



## **AVAILABILITY OF A SAMPLE OF EUROPEAN FILMS ON VoD SERVICES**

**Hearing on the promotion of  
European films and TV series on-line**

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- Data on the number of on-demand audiovisual services in the European Union
- Analysis of the availability of a sample of 50 leading European films on VoD services

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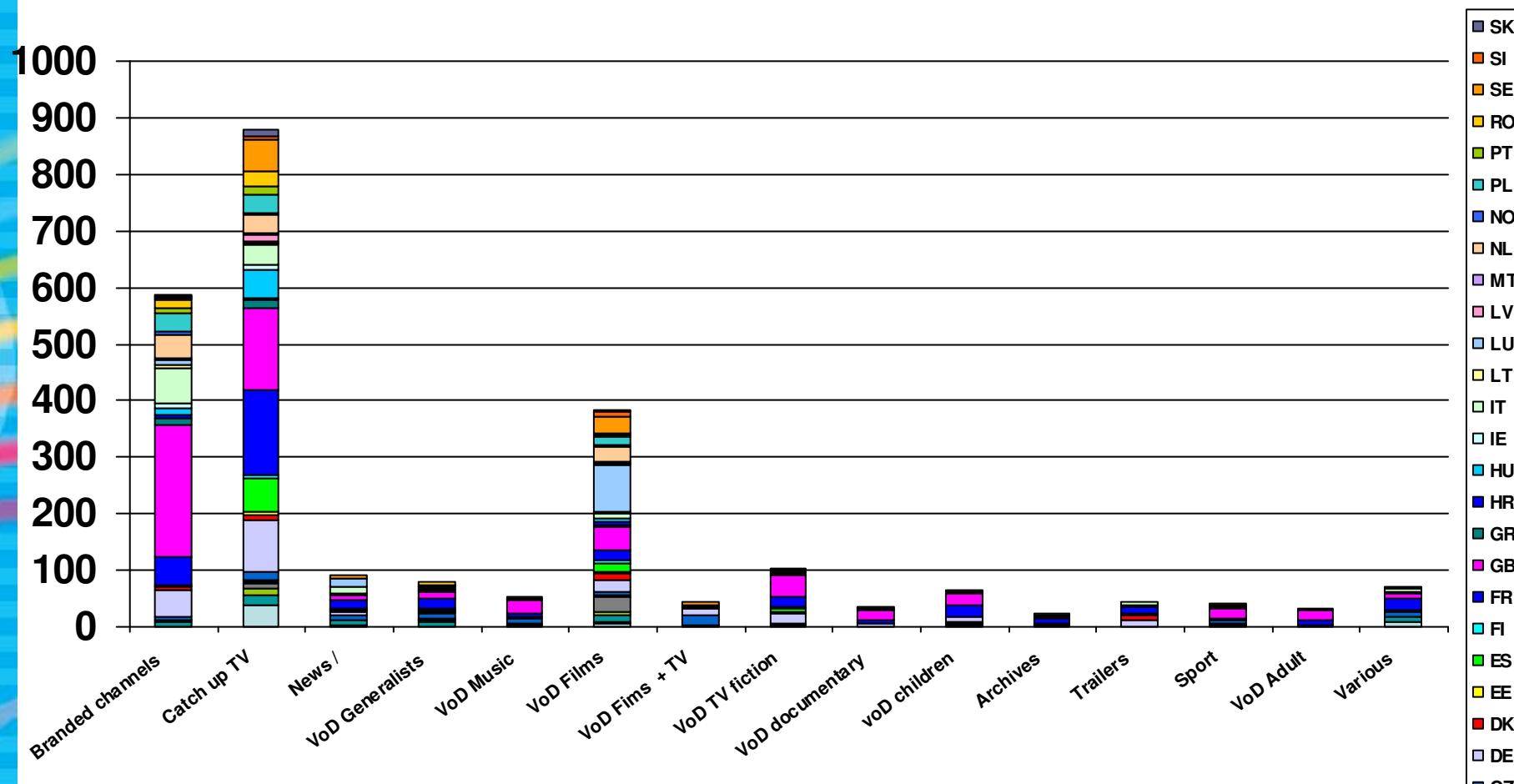
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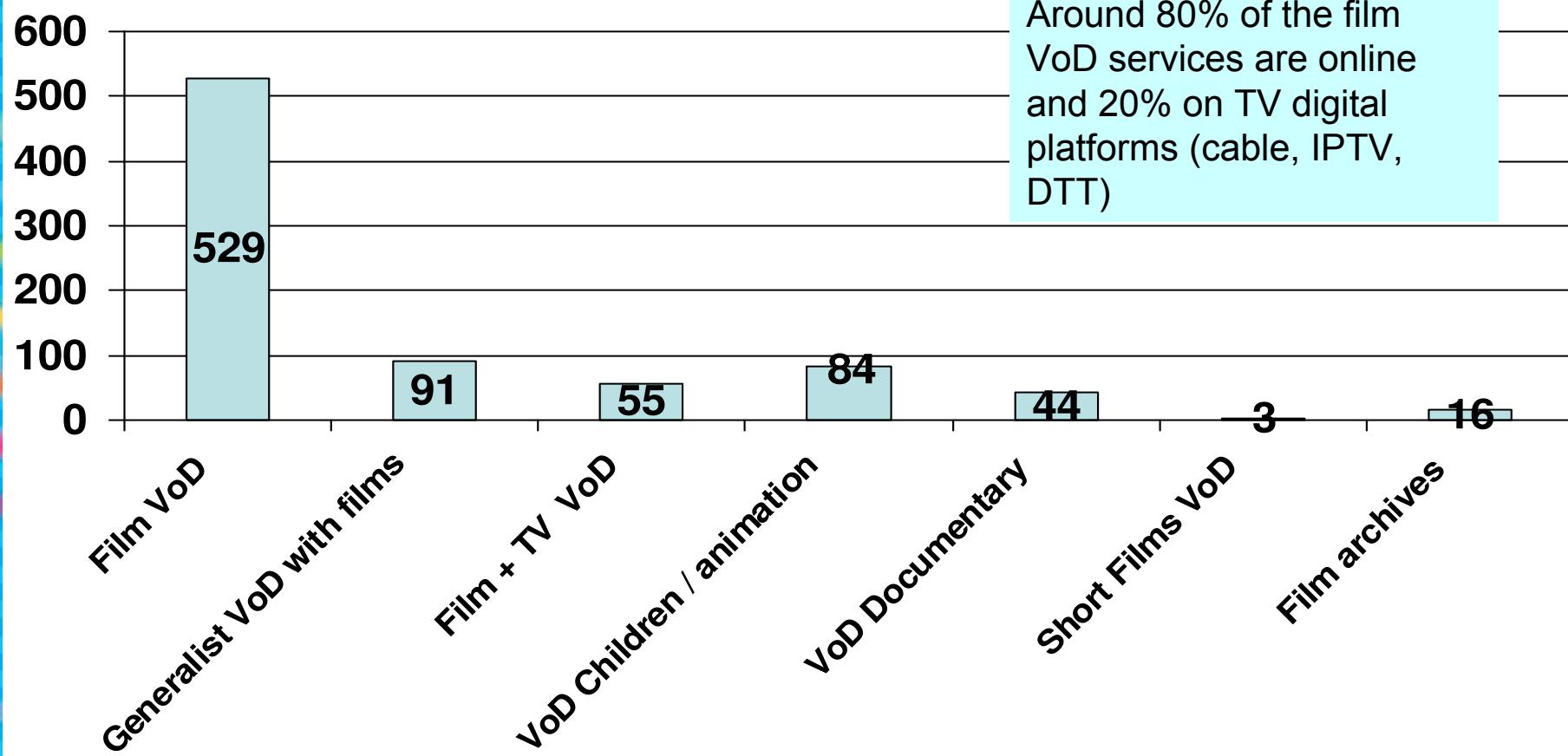


# **2459 ON-DEMAND AUDIOVISUAL SERVICES ESTABLISHED IN THE EU (April 2013)**

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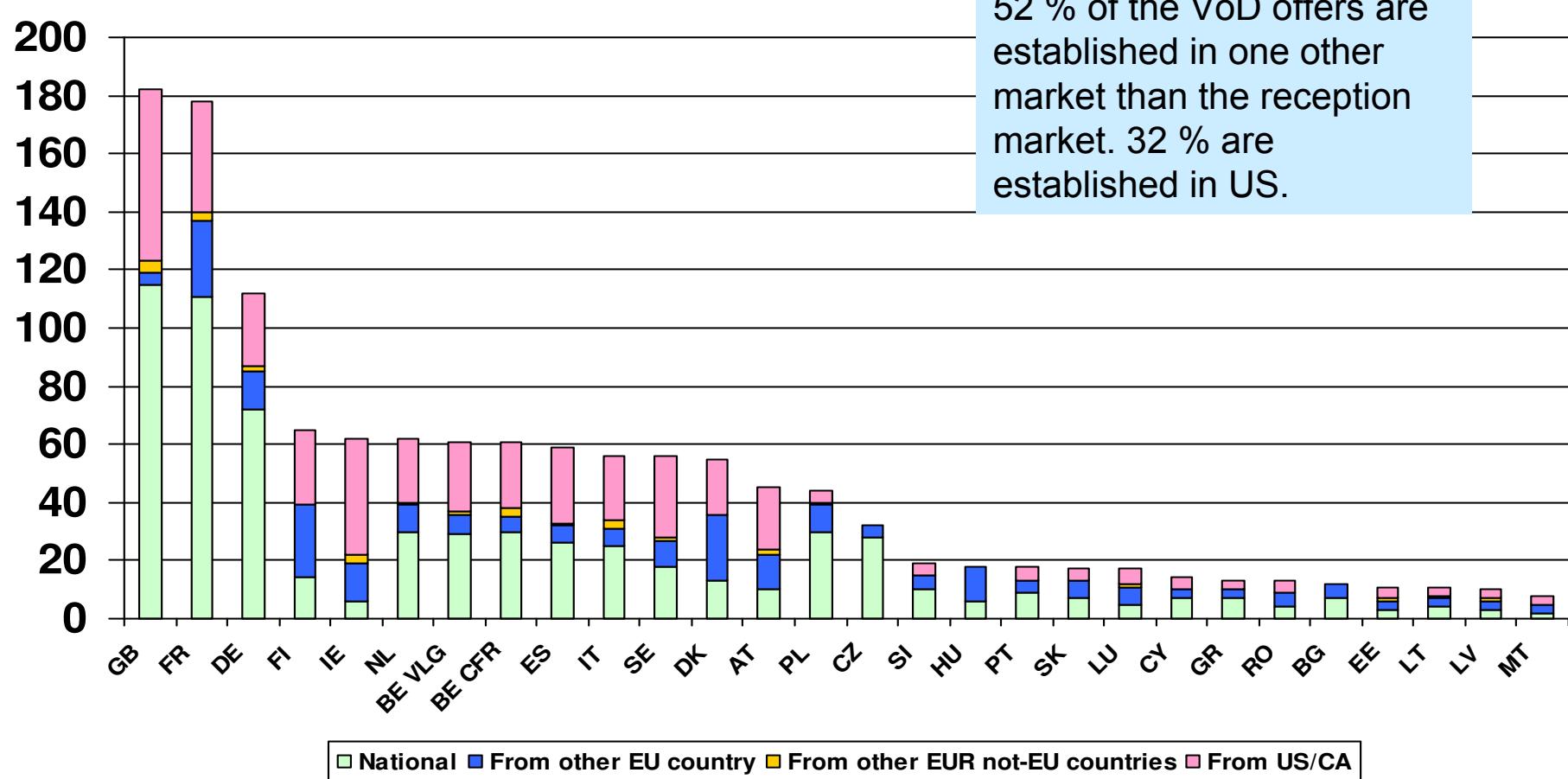


## 822 FILM VOD SERVICES IN THE MAVISE DATABASE (May 2013)



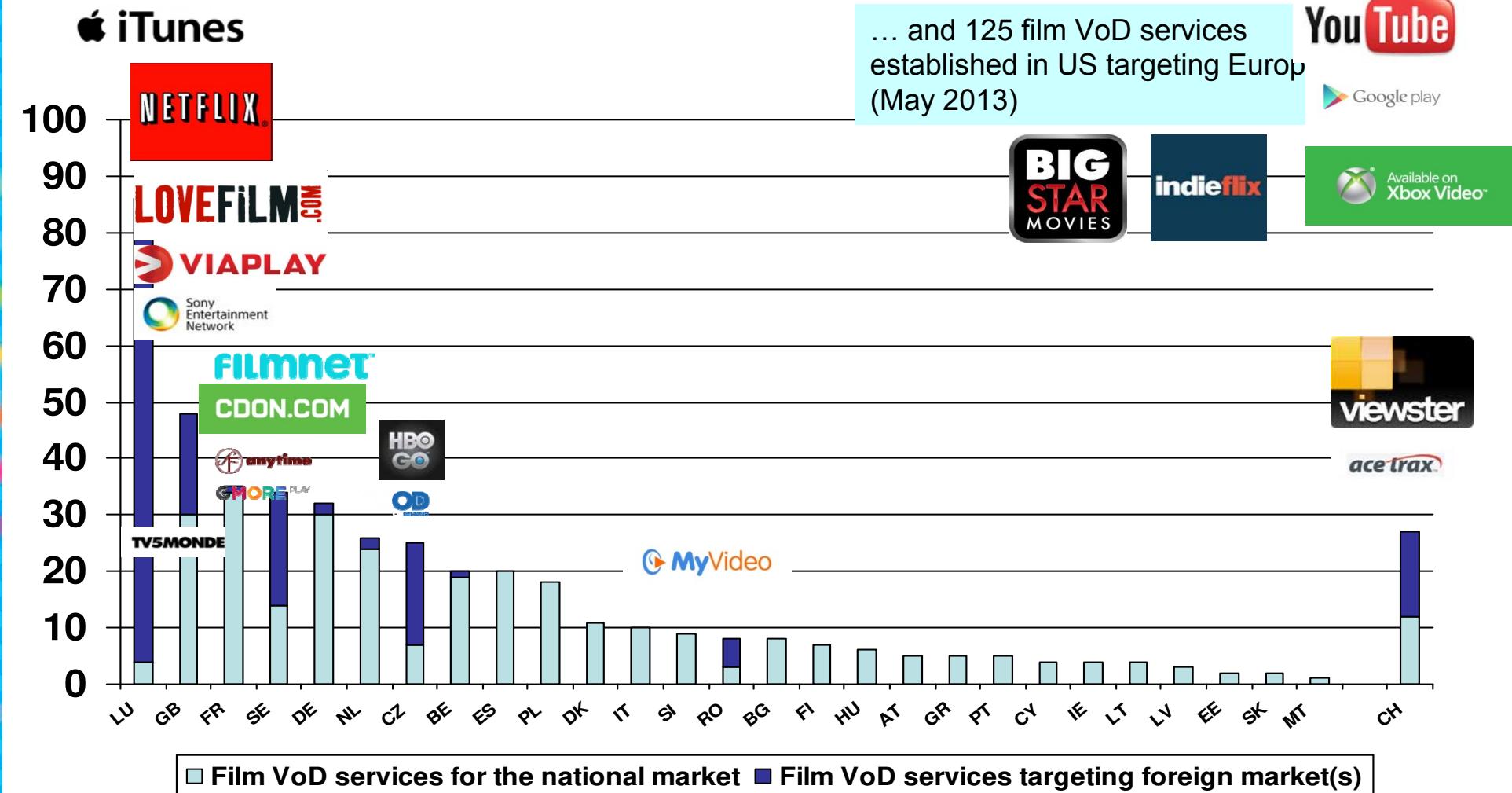
# NUMBER OF VOD SERVICES (ALL GENRES EXCEPT ADULTS) AVAILABLE IN THE EU COUNTRIES – April 2013

Source: European Audiovisual Observatory / MAVISE database



# NUMBER OF FILM VOD SERVICES BY COUNTRY OF ESTABLISHMENT (April 2013)

Source: European Audiovisual Observatory – MAVISE database



48% OF VoD SERVICES IN THE EU ARE UNDER US CONTROL (APRIL 2013)



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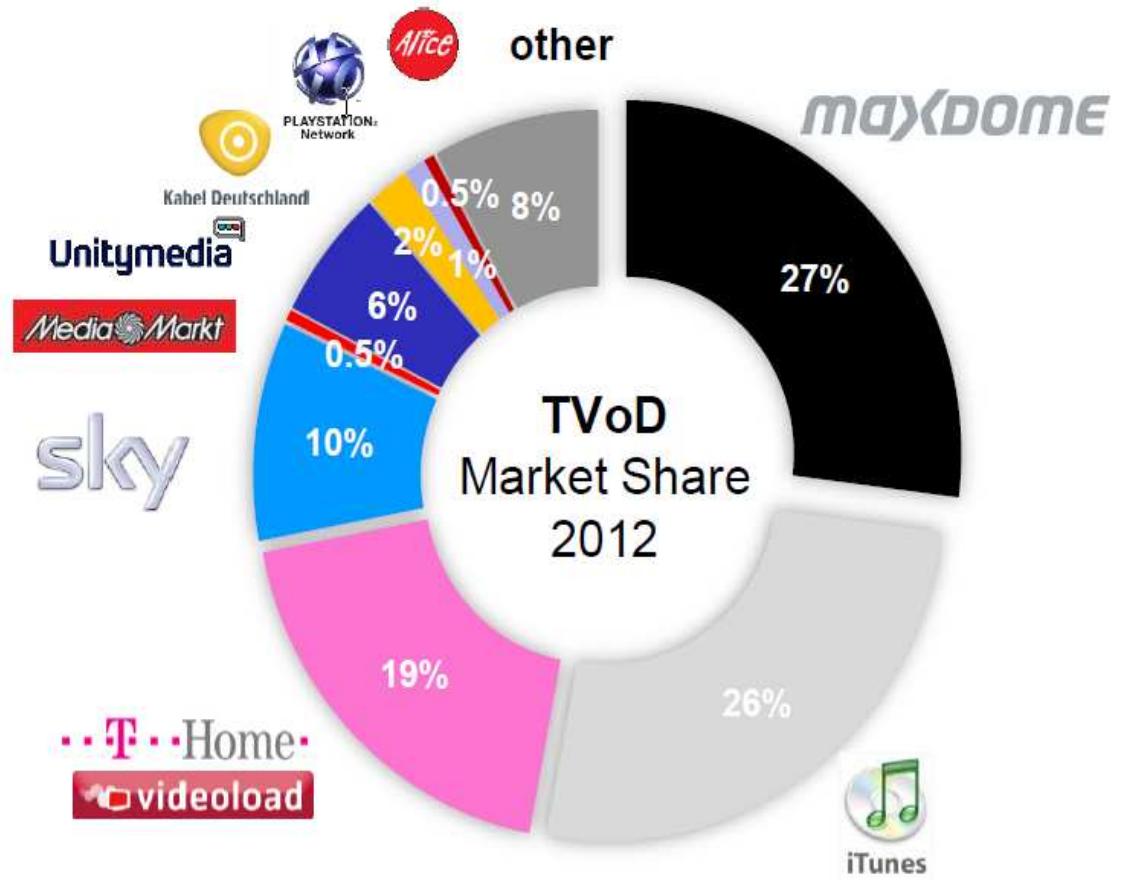


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# MARKET SHARE OF VOD SERVICES IN GERMANY (1st Semester 2012)

Source: GfK Panel Service Germany, 2012; n=652 VoD/ PpV; evaluation period: Jan – Jun;  
revenues in percent



## METHODOLOGY : A SAMPLE OF 50 SIGNIFICANT EUROPEAN FILMS

➤ **Aim of study:** *Test the availability of a sample of 50 European movies* in the catalogues of VoD providers in EU 27(national and pan-European VoD providers) and search for means of prominence for European works

- ➔ Indication of the presence of European works in catalogues
- ➔ Indication of means of prominence used for European works

➤ **Sample:** Selection of 50 successful European movies: Top 25 European « Blockbusters » & last 25 European Film Awards (EFA) winners

➔ « Valuable » video content in the eyes of the customers (*commercial success*) & critics (*quality*)

- ➔ Sample ***statistically not significant*** = *no general conclusions can be drawn* on catalogues and strategy in regard to European movies but rather ***assumptions, hypotheses and indications*** that need to be tested in a more exhaustive catalogue analysis

[Results are only valid for time period – July-September 2013]

## DATA COLLECTION, WITH THE COLLABORATION OF THE EFARN NETWORK

➔ « Questionnaire » elaborated for sample analysis in order to:

- Test the presence of movie titles in catalogues
- Search for 6 means of prominence (*European films on homepage, European/National film section, Search function for European films, Recommendation for European films, Special offers on European films, Presence of trailers presenting European films*)
- French VoD providers, pan-European players (Apple, Microsoft, Google Play, MUBI) examined through desk research (July 2013)
- National markets (EU 27): « Questionnaire » sent out to EFARN members (on a voluntary basis) in order to search for sample of movies in catalogues of their most important national VoD providers (August-September 2013)

➤ Results :

- ➔ Up-to-date 12 answers (BE, DE, DK, EE, GB, IT, NL, PL, SE) + CH, NO, RU
- ➔ Data for 91 services available in EU

# The Movie sample : 25 European « Blockbusters »

Year	Production	Original Movie title	Admissions <sup>1</sup>		Gross <sup>3</sup> in \$ MIL
			Total EU 27	national	
2012	GB / US	SKYFALL	44 464 388	15 945 446	1 109
2011	FR	INTOUCHABLES	39 775 583	21 414 629	351
2001	GB / US	BRIDGET JONES'S DIARY	29 029 836	9 723 791	172 (7)
1999	GB / US	NOTTING HILL	28 206 327	7 419 281	363
2008	FR	BIENVENUE CHEZ LES CH'TIS	25 511 247	20 488 339	164 (8)
1997	GB / US	BEAN: THE ULTIMATE DISASTER MOVIE	24 610 209	4 588 253	232
2002	FR / DE	ASTÉRIX & OBÉLIX : MISSION CLÉOPÂTRE	21 568 619	14 313 876	111
1999	FR / DE / IT	ASTÉRIX ET OBÉLIX CONTRE CÉSAR	20 735 290	8 745 213	n.a.
1997	FR	LE CINQUIÈME ÉLÉMENT	20 658 138	7 696 617	264
2004	GB/US/FR/D/E/IE	BRIDGET JONES: THE EDGE OF REASON	19 560 087	7 943 695	110 (7)
2008	GB	SLUMDOG MILLIONAIRE	16 667 974	5 820 652	191 (5)
2003	GB / US	LOVE ACTUALLY	15 460 165	7 543 045	245
2007	GB/FR/DE/US	MR. BEAN'S HOLIDAY	14 727 660	4 378 026	217
2001	ES / US	THE OTHERS	14 395 223	6 356 779	210
2001	DE	DER SCHUH DES MANITU	13 905 986	11 719 160	81
2003	GB / US	JOHNNY ENGLISH	13 778 649	4 041 542	157
2008	FR / DE / ES / IT	ASTÉRIX AUX JEUX OLYMPIQUES	13 502 542	6 812 378	83 (10)
2000	GB / FR	BILLY ELLIOT	12 433 972	3 893 407	109
2000	FR	TAXI 2	12 214 697	10 239 220	n.a.
2004	FR / CH	LES CHORISTES	11 917 515	8 356 492	n.a.
2006	DE / ES / FR	PERFUME: THE STORY OF A MURDERER	11 047 765	5 589 217	132
2006	FR	LES BRONZÉS 3: AMIS POUR LA VIE	10 797 463	10 223 008	n.a.
1998	FR	LE DINER DE CONS	10 716 740	9 238 220	n.a.
2012	FR	TAKEN 2	10 440 956	2 904 902	376
2004	DE	(T)RAUMSCHIFF SURPRISE - PERIODE 1	10 372 090	9 150 736	80 (12)

- 1: Source - LUMIERE database lumiere.obs.coe.int  
 2: Also part of the Top 25 Box-office ranking  
 3: Source - IMDb <http://www.imdb.com>  
 (4): Only USA, NL & IT available  
 (5) (6): Only USA & GB  
 (7): Only USA, GB, IT & ES available  
 (8): FR, CH, BE  
 (9): ES & USA  
 (10): FR & IT  
 (11): DE, ES & USA  
 (12): DE

# The Movie sample - The 25 European Film Awards (EFA) movies

Year	Production	Original Movie title	Admissions <sup>1</sup>		Gross <sup>3</sup> in \$ MIL
			Total EU 27	national	
1997	GB	THE FULL MONTY <sup>2</sup>	24 550 188	11 096 718	244
2001	FR / DE	LE FABULEUX DESTIN D'AMELIE POULAIN <sup>2</sup>	19 999 974	8 516 391	57,7 (7)
1997	IT	LA VITA E BELLA <sup>2</sup>	19 612 396	5 726 295	229
2003	DE	GOOD BYE, LENIN!	10 632 563	6 574 961	77
1999	ES / FR	TODO SOBRE MI MADRE	7 703 145	2 581 391	22 (9)
2006	DE	DAS LEBEN DER ANDEREN	7 218 804	2 371 327	77
2002	ES	HABLE CON ELLA	6 763 943	1 364 009	50
2010	FR / DE / GB	THE GHOST WRITER	4 580 560	1 048 701	74
2000	DK/FR/SE/D E/NO/NL/IS	DANCER IN THE DARK	3 403 709	202 782	40
2008	IT	GOMORRA	3 358 122	1 747 859	35
2009	DE / AT / FR / IT	DAS WEISSE BAND	2 337 311	668 825	2,4 (6)
2005	FR / AT / DE / IT	CACHÉ	1 681 765	517 258	n.a.
2011	DK/SE/FR/D E/IT	MELANCHOLIA	1 481 055	56 687	n.a.
2012	FR / DE / AT	AMOUR	1 440 481	619 650	9,5 (4)
2007	RO	4 LUNI, 3 SAPTAMANI SI 2 ZILE	1 064 364	89 339	n.a.
2004	DE/TR	GEGEN DIE WAND	791 141	1 619 814	n.a.
1996	DK/SE/FR/N L	BREAKING THE WAVES	298 608	2 980 848	7 (11)
1998	FR	TOPIO STIN OMICHLI	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1995	GB / ES / DE	LAND AND FREEDOM	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1994	IT / FR / CH	LAMERICA	n.a.	n.a.	5
1992	IT / CH / FR	IL LADRO DI BAMBINI	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1991	FR/RU	УРГА	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1990	IT	PORTE APERTE	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1990	GB	RIFF-RAFF	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1988	PL	KROTKI FILM O ZABIJANIU	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

# 91 SERVICES ANALYSED

**VoD providers examined per country**

	VoD 1	VoD 2	VoD 3	VoD 4	VoD 5	VoD 6
<b>BE</b>	Univers Ciné	Telenet	Belgacom	VOO	-	-
<b>DE</b>	Videoload	Maxdome	Watchever	LOVEFiLM	Sky	Unitymedia
<b>DK</b>	TDC	Viaplay	TV2 Play	Netflix	HBO Nordic	-
<b>EE</b>	Starman	Elion	-	-	-	-
<b>FR</b>	Canal Play VoD	Orange VoD	Sony Enter.	My TF1 VoD	Univers Ciné	Canal Play Infinity
<b>GB</b>	Blinkbox	Film 4OD	Netflix	Virgin Media	Sky	
<b>IT</b>	Chili TV	Cubovision	Sky on demand	Mediaset Premium	My Movies	Rai Cinema
<b>NL</b>	Ximon	Videolandondemand	Moviemaxonline	KPN	-	-
<b>PL</b>	vod.pl	ipla.tv	iplex.pl	tvnplayer.pl	vod.tvp	kinoplex
<b>SE</b>	Viaplay	SF Anytime	Telia	Voddler	Netflix	Filmnet

**Under Inter/US control**

- + 26 iTunes Stores
- + 12 XboX overall offer
- + 2 Google Play (FR, GB)
- + MUBI (French version)

## THE PRESENCE OF FILMS OF THE SAMPLE IN THE VOD SERVICES ANALYSED

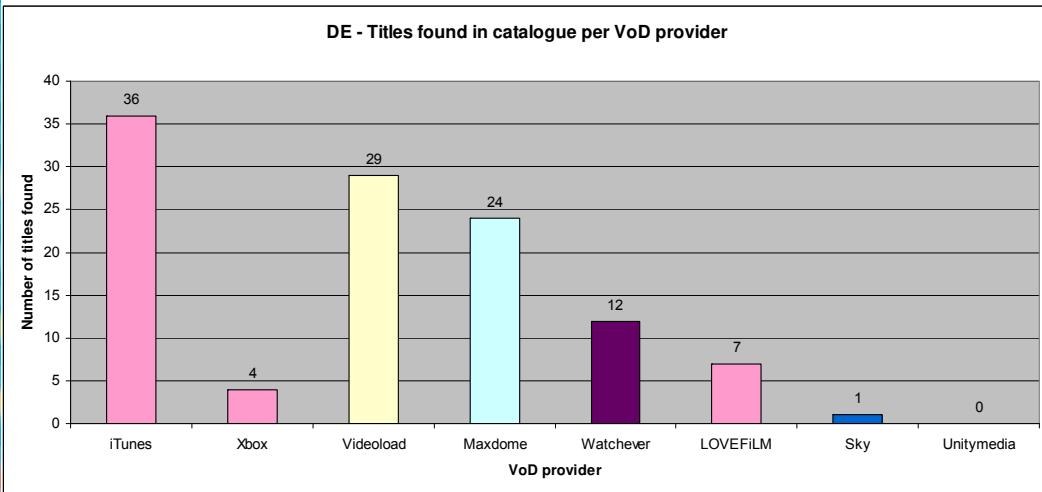
	Pan-European Players																								iTunes			Xbox			Google Play		
	VoD 1			VoD 2			VoD 3			VoD 4			VoD 5			VoD 6			Country Average (Top 4)			iTunes			Xbox			Google Play					
	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.			
BE	9	8	1	8	6	2	4	1	3	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	6	4	2	17	7	10	4	1	3	-	-	-				
DE	29	7	22	24	6	18	12	6	6	7	3	4	1	0	1	0	0	18	5,5	12,5	36	14	22	4	1	3	-	-	-				
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EE	3	2	1	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,5	1	0,5	5	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-				
FR	23	11	12	21	11	10	10	3	7	9	5	4	6	5	1	2	2	0	9,75	5,25	4,5	30	11	19	5	1	4	6	2	4			
GB	16	8	8	11	4	7	8	5	3	6	1	5	6	1	5	-	-	10,25	4,5	5,75	26	11	15	9	2	7	12	2	10				
IT	8	6	2	6	5	1	3	2	1	2	0	2	2	1	1	1	1	0	4,75	3,25	1,50	20	12	8	3	1	2	-	-	-			
NL	11	7	4	9	4	5	9	4	5	7	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	9	4,75	4,25	14	7	7	3	1	2	-	-	-				
PL	13	6	7	11	3	8	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,50	2,75	3,75	5	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-				
SE	14	7	7	11	6	5	11	8	3	9	4	5	4	3	1	3	1	2	11,25	6,25	5,00	10	4	6	3	1	2	-	-	-			
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	Pan-European Players																								iTunes			Xbox			Google Play		
	VoD 1			VoD 2			VoD 3			VoD 4			VoD 5			VoD 6			iTunes			Xbox			Google Play								
	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.	Total	EFA	Blockb.			
BE	18%	32%	4%	16%	24%	8%	8%	4%	12%	6%	4%	8%	-	-	-	-	-	34%	28%	40%	8%	4%	12%	-	-	-	-	-					
DE	58%	28%	88%	48%	24%	72%	24%	24%	24%	14%	12%	16%	2%	0%	4%	0%	0%	72%	56%	88%	8%	4%	12%	-	-	-	-	-					
DK	48%	44%	52%	34%	32%	36%	14%	16%	12%	10%	8%	12%	0%	0%	0%	-	-	22%	20%	24%	6%	4%	8%	-	-	-	-	-					
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FR	46%	44%	48%	42%	44%	40%	20%	12%	28%	18%	20%	16%	12%	20%	4%	4%	4%	8%	0%	60%	44%	76%	10%	4%	16%	12%	8%	16%					
GB	32%	32%	32%	22%	16%	28%	16%	20%	12%	12%	4%	20%	12%	4%	20%	0%	0%	0%	52%	44%	60%	18%	8%	28%	24%	8%	40%						
IT	16%	24%	8%	12%	20%	4%	6%	8%	4%	4%	0%	8%	4%	4%	4%	2%	4%	0%	40%	48%	32%	6%	4%	8%	-	-	-	-	-				
NL	22%	28%	16%	18%	16%	20%	18%	16%	20%	14%	16%	12%	-	-	-	-	-	28%	28%	28%	6%	4%	8%	-	-	-	-	-					
PL	26%	24%	28%	22%	12%	32%	4%	8%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	10%	4%	16%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
SE	28%	28%	28%	22%	24%	20%	22%	32%	12%	18%	16%	20%	8%	12%	4%	6%	4%	100%	20%	16%	24%	6%	4%	8%	-	-	-	-	-				
Under Inter/US control																																	

- iTunes Stores provide higher proportion of films from the sample in DE, FR, GB, IT, BE, NL
- iTunes Store Germany has the best proportion (72 % of the sample, 88 % for the blockbusters, 56 % of the EFA films
- National providers offer higher proportion of films from the sample than iTunes Stores in DK, PL, SE
- Google Play is in second position in UK as for the ‘European blockbusters’

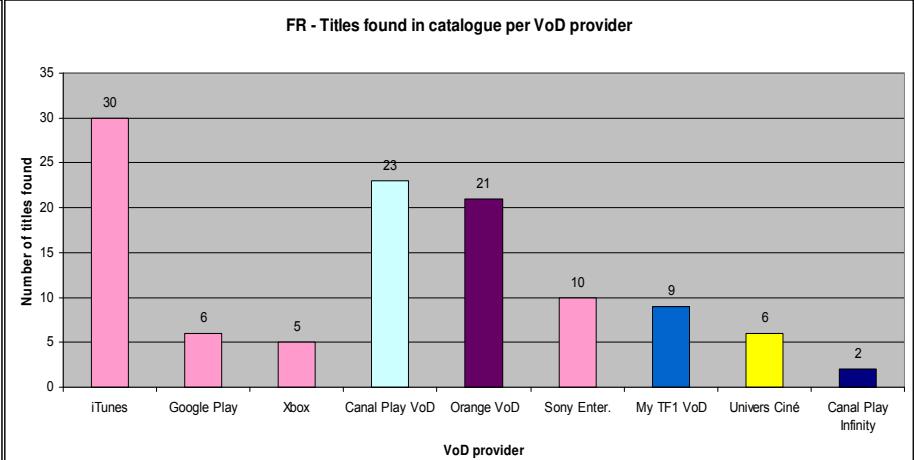
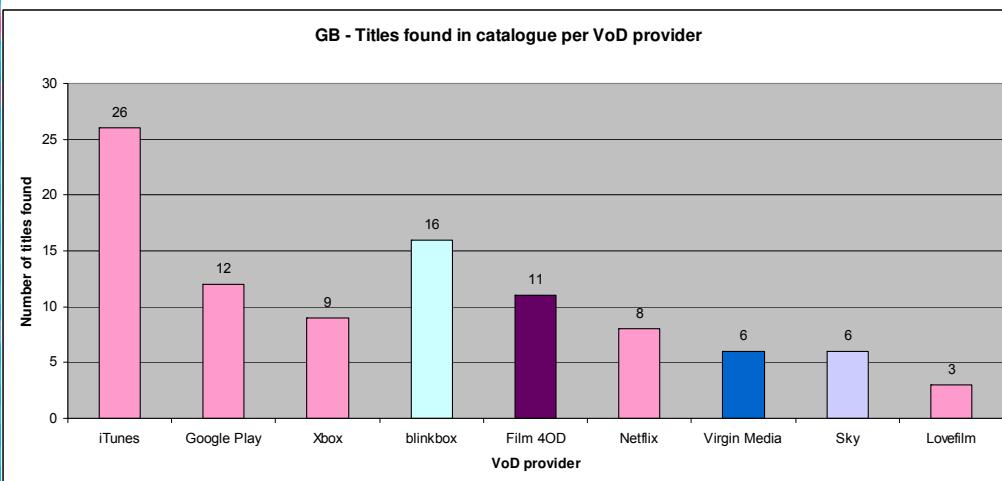
- **1st category:** Catalogue of national VoD provider >30% & iTunes above 50% : **DE, FR, GB**

➤ **Competitive markets** (*Videoload owned by Deutsche Telekom/Canal+ and Orange VoD by Orange/blinkbox (Tesco) which have the financial power to match Apple on VoD license deals* ➔ **Competition for customers** through valuable European movie licenses ➔ Strategic VoD markets in the view of players



### AVMSD Art. 13 transposition

- ➔ **DE:** no share & measures
- ➔ **FR:** share 60% EU works, 40% FR works – Prominence - Financial Contribution
- ➔ **GB:** Promotion; no share & measures

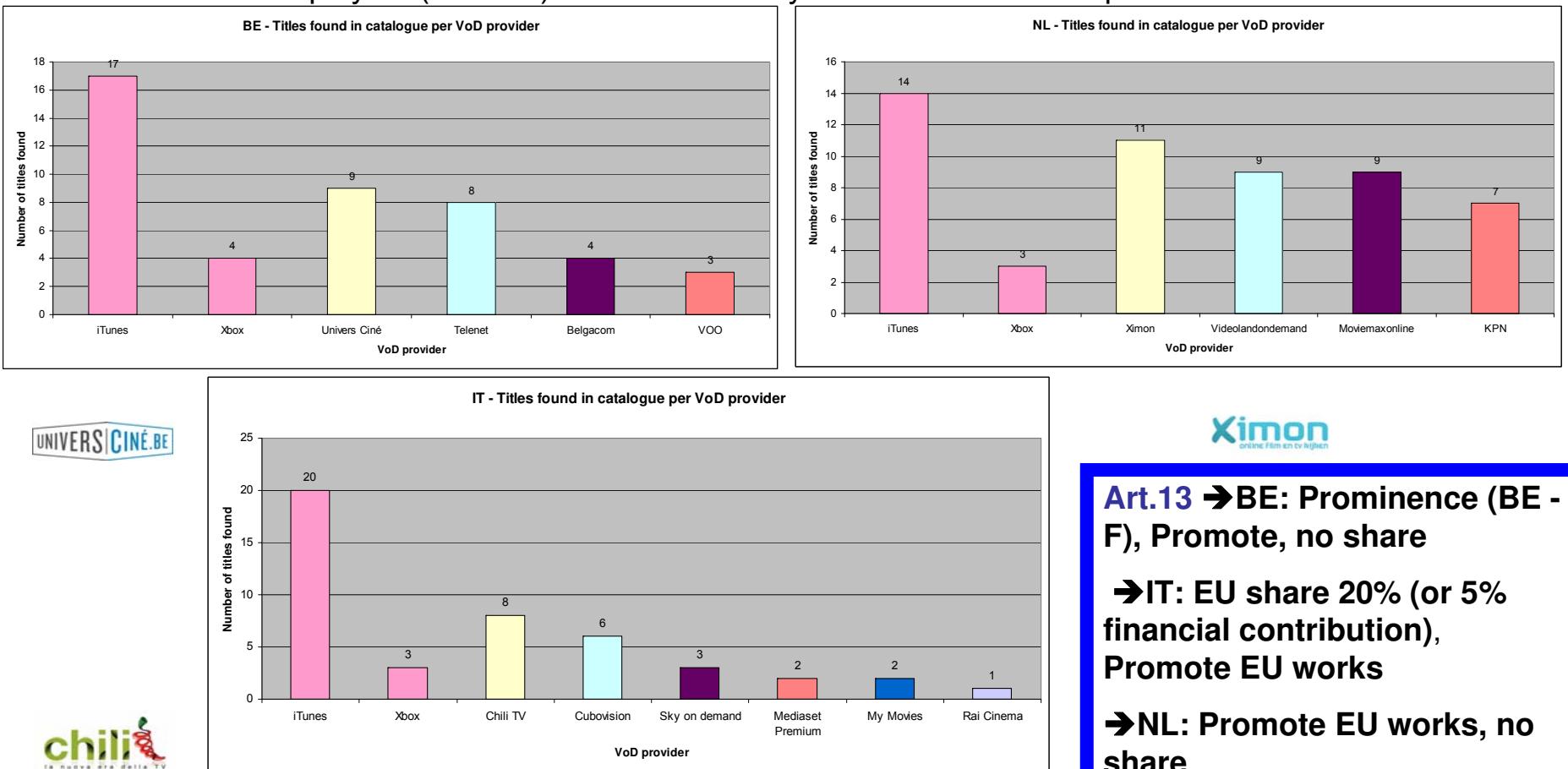


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- **2<sup>nd</sup> category:** Catalogues of national VoD providers have under 25% of sample and iTunes catalogues above 25% : **BE, IT & NL**

➤ Top national VoD providers are independent [*Univers Ciné (BE)* and *Ximon (NL – EYE & Film Institute)*, *Chili TV (IT)* is an independent joint-stock company 41% owned by Fastweb]

➔ Not the financial resources to match Apple's for license deals and exclusivity for valuable European films? Other players (telecom) less interested by movies from the sample ?



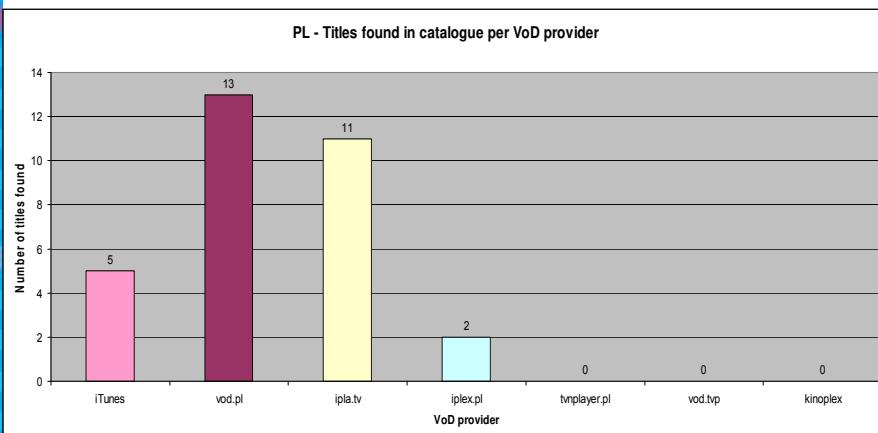
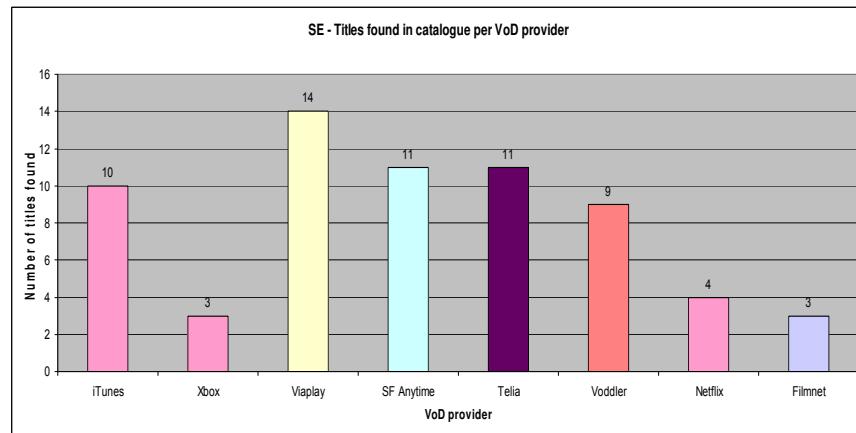
**Art.13 ➔ BE: Prominence (BE - F), Promote, no share**

**➔ IT: EU share 20% (or 5% financial contribution), Promote EU works**

**➔ NL: Promote EU works, no share**

- **3rd Category:** National VoD providers have more sample titles in catalogue than iTunes: DK, PL, SE

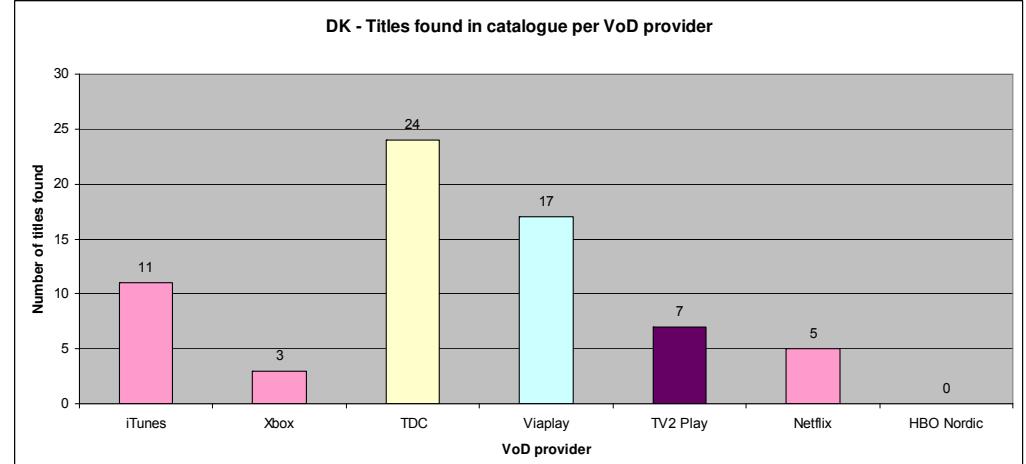
- National players have financial resources to invest in content and license deals [*TDC operated by telecom company, Viaplay by The Modern Time Group AB, SF Anytime by Bonnier Group, Telia by TeliaSonera/Polish vod.pl is owned by Axel Springer Group/Onet and ipla.tv owned by Cyfrowy Polsat!*]
- Competition on a national level for valuable European content ?



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### Art. 13

- ➔ **DK:** Promotion, Reporting, no share
- ➔ **PL:** share 20% EU works, Prominence
- ➔ **SE:** Promotion (except cable), Reporting, fixed Financial contribution



## Means of prominence employed by national VoD providers

Means of prominence	Denmark				
	Netflix	HBO Nordic	TV2 Play	Viaplay	TDC
European films on homepage	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
European/National film section	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES
Search function for European films	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES
Recommandation for European films	YES	NO	YES	YES	NO
Special offers on European films	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO
Presence of European film trailers	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO

Art. 13: Obligation to promote by appropriate means production of and access to EU works

Means of prominence	France			
	Orange VoD	Sony Enter.	Univers Ciné	Canal Play
European films on homepage	YES	YES	YES	YES
European/National film section	YES	YES	YES	NO
Search function for European films	NO	NO	YES	NO
Recommandation for European films	NO	NO	YES	NO
Special offers on European films	NO	NO	NO	NO
Presence of European film trailers	YES	YES	YES	YES

Art. 13: Prominence - Share on homepage & trailers for EU/FR works

Means of prominence	Italy					
	Chili TV	Cubovision	Sky on demand	Mediaset Premium	My Movies	Rai Cinema
European films on homepage	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO
European/National film section	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Search function for European films	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Recommandation for European films	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Special offers on European films	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Presence of European film trailers	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO

Art. 13: Obligation to gradually promote production of and access to EU works

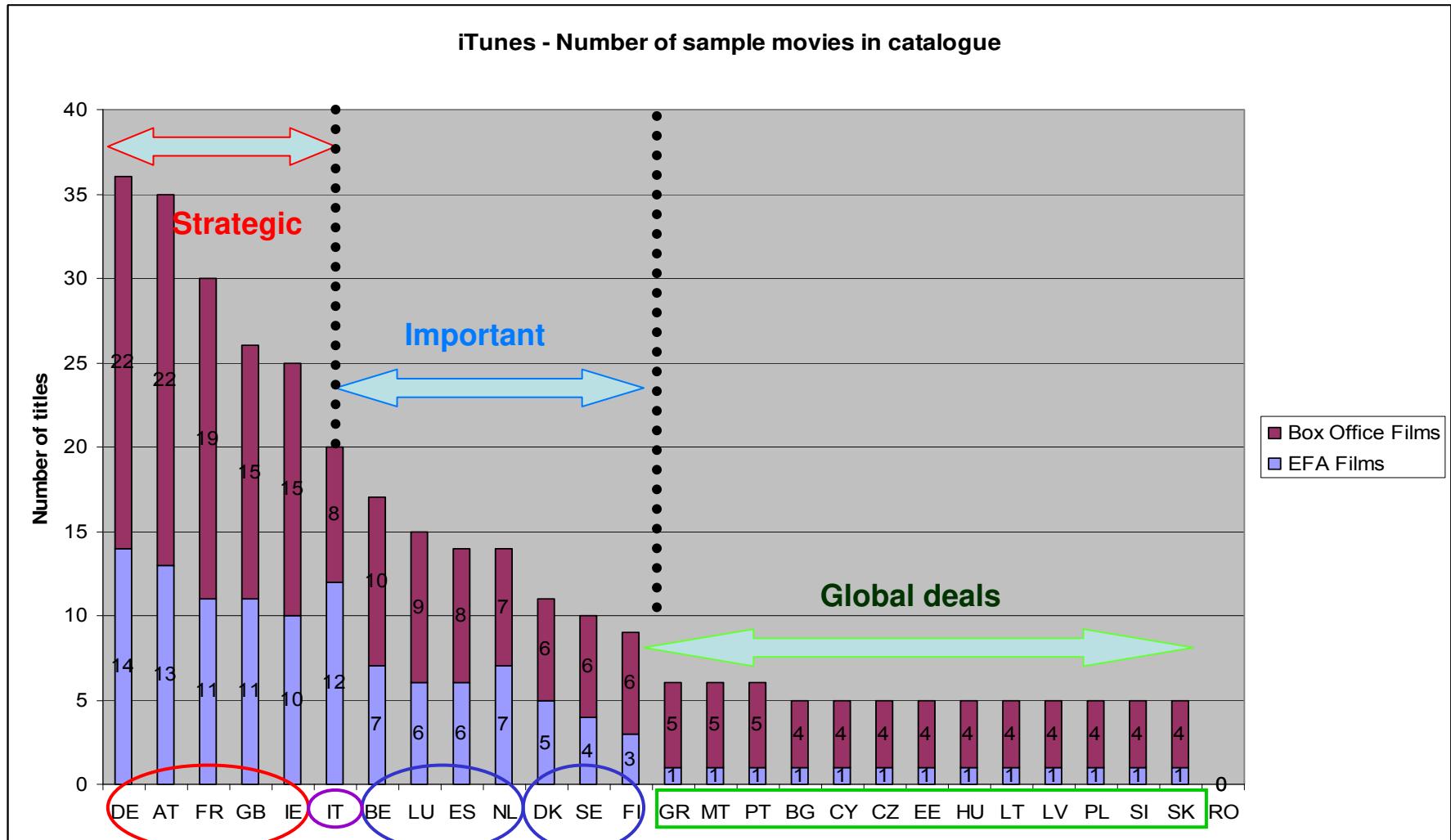
→ EU films on homepage and EU/National film section are the means most employed

→ Recommandation, Search function & Special offers not widespread

## Findings & Indications drawn from sample results

- 1st National VoD providers in BE, EE, IT, NL, PL, SE have **less than 30% of our sample movies**
  - **Big national players** in DE & DK and in a lesser extent FR, GB, SE & PL have a fair percentage of sample European **blockbuster movies** in their catalogues (financial resources of players → commercial argument for customers)
  - Question of the importance of recentness and commercial success for EU movies in VoD catalogues?
  - **Are Most « valued » EU movies more expensive?** → Catalogue « fill-up » with less « valuable » (expensive) EU content by smaller players & expensive content for bigger players (telecom, pay-TV)
  - European **blockbuster movies more predominant** in iTunes catalogues than EFA movies (*except IT*) → European global license deals for most valuable content (= meet customers tastes)?
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- **Need to correlate results with national on-demand regulation and market figures**
  - **Need of more answers** to questionnaire to improve analysis
  - All assumptions made in this **analysis** are **limited to the extent of the sample** and need to be verified in a more exhaustive analysis → **no generalisation/extrapolation possible!**

# PATTERNS OF iTUNES OFFERS



# AVAILABILITY IN iTUNES STORES ACCORDING TO THE PROFILE OF THE FILMS

Blockbusters (>\$200 M),  
GB productions and in  
English (more universal)

Recent EFA & blockbuster  
movies

11 EFA & 17 Blockbuster  
« Country-specific »  
movies (DE, AT, FR, IT,  
ES) – language or culture  
Importance of age (>5  
years)

Mostly older EFA movies  
→ « Niche » market ?

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2007	RO	4 LUNI, 3 SAPTAMANI SI 2 ZILE	2	1 064 364	89 339	n.a.
1990	IT	PORTE APERTE	1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
2006	FR	LES BRONZÉS 3: AMIS POUR LA VIE	0	10 797 463	10 223 008	n.a.
1988	PL	KROTKI FILM O ZABIJANIU	0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1998	FR	TOPIO STIN OMICHLI	0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1990	GB	RIFF-RAFF	0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1992	IT / CH / FR	IL LADRO DI BAMBINI	0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1991	FR/RU	ΥΡΓΑ	0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1994	IT / FR / CH	LAMERICA	0	n.a.	n.a.	5
1995	GB / ES / DE	LAND AND FREEDOM	0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
2000	DK/FR/SE/DE/NO/NL/IS	DANCER IN THE DARK	0	3 403 709	202 782	40

Blockbuster  
EFA

# Means of prominence & price strategy in iTunes Stores

- In all 26 iTunes movie stores:

- Trailers presenting European films
- European films on homepages

- Means of prominence found in 10 iTunes stores (AT, BE, DE, ES, FR, GB, IE, IT, PL, NL):

- Special section of European and/or National films

- EU Content licensing strategy varies but almost same pricing strategy → fixed margins/retail prices?

Average Pricing for EFA films available in catalogues

iTunes				
	Rental SD	Buy SD	Rental HD	Buy HD
AT	3,07 €	9,07 €	4,12 €	10,87 €
BE - French	3,16 €	9,99 €	4,16 €	12,26 €
BE - Flemish	3,16 €	9,99 €	4,16 €	12,26 €
BG	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	11,99 €
CY	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	11,99 €
CZ	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	11,99 €
DE	3,07 €	8,99 €	4,12 €	11,12 €
DK	kr 31,50	kr 109,00	kr 41,50	kr 151,50
EE	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	11,99 €
ES	3,16 €	8,32 €	4,49 €	10,99 €
FI	3,32 €	11,99 €	4,32 €	14,66 €
FR	3,12 €	8,72 €	4,19 €	11,12 €
GB	£2,79	£5,81	£3,99	£6,79
GR	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	11,99 €
HU	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	11,99 €
IE	3,32 €	7,99 €	4,37 €	8,43 €
IT	3,09 €	8,49 €	3,99 €	10,32 €
LT	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	11,99 €
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MT	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	11,99 €
NL	3,16 €	9,13 €	4,16 €	11,28 €
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PT	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	11,99 €
RO				
SE	31,50 kr	109,00 kr	42,50 kr	151,50 kr
SI	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	11,99 €
SK	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	11,99 €

Average Pricing for Box-office films available in catalogues

iTunes				
	Rental SD	Buy SD	Rental HD	Buy HD
AT	2,99 €	8,44 €	3,99 €	11,30 €
BE - French	2,99 €	7,32 €	3,99 €	9,99 €
BE - Flemish	2,99 €	7,32 €	3,99 €	9,99 €
BG	2,99 €	9,59 €	3,99 €	12,99 €
CY	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	13,66 €
CZ	2,99 €	9,59 €	3,99 €	12,99 €
DE	2,99 €	8,44 €	3,99 €	11,30 €
DK	kr 31,00	kr 102,33	kr 41,50	kr 149,00
EE	2,99 €	9,59 €	3,99 €	12,99 €
ES	2,99 €	8,88 €	3,99 €	12,13 €
FI	3,19 €	10,32 €	4,24 €	13,59 €
FR	2,99 €	8,39 €	3,99 €	10,52 €
GB	£2,49	£7,28	£4,10	£9,64
GR	2,99 €	9,99 €	3,99 €	13,24 €
HU	2,99 €	9,59 €	3,99 €	13,24 €
IE	2,99 €	9,46 €	3,99 €	12,49 €
IT	2,70 €	8,99 €	3,59 €	12,49 €
LT	2,99 €	9,59 €	3,99 €	12,99 €
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## Microsoft's Xbox video marketplace - available in 12 EU countries



	Total of films	EFA Films	Blockbusters
GB	9 (18%)	2 (8%)	7 (28%)
IE	8 (16%)	2 (8%)	6 (24%)
ES	7 (14%)	1 (4%)	6 (24%)
AT	5 (10%)	2 (8%)	3 (12%)
FR	5 (10%)	1 (4%)	4 (16%)
BE	4 (8%)	1 (4%)	3 (12%)
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- Xbox considered as a distribution platform in LU.
- Mostly catalogues of US studios
- Low percentage of sample found, EU movies do not seem to be a priority in catalogue based on sample results
- Less country-specific approach than Apple
- Blockbusters more often found than EFAs
- Only means of proeminence of European films : trailers

→ Based on sample results, European movies do not constitute a large part of Xbox's movie catalogue Could Xbox One be a « **game changer** » for European movies in catalogue ?

[Aim of Microsoft is to expand its presence in the living room through audiovisual content → EU blockbusters to expand reach and create an EU customer base - cater more to consumers tastes?]

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EFA

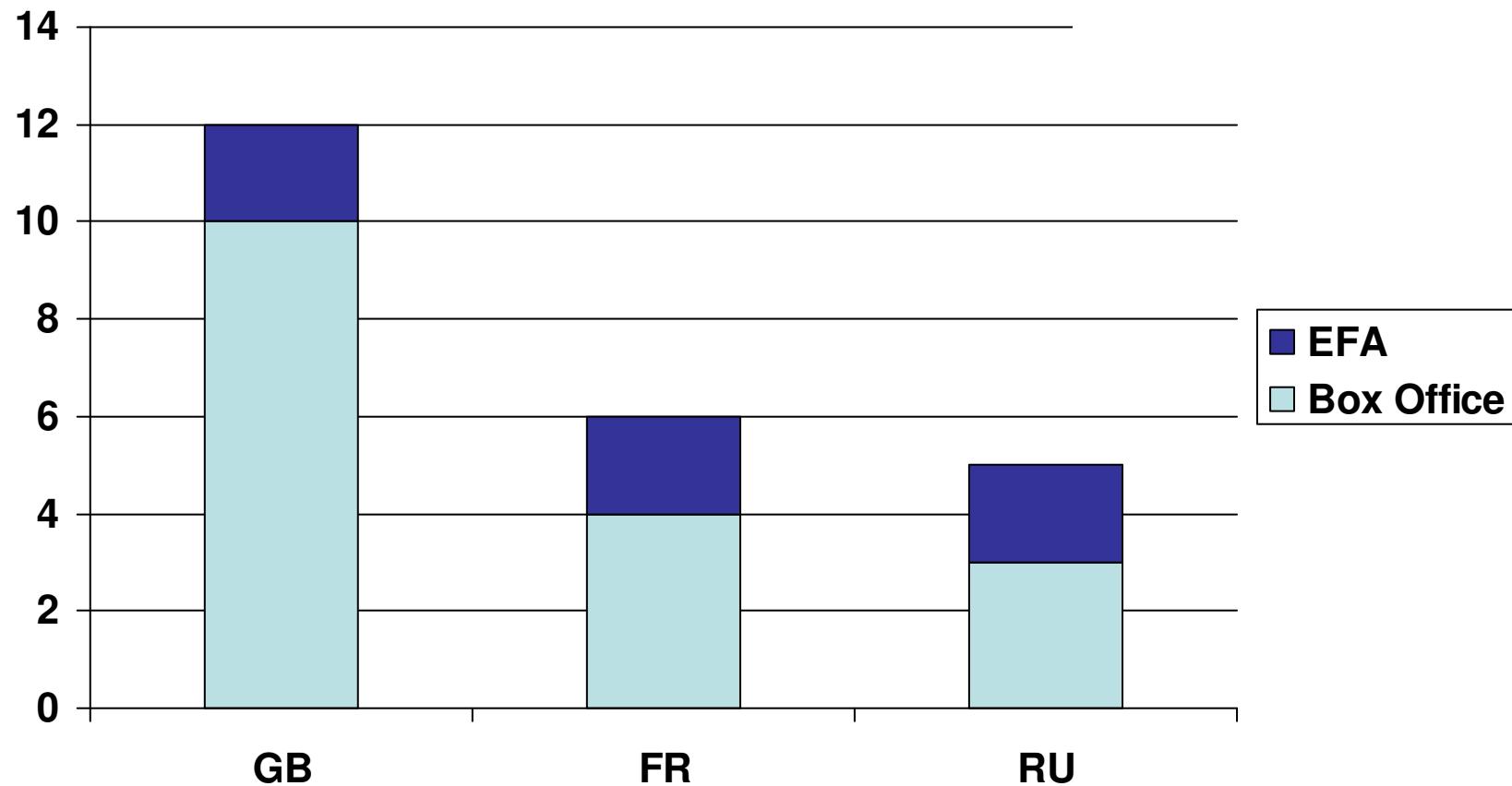


→ Only one « true » EFA movie (& 2 EFA/blockbusters)

→ European blockbusters dominate

→ Findings of our sample in line with Xbox's position as an electronic distribution platform for US studios

# AVAILABILITY OF FILMS FROM THE SAMPLE IN GOOGLE PLAY CATALOGUES



## WHAT PLACE ON THE MARKET FOR SERVICES WITH NATIONAL AND EUROPEAN CATALOGUES ?

- In the last years, various online VoD services with national or European catalogues were launched with public national or European support
- They have no or limited access to the platforms (either Internet platforms such as iTunes, XboX Video, YouTube, Dailymotion or TV distribution platforms cable, IPTV, DTT)



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## PROVISORY CONCLUSIONS

- As for the implementation of art. 13, it is probably more important to monitor VoD services than catch up TV services
- The comprehensive analysis of VoD catalogues is not possible without the cooperation of providers
- The analysis of the availability of a sample of 50 leading European films illustrates the relatively low presence of those films in catalogues
- The fact that iTunes Stores appears to be the best performers in terms of providing European film may be seen as a paradox. But :
  - iTunes Store has a long experience with the long tail in music and is aware of the importance of local titles and of niche markets
  - iTunes Store is the leading pan-European player : it can certainly obtain better commercial conditions
  - > risk of iTunes adopting a strategy of exclusivity ?
- Access to the TV distribution platforms is key issue for independent VoD services



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