# WE'RE ALL WATCHING THE MOMENTS THAT MATTER (AND LOTS OF IT TOO!)

A special lockdown update from TVNZ:

17th August - 6th September 2021









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### Our mission remained consistent throughout the level 4 lockdown:

"to enrich the lives of New Zealanders by sharing the moments that matter to our communities, regions and people."











# We know that everyday habits change during lockdown



More NZers find themselves grabbing the remote, their laptop or their phone to watch content - and they are watching more of it too!

It doesn't matter how viewers watch during lockdown, a broad variety of content becomes everyone's favourite companion. The breadth and depth of our content - TVNZ has you covered:

18 genres

10,622 hours of local content

167 local titles



#### Viewing was up!

The BIG numbers during Level 4 Lockdown:

TVNZ saw the highest rise and average audience against all TV networks.1

TVNZ's ratings increased by 44% achieving an average all day audience of 238,400.1

TVNZ peak ratings increased by 20% during lockdown to achieve an average audience of 645,800 viewers.<sup>2</sup>

The TVNZ Network reached an average of 3 million viewers a week during the first three weeks of lockdown.<sup>3</sup>



## 70% of the population tuned into TVNZ's News and Current Affairs during lockdown



#### That's 3.1 million New Zealanders!























### 1) news is the place New Zealanders turn to for trusted Covid-19 live news updates



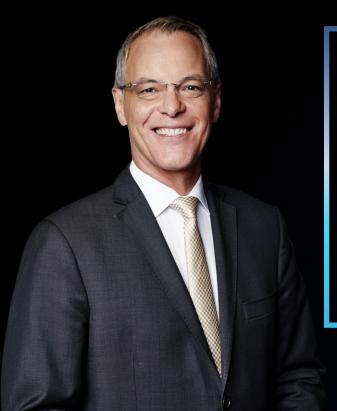
1 Breaking News reached a total of 2.5 million New Zealanders.<sup>1</sup>

Highest rating during lockdown was the 20th of August, rating 20.1 (AP5+) and **19.3** (AP25- $54).^{2}$ 



# With <u>more</u> New Zealanders tuning into too!





Since the start of lockdown, more than half the population have tuned into 1 News at Six!

+13% growth compared to period prior.1

The 17th August was it's highest rating since the start of 2020, hitting a massive 25!

Exceeding the ratings high in the first lockdown in Feb 2020.<sup>2</sup>



# We've also seen **Sharp** audience increases...



Since the start of lockdown,

Seven Sharp has reached 2.2

million Nzers.1

For 3 weeks running, an average of **889K** viewers have tuned into Seven Sharp each night

Up 28% verse 3 weeks prior.<sup>2</sup>







- 1. 1 NEWS at Six
- 2. 1 Breaking News
- 3. Hyundai Country Calendar
- 4. Seven Sharp
- 5. Give Us A Clue
- 6. The Repair Shop
- 7. Fair Go
- 8. Sunday(PM)
- 9. Your Home Made Perfect
- 10. Border Patrol

TVNZ 1 reached an average of **2.8 million** viewers a week during level 4 lockdown.<sup>2</sup>



The Repair Shop reached almost 1 in 4 viewers aged AP 25 -54 during lockdown.<sup>3</sup>



Give Us A Clue reached

1.4 million NZers (30% of NZ).4





- 1. Celebrity Treasure Island
- 2. The Undateables
- 3. Shortland Street
- 4. Taskmaster (NZ)
- 5. Travel Guides (Australia)
- 6. Wentworth
- 7. Police Ten 7
- 8. MasterChef Australia
- 9. Have You Been Paying Attention?
- 10. Home and Away

TVNZ 2 has reached an average of **2.1 million** viewers a week during level 4 lockdown.<sup>2</sup>



Celebrity Treasure Island reached **680k** viewers in one episode.<sup>3</sup>



The Undateables reached **497k** people in just 2 episodes.<sup>4</sup>





- 1. Wellington Paranormal (R)
- 2. Frickin Dangerous Bro On the Road (R)
- 3. Rick and Morty (R)
- 4. Mr Pickles (R)
- 5. 8 Out of 10 Cats (R)
- 6. Hollow Man
- 7. Robot Chicken (R)
- 8. Family Guy (R)
- 9. Inside Britain's Secret Nuclear Submarine
- 10. The Big Bang Theory (R)

TVNZ DUKE has reached an average of 1.2 million viewers a week during level 4 lockdown<sup>2</sup>





### The Top 10 Shows

#### Reach:

- 1. 1 NEWS Special: Coronavirus Updates
- 2. Shortland Street
- 3. The Panthers
- 4. 1 NEWS at Six
- 5. MasterChef Australia
- 6. One Lane Bridge
- 7. Home and Away
- 8. Wentworth
- 9. My Life Is Murder
- 10. Dr. Death

#### Streams:

- 1. Bluey
- 2. Shortland Street
- 3. MasterChef Australia
- 4. Home and Away
- 5. Downton Abbey
- 6. 1 NEWS Special: Coronavirus Updates
- 7. The Panthers
- 8. 1 NEWS at Six
- 9. Nashville
- 10. One Lane Bridge





# TVNZ OnDemand broke **MOre** records this lockdown!

TVNZ OnDemand achieved its highest weekly reach

ever during the first week of lockdown, reaching 694,632 viewers.1

20<sup>th</sup> August was our **biggest day** yet breaking daily records<sup>2</sup>:

Reach: **354,400** 

Streams: 1.5 million

TVNZ OnDemand achieved its highest weekly streams

ever during the second week of lockdown, achieving 9 million streams<sup>3</sup>.

During the first three weeks of lockdown, TVNZ OnDemand reached nearly 1 million viewers, up 26% verse the three weeks prior<sup>4</sup>. In total, over 26 million streams have also been generated, up 45% verse the three weeks prior<sup>4</sup>.





Staying connected in lockdown is so important, even for New Zealanders without an aerial.

#### **TVNZ** connects with Nzers

reached **484,800**viewers during the first three weeks of lockdown, generating nearly **7.5 million** live streams.





#### Masterchef Australia: that's a wrap!



(2)

reached **2.45 million**New Zealanders during season 13 on broadcast TV.<sup>1</sup>

Achieving an average audience of **214K** per episode.<sup>2</sup>



Streamed over 3.2 million times<sup>3</sup>, season 13 generated 25% more streams than season 12.4

Masterchef AUS was the 2nd most streamed show in August.<sup>5</sup>

