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# TIDE:

# Experimenting New Ways of Distribution





## WHAT IS TIDE?





### **CONTEXT AND ORIGINS**

- Limited circulation for a certain type of films
- Saturation of cinema screens
- Evolutions and changing habits in audiovisual consumption in the digital era
- Arrival of new economic players





### THE TIDE EXPERIMENT AT A GLANCE

1

An experiment on day-and-date distribution models

2

A multi-territorial dimension

3

Transversal Marketing and mutualized resources.





### THE TIDE EDITIONS



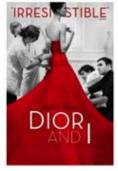














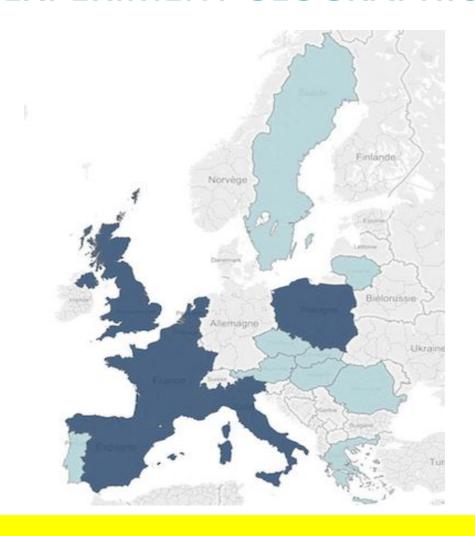








### THE TIDE EXPERIMENT GEOGRAPHIC IMPACT







# HOW DOES TIDE WORK?

CONCRETE EXAMPLES





### WHO IS INVOLVED IN TIDE 3 (2015)?

A coordination team composed by actors of the film distribution chain:

















Local distributors involved in Tide 3



























### THE TIDE 3 APPROACH

1

An experiment on simultaneous and multi-territory distribution models

2

A flexible scheme where sales agents, distributors and other players of the industry can suggest films.

3

a common marketing approach on parallel countries where 100% of digital transversal marketing costs and up to 50% of local P&A are covered.





## 1. SIMULTANEOUS DISTRIBUTION MODELS





#### **D&D** releases

- Short windowing exploitation on multiple media types
- Economies of scale through transversal marketing
- Manage short cycles of revenue streams

#### **Global and Local VoD Platforms**















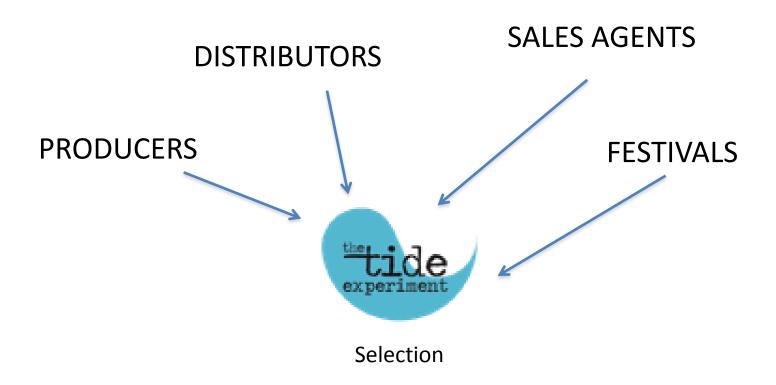


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### 2. SELECTION OF FILMS







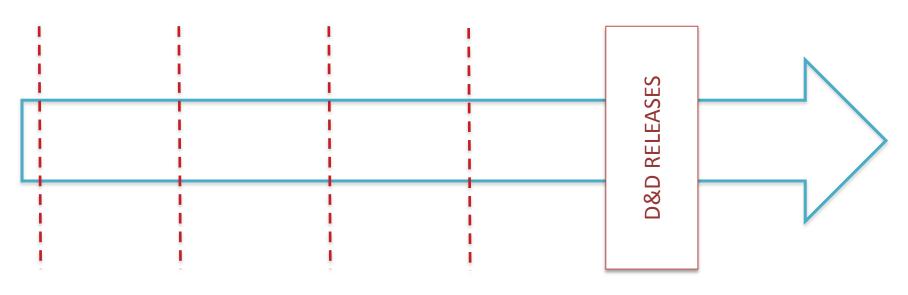
### 3. TRANSVERSAL MARKETING A PILAR OF THE TIDE APPROACH

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### **MARKETING STRATEGY Timeline**



screening

M-4 M-3 Building of the Approval of transversal marketing tools strategy

the marketing

**M-1** M-2 Creation of the Premieres, elements event

(website...)

**VOD** platforms Briefs

M

Social Media, Video Seeding, re-use of promotionnal materials...





# TRANSVERSAL MARKETING ACHIEVEMENTS IN 2 MAIN INNOVATIONS

1

**ONE MOVIE / ONE POSTER / SEVERAL TERRITORIES** 

2

**CENTRALIZED DIGITAL CAMPAIGNS** 





### 1

### Agreed common global identity













### 2

### **Professional assets & online marketing**



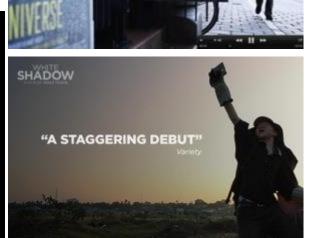


















### THE TIDE 3 RELEASES







Title	Territories	Date	Release Format
Dior and I	France, Italie, Benelux, CZ, Portugal, Sweden	June-September	Day and Date
6 Desires	UK, France, Poland, Sweden	June- July	Festival To Date
The Visit	France, Benelux, Poland, Romania	October- November	Day and Date
Miss Julie	UK, Ireland, Italy	September- November	Day and Date







# DIOR & I- TERRITORIES INVOLVED AND TIMELINE

countries	type	VoD release	Theatrical	Gobal PF	Local VoD PF	Local distributor
France	Ultra VOD	24-juin	08-juil	iTunes Google	Filmo TV	Dissidenz
Italy	Day&Date	03-juin	04-juin	iTunes Google	mymovies.it	Feltrinelli
Netherlands	Day&Date	30-juil	30-juil	iTunes Google		Imagine
Belgium/Lux	Day&Date	08-juil	08-juil	iTunes Google	Voo, Universciné, Belgacom, Télénet	Imagine
Sweden	Day&Date	09-oct	09-oct	iTunes Google	Sf Anytime, Plejmo, Viaplay, TriArt.se	Non Stop
Czeck Rep	Day&Date	June 11	June 11	iTunes	VOYO, Alzamedia, Aerovod	Artcam
Portugal	Day&Date	10-sept	10-sept	iTunes	Nos, Meo, Cabovisao Optimus, Vodaphone	Alambique





# MARKETING STRATEGY Dior and I

Luxury is rarity...

A lot of existing tools





### **STILLS AND PHOTOGRAPHY**







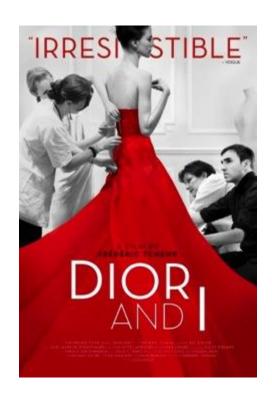








### **POSTER**







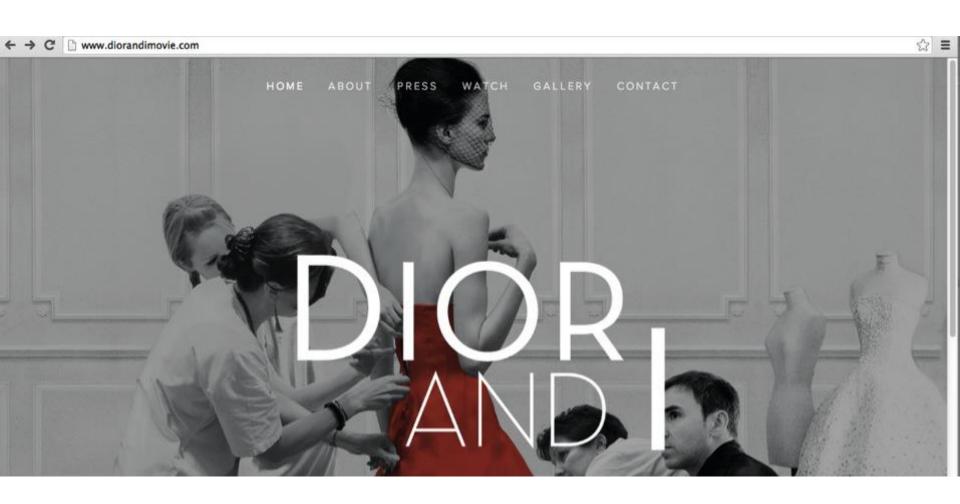
### **TRAILER**







### **WEB PAGE & SOCIAL MEDIA**







### **BASIC DIGITAL MARKETING TOOLS**



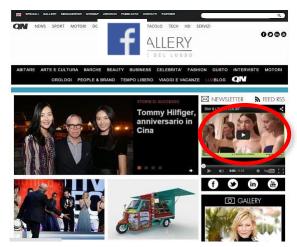
















**Dior Press Offices** 



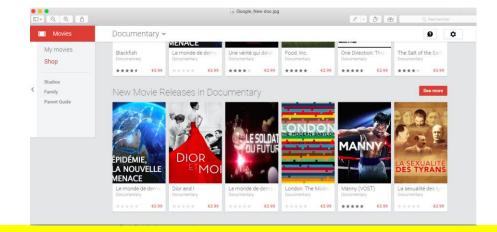


### **VOD platforms VISIBILITY**

#### iTunes



### Google









# THE VISIT: AN ALIEN ENCOUNTER TERRITORIES INVOLVED AND TIMELINE

TIDE countries	type	VoD release	Theatrical	Gobal PF	Local VoD PF	Local distributor
France	Ultra VOD	19-oct	04-nov	iTunes, Google	Filmo TV	Pick Up film
Poland	Near Day&date	02-oct	16-oct	iTunes	VoD.pl	Against Gravity
Bel / NL	Near Day&date	08-oct	15-oct	iTunes, Google		Cinemien
Romania	Day&date	04-Dec	04-Dec		Mubi	Cloro Film





## MARKETING STRATEGY & ACTIONS: THE VISIT

- An acclaimed documentary since Sundance
- Social Media
- Event screening : Livecast
- The Space week







# MARKETING STRATEGY & ACTIONS: THE VISIT – Social Media

#### **Facebook**



#### Geo-localized posts







# MARKETING STRATEGY & ACTIONS: THE VISIT

#### Twitter:

8,5 k impressions in the last 28 days, average of 301 impressions per day.











### "WITTY, INTELLIGENT, THRILLINGLY INVENTIVE"

BFI LONDON FILM FESTIVAL

### "A BEAUTIFULLY-RENDERED TRAVELOGUE"

ALEX SPRINGER, SLUG MAG

A FILM BY MARK COUSINS

# 6 DESIRES THE RAPTURE OF SELF LOSS

**FESTIVAL-TO-DATE RELEASE: Mark Cousins Hibrow Trilogy** 





### HOW IS THE FESTIVAL-TO-DATE SCHEME WORKING?

1

**European films** that have been curated and validated by festivals programmers.

2

Simultaneous releases on key festival selections and VOD platforms.

3

Cross-promotional tools to market the films.







# 6 DESIRES : TERRITORIES INVOLVED AND TIMELINE

TIDE countries	type	VoD release	Gobal PF	Festival
United Kingdom	Festival to Date		iTunes, Google, Amazon	Edinburgh Film Festival
France	Day & Date	03- July	iTunes, Google	Fid Marseille
Czech Republic	Day & Date	09-July	iTunes	Karlovy Vary



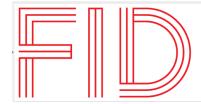


### THE FESTIVALS









26<sup>th</sup>International Film Festival Marseille





### **MARKETING ASSETS**

- Coffee and Cigarettes helped us creating a new identity for the trilogy
- Transformation from existing materials to enhance the cross promotional tools visibility: creating new iconographic posters











### **NEW TRAILER**







### **DIGITAL MARKETING ASSETS**

## LIFE MAY BE THE MARK COUSINS HIBROW TRILOGY TOURING IN FESTIVALS AND IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE ON VOD





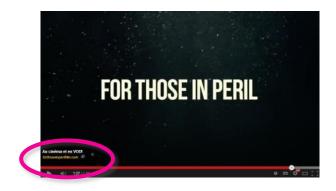






### **DIGITAL MARKETING TOOLS**











#### PR COMMUNICATION STRATEGY

- Hiring publicists: Way To Blue as the agency in charge of the PR during the festival
- Secure key interviews with print & online press
- Creating specific content to enhance visibility online (ex/ video shot as we speak during the festival on the director...)











# MISS JULIE: TERRITORIES INVOLVED AND TIMELINE

TIDE countries	type	VoD release	Theatrical	Gobal PF	Local VoD PF	Local distributor
UK	Day and Date	04-sep	04-sep	1	BT Vision, Curzon Home Cinema	The Yellow Knife
Ireland	Day and Date	28-aug	28-aug	iTunes, Google		The Yellow Knife
Italy	Day and Date	19-nov	19-nov	iTunes, Google		Lab80





# WHATHAVE WE LEARNED?





### WHAT WE HAVE LEARNT SO FAR 1/2

### "So does it work????"





### WHAT WE HAVE LEARNT SO FAR 2/2

- Processes and work methods
- . Challenges
- . Achievements
- → Next steps
- Accessibility of the films
- . VOD / theaters ratio
- . Geography of the films
- → Increase in the potential audience





### **MASTER OF THE UNIVERSE**

Geography of *Master of the Universe* theatre admissions for the 5 countries of the experiment



#### **SOURCE:**

NEW APPROACHES FOR GREATER DIVERSITY OF CINEMA IN EUROPE?

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Box office

Countries	Release	Theatres	Admissions	VOD transactions	iTunes share
France	12/11/14 UVOD 26/11/14 theatres	26	1160	1503	27 %
Netherlands	02/10/2014	20	621	323	64 %
Italy	27/11/2014	12	539	775	92 %
Poland	05/12/2014	25	2270	807	31%
Greece	20/01/2014	1	528	68	100%





### **MASTER OF THE UNIVERSE**

ITALY FRANCE





Geographical comparison between theatrical box office and VOD transactions

#### **SOURCE:**

**NEW APPROACHES FOR GREATER DIVERSITY OF CINEMA IN EUROPE? (THOMAS PARIS)** 





### **MASTER OF THE UNIVERSE**





iTunes sales between first and second window of exploitation

#### **SOURCE:**

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### THE TIDE ADVENTURE: to be continued?

 Multiplicity of distribution models as an answer to the huge diversity of types of films.

The TIDE 4 application





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