



Why Australia's commercial broadcasters embraced DAB+

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DAB+ key to keeping radio a competitive force

A vastly better radio experience for listeners with:

- 1 Enhanced sound
- 2 Better onscreen info and an intuitive user experience
- More stations and content to appeal to diverse audience needs



Radio stations in Sydney



From 18 services on AM and FM



Sydney digital services buddha hits koffee chill **INTS** (P) iHeart RADIO Coles radio THOROUGHBRED CENTRAL ABC ์ Wild Selisten เม CHEMIST SBS Radio 3 **Tiple** Unearthed REMIX mix

To 50 including DAB+

DAB+ policy settings

- Free spectrum
- 2 No restriction on the use of spectrum or formats
- 3 No new competitors for 6 years or more
- Broadcasters or broadcaster consortiums in each market to own spectrum and multiplex licences



Phased approach to digital rollout

NEW MARKETS SWITCHING ON



Phase 1 - complete 5 markets on air (64% population)

Phase 2 - underway 15 regional markets being planned (over 80% pop coverage)



New stations – Kinderling Kids











Foreign language stations













Retail and business partnerships

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Short term pop-up station Elf Radio



- Captures mood of the festive season
- Promoted with chance to win \$1,000 cash





Southern Cross Austereo DAB+ brand extension strategy





















Moving to monetisation



SYDNEY RADIO - DAB+ STATIONS ONLY - SURVEY 3 2018

Cumulative Audience (000's) by Demographic, Listening via DAB+ or Internet, Mon-Sun 5.30am-12midnight

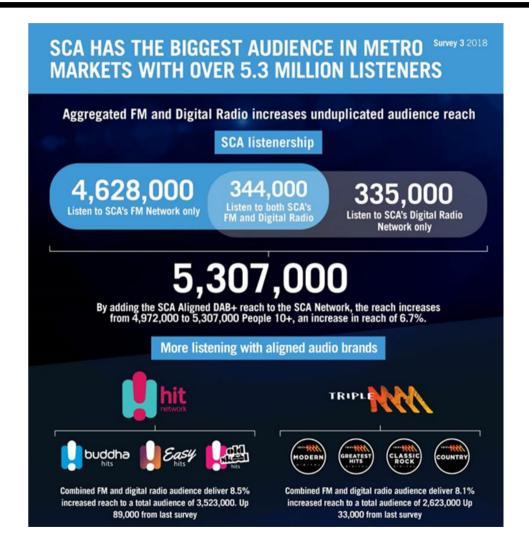
Station	People 10+			People 10-17			People 18-24			People 25-39			People 40-54			People 55-64			People 65+		
BUDDHA HITS	45	42	3	3	2	- 1		2	*	24	20	4	13	10	3	3	5	-2	3	3	0
Chemist Warehouse Remix	17	15	2	1	1	0		*	*	14	14	0		*	*	1					
Coles Radio	79	76	3	12	6	6	15	13	2	41	32	9	5	18	-13	6	8	-2		*	
EASY HITS	69	37	32	12	5	7	7	*	*	28	12	16	12	14	-2	4	4	0	5	3	2
Edge Digital	137	106	31	15	13	2	29	34	-5	77	48	29	17	11	6					*	
Kinderling Kids	39	31	8	6	6	0	*	*	*	31	18	13	2	8	-6	*				*	
Koffee	51	40	11	11	4	7	4	3	1	28	23	5	4	5	-1	2	3	-1	2	1	1
MMM CLASSIC ROCK	77	77	0	8	9	-1	2	2	0	45	33	12	12	21	-9	10	10	0		2	
MMM COUNTRY	20	n.a.		3	n.a.	*	2	n.a.	*	14	n.a.	*	*	n.a.	A	*	n.a.		1	n.a.	
MMM GREATEST HITS	71	81	-10	22	17	5	3	6	-3	28	25	3	8	18	-10	8	8	0	3	8	-5
MMM MODERN DIGITAL	22	27	-5	8	9	-1		*	*	15	15	0		2	*					2	*
NTS News Talk Sport	46	39	7	11	5	6	4	6	-2	28	25	3	3	2	1	2	1	1		*	
OLDSKOOL HITS	67	66	1	5	8	-3	5	6	-1	40	33	7	15	18	-3	*			1	1	0
The 80s iHeartRadio	74	63	11	5	8	-3	4	4	0	31	18	13	26	25	1	5	7	-2	1	2	-1
The 90s iHeartRadio	50	57	-7	5	9	-4	3	6	-3	28	25	3	10	14	-4	4	4	0		*	
triple j Unearthed	65	63	2	19	18	1	6	9	-3	25	23	2	11	8	3	2	2	0	1	3	-2
ABC Country	69	54	15	7	6	1	8	7	1	43	28	15	4	8	-4		1		8	4	4
ABC Grandstand	89	66	23	9	7	2	7	7	0	39	20	19	18	13	5	10	7	3	6	13	-7
ABC Jazz	104	95	9	7	10	-3	5	3	2	62	41	21	19	20	-1	3	10	-7	7	11	-4
ABC KIDS LISTEN	64	n.a.		16	n.a.		2	n.a.	*	36	n.a.		9	n.a.		1	n.a.			n.a.	
Double J	77	75	2	7	11	-4	2	8	-6	37	30	7	23	22	1	7	4	3		*	
Total Digital/Internet Only	705	698	7	81	83	-2	70	86	-16	287	244	43	183	180	3	52	63	-11	32	41	-9

		Mon-Fri		Breakfast			Morning				Afternoor	1	Drive			Evening			Weekend		
Station	Mon-Frl 5:30am-12mn			Mon-Frl 5:30am-9:00am			Mon-Frl 9:00am-12:00md			Mon-Frl 12:00md-4:00pm			Mon-Frl 4:00pm-7:00pm			Mon-Frl 7:00pm-12:00mn			Sat-Sun 5:30am-12mn		
BUDDHA HITS	38	39	-1	25	27	-2	15	19	-4	11	19	-8	16	12	4	14	14	0	25	30	-5
Chemist Warehouse Remix	12	13	-1	4	4	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	*	3	*	8	6	2	5	3	2
Coles Radio	58	58	0	8	3	5	8	21	-13	16	26	-10	31	26	5	20	15	5	35	29	6
EASY HITS	58	29	29	14	5	9	25	12	13	31	20	11	19	13	6	11	1	10	25	12	13
Edge Digital	124	97	27	68	54	14	51	33	18	37	37	0	53	44	9	36	24	12	66	40	26
Kinderling Kids	27	26	1	13	8	5	10	11	-1	8	7	1	9	11	-2	10	11	-1	21	17	4
Koffee	34	27	7	11	7	4	9	6	3	12	14	-2	9	8	1	10	8	2	24	22	2
MMM CLASSIC ROCK	52	54	-2	35	28	7	21	18	3	27	22	5	14	24	-10	13	16	-3	44	43	1
MMM COUNTRY	15	n.a.		9	n.a.		2	n.a.	*	1	n.a.	*	2	n.a.		6	n.a.		10	n.a.	*
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ABC Grandstand	53	39	14	20	6	14	2	3	-1	16	17	-1	12	11	1	28	19	9	52	40	12
ABC Jazz	90	79	11	36	28	8	16	13	3	33	35	-2	24	30	-6	36	30	6	53	53	0
ABC KIDS LISTEN	50	n.a.		21	n.a.		7	n.a.	*	14	n.a.	*	14	n.a.	*	14	n.a.		29	n.a.	*
Double J	68	60	8	24	24	0	23	23	0	23	27	-4	40	38	2	32	31	1	39	44	-5
Total Digital/Internet Only	616	597	19	325	279	46	260	221	39	291	321	-30	304	313	-9	248	223	25	459	452	7

- First DAB+ radio report released in 2015
- From 2018, DAB+ surveys are released 8 times a year alongside traditional AM/FM audience surveys
- Cumulative audience by demographic and by session for all stations
- Transparency and data insights for advertisers



Southern Cross Austereo aggregated audience reach



Incremental revenue growth

No additional sell for advertising on DAB+ stations



Where to next?





- Innovation in car
- Consumers want more personalised services and interactivity
- DAB+ and the internet work hand in hand
- We see a multi-platform future for radio
- RadioApp means all analogue and DAB+ stations can be streamed from one app
- Keep audiences with radio rather than looking elsewhere

DAB+ helps radio evolve into broader entertainment brands

- Radio stations no longer just broadcasters
- DAB+ provides the technology to support an integrated offering so our listeners can listen, tweet, vote, buy and share









PWC Entertainment & Media Outlook 2018-2022



"The resilient radio industry will find growth over the forecast period via new products and distribution channels such as podcasts, streaming, on-demand and DAB+"



