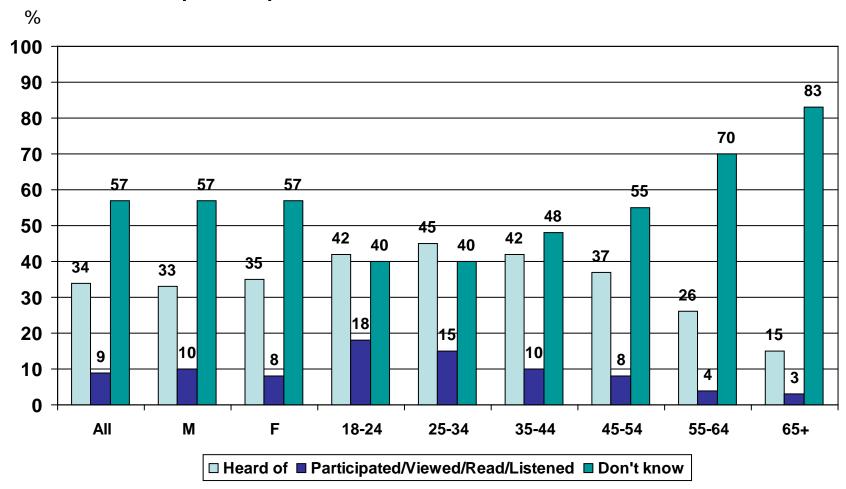
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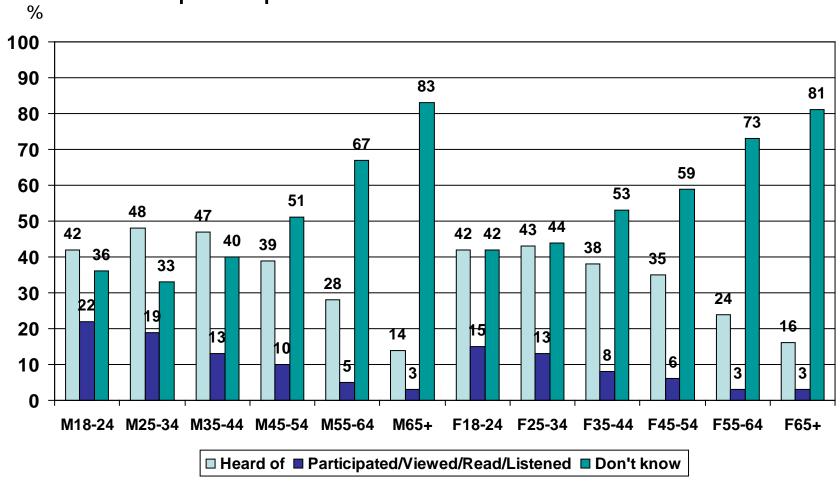
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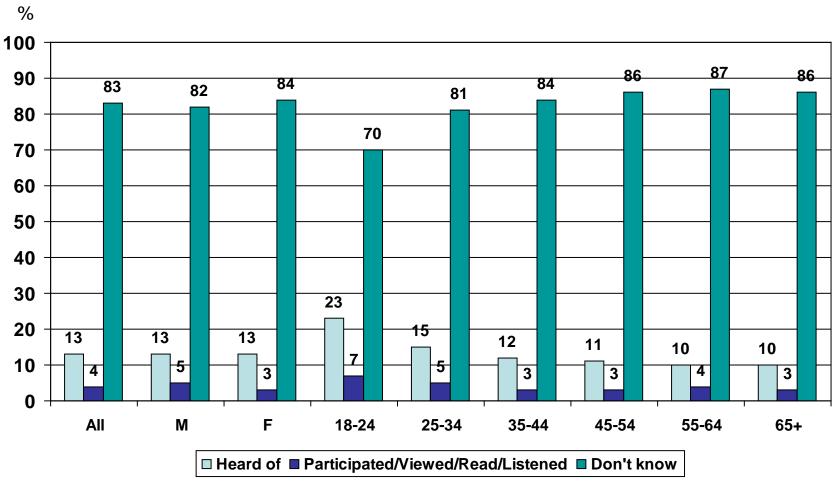
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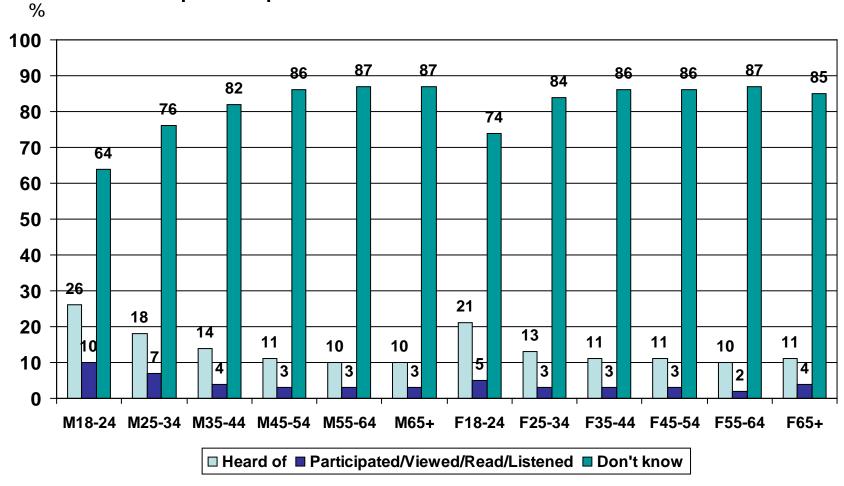
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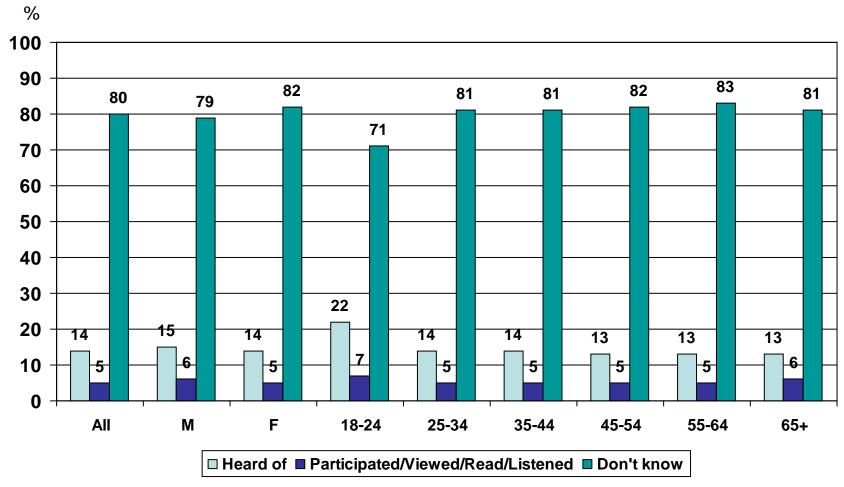
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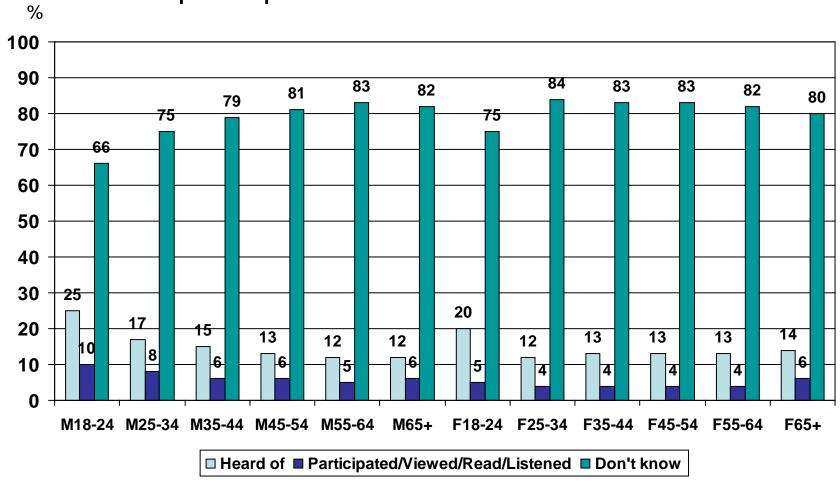
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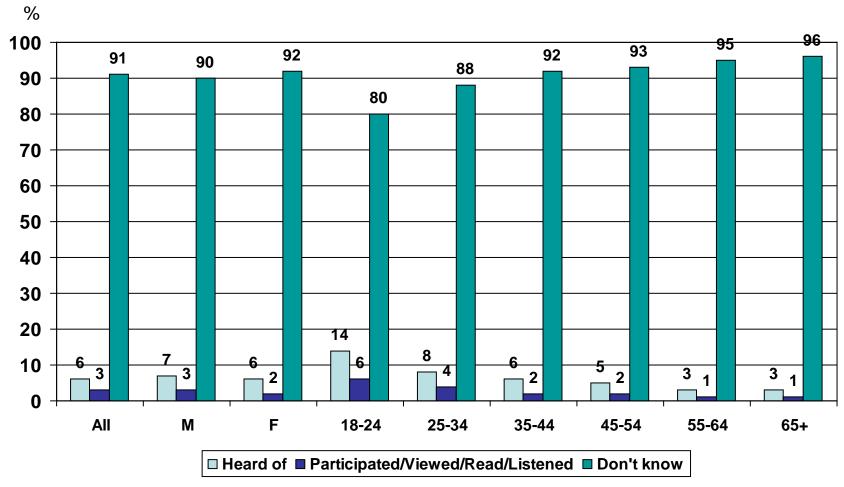
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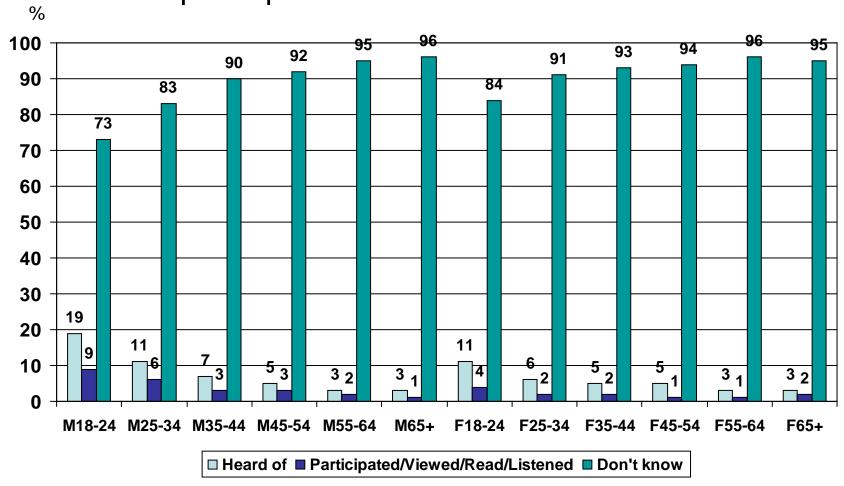
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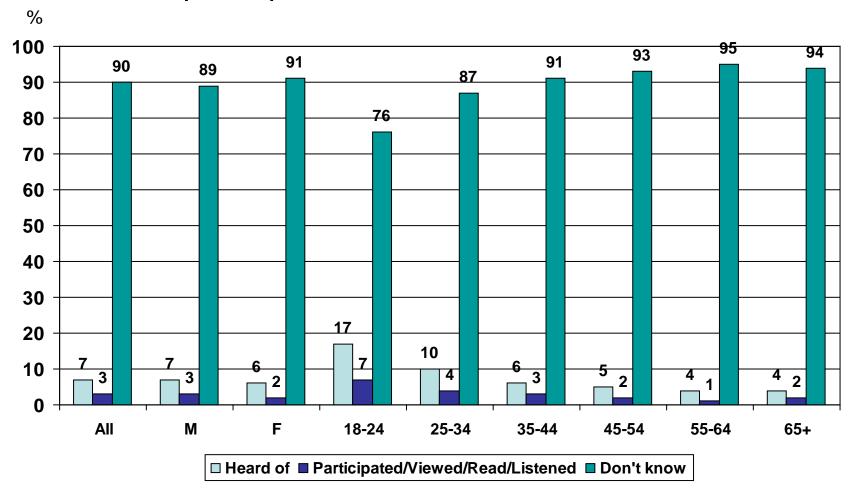
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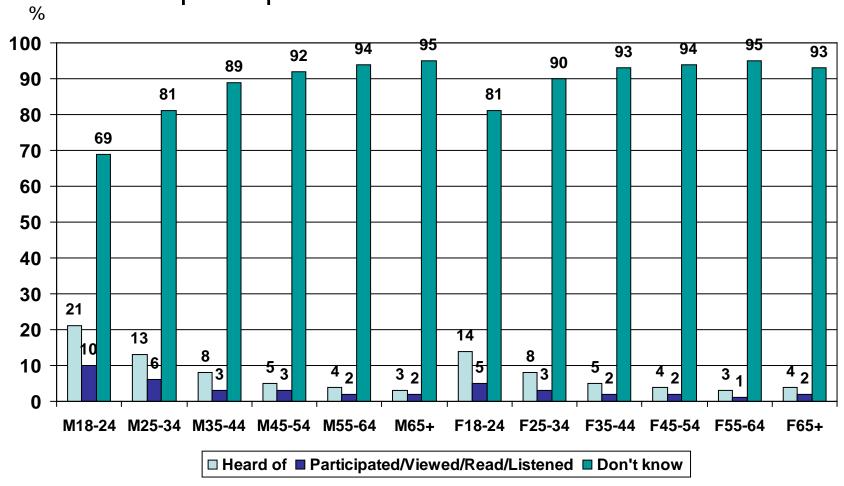
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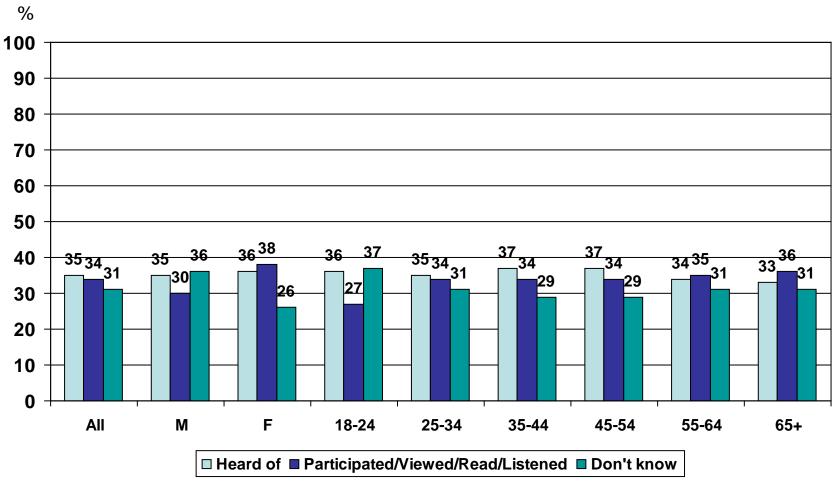
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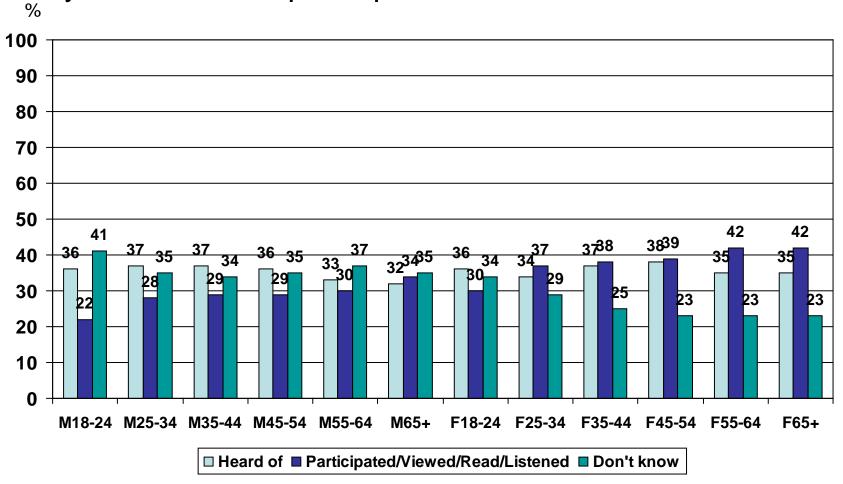
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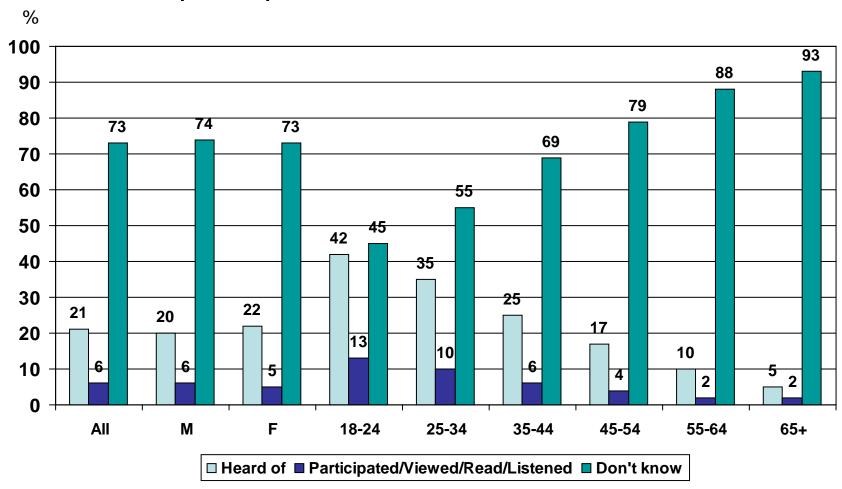
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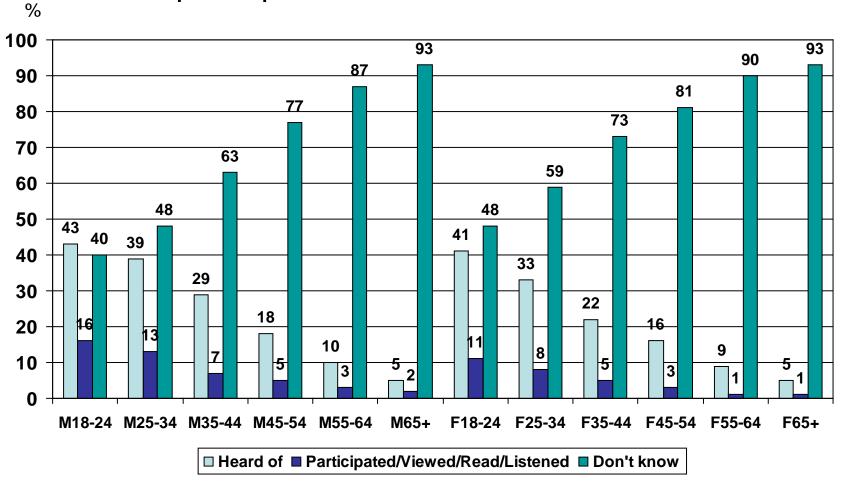
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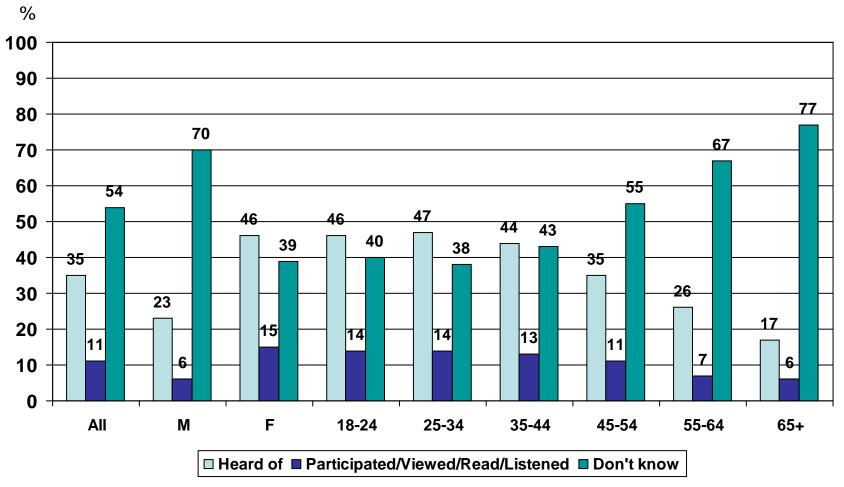
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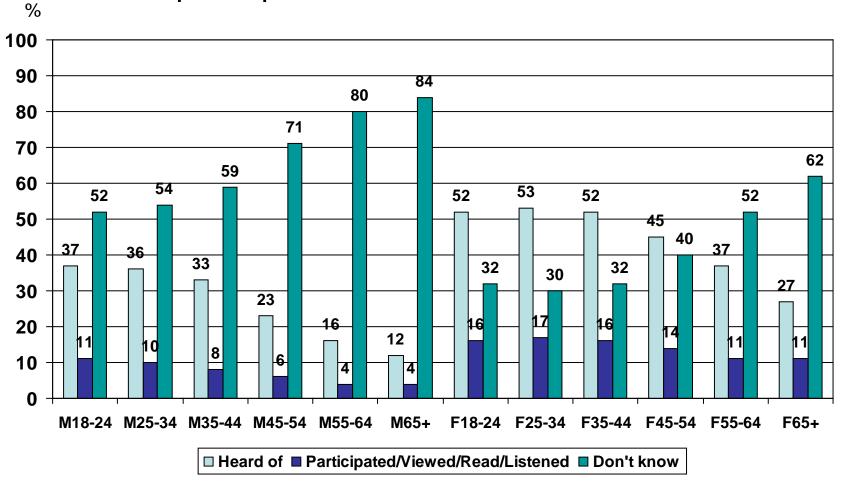
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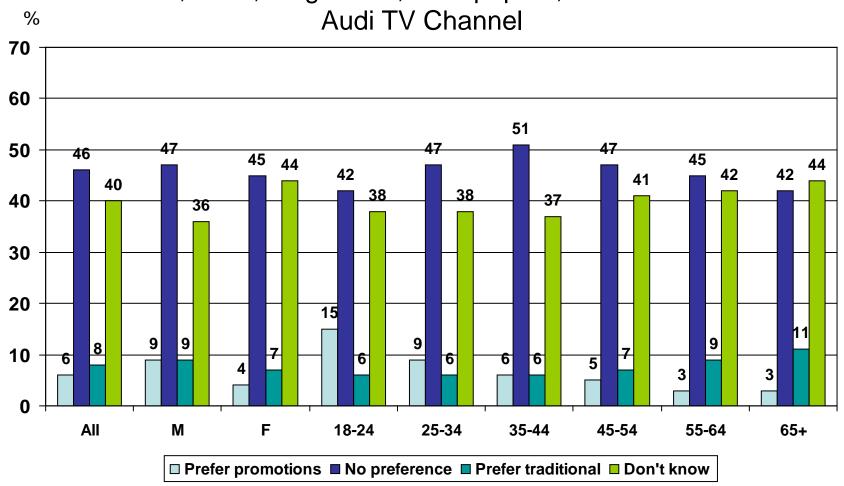




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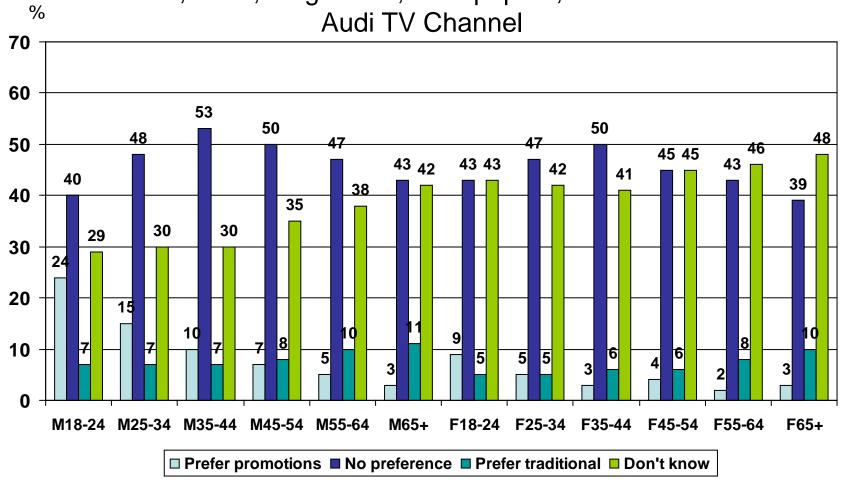






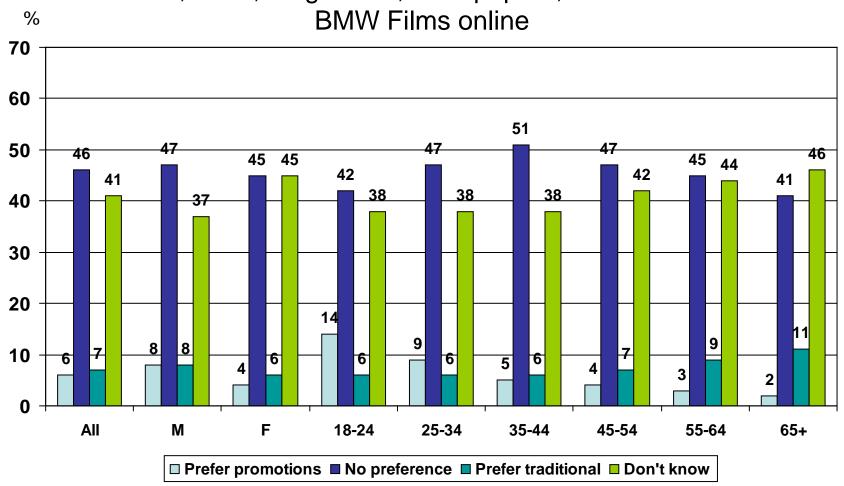






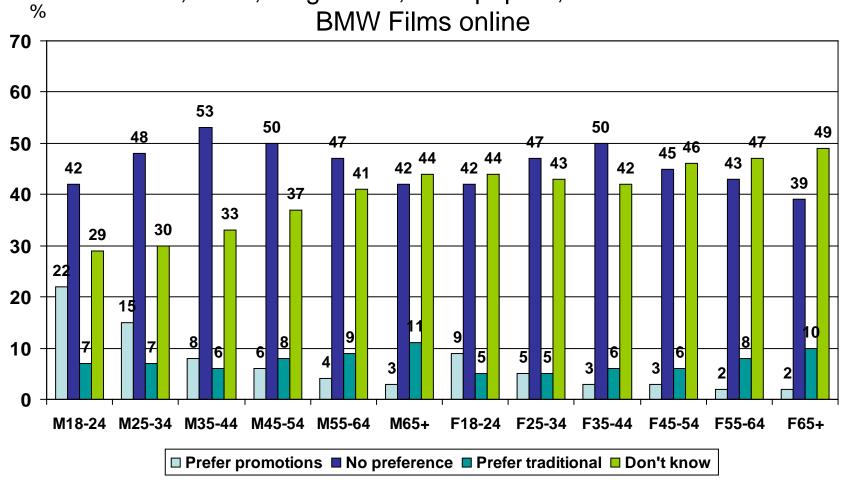






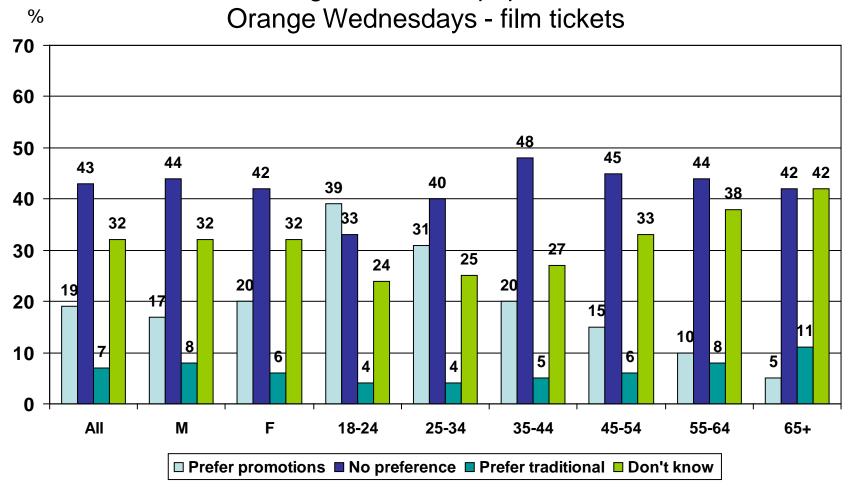






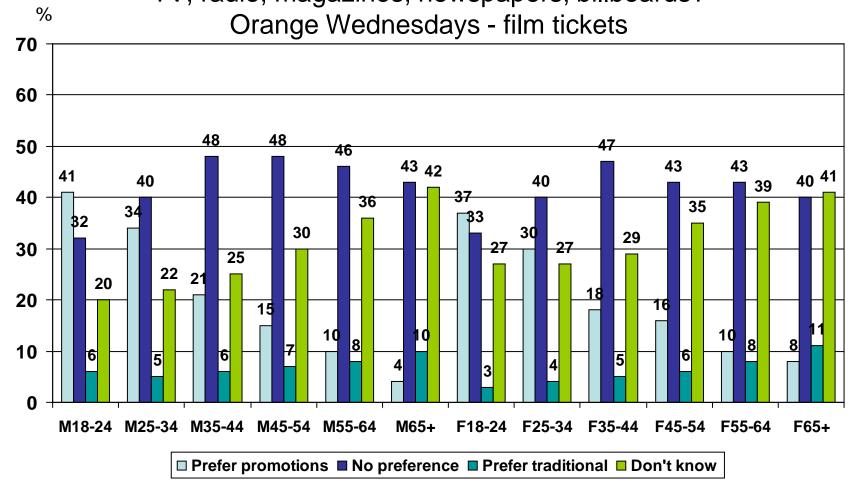






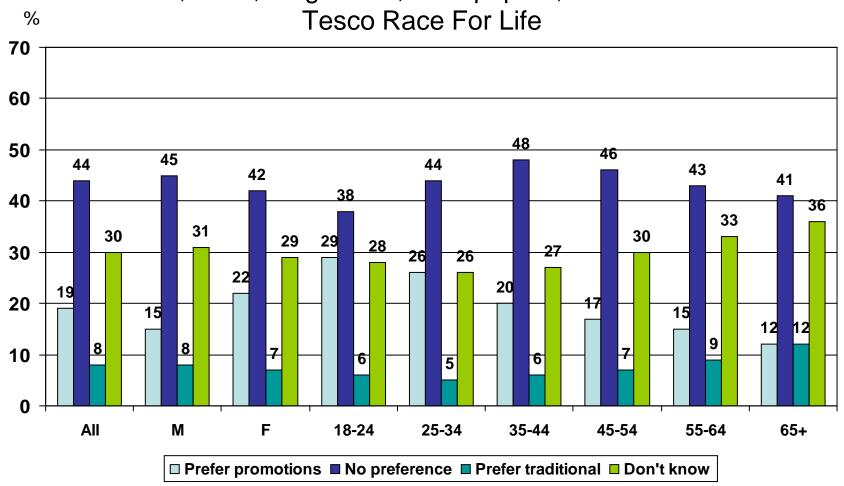






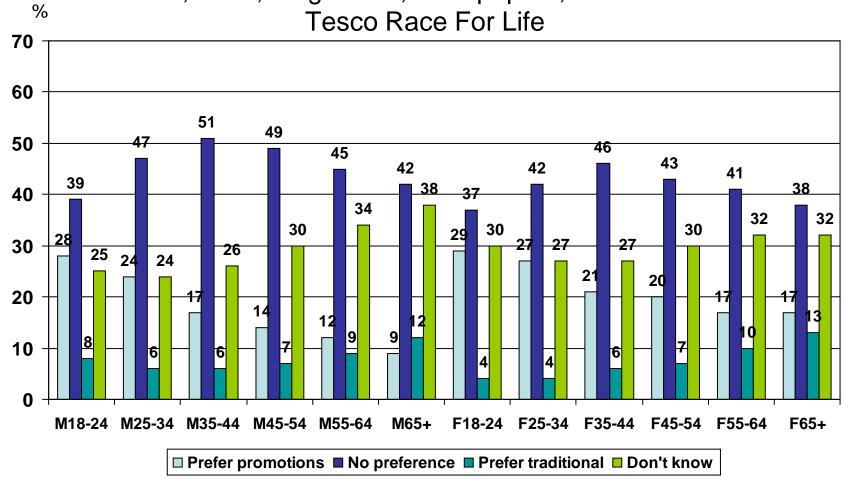






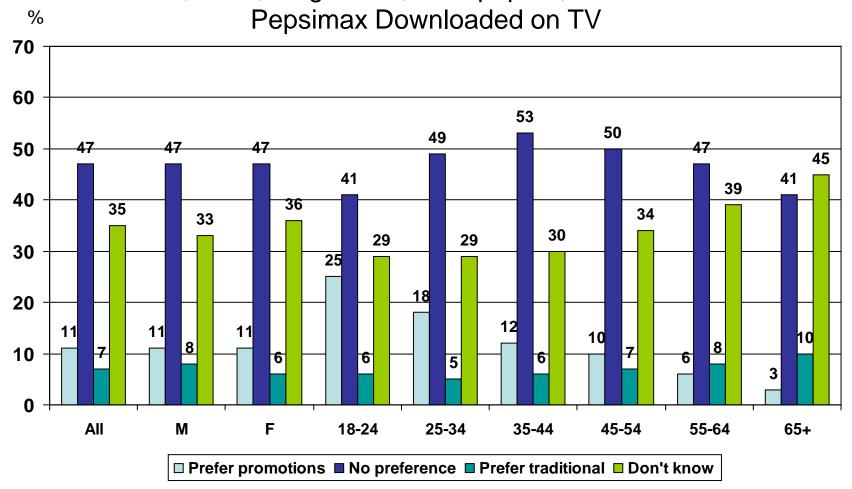






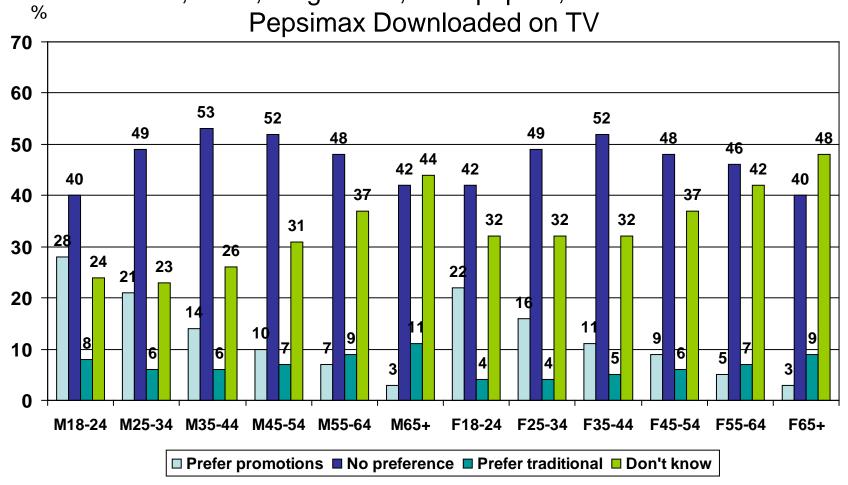






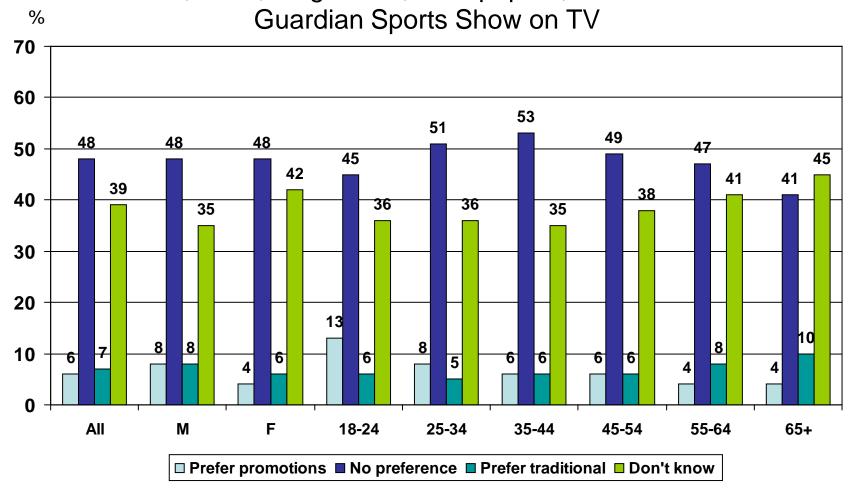






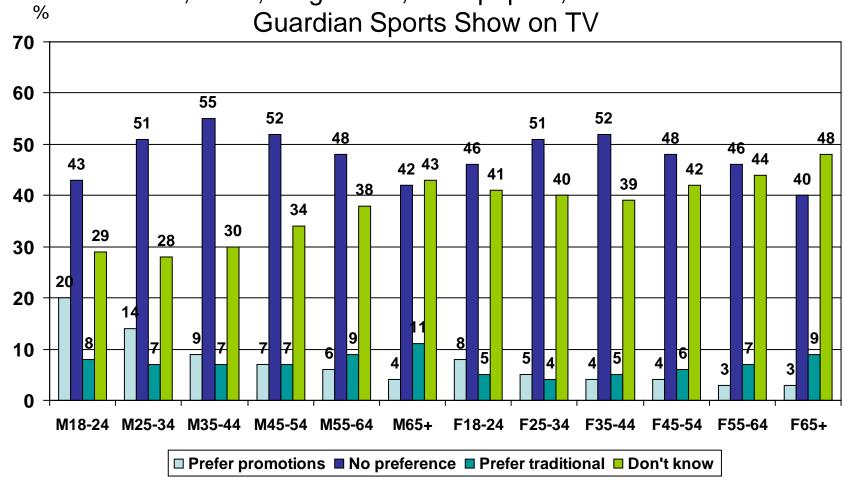






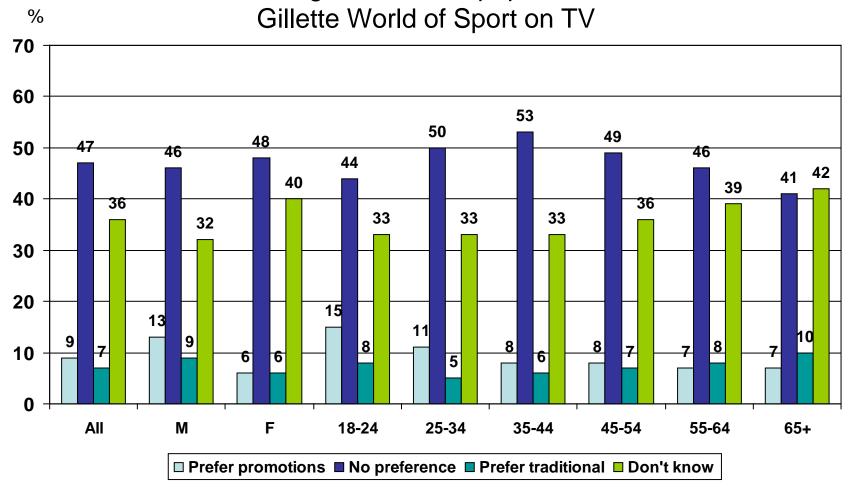






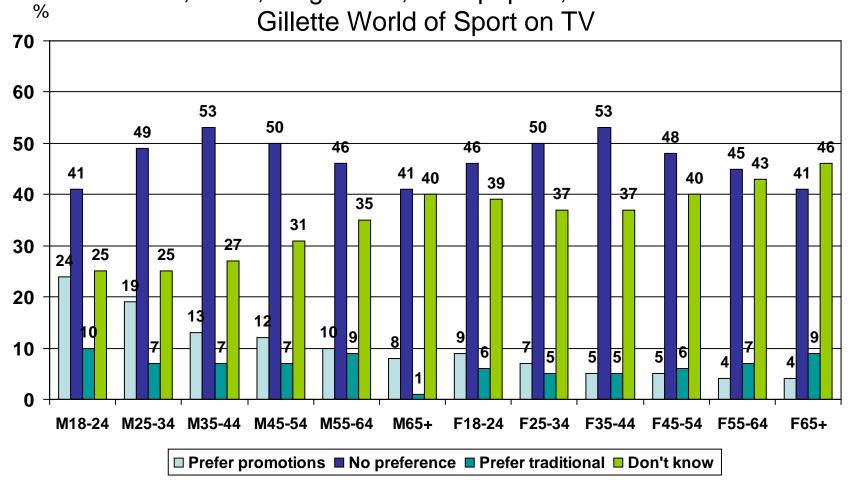






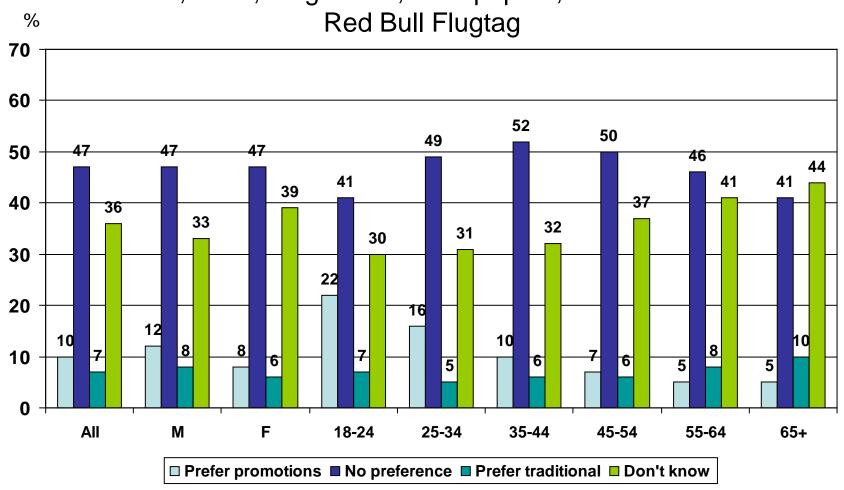






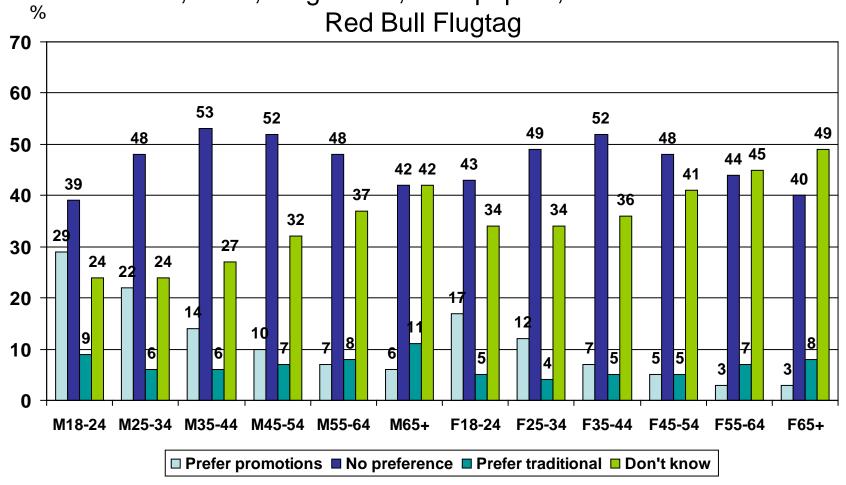






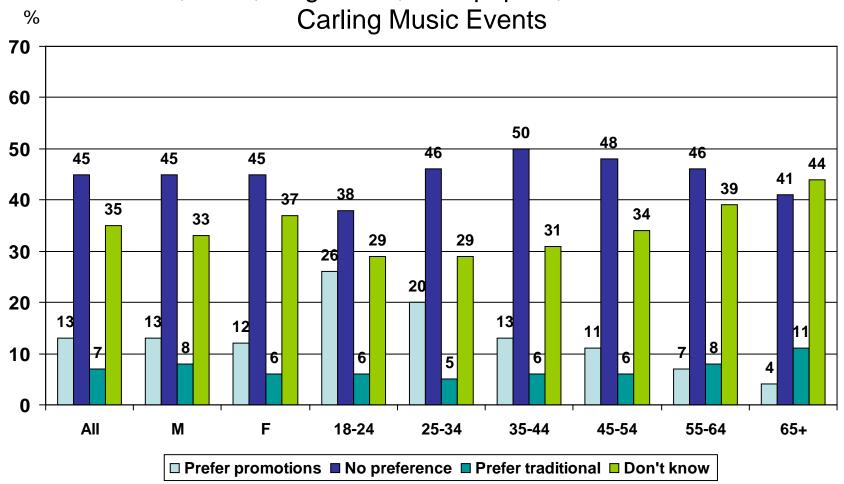






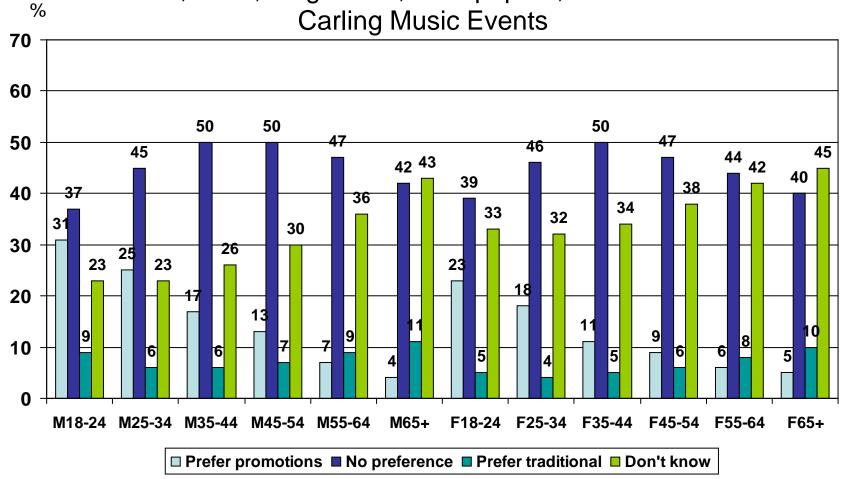






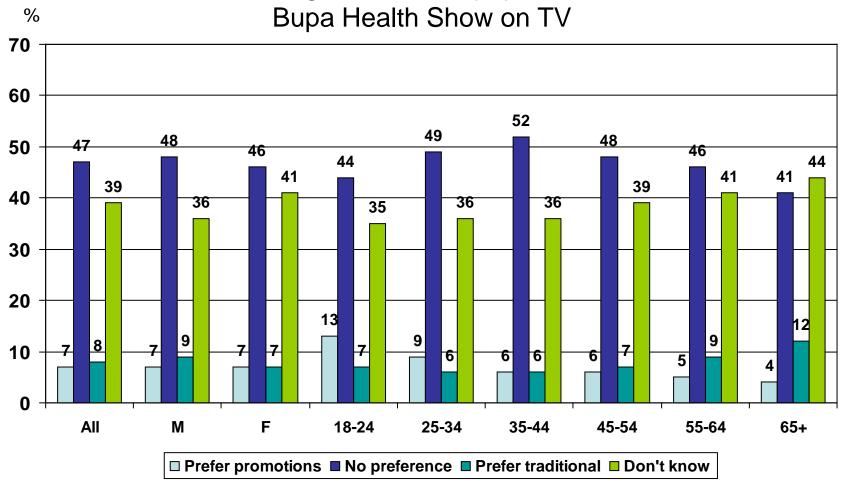






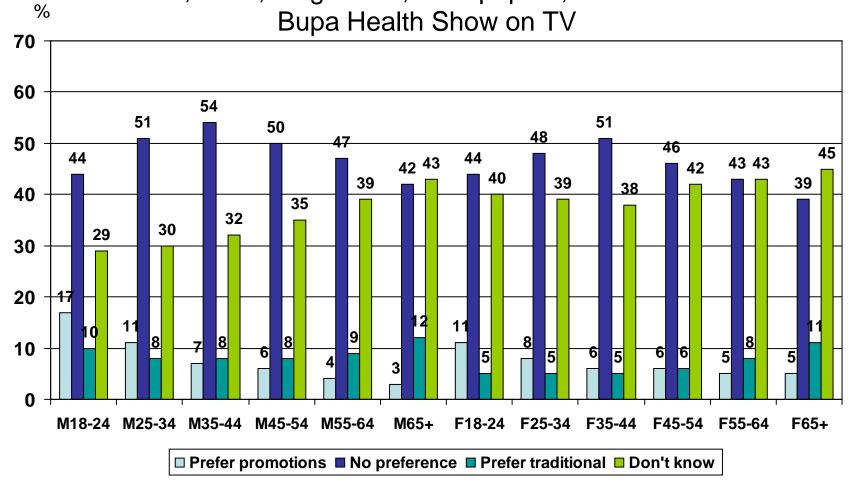






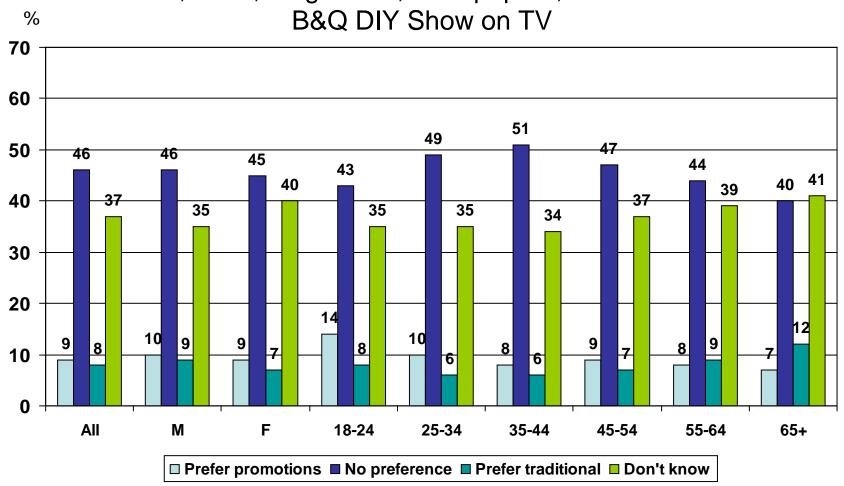






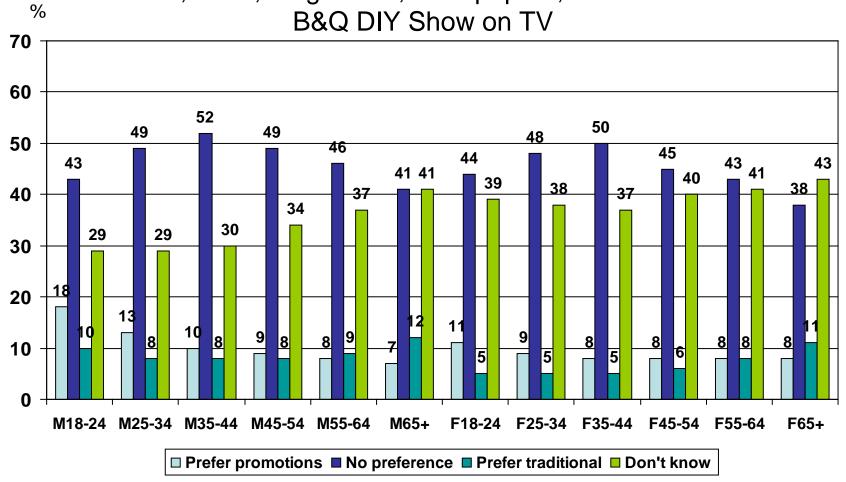






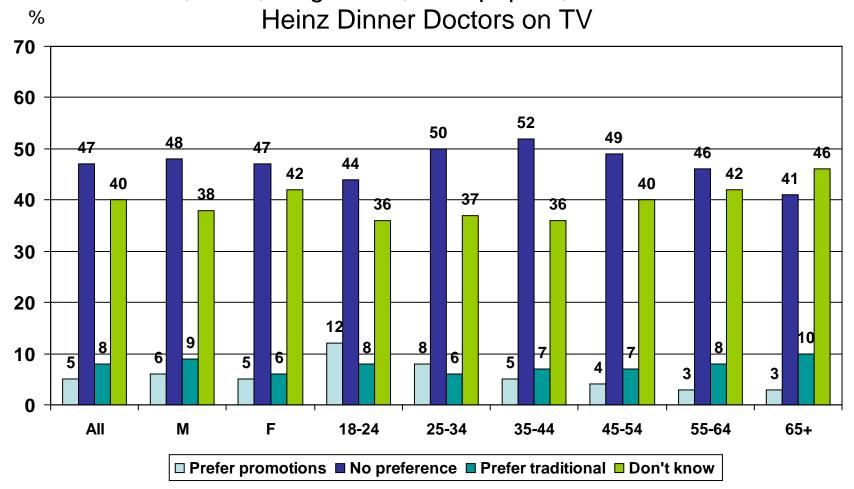






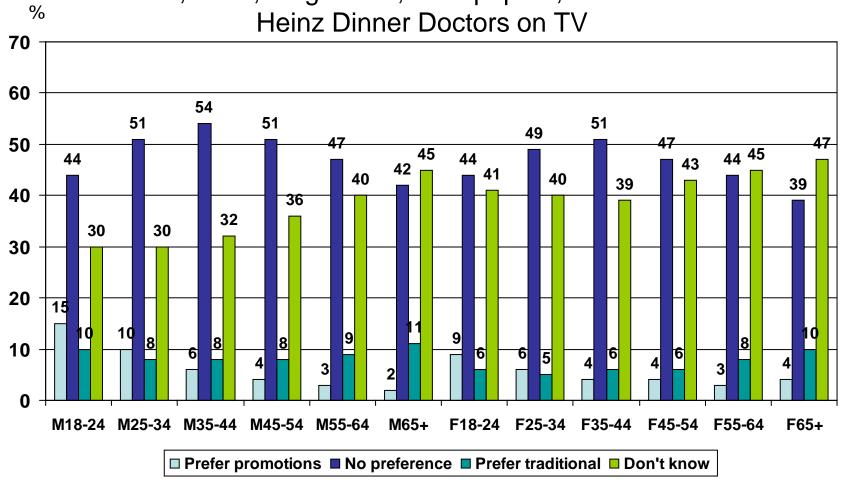






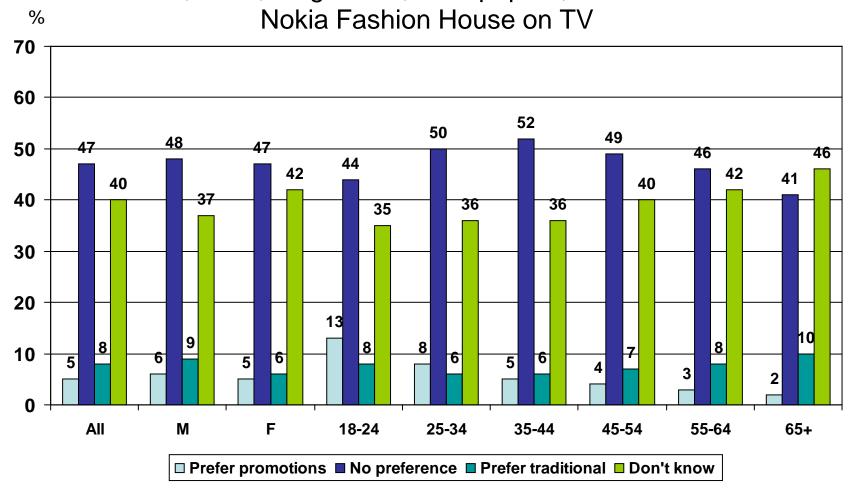






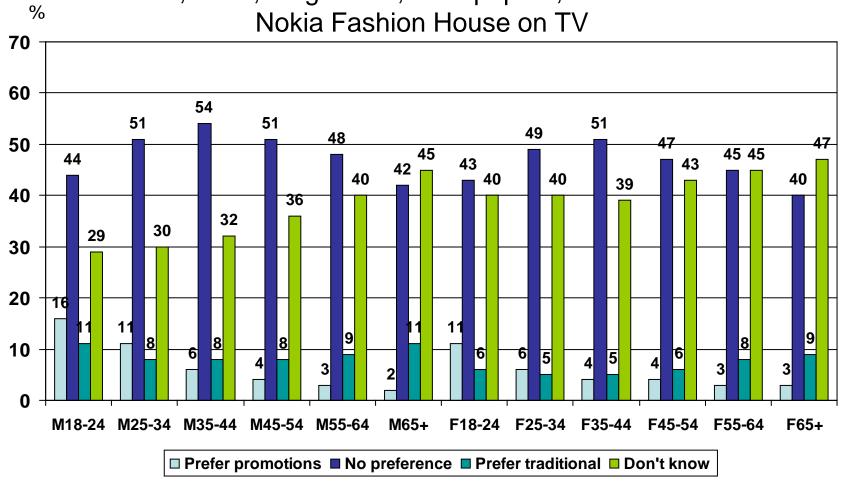












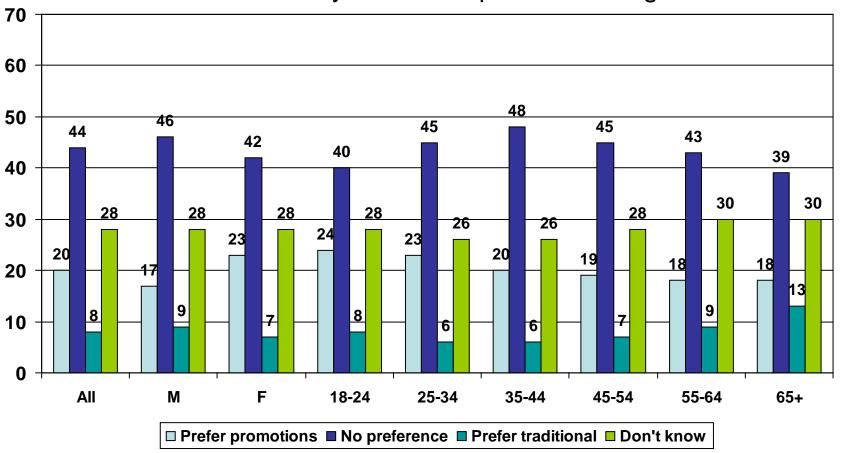


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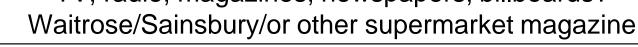


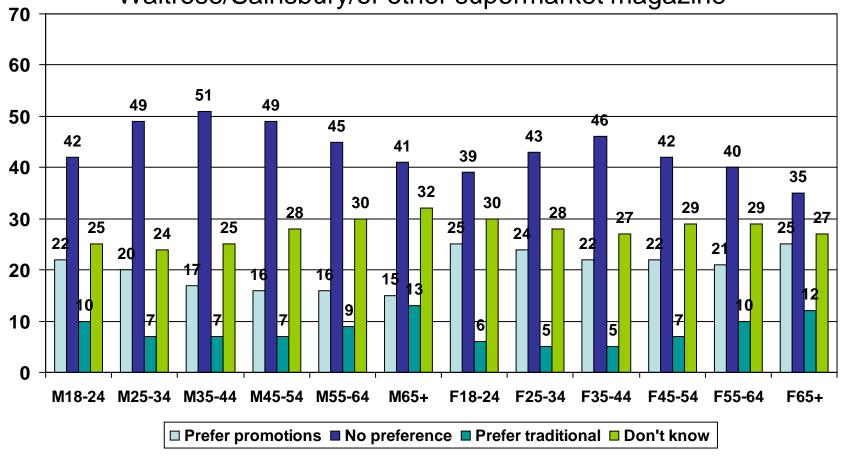


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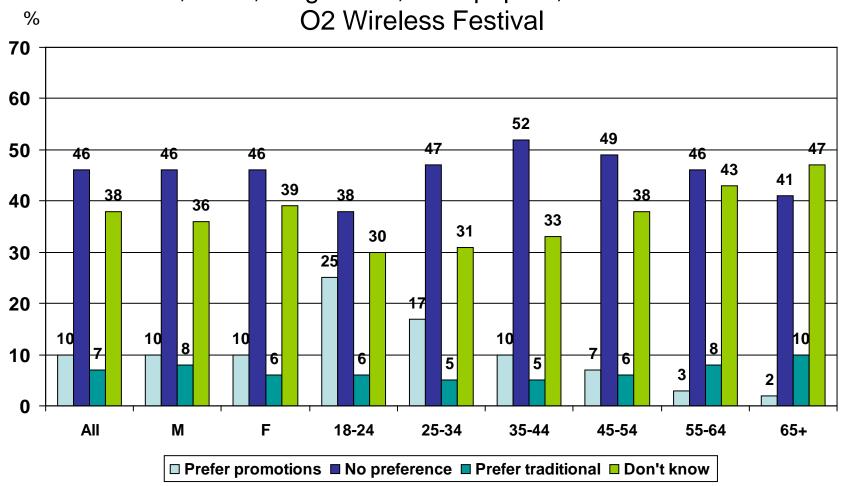
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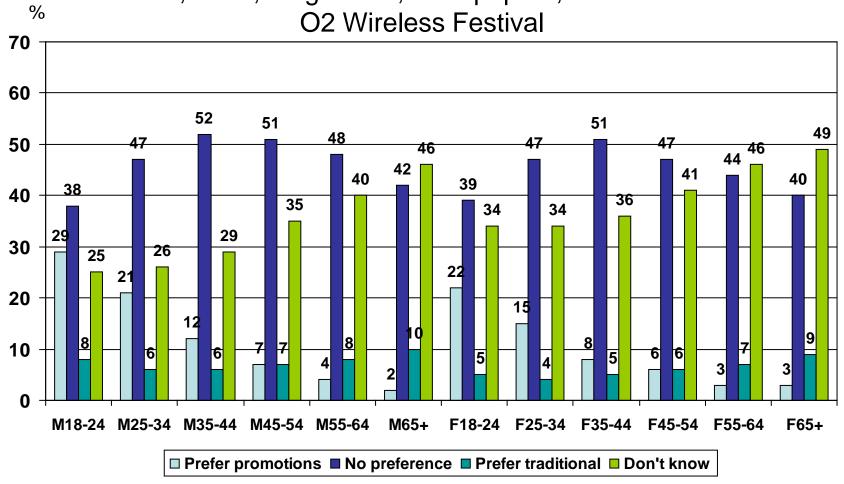






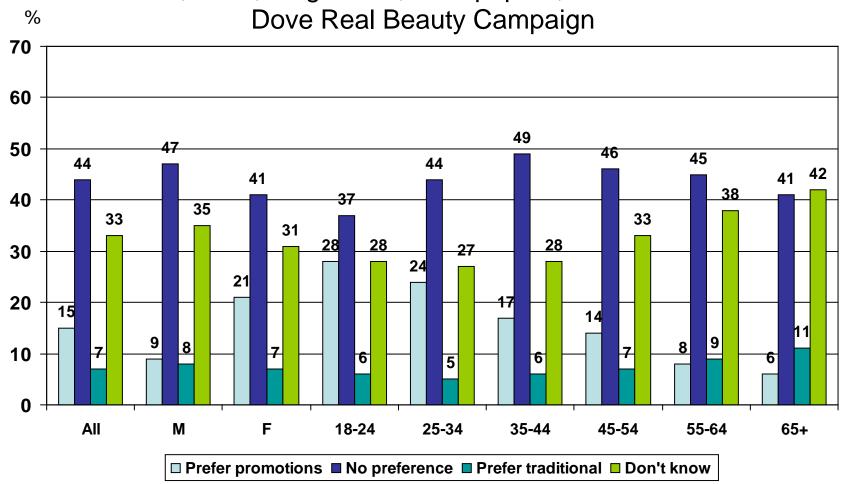






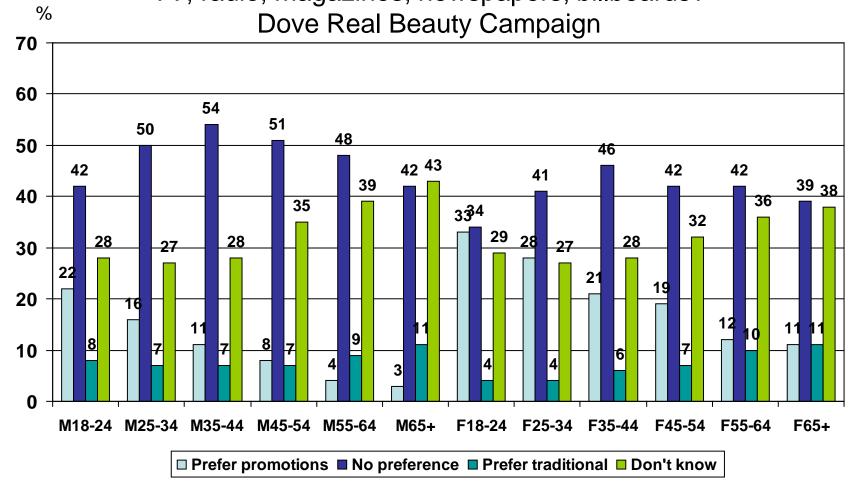














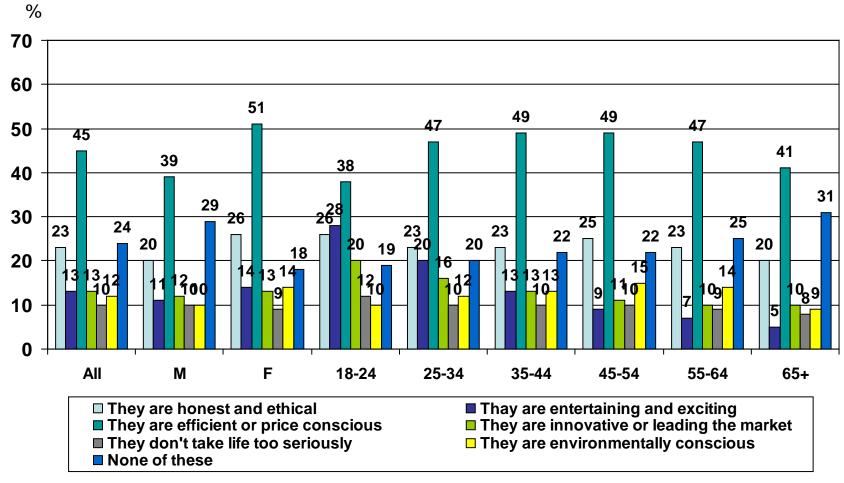


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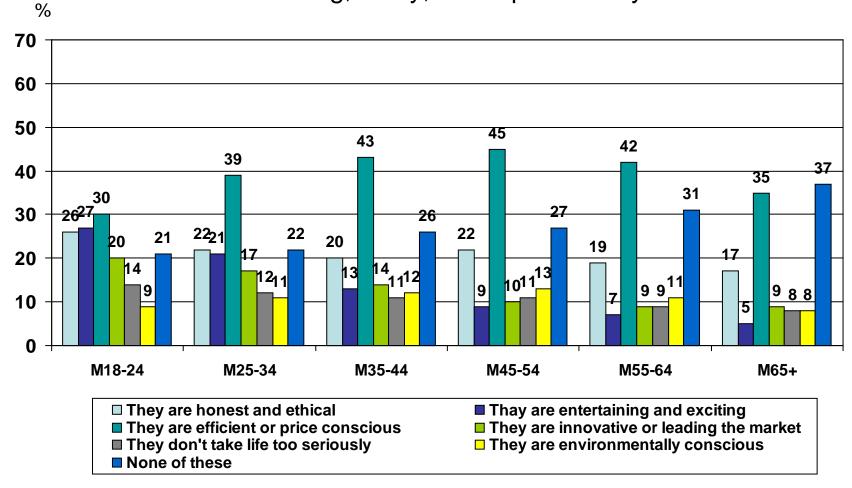
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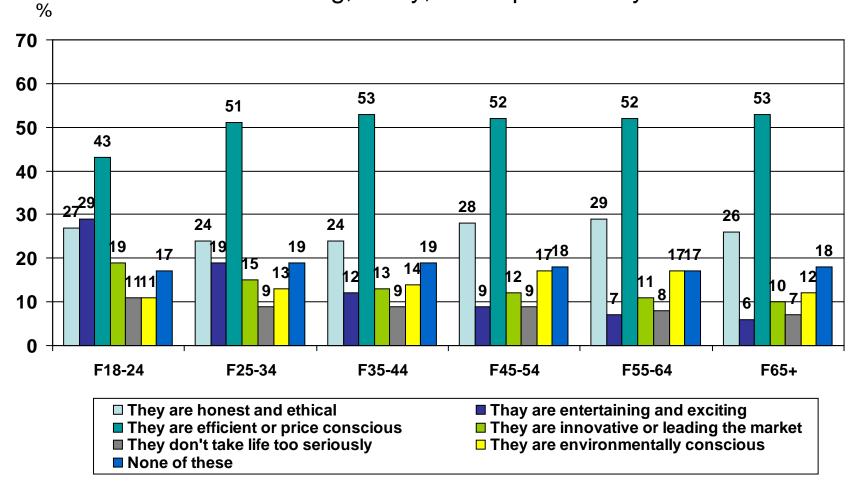
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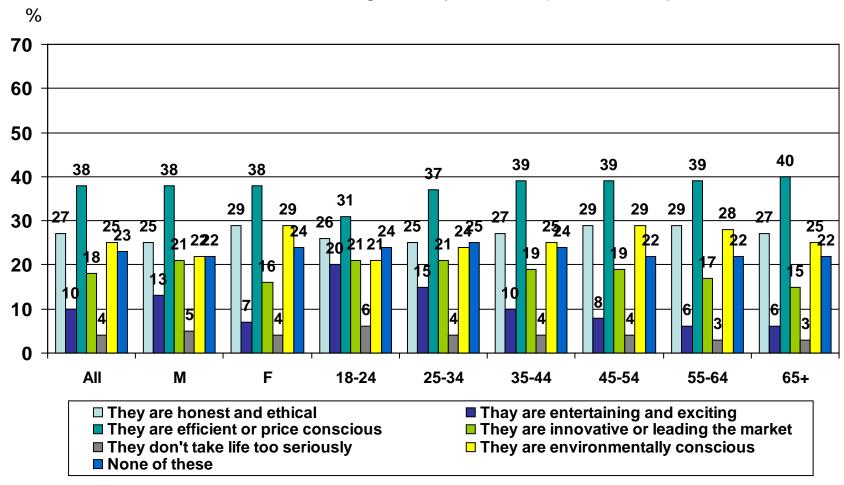
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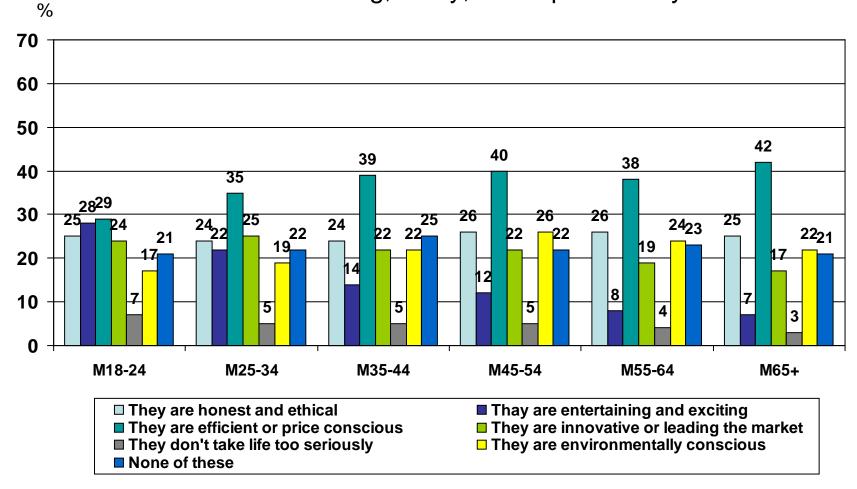
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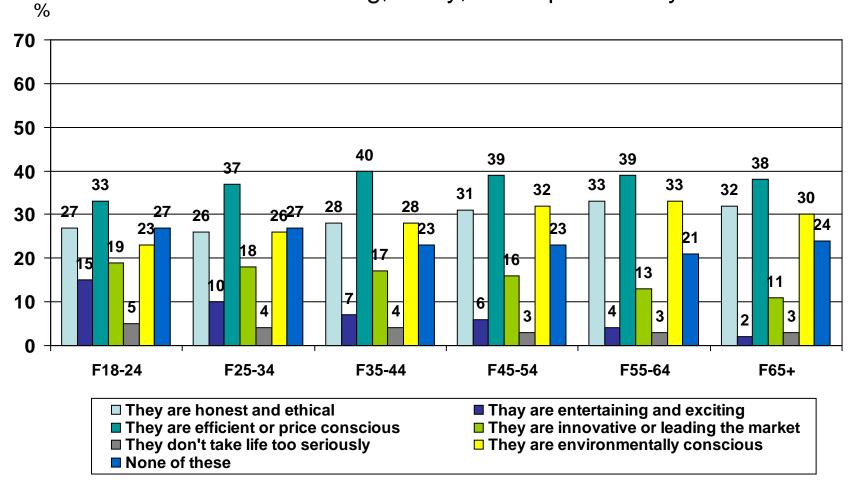
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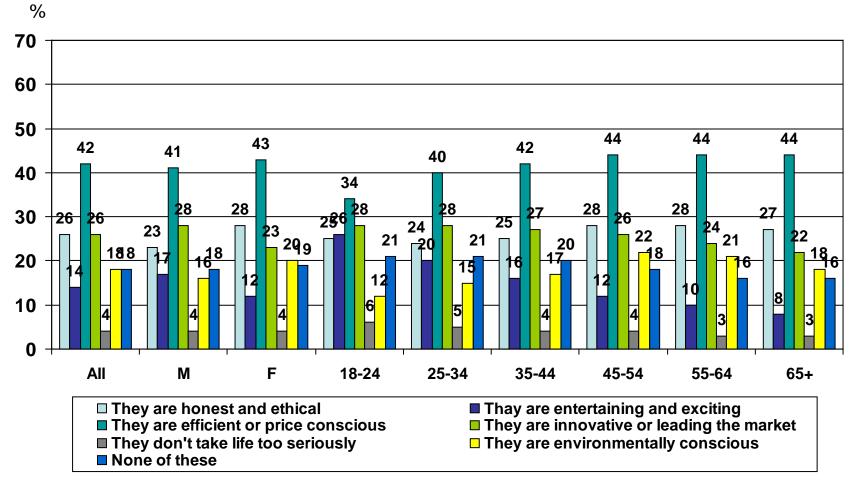
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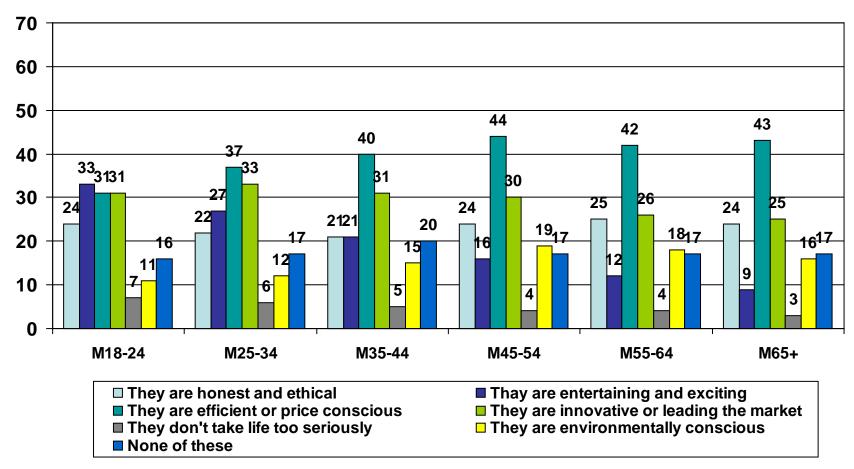
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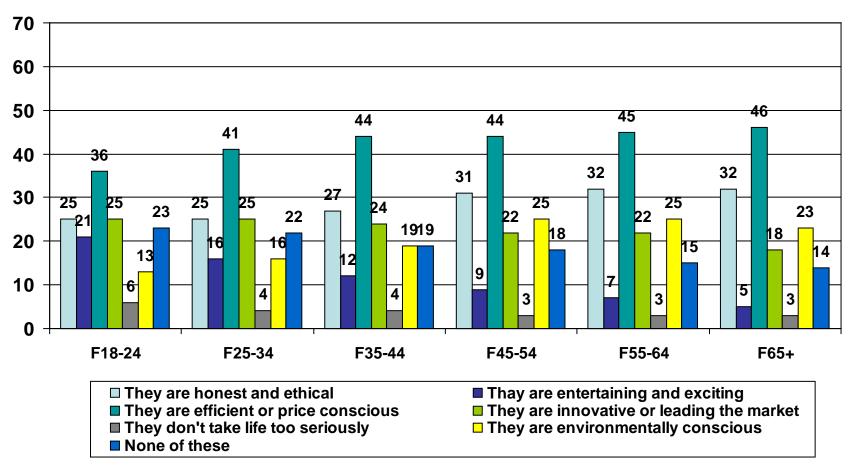
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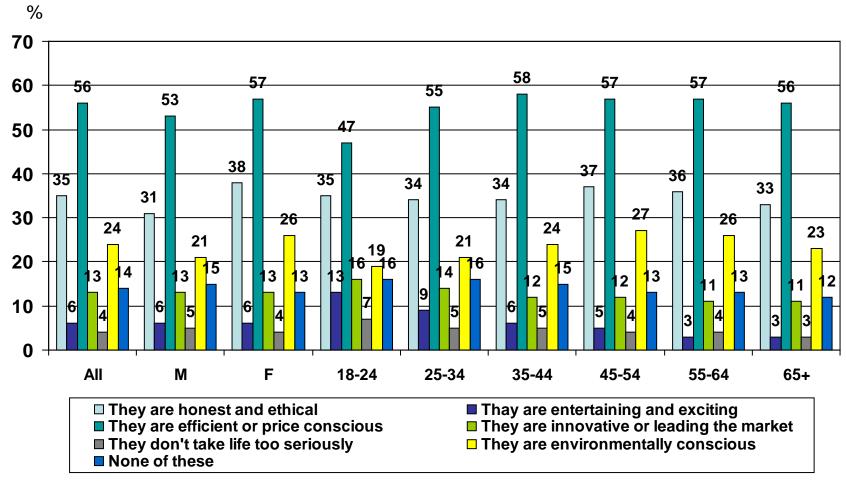
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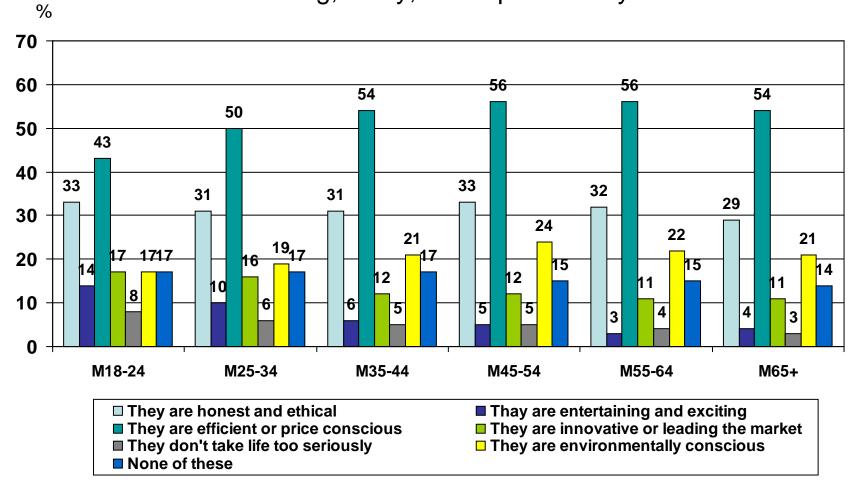
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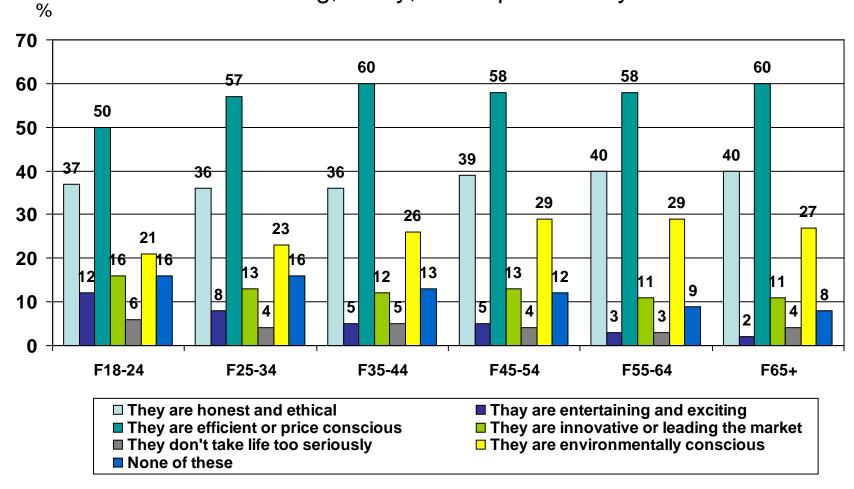
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