

# Understanding Local Mobile Consumer Behavior

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# Research Background and Summary

- In March 2011, Nielsen surveyed over 1500 smartphone, feature phone, and tablet owners who have used their device to search for local business on their mobile device (by mobile web or app).
  - In this report, these users will be referred to as “Local Mobile Searchers”
- The objective of this study was to provide insights into the role of mobile devices in search, decision making, and advertising, specifically:
  - **Discovery and purchase:** how consumers research, compare, and make purchase decisions
  - **Lifestyle and consumption:** Focused on location based services (LBS)
  - **Mobile apps vs. mobile web:** Comparisons of users and usage
- The following presentation has been condensed from the topline report and formatted for an industry conference audience

All data in this study are the result of answers to questions posed by Nielsen. No other means, including any AT&T assets, were used to confirm responses or collect data.

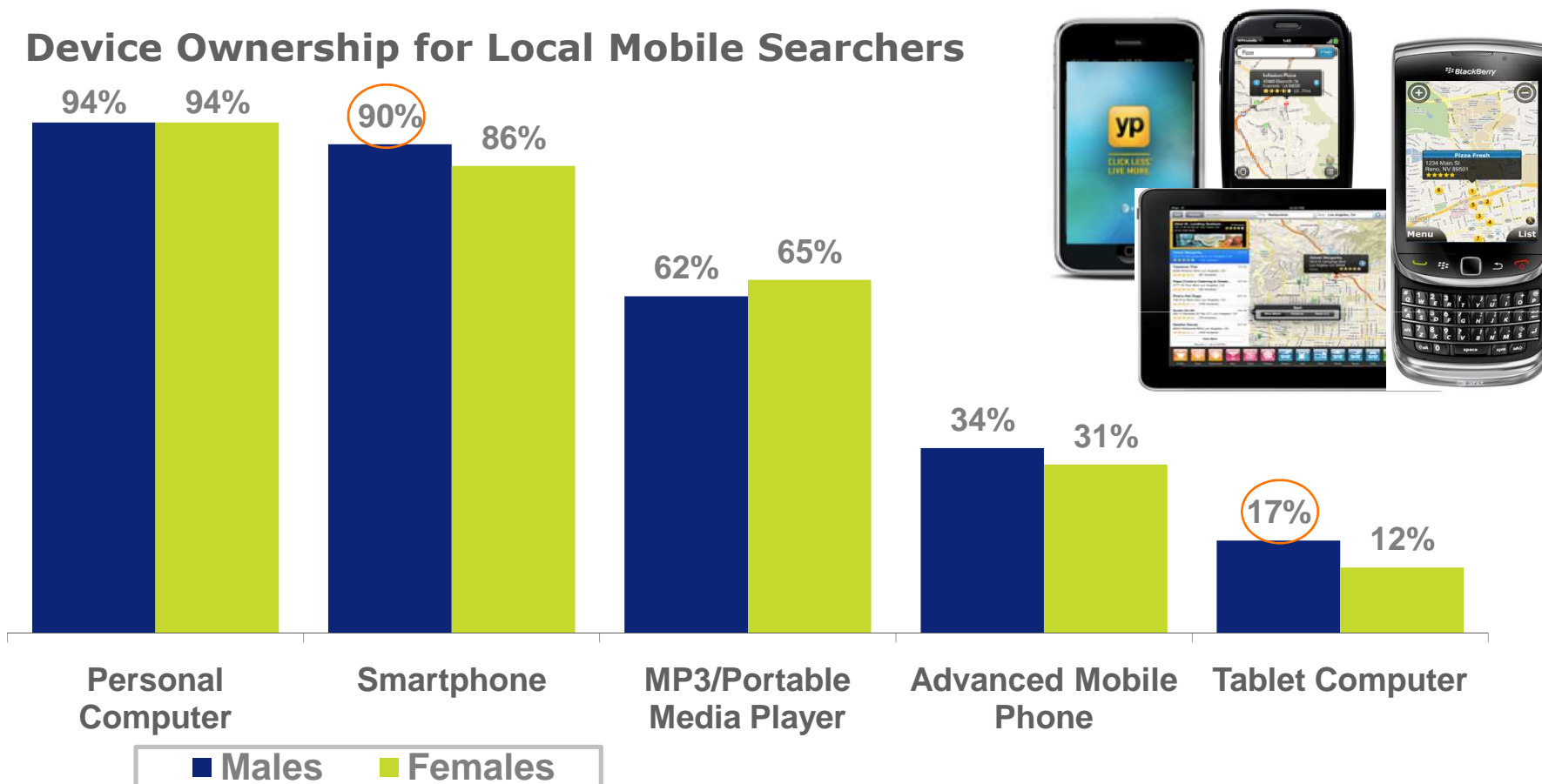
The study and all results are owned by AT&T and not available for purchase from Nielsen.

The respondent base is all local mobile searchers surveyed, unless otherwise cited

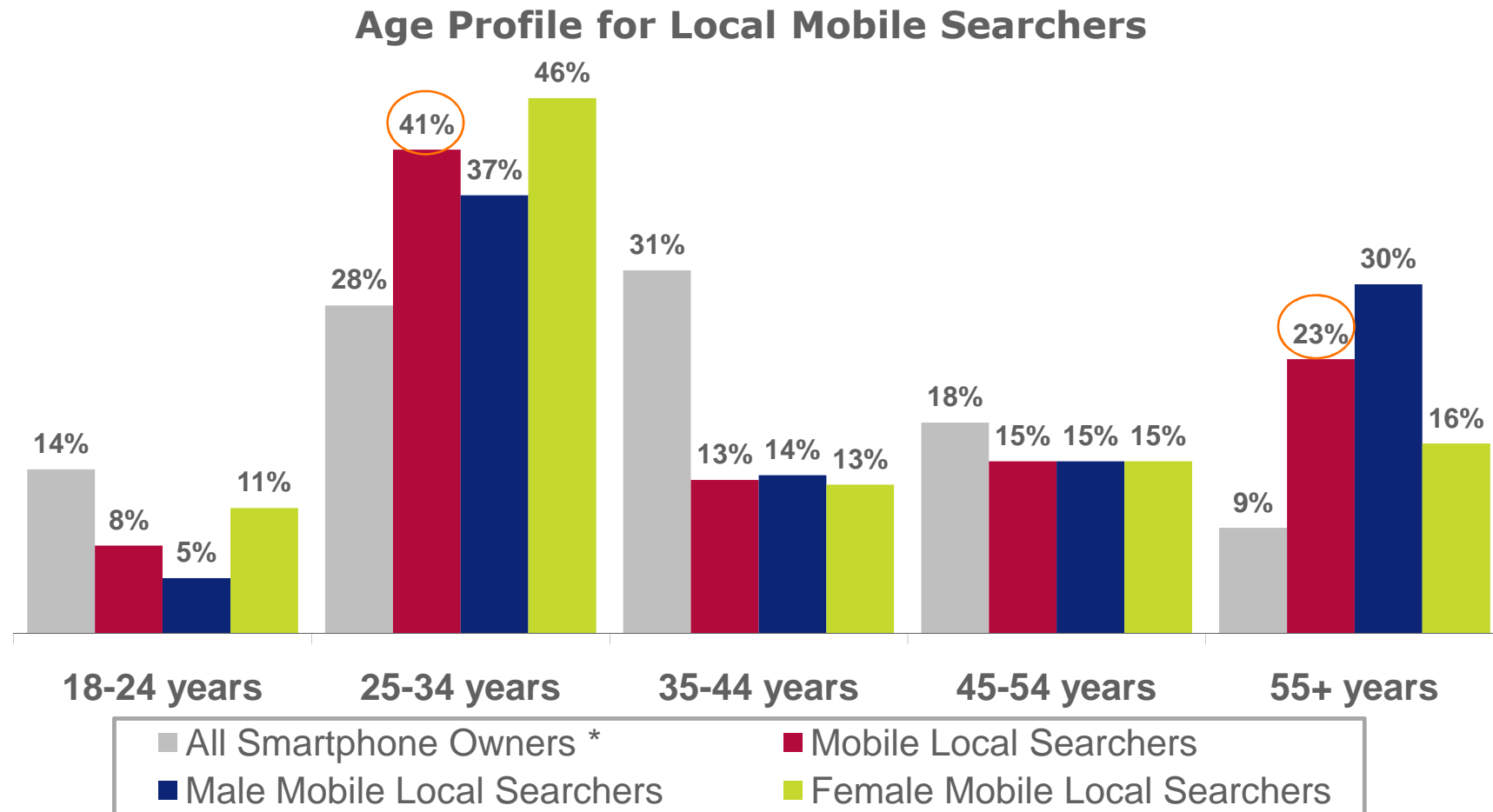
# Local Mobile Searchers are Connected!

- Local mobile searchers have a smartphone, a PC, and many have an MP3 player
- Male searchers over-index on both smartphones and tablets

Device Ownership for Local Mobile Searchers



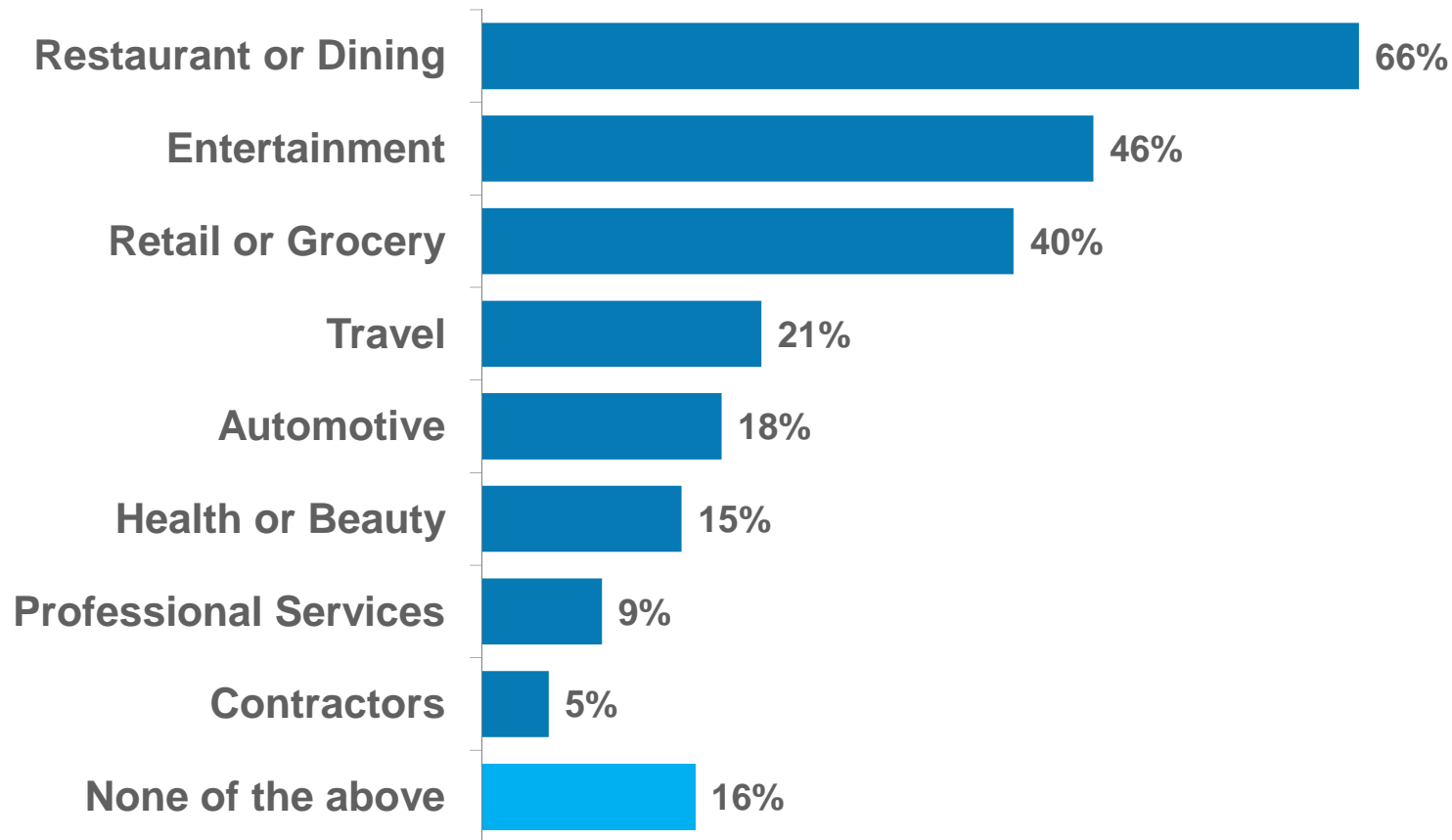
# Compared to All Smartphone Owners, Local Mobile Searchers Are More Likely to Be Young Adults 25-34 or 55+



\*Source: The Nielsen Company, Nielsen Mobile Insights, 2010

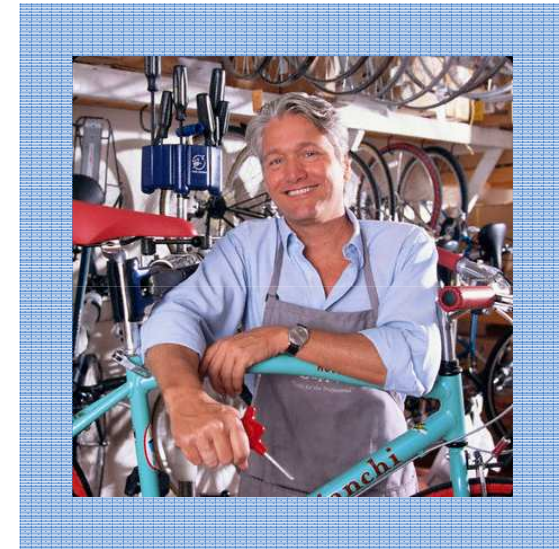
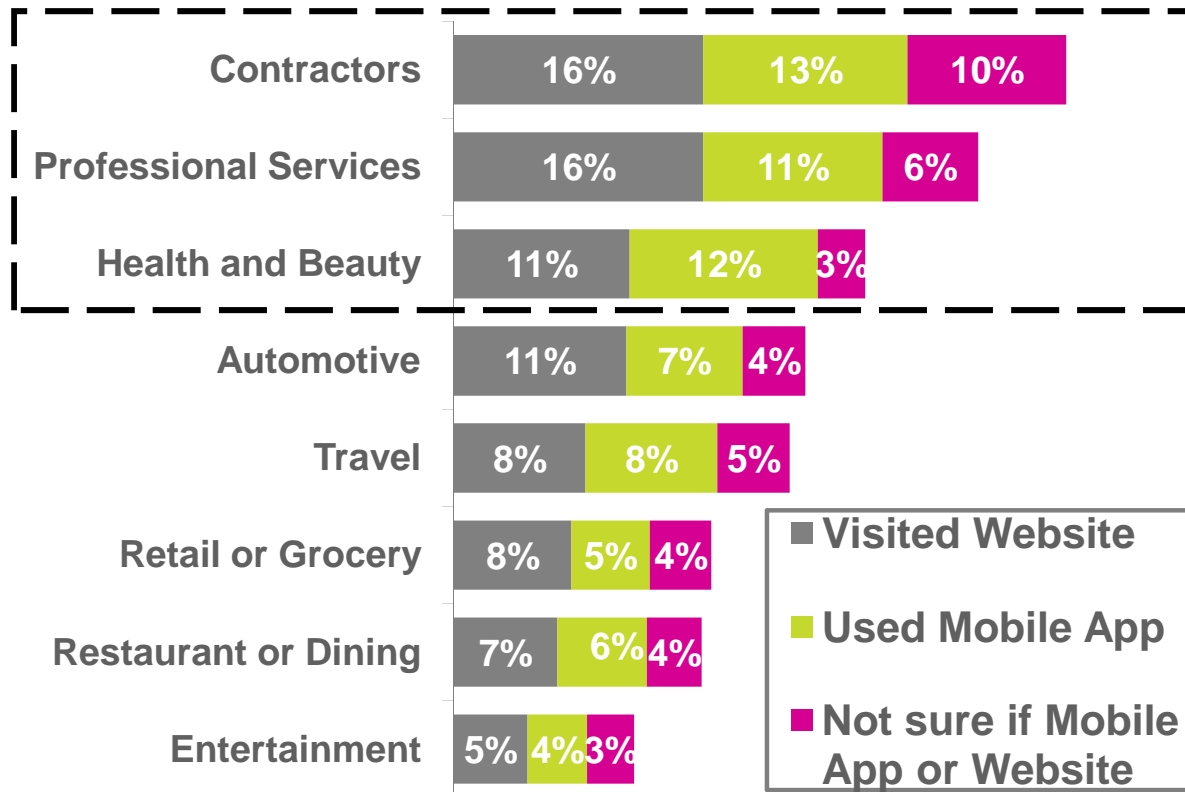
# Local Restaurant/Dining Establishments Most Researched on Mobile Devices, Followed By Entertainment and Retail/Grocery Businesses

Local Business Categories Searched for in the Past Month



# YP Users Are Most Likely to Search For Contractors or Professional Services

Top Mobile Search Categories for YP users (Web or App)



# Those Who Were Looking For Professional Services or Contractors Information Were Most Likely to Click On a Mobile Ad

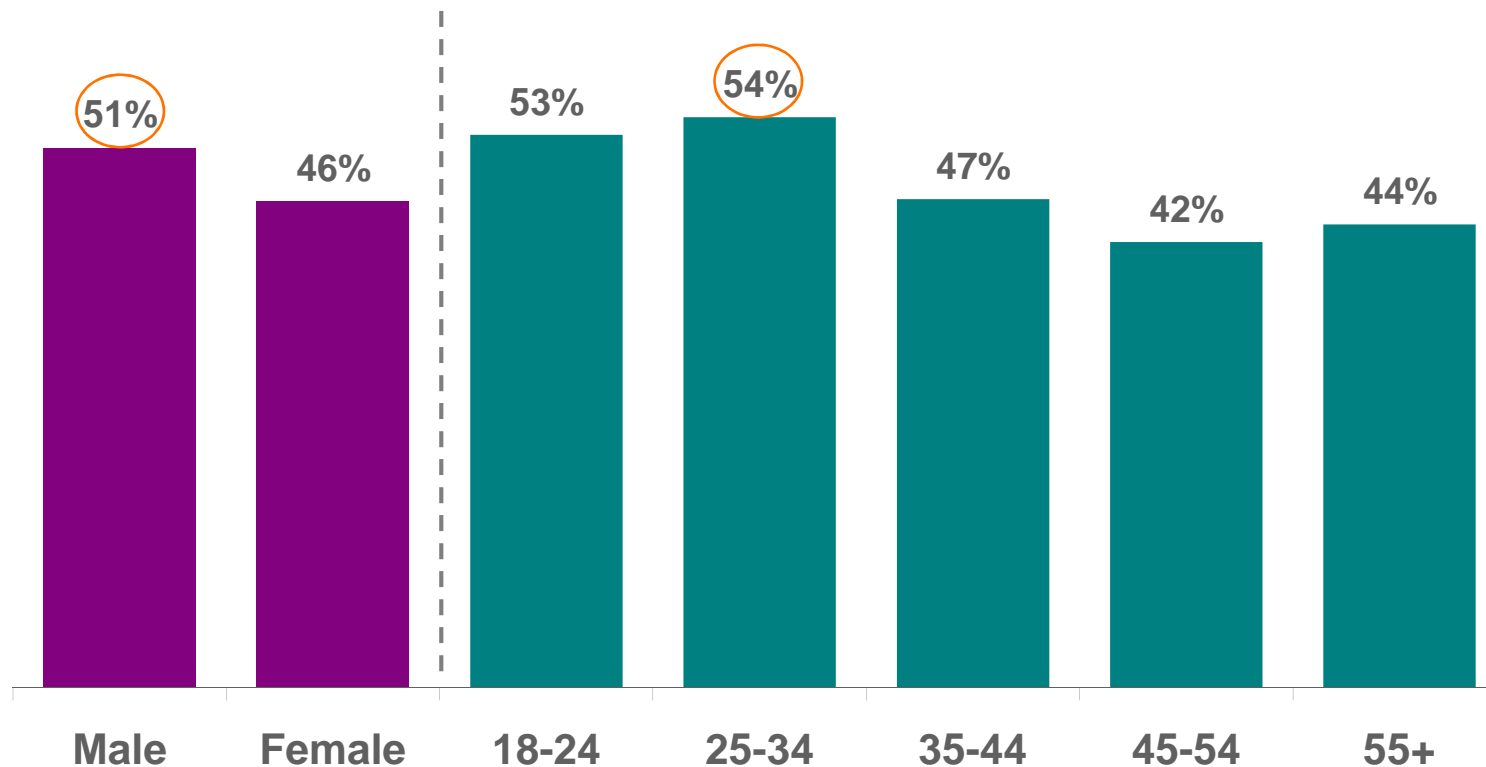
Clicked on a Mobile Advertisements When Searching for Local Information





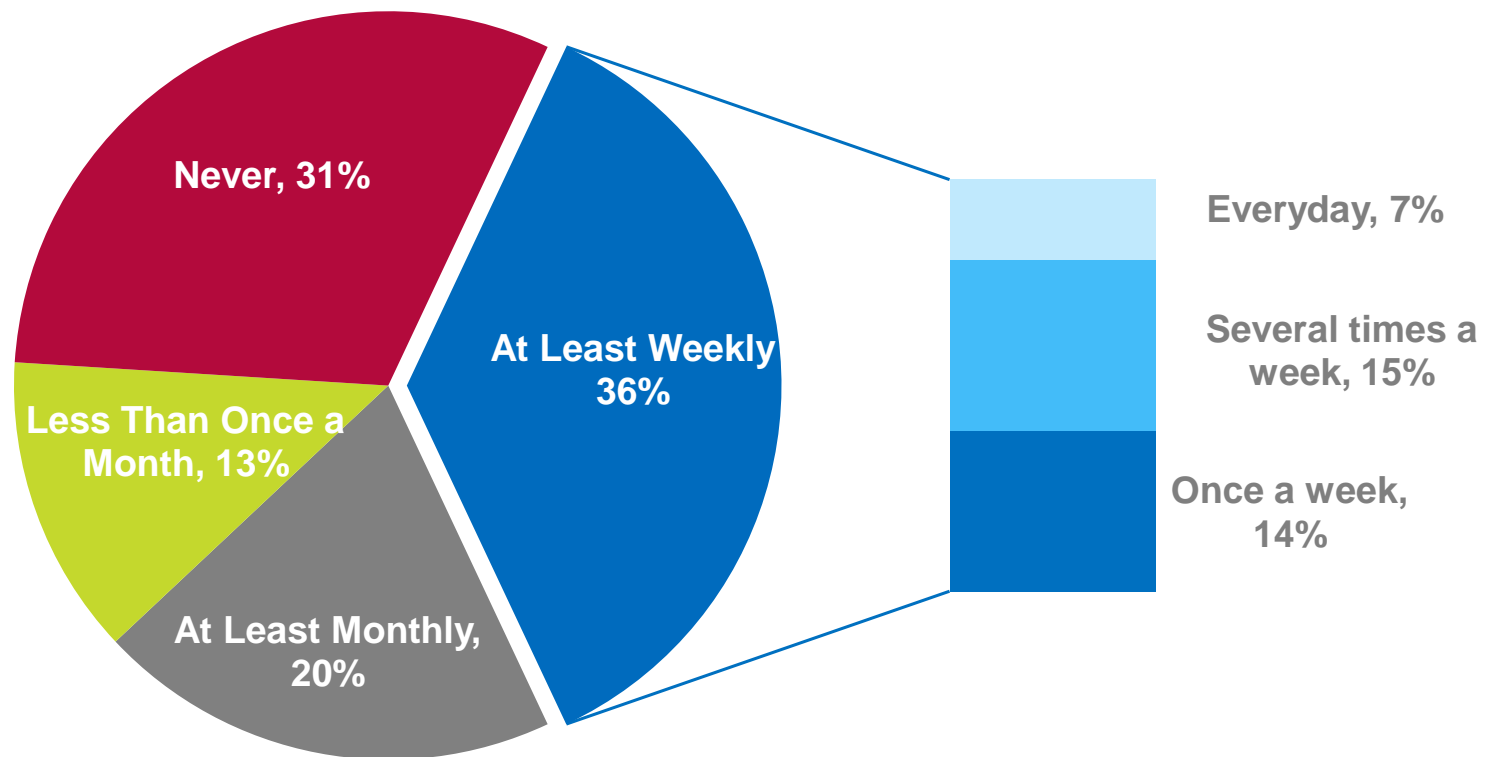
# Roughly Half of Male Local Mobile Searchers Have Allowed an App to Detect Their Location

**Allowed an App to Detect Current Location to Suggest Nearby Businesses/Establishments (last 3 mos)**



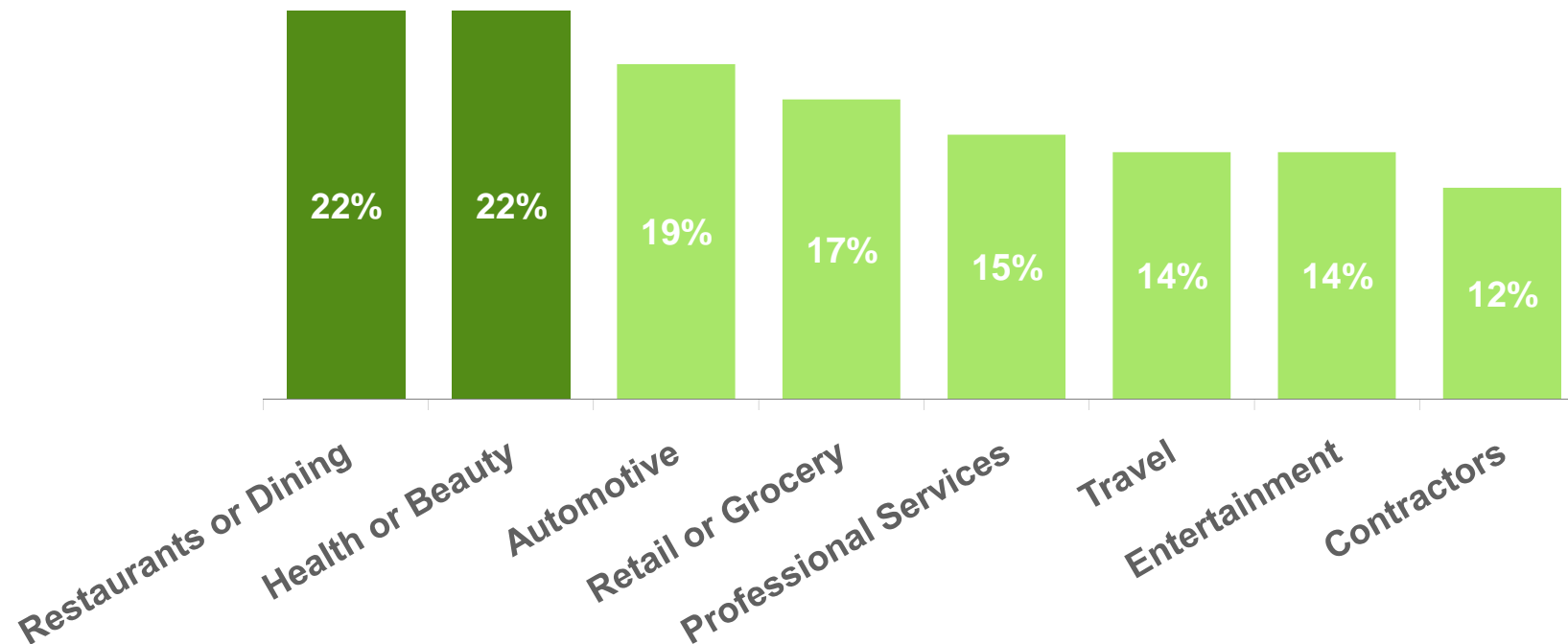
# Over a Third of Local Mobile Searchers Allow Apps to Detect Their Location at Least Once a Week

## Allow an App to Detect Location to Suggest Nearby Businesses or Establishment



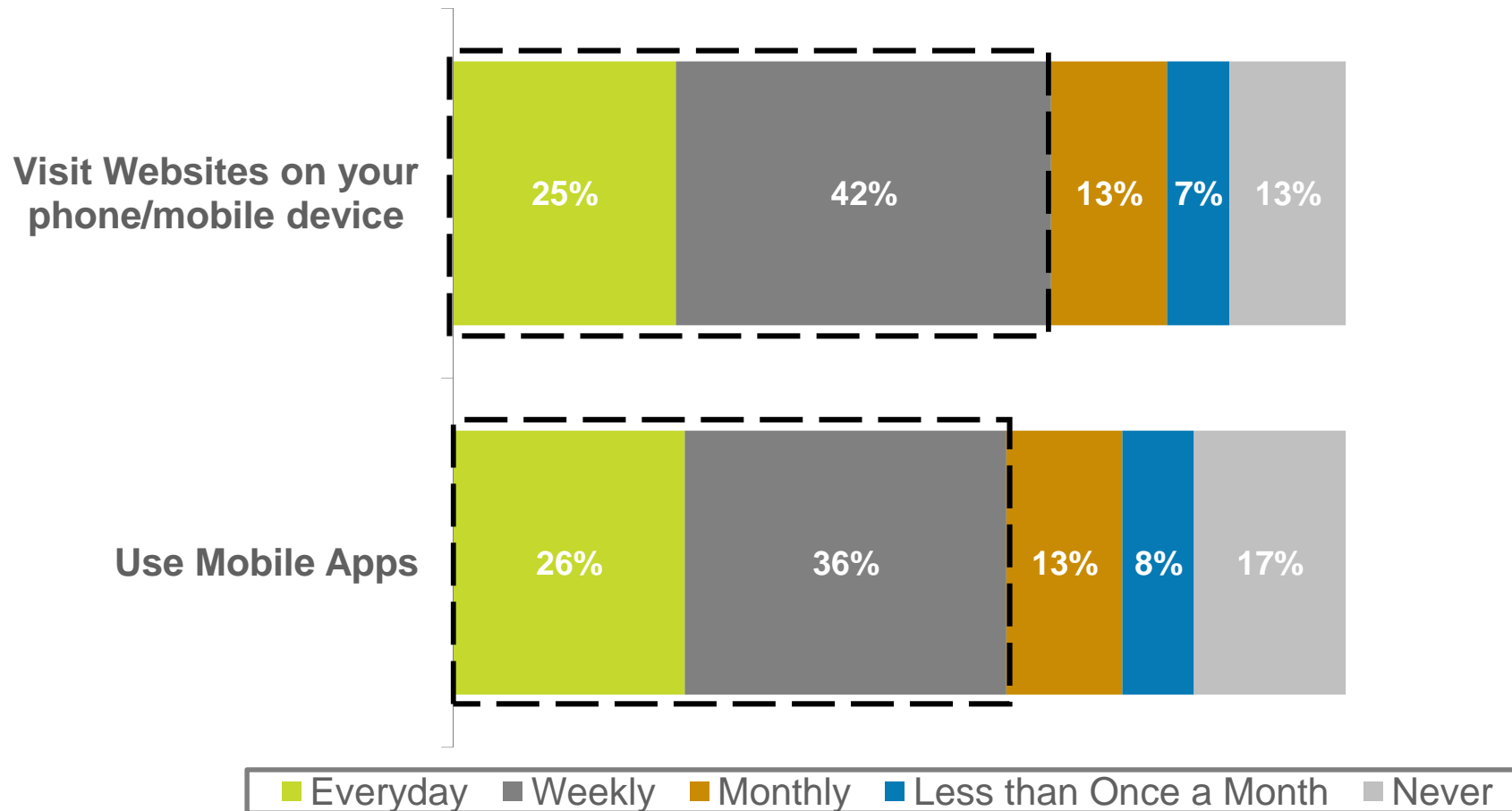
# Local Mobile Searchers Give Location Information to Receive Suggestions on Nearby Businesses and Establishments

## Allowed an App to Detect Current Location to Suggest Nearby Businesses/Establishments



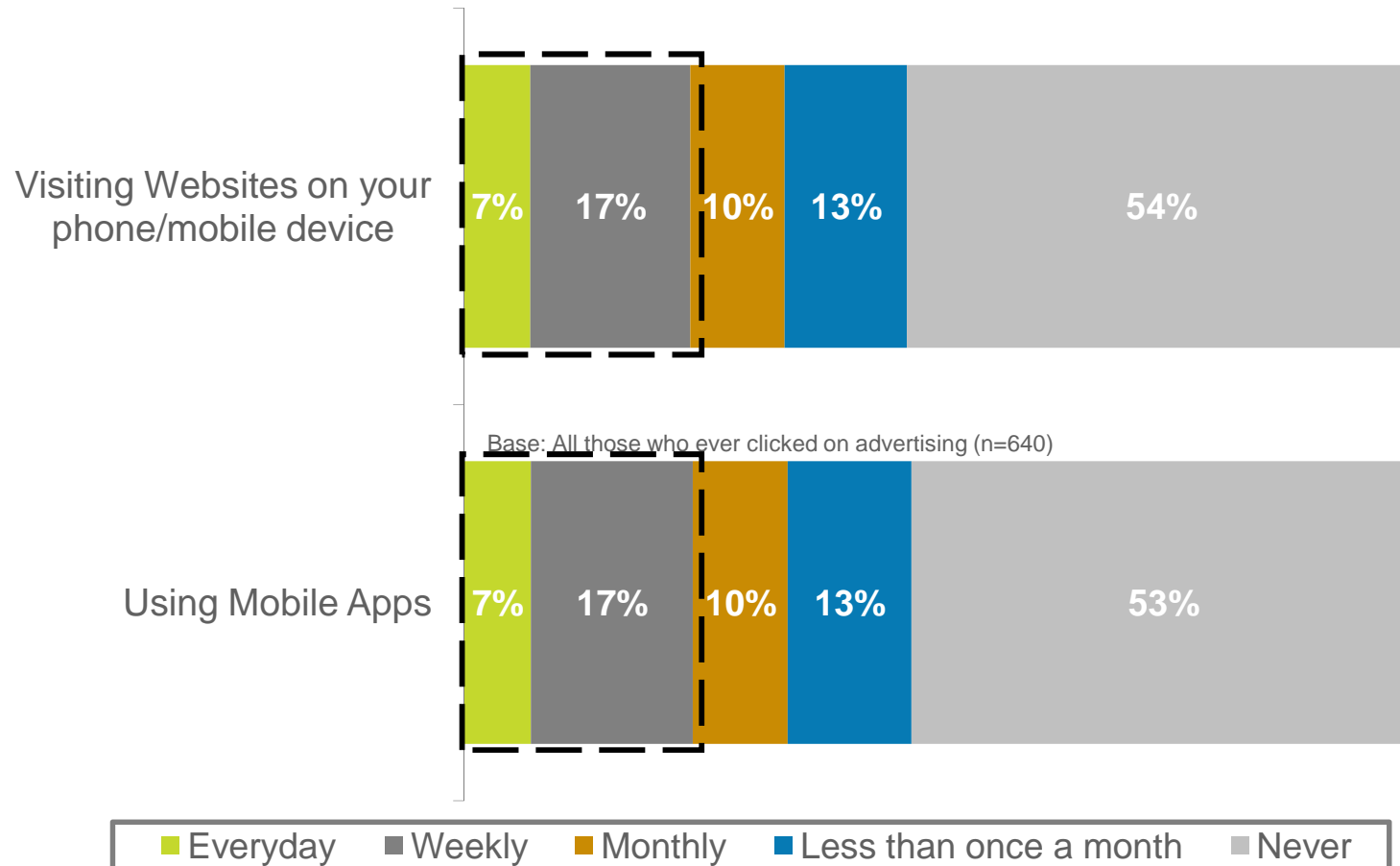
# About 2/3 of Local Mobile Searchers See Ads Weekly

## Frequency of Encountering Mobile Advertising



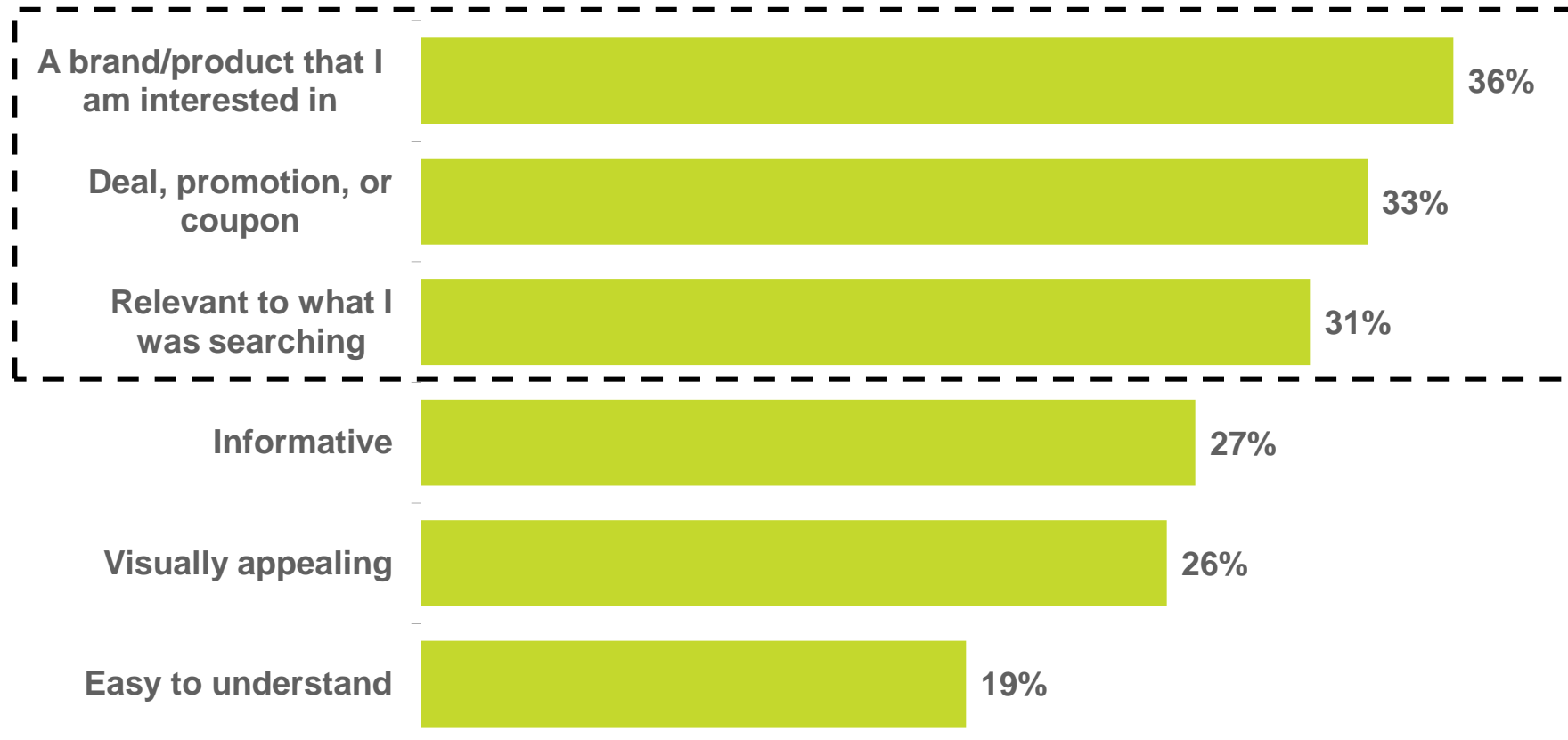
# 1/4 of Local Mobile Searchers Click On Mobile Ads at Least Weekly

## Frequency of Clicking on Mobile Advertising



# If the Ad Is Relevant or Offers a Discount, Searchers Will Click On It

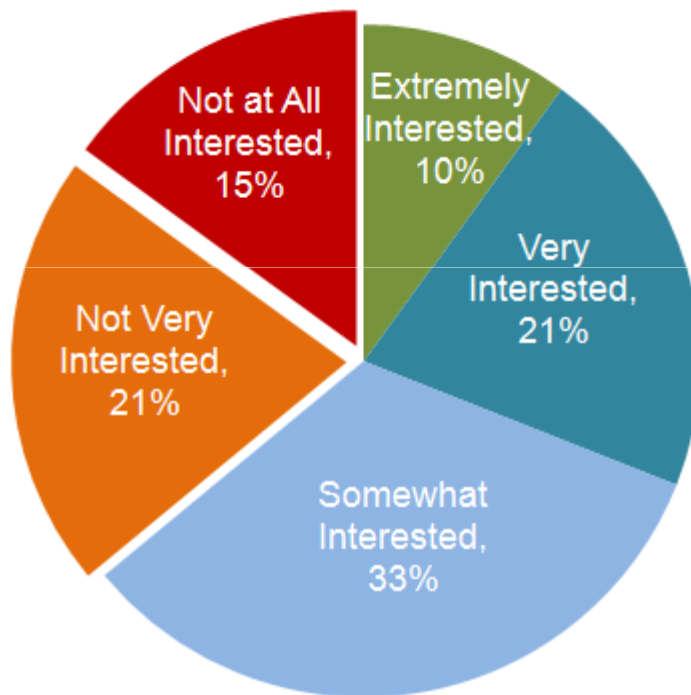
## Top Reasons for Clicking on Mobile Advertising



# 64% Of Searchers Are Interested in Customized Promotions –46% Have Responded

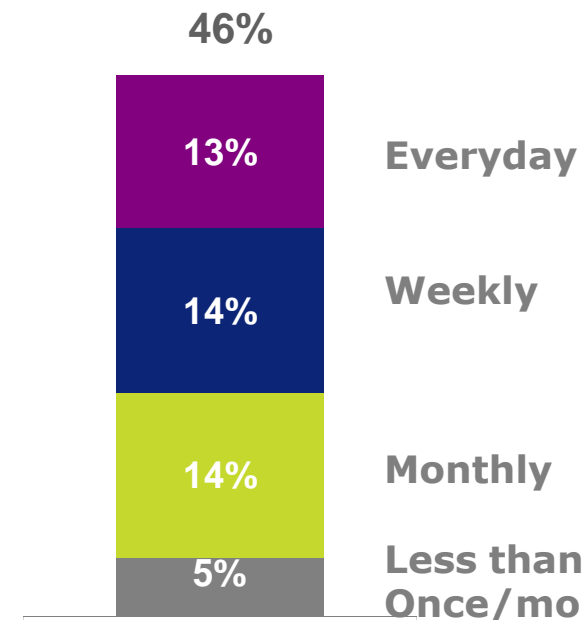
## Interest in Receiving Customized Promotions

Base: All Mobile Local Searchers (n=1526)



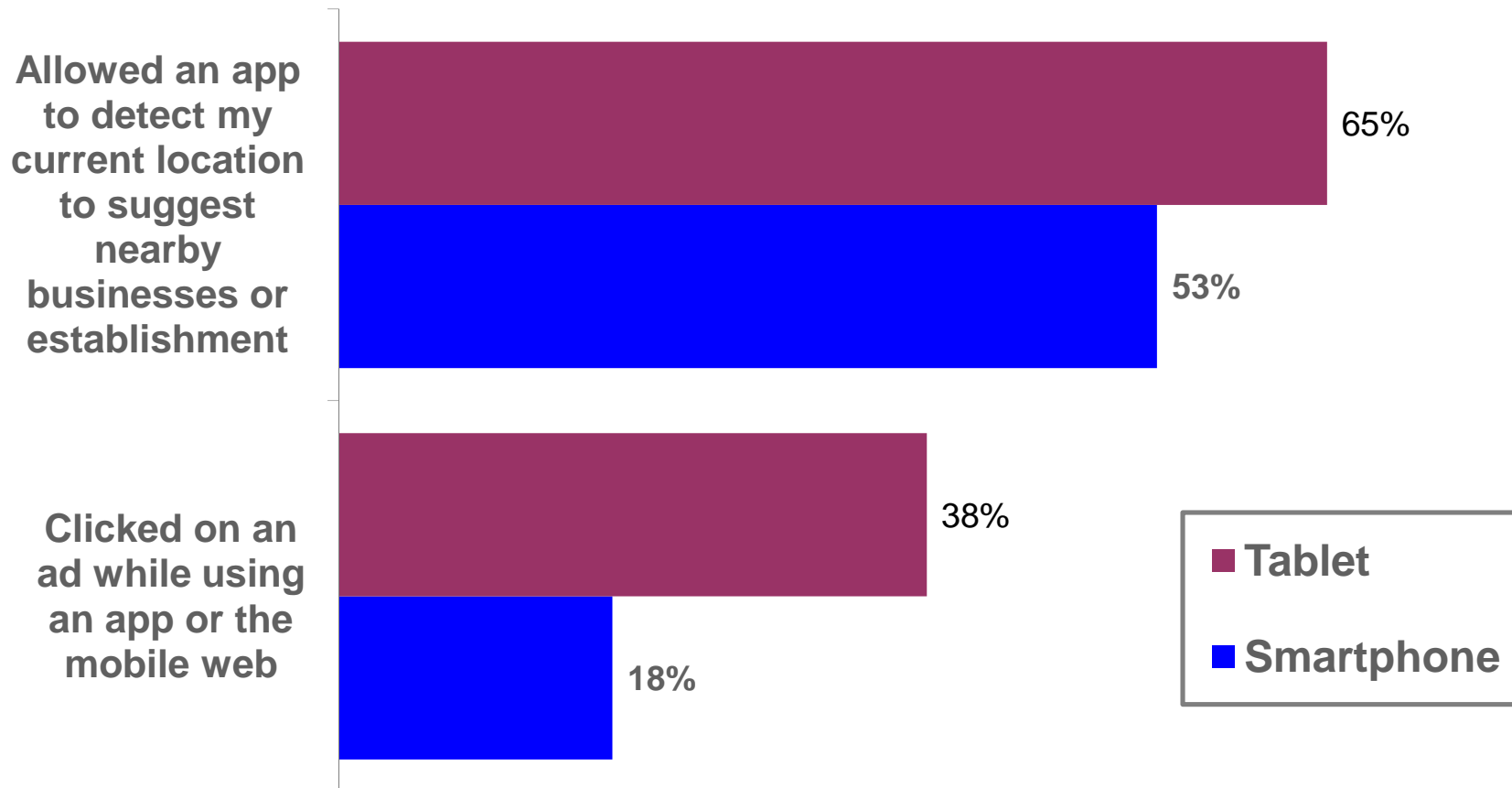
## Responded to Promotions or Deals Sent to My Phone/Device

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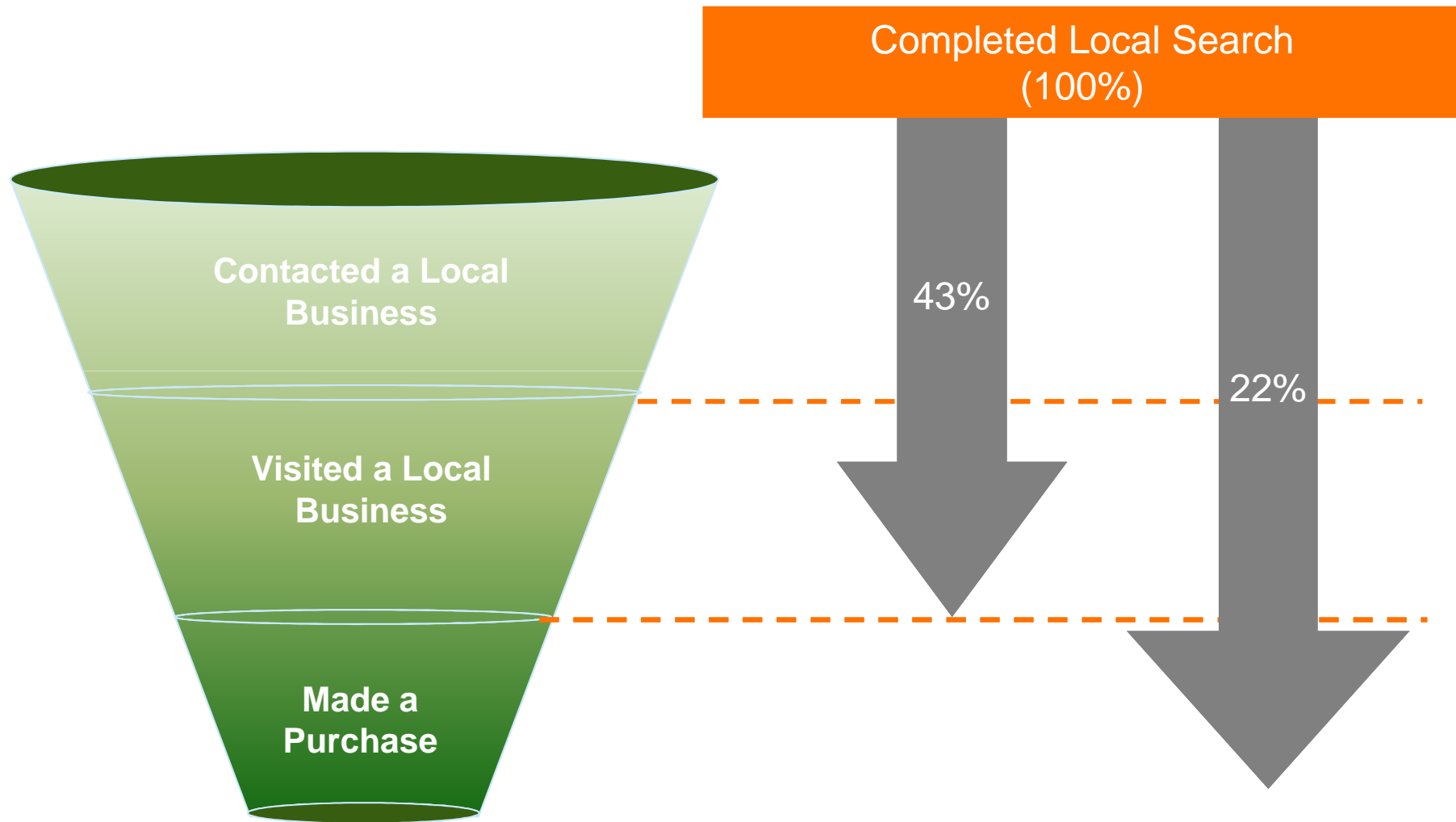
# Compared to Smartphones, Tablet Users are Even More Likely to Allow Location Based Searches and Click On Ads

Activities Done in the Past 3 Months – by Device Type





# 43% Of Local Mobile Searchers Walk Through the Door



# Local for Mobile Display

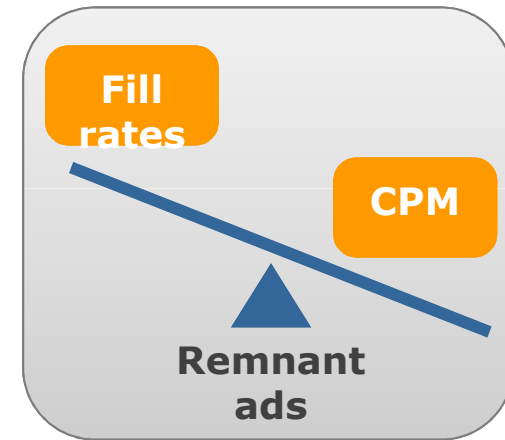
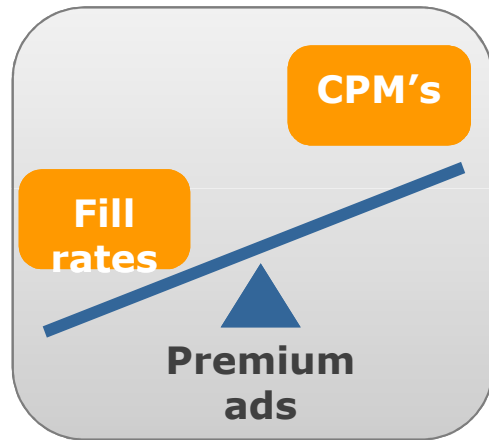
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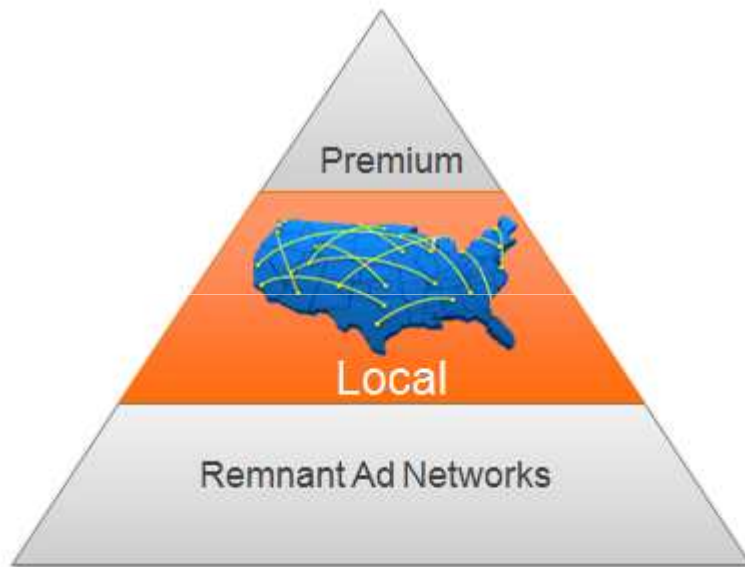


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# App Developers Face a Dilemma - When Premium Inventory Runs Out, Remnant Ads Pay Poorly



# AT&T Interactive's HyperLocal Ads: High Fill Rates & High eCPMs



## Potential Value to Publishers

- ✓ Higher fill rates than premium ads
- ✓ Higher eCPMs than remnant ads
- ✓ Minimum channel conflict with direct sales force
- ✓ Local ads are relevant to mobile users
- ✓ Local Mobile Ad Spend is growing\*

\*BIA/Kelsey, US Mobile Ad Revenue Forecast (2009-2014), Dec 2010



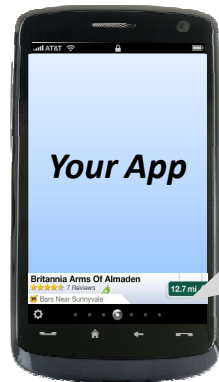
# Local Ad Network

The Premier Local Ad Network



- A sales force of thousands
- 38.3 billion impressions served in 2010
- Over 350 top publisher sites and apps

# HyperLocal Ads – User Experience



**Britannia Arms Of Almaden**

★★★★★ 7 Reviews

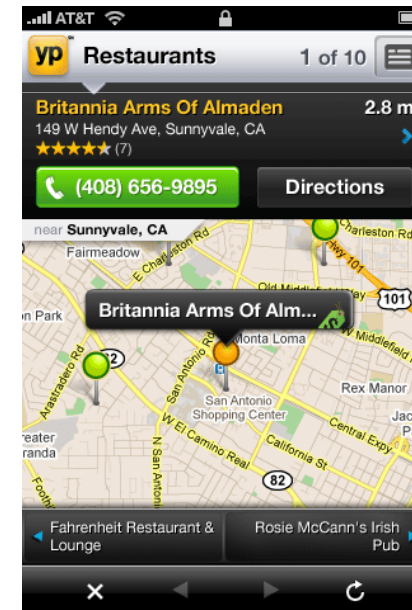
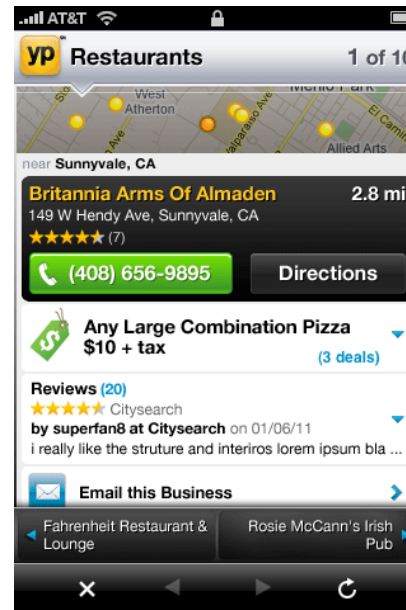
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## Results of Pilot Program:

eCPMs 2-3X higher than ads  
from comparable sources<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup>Initial tests of the Ad SDK (beta) on Plusmo Sports apps from Sep-Oct 2010 yielded eCPM's 2-3X higher than average performance of iAd, AdMob and Millennial Media. Results represent internal data which has not been subject to audit or third party review.

# HyperLocal Ads Uniquely Positioned to Provide Highest Possible eCPMs

## High Fill Rates

HyperLocal has ads from nearly a million local advertisers ensuring superior coverage



## High CTR

HyperLocal uses location based targeting to ensure high relevance



## Interactive Ads

HyperLocal is built on technologies that enable a rich experience & multiple payable actions



## High eCPM



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