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Top 3 content topics by weekly growth



Books & Literature 3.2m page views



Video Gaming 1.2m page views +52% WoW



Personal Finance 10.8m page views +48% WoW

7 DAYS TO SUNDAY 31ST OCTOBER



+81%
B&L unique user growth

Our books & literature category was the Ozone platform's best-seller last week as the category's +81% unique user and +59% page view growth flew this key arts category up the table. Fiction, poetry and children's literature were among the category's top-performing topics

8.8m
Video Gaming page views

With one eye on Black Friday and the other on Christmas, our weekly video gaming audience grew by +69% last week as the countdown to the two shopping bonanzas began to accelerate. 1.2m weekly page views was also +53% higher than the weekly average in the last 3 months

10.8m
Personal Finance page views

A huge spike in interest into the implications of last week's autumn budget on consumer finances drove engagement with our personal finance category, with **10.8m weekly page views up +48%**. The category's 3.3m unique users was also the biggest weekly audience of the year

Top 10 content topics

| Category | Page Views | WoW Growth | Unique Users | WoW Growth |
|------------------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|
| Books & Literature | 3.2m | 59% | 1.1m | 81% |
| Video Gaming | 1.2m | 52% | 370k | 69% |
| Personal Finance | 10.8m | 48% | 3.3m | 47% |
| Careers | 7.5m | 45% | 2.6m | 39% |
| Science | 11.5m | 19% | 3.5m | 16% |
| Hobbies & Interests | 5.3m | 16% | 1.9m | 20% |
| Family & Relationships | 35.9m | 12% | 7.7m | 11% |
| Events & Attractions | 26.1m | 11% | 6.5m | 11% |
| Shopping | 8.2m | 10% | 2.5m | 11% |
| Sport | 42.8m | 8% | 6.6m | 8% |

Source: The Ozone Project 2021

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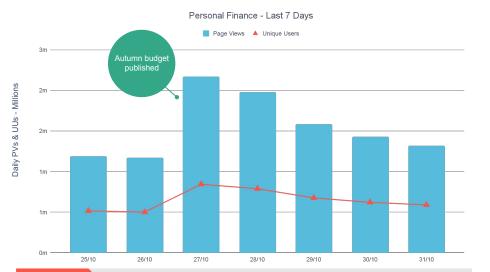
Rishi Sunak's autumn budget - and quite possibly his divisive choice of footwear (who knew sliders could split the nation so significantly!) - drove engagement with our personal finance category last week

What the budget meant to the finances of millions of consumers nationwide was a hot topic of editorial debate, discussion and analysis across the Ozone platform, with 3.3m unique users also the biggest weekly audience of the year



SUNAK SLIDES UP PERSONAL FINANCE





+85%
Daily PVs growth
on 27th Oct

Daily personal finance engagement **grew by a massive +85% to 2.2m**page views on Wednesday 27th October, the day the Chancellor of the Exchequer published the Autumn budget and spending review

+73%
Higher total Thurs to Sun PVs

Interest in personal finance remained high for the remainder of the week, with 6.3m total daily page views from Thursday to Sunday a massive +73% higher compared to the same period in the week before

7.8m
Total topic page views

Financial assistance, personal taxes and savings were the top 3 topics by engagement, with a combined 7.8m total weekly page views, as consumers read about what the budget meant to their own finances



