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## Film consumers in Canada

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## **Canadian Perceptions**



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English-speaking Canadians' perceptions improved in 2013 versus 2012:

- 66% of respondents agreed in 2013 it is important to promote Canadian films internationally, versus 57% in 2012

- Fewer respondents agreed that American film are better made: 53% in 2013 versus 61% in 2012



## **Behaviour of Canadians**



## **Canadians and film – frequency of viewing**



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## **Canadians and film – viewing is increasing**

Respondents reported an increase in their consumption of films: 29% of respondents reported an increase in 2013 up from 24% in 2012



#### REASONS WHY CANADIANS WATCHED MORE FILMS THIS YEAR VERSUS LAST



## **Canadians and film – convenient access**

The popularity of digital viewing appears to have an impact on where Canadians feel Canadian films should be made available:

Platform	2012	2013
Online	44%	57%
Television	58%	58%
Cinema	61%	53%



## **Canadians and film – selecting a film**

Once a Canadian has decided to see a film the genre is the key factor in their selection process.

1	Genre: (Comedy, Action/Adventure/Drama/Mystery & Police)
2	The story
3	The cast
4	Positive reviews in the media
5	Awards the film has won
6	The director
7	That the film is Quebecois
8	That the film is Canadian
9	The origin of the film
10	The producer



### **Canadians and film – where they watch**



## **Canadians and film – popularity of platforms**

Platforms that provide more control to consumers and that are mobile are increasingly used for watching films:

Used once a week or more	2012	2013
Mobile devices	4%	9%
VOD and PPV	8%	12%
Paid streaming	14%	17%
Direct on television	49%	32%
DVD/Blu-Ray/VHS (Owned copy)	25%	19%













#### **PROPORTION OF FILMS VIEWED, BY LOCATION**

21%	73%	6%
Cinema	In-home	Mobile

#### IN-HOME FILM VIEWING BY PLATFORM











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11%	84%	5%
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**19%** OF THE FILM VIEWERS IN THE CANADIAN MARKET



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19%	73%	8%
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16%	77%	7%
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