

# Web App Autopsy

**SXSW 2007**



# WUFOO

PHP

**6 months** to launch

Launched : **July 2006**

**3** Employees



**Ruby on Rails**

**3 months to launch**

**Launched : July 2005**

**6 Employees**



**Java**

**5 months to launch**

**Launched : February 2004**

**~30 Employees**

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**.NET**

**3 years** to launch

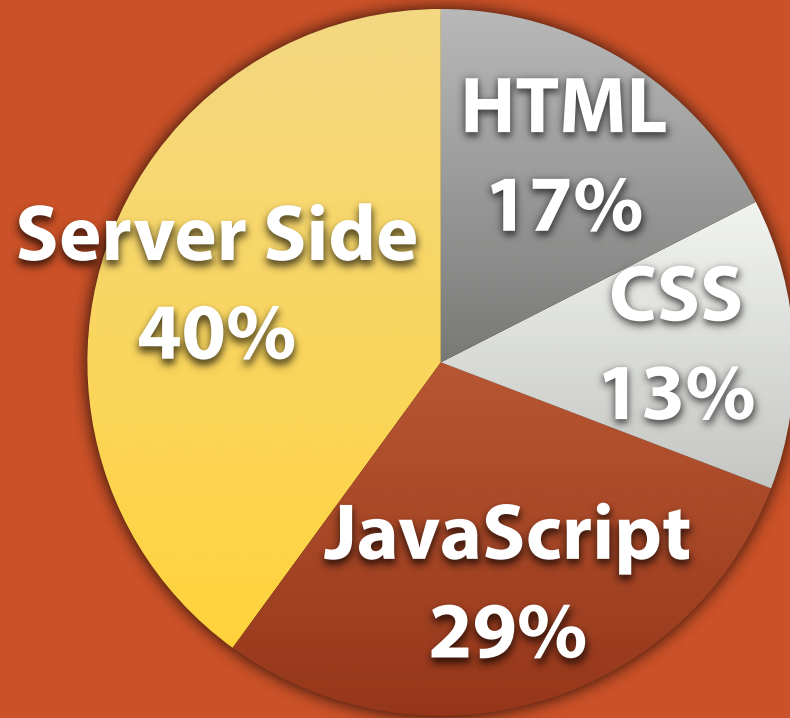
Launched : **1996**

**50** Employees

# Code Line Counts

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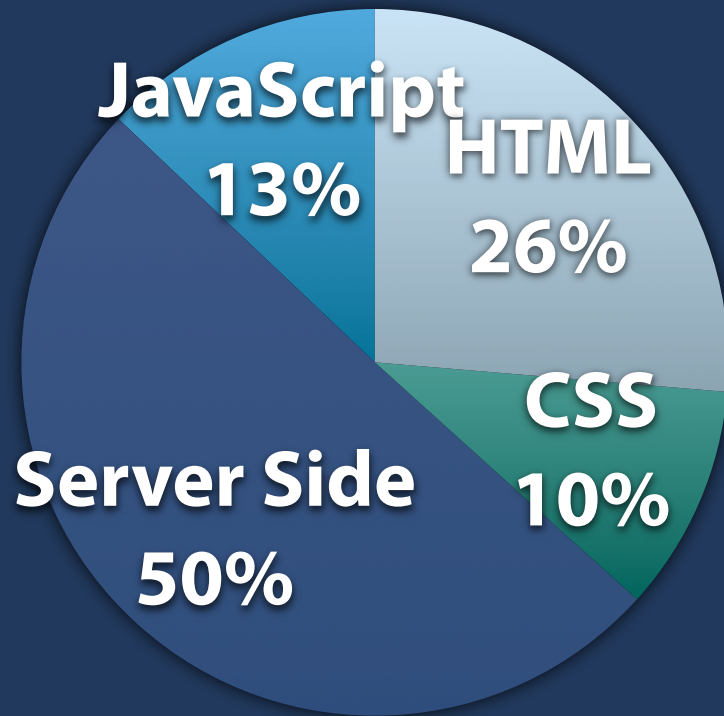
**HTML : 7,616**

**CSS : 5,791**

**Server Side : 17,398**

**JavaScript : 12,719**

**Total : 43,524**



**HTML : 14,650**

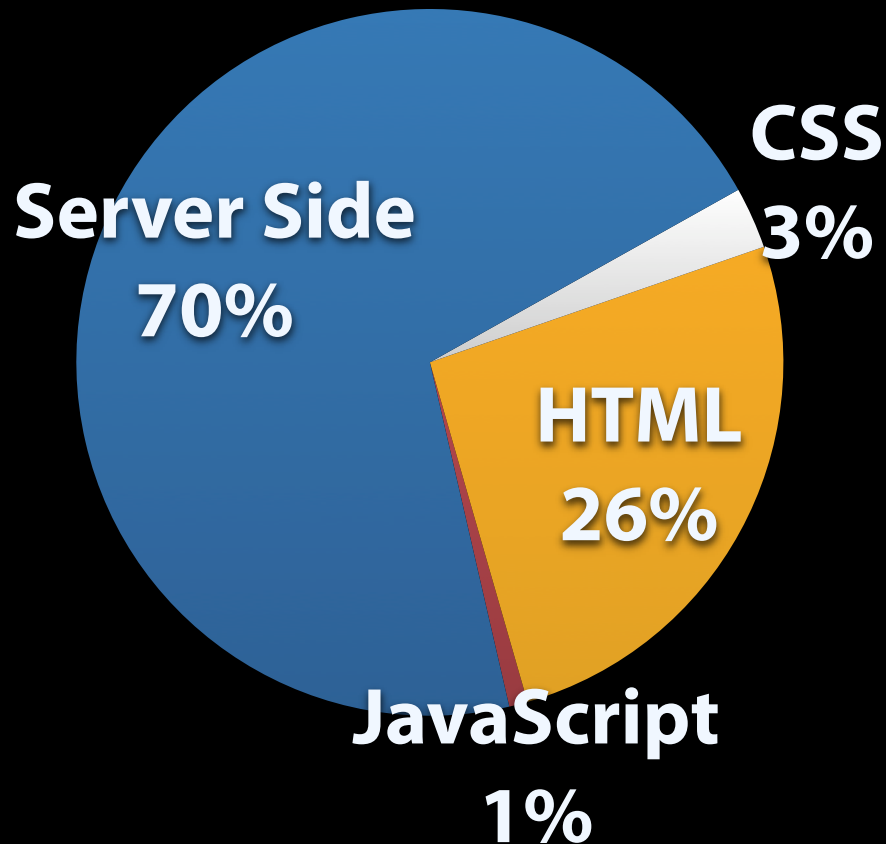
**CSS : 5,767**

**Server Side : 28,031**

**JavaScript : 7,183**

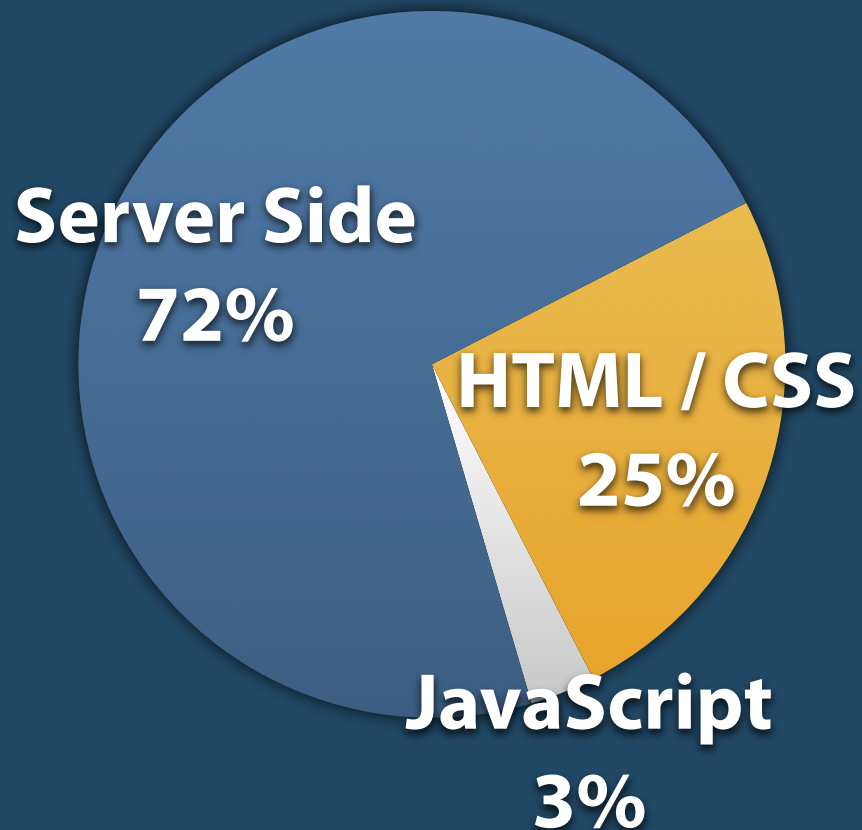
**Total : 55,631**





**HTML** : 55,000  
**CSS** : 6,000  
**Server Side** : 150,000  
**JavaScript** : 1,800  
**Total** : 212,800

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**HTML / CSS : 137,327**

**Server Side : 395,501**

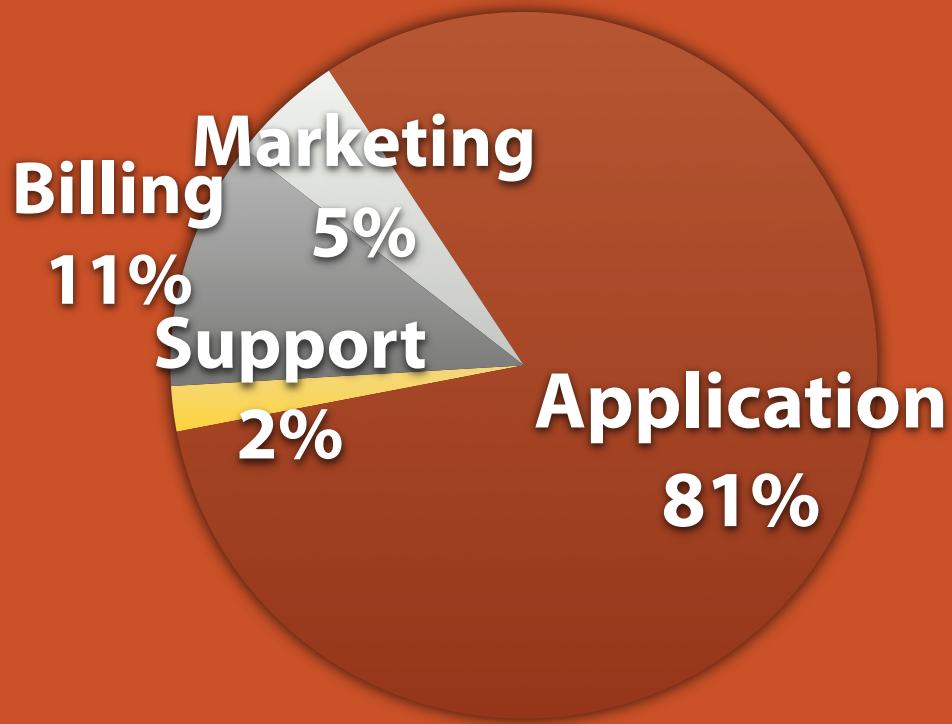
**JavaScript : 16,479**

**Total : 549,307**

# Line Counts per Business Process

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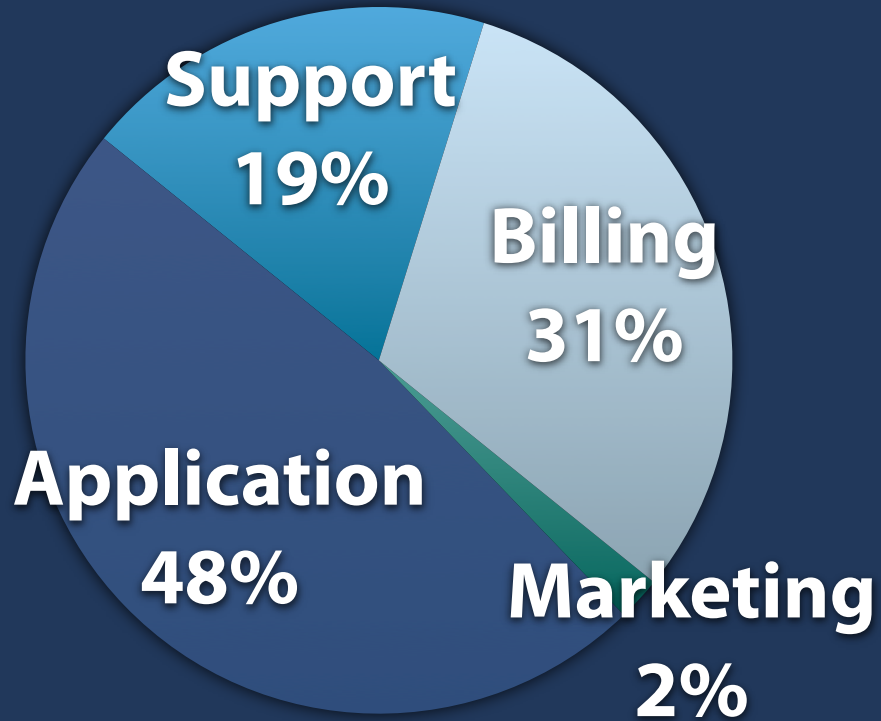
**Application : 35,380**

**Billing : 4,979**

**Support : 903**

**Marketing : 2,262**

**Total : 43,524**



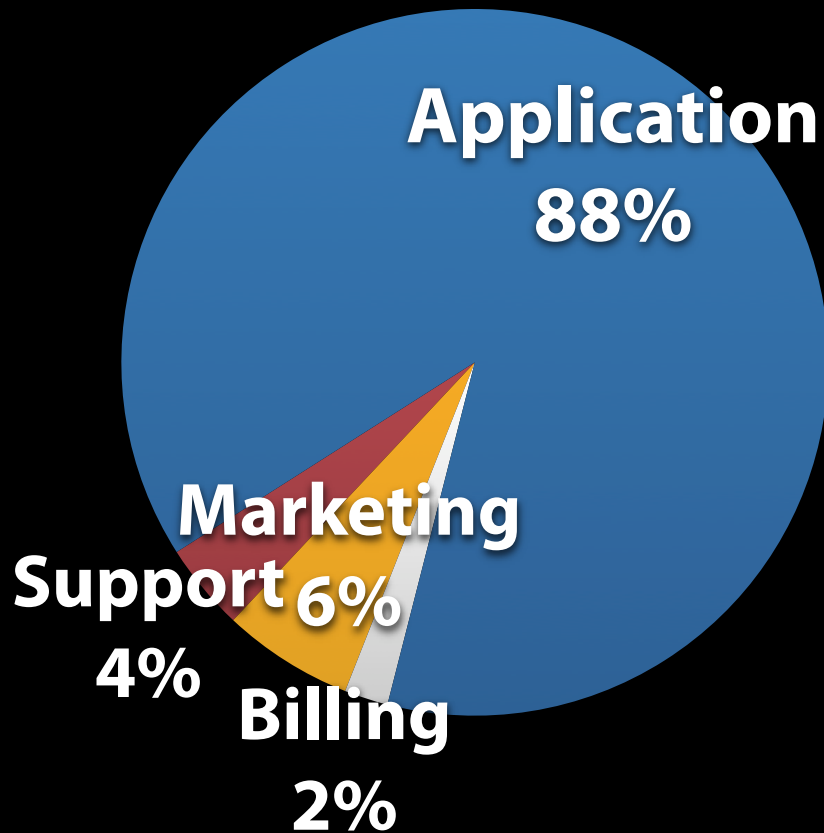
**Application : 26,703**

**Billing : 17,245**

**Support : 10,570**

**Marketing : 1,113**

**Total : 55,631**



**Application : 189,550**

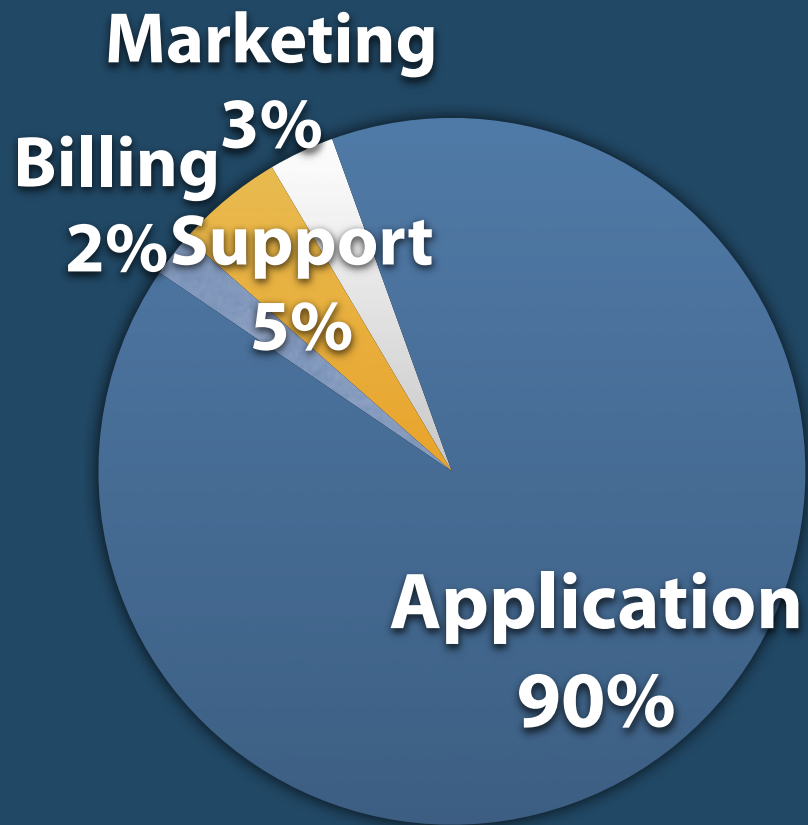
**Billing : 3,500**

**Support : 8,000**

**Marketing : 11,750**

**Total : 212,800**

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**Application : 494,377**

**Billing : 10,986**

**Support : 27,465**

**Marketing : 16,479**

**Total : 549,307**

# Support Requests

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**WUFOO**

12 per day

 **Blinksale**<sup>®</sup>

8 per day

 **FeedBurner**<sup>™</sup>

45 per day

regonline

234 per day

# Freestyle!

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# WUFOO

**7,000** invitations sent  
to potential Beta Testers.

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**7,000** invitations sent  
to potential Beta Testers.

Only **3,500** created an account.

Only **50** of them became customers  
(and we offered them **half off**).

WUFOO

Success! Thanks for filling out my form!

WUFOO

Create your own form for free

**Ads on Confirmation Page:  
10.5% clickthrough**

# WUFOO

**119,000** visitors to Particletree

**3,600** click throughs (3%)

**252** created accounts (7%)

**2.5** customers (1%)





February 2004

# FeedBurner Launch

157 feeds / 175 publishers

## CUSTOMERS

early adopter types

tech bloggers

## STATS



hits, item clicks



June 2004

# Calculating "Circulation"

3,096 feeds / 2,958 publishers

## CUSTOMERS

early adopter types

tech bloggers

## STATS



hits, item clicks

circulation



May 2005

# Tracking Item Views ("PRO stats")

56,149 feeds / 43,074 publishers

## CUSTOMERS

early adopter types

tech bloggers

podcasters

blog networks

## STATS



hits, item clicks

circulation

item views

February 2006

# Feed Stats Redesign

219,276 feeds / 142,423 publishers

## CUSTOMERS

early adopter types

tech bloggers

podcasters

blog networks

commercial publishers

## STATS



hits, item clicks

subscribers

item views

reach, uncommon uses,

downloads



January 2007

# Site Stats (née Blogbeat)

552,273 feeds / 329,453 publishers

## CUSTOMERS

early adopter types

tech bloggers

podcasters

blog networks

commercial publishers

entertainment media

non-traditional publishers

## STATS



hits, item clicks

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visitors, searches,  
referrers, pages, links

March 2007

# Headline Animator Stats

**597,855** feeds / **360,864** publishers

## CUSTOMERS

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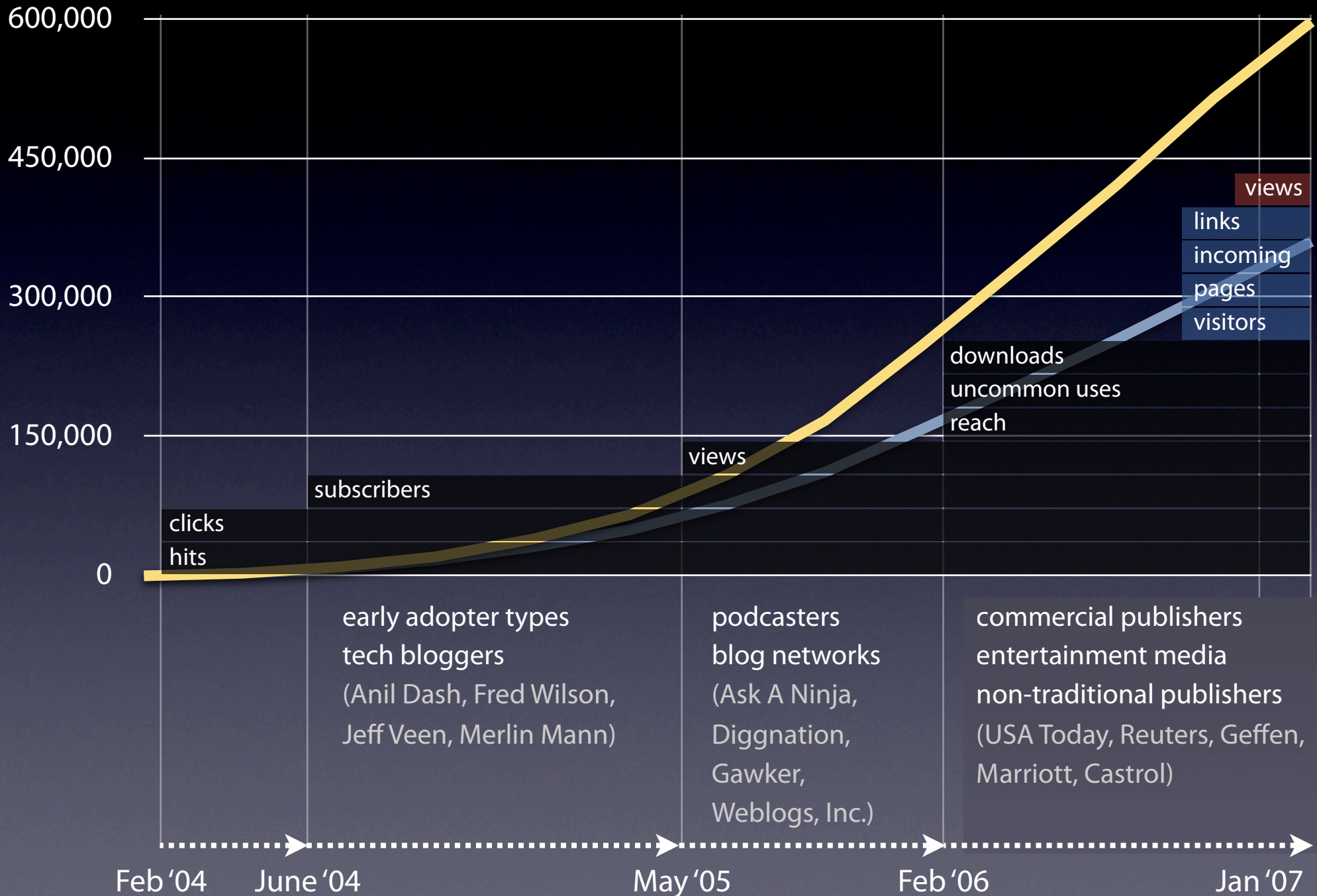


Headline Animator views





- Feeds
- Publishers
- Feed Stats
- Site Stats
- Headline Animator Stats





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Powered By Logo

**339%** increase in click through

Video Spokesperson

**11%** increase in registrations

Why Register Online?

**6%** increase in registrations

# Wireless Conference 2007

*designing the future... today!*

Thank you for taking the time to try the RegOnline sample registration form. You will now go through the registration process from the perspective of a registrant. Please note that any information you enter during this process will be discarded and will not be used or transferred. We encourage you to use your real email address so that you will receive the sample confirmation and reminder email messages.

And please take a moment to click on the event Details link to view the web site that is automatically created by RegOnline. You may find it convenient to rely on this mini-site as the primary web site for your event.

\* = required field

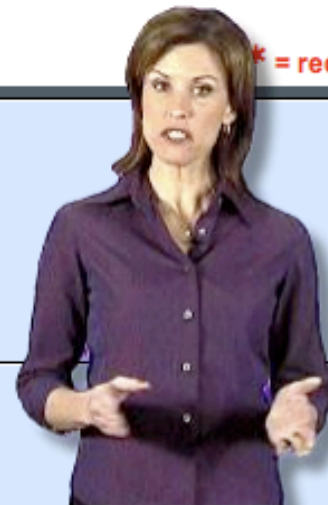
## IWA 2007 Annual Conference ([Event Details](#))

Omni Interlocken Hotel  
500 Interlocken Blvd.  
Broomfield, CO 80021  
Monday, June 11, 2007 - Wednesday, June 13, 2007

## Lodging Information

[Hotel Boulderado \(Details\)](#)


[Omni Interlocken Resort \(Details\)](#)



# Conversions

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# Conversion per 100 Visits

	Free	Paid
	7.00%	1.00%
	11.00%	1.00%
	8.00%	N/A
	1.52%	1.14%

# Average Revenue per Customer

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**WUFOO**

**\$13.03/month**

 **Blinksale<sup>®</sup>**

**\$12.25/month**

**regonline**

**\$131/month**

# Best and Worst Months

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	Best	Worst
<b>WUFOO</b>	Feb	Dec
 <b>Blinksale</b>	Jan	Dec
 <b>FeedBurner</b> <sup>™</sup>	Jan/Feb	Dec
<b>regonline</b>	Sept	Dec



**Thanks!**

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<http://particletree.com/sxsw/autopsy.zip>