



People today have shorter attention spans than ever before. With digital mobile consumption this is increasingly shrinking and we now have shorter attention spans than even goldfish!

In order to combat this you need to craft your message in a smart way. Here are the types of messages that people want and tips to break through the noise so that your content drives results.



Creating Great Content Checklist:

- My content has a **clear value proposition**.
- My message is **short, direct and to the point**.
- My message is **structured for scanning**.
- My message is **real and authentic**.
- My content is **interesting**.
- My message has a clear next step or **call to action**.
- My call to action can be completed in **as few steps as possible**.
- I am using **visuals** that illustrate my message.
- I have considered using **video**.
- I am using **copy that is catchy**.

What's in it for the person receiving this message? Why should they care?

Is my content easily digestible? Can I break my content down into multiple messages, each with a single focus?

Am I tapping into emotions or using humor? Is my content new and unique compared to everything else?

Are my words capturing the attention of the reader in a clear and memorable way?

50 Types of Digital Content to Drive More Traffic:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Infographics | <input type="checkbox"/> Product Reviews | <input type="checkbox"/> Podcast | <input type="checkbox"/> Reddit User Creation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Live Video | <input type="checkbox"/> How-to | <input type="checkbox"/> Interviews | <input type="checkbox"/> Content Visualizations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Live Chats | <input type="checkbox"/> Lists | <input type="checkbox"/> Research & Data | <input type="checkbox"/> Media Mentions |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Video and Micro Video | <input type="checkbox"/> E-book | <input type="checkbox"/> White Papers | <input type="checkbox"/> Client Testimonials |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Guides | <input type="checkbox"/> Case Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Photo Galleries | <input type="checkbox"/> Inspirational Messages |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Blog Posts | <input type="checkbox"/> Online Events | <input type="checkbox"/> FAQs | <input type="checkbox"/> Company News |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletters | <input type="checkbox"/> Q&A | <input type="checkbox"/> Plug-ins | <input type="checkbox"/> Company Performance |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mobile Apps | <input type="checkbox"/> Images | <input type="checkbox"/> Timelines | <input type="checkbox"/> Interactive Content |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tweets | <input type="checkbox"/> Slideshares | <input type="checkbox"/> Stories | <input type="checkbox"/> Online Magazines |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GIFS | <input type="checkbox"/> Competitions | <input type="checkbox"/> Vlogs | <input type="checkbox"/> Pinterest Posts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Webinars | <input type="checkbox"/> User-generated Content | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Polls | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Opinion Predictions | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Resource Page | <input type="checkbox"/> Useful Spreadsheets or Documents | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Giveaways | <input type="checkbox"/> Free Tools or Resources | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Demos of products | <input type="checkbox"/> Paid Tools or Resources | | |



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