



Social, the most important trend

“the amount a user shares today is **twice** the amount they shared a year ago”

- Zuckerberg's Law



“it won't be long before Social Media Marketing will surpass SEO” - Donanza

**How do you use social
to drive traffic?**

Queue your updates

Saturday 1st October

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10 Great Tweetable Quotes To Cheer You Up <http://j.mp/nd6rzC>



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Great list: My Favorite Tools <http://j.mp/omcnEU> by @EvanCarmichael



Sunday 2nd October

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No man is useless while he has a friend. – Robert Louis <http://j.mp/nd6rzC> great find from @sandmaxprime



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YWe make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give. ~ Churchill <http://j.mp/nd6rzC> featuring @amitv_tweets



Monday 3rd October

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Don't deny your feelings. They alone are what guide you through life. ~Anon <http://j.mp/nd6rzC> featuring @LXLee



Traction

- **800 Paying Users**
 - **\$150,000 annual revenue run rate**
 - **97% margins**
 - **55,000 users, growing 40% per month**
 - **1.5 million updates Buffered**
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Milestones

- **Launched web app**
January 2011
- **55,000 users (\$150K revenue)**
October 2011
- **Launch the API**
October 2011
- **Integrated in 50 apps**
December 2011
- **100,000 users (\$288K revenue)**
January 2012
- **1 million users (\$3.6M revenue)**
January 2013

Business Model

- **Freemium model with consistent 2% conversion from Free to Paid plans**
- **5% churn equates to a LTV of \$240 and allows us to pay up to \$5 to acquire a free user**
- **At 1M users, our projected revenue is \$3.6M**

Social Media Landscape

- **Of 200M daily Tweets, 55% contain links**
- **4 billion items shared on Facebook per day**
- **Zuckerberg's Law shows exponential growth of sharing**
- **Traffic through social is soon to surpass traffic from search**

The effect of Buffering

**“Buffer Finds Tweet Scheduling
Can Increase Clicks by 200%”**


 **ReadWriteWeb**

A sharing standard

- 6 integrations so far
- in talks with Reeder, Pocket and Feedly
- We plan to become the default sharing standard in any app



Competitive Landscape

 **hootsuite™**

 **tweet™**

Social Media Dashboards



 **Seesmic**

 **Crowdbooster**

 **Timely** Intelligent Sharing




 **buffer**





 **buffer**



Scheduling Apps



 **yoono**

Sharing Platforms

 **SOCIAL OMPH**
Boost Your Productivity

Team

Joel Gascoigne

Co-Founder, took the idea to revenue in 7 weeks, Masters in CS

Leo Widrich

Co-Founder, marketer, took Buffer from 200 to 55,000 users

Advisors

Guy Kawasaki

Former Chief Evangelist of Apple. Co-Founder of Alltop. Author of ten books

Hiten Shah

CEO / Co-Founder of KISSmetrics. Previously started CrazyEgg & ACS

Previous Investors

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