The connected consumer

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10 million subscribers

2 million subscribers







Today





40 million subscribers

30 million subscribers

KEEP CALM **THERE IS AN APP** FOR THAT



The mobile phone is ubiquitous

2017 This Is What Happens In An Internet Minute





We know a lot our customers



- Your search history
- Your location
- Whether or not you have an internet connection
- Which apps you have on your mobile phone



- Where your kids go to school
- Where you shop
- Where you eat out
- How often you go

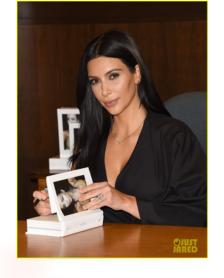


And all this information is aggregated on a mobile device, but do we know what to do with it?

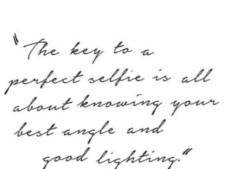
But the marketplace is getting more complex

The oldest millennial consumer is nearly 40 years, they are influencing how business is done, driving the economy

- They document everything they do on social media
- They want instant gratification
- Advertising does little to influence them
- They review blogs before making a purchase
- They have no loyalties
- They value authenticity



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Empowered consumers, they drive the agenda









Going to Africa. Hope I don't get AIDS. Just kidding. I'm white!

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Decision-making in the connected world

- Think like a millennial
 - What value are we adding to them
- Agility
 - Consumer needs are fluid
 - Be prepared to change course at a moment's notice
- Adaptability
 - Different segments have different needs, will be reached differently
 - Non-traditional approaches to research
 - What worked yesterday may not work today
- Collaboration
 - Big data
 - Social media



Thank you

