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smartocto

find your feature package

We are story driven. We know you are too.

That's why smartocto's features are designed to help you optimise the performance and engagement of every single article, story or post you publish. We help you form and execute your content strategy. Analytics made easy.

Go straight to some of our packages:

[The subscription model](#)

[The advertisement model](#)

[Implement user needs into your newsroom strategy](#)

In this brochure, we divide all features into four categories.

Real time

for editorial teams who want to see information at any moment of the day, enabling immediate action. With dashboards, charts, and notifications, an editor can make adjustments to improve the performance of articles.

Predictive

ideally, you don't just want to know what is happening or has happened, but also what will happen. Using machine learning, we can provide a good impression - helping you know where to invest your time and energy.

Historical

if you want to know exactly what happened on the website in the past week, month, or even years, you'll need to dive deep into the data. We make this clear and organised.

Smartocto.ai

with five new features, we make the content (not just the data) part of the analysis. Thanks to a connection with a Large Language Model, you get the smartest tips and suggestions tailored to you.

Do you want to see some of our features in live action? Ask for a demo via request@smartocto.com



Real time



Real time

You want to react to the pulse of the day, so that's why smartocto is real time.

Smartocto's real time tool is a complete content analytics solution that supports multiple business models, whether your focus is on advertising or reader revenue.

Of course we serve a clear omnichannel view and present your data in an easy-to-understand way - that's why editors love using our tool!

Which insights can you gather from our real time tool?

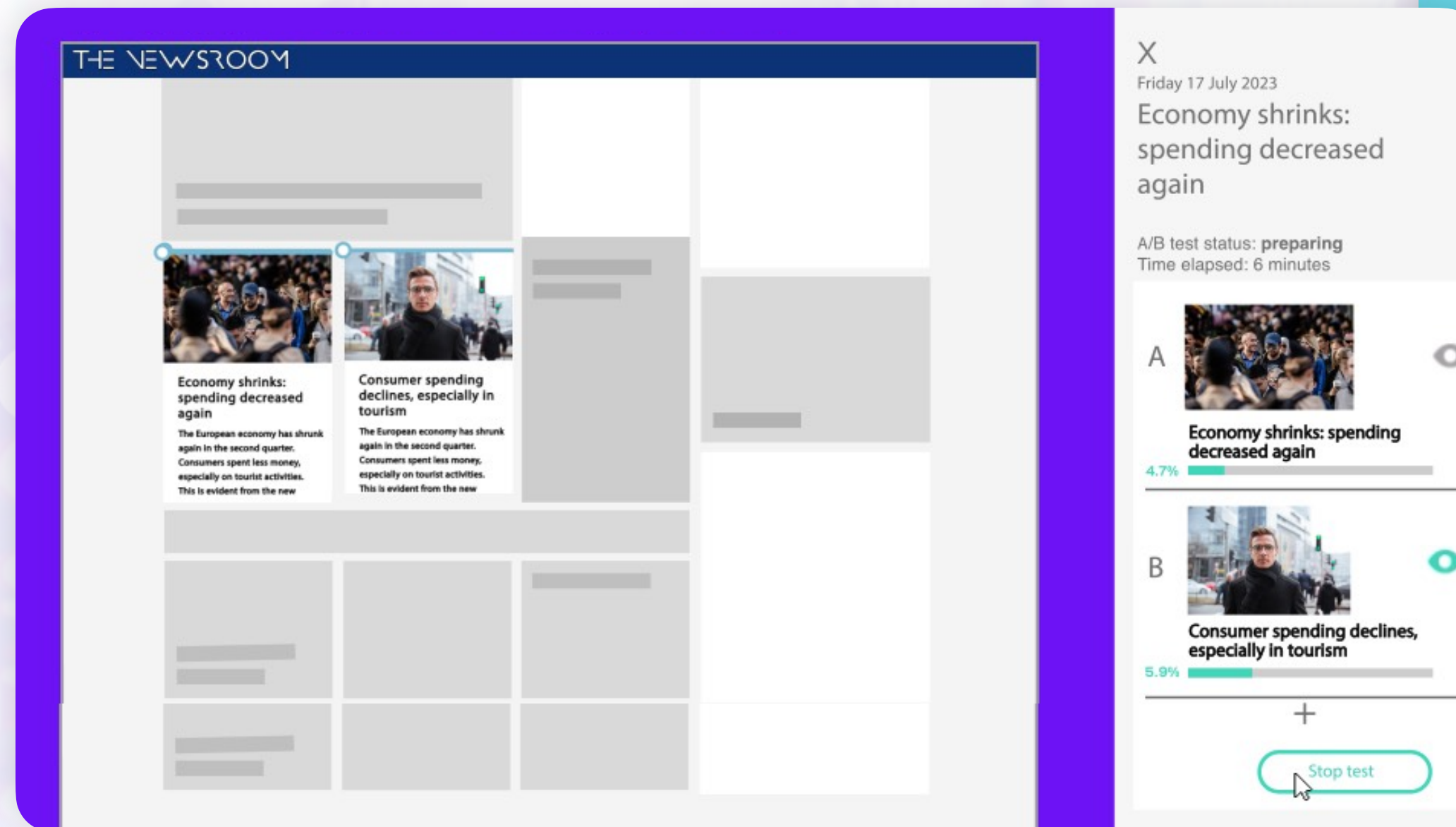
- Story reach and consumptions divided by channel and user needs
- (Social) engagement in real time, based on your own unique mix of measurable channels
- The impact of all your content over time
- The progress of campaigns by tracking them via bundle graphs
- Your impact measured by showing the timing of the newsroom (effort) against the impact of the stories on different channels (Impact Radar).
- The system serves smart notifications calculated on every story
- Effectively track progress of your KPI's



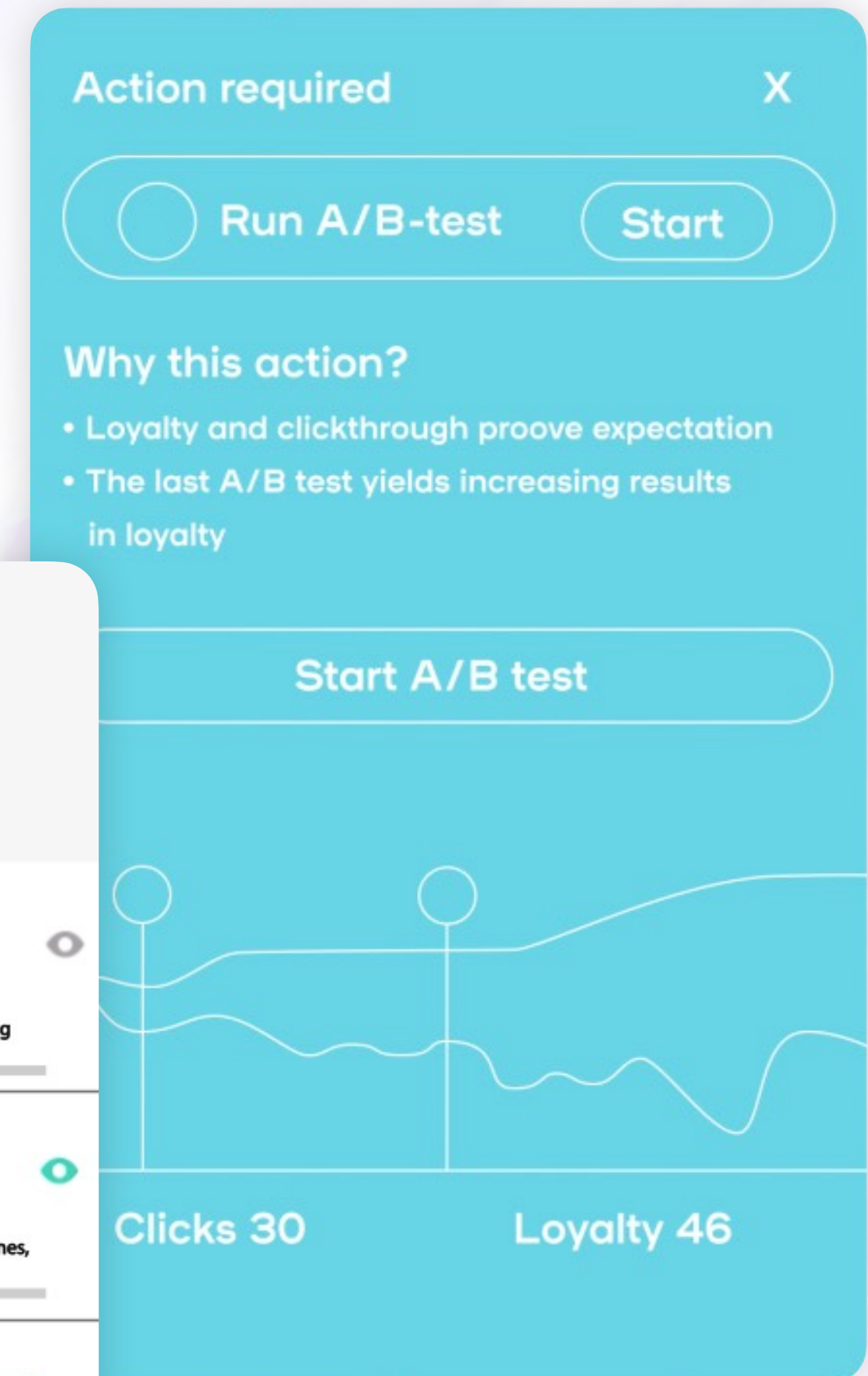
Tentacles

Tentacles is a feature used directly on your homepage and index pages, which allows you to fully optimise them.

You can run A/B tests on **headlines**, **intros** and **images** to increase audience loyalty and raise CTRs.



The screenshot shows a newsroom interface titled "THE NEWSROOM". It features two main article cards. The first card has a headline "Economy shrinks: spending decreased again" and a sub-headline "Consumer spending declines, especially in tourism". The second card has a headline "Consumer spending declines, especially in tourism" and a sub-headline "Economy shrinks: spending decreased again". An A/B test overlay is visible on the right side of the page, showing the test status as "preparing" and "Time elapsed: 6 minutes". The overlay displays two variants: Variant A with a 4.7% CTR and Variant B with a 5.9% CTR. A "Stop test" button is visible at the bottom of the overlay.



Action required X

Run A/B-test Start

Why this action?

- Loyalty and clickthrough prove expectation
- The last A/B test yields increasing results in loyalty

Start A/B test

Clicks 30 Loyalty 46

A/B testing to the next level





Actionable notifications

We ensure that you can **act** upon the data insights we share. That's why we send tips and suggestions to editors.

Whether it's within the tool itself, via email, on Slack, or elsewhere - you'll receive notifications in plain language, enabling immediate action.

These actionable notifications assist in decision-making.

Working with **user needs**? Our tool knows what to say...

notification

This large story of yesterday is still attracting a lot of audience.
Post it on social media again.

notification

This story is well read (based on loyalty)! **Create a follow-up for the [Help me](#) user need!**

notification

This story performs well on socials but not on your homepage.
Run an A/B test on the headline.

notification

Oops, a lot of negative sentiment on Facebook about this one.
Check it out.

notification

This was your biggest story of the morning. **Do an afternoon follow-up?**

notification

There are too little premium articles on your homepage at this moment.
Maybe this story qualifies?





Different organisations and even different people within your organisation might need different metrics and graphs to do their job. So we created something that can be **adjusted to specific wishes or business goals**.

Waves is our standalone, fully customisable **big screen**. Following the impact of a user needs approach becomes simple too.

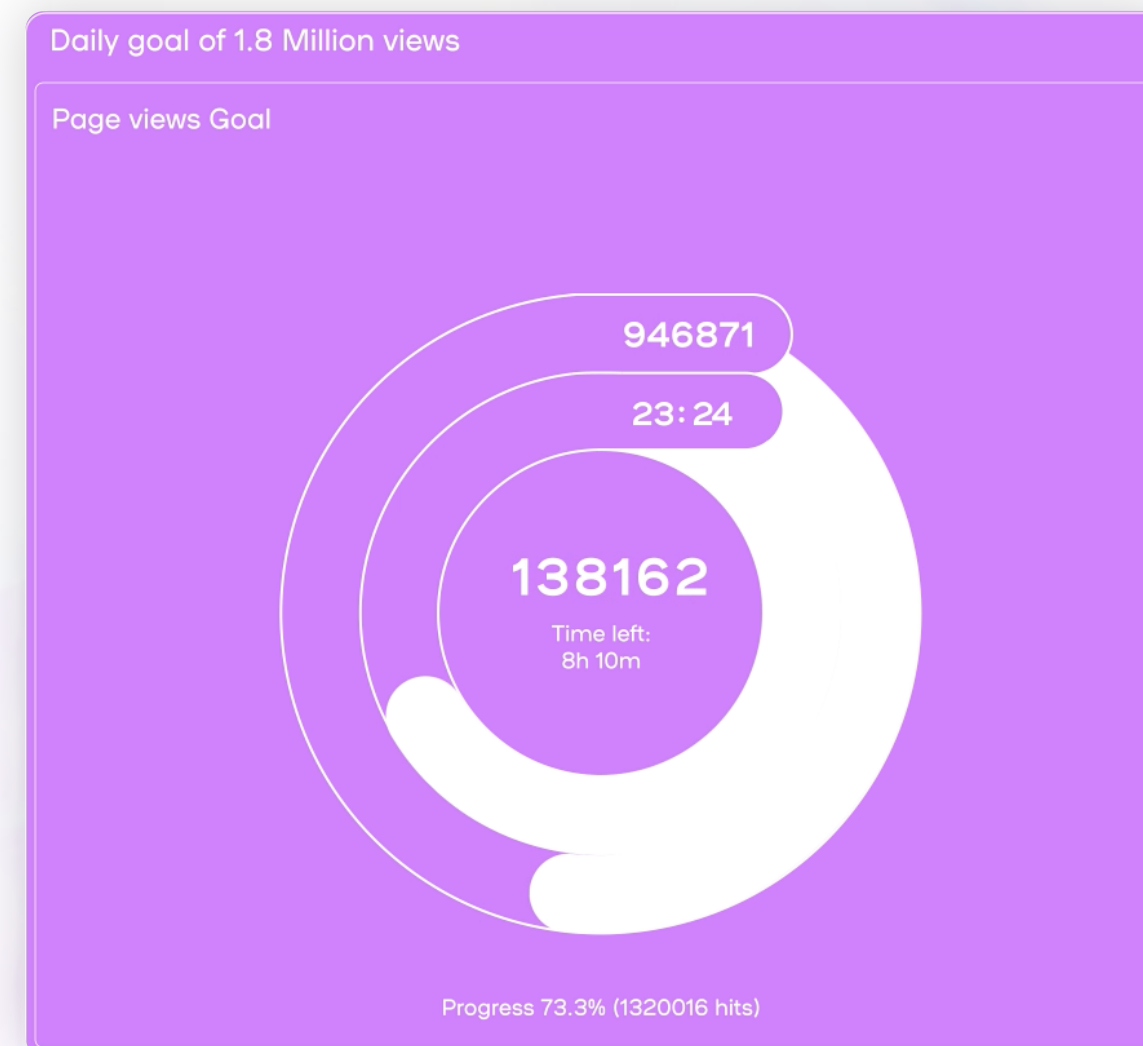
You can create **dashboards** in which you can see what the impact is on reach, loyalty, engagement and conversion for each user need.



Goals

This real-time dashboard is designed to empower media professionals by providing them with the means to effectively track their progress and **achieve their targets**.

Smartocto Goals offers a comprehensive solution to monitor and **visualise key performance indicators** (KPIs) such as campaign reach, conversions, subscriptions, and social traffic.



Biggest stories on reach

5h	▲ Solar roads light the way to the future	448,240
9h	▼ Breakthrough cancer treatment offers hope	448,240
12m	▼ Robot judges: a fairer justice system?	448,240
50m	▼ Historic launch: space tourism takes off	448,240
5h	▲ Blockchain's impact on global finance	448,240
2d	▼ Renewable energy powers sustainable city	448,240
4h	▲ Quantum internet: a new era begins	448,240

It's of particular relevance to user needs work because it allows you to set clear targets, such as:

Make 5 'educate me' stories a day

Publish 100 'divert me' stories a week

Create 200 'help me' stories a month



Historical



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With the help of our **unique** analytics solution, you can map the patterns in your readers' behavior and **influence their actions**.

We measure real reader behaviour and content performance with unrivaled **precision** thanks to our **advanced metrics**.

We will measure:

- Article reads
- Attention time
- Read depth
- Visitors
- Social actions

Our unique Content Performance Indicator based on:

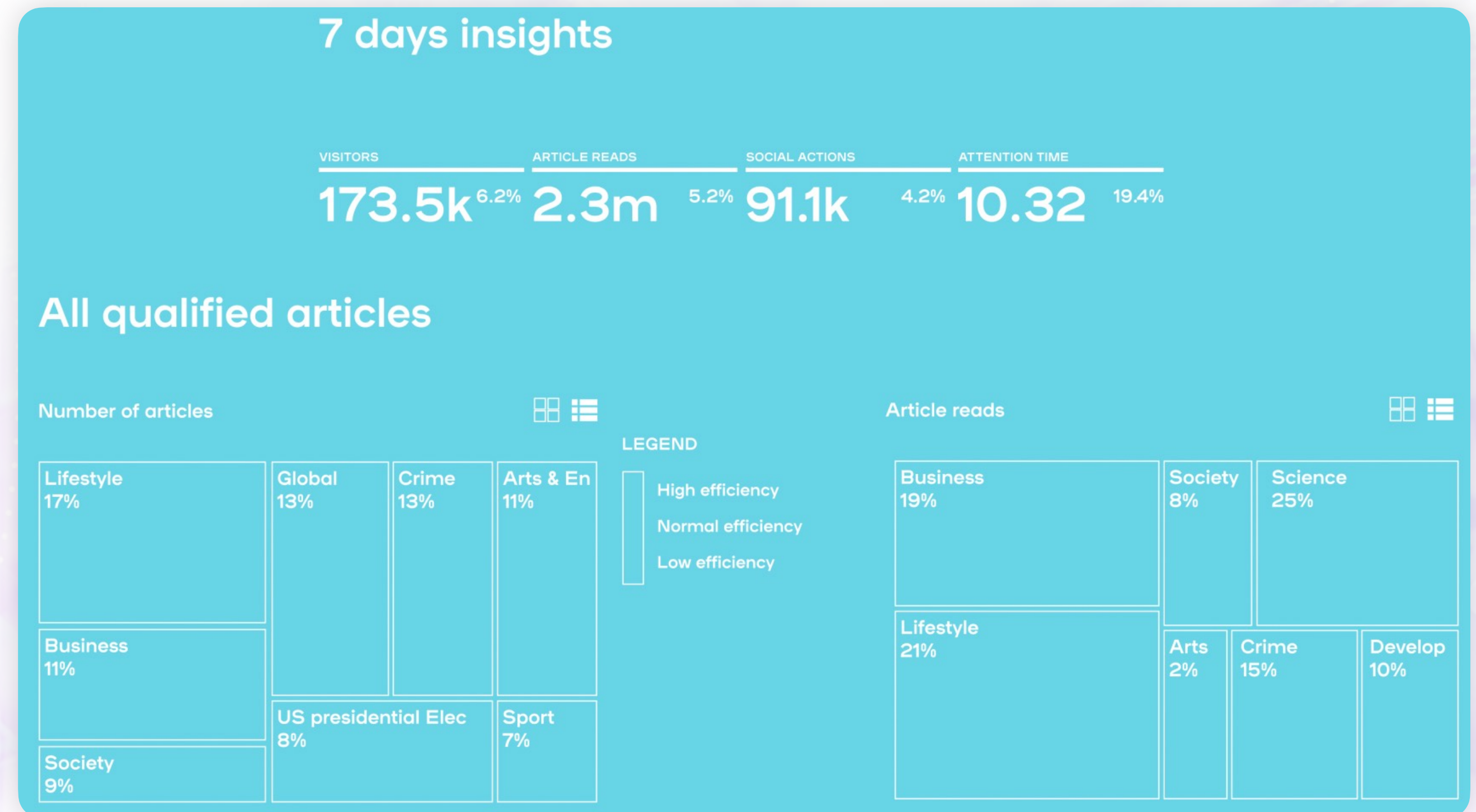
- exposure
- loyalty
- engagement



Insights

Smartocto Insights is in perfect sync with every major **publishing business** model. Get what you need, when you need it.

Based on our metrics you can create compelling, automated, insight-filled reports with just a couple of clicks and send them directly to an inbox of your choice. Our reports help you understand what works and what doesn't, what appeals to your audience or not. So, you can reflect on your own historical data, map the patterns in your readers' behavior over a longer period of time and influence their actions.



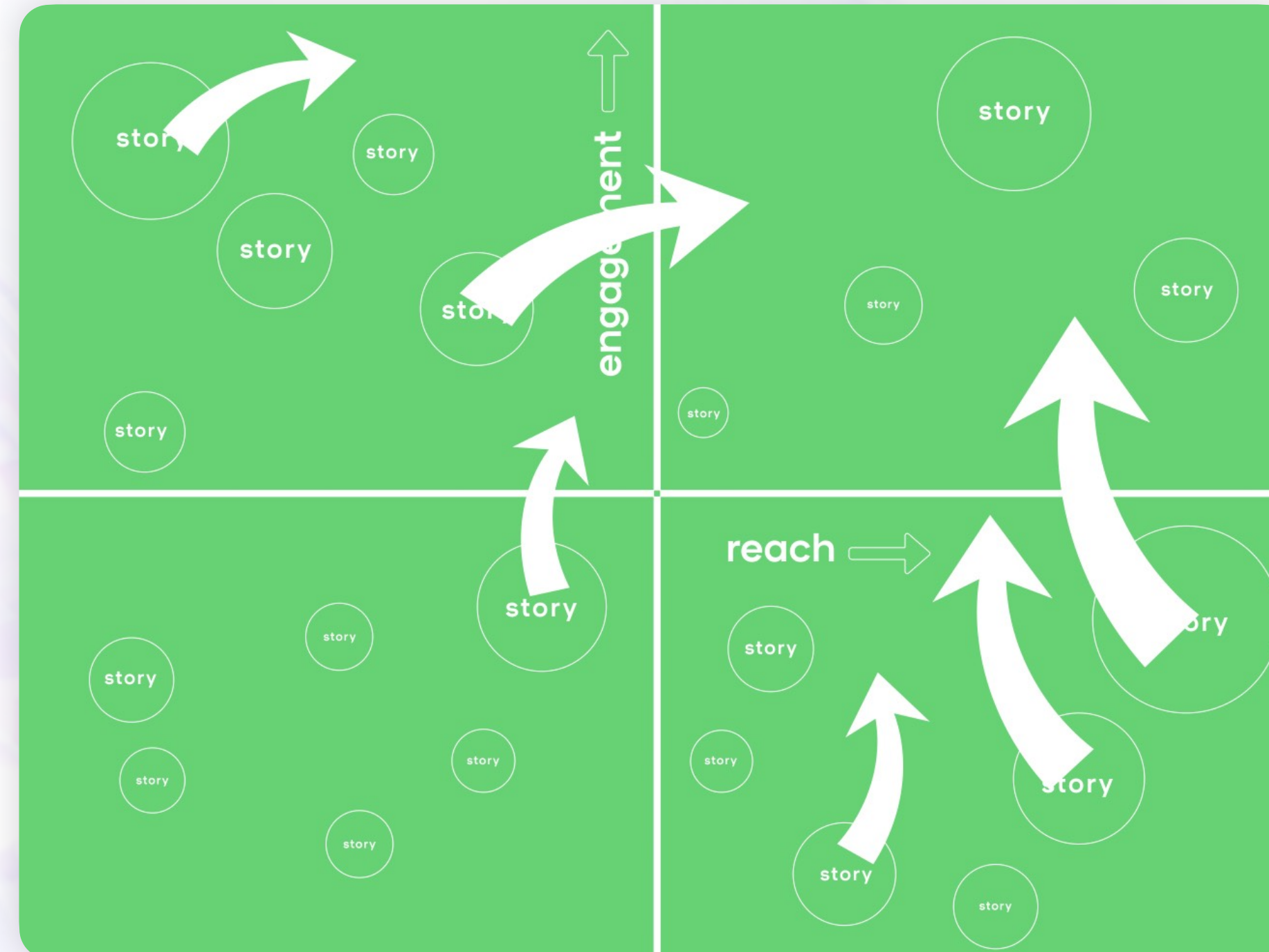
Get what you need, when you need it.

The Quadrant Model

The Quadrant Model is a visualisation of the page performance, giving editors insights **what works** for their audience and **what doesn't**.

As the name suggests, you can see how your content is performing by where it's positioned in a quadrant.

You select what the axes represent, so there's a degree of customisation available and you can ensure that this analysis does what your newsroom needs it to.



If you have your tagging in order, you can plot the flagged user needs in our Quadrant Model.

What do you see?

Perhaps 'Update me' articles score badly (bottom left) and, in this case, 'Connect me' articles do really well in engagement and reach.

The model is customisable, so you can easily find what you think is most important to know.





By the way...

Are you aware that smartocto offers a comprehensive e-learning platform? We believe it's essential for our users to not only master the usage of our tool but also to gain a deep understanding of developing and implementing effective content strategies.

Whether you're a seasoned professional or just starting out in the world of digital storytelling, **smartocto Academy** is here to provide you with all the knowledge and support you need.

If you think that our notifications can help your newsroom, it's even possible to stay at your own data analytics provider and add our smart layer. If you have any questions about this, please request a demo or send an e-mail to **request@smartocto.com**.



Predictive



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Based on your business models, we provide notifications, daily digest, summaries and more that help you get from data to action.

They are little nudges, reminders, reports and more that help you interpret and understand your data.

And the flexibility of the system allows you to adjust it to your specific needs.





This new technology is absolutely **game-changing**. Smartify is not a single product or feature, it's a technology that makes **any data collection out there smart**.

So, even if you use a different data tool than smartocto, you will be able to use Smartify.

Write an update show all (59)

• Action done

Liverpool and Spurs compete for signature Palhinha, French Football Association wants Michel Platini

Predicted impact: Popular

Move to homepage show all (80)

• Action done

His spring roll mobile is back in Paris undamaged the day after theft, Long (38) gives tipster 5000 euros

Predicted impact: 13.07 link clicks ctr % 3 engagement ctr %

Add to newsletter show all (26)

• Action done

Excavator on fire in a hall on an industrial estate in Bordeaux

Predicted impact: Average 841 newsletter views

Post on Facebook show all (32)

• Action in 9 minutes done

Christina (16) from Monaco is found: 'She is safe'

Predicted impact: Popular

Test the headline show all (36)

• Action in 9 minutes done

The Castle must become the largest concert hall in the east: 'Horeca and tourism all benefit from it'

Predicted impact: Popular

Give context in follow-up show all (84)

• Action done

He kicked a head, but could the victim die? Community service for man from Nancy

Predicted impact: Popular

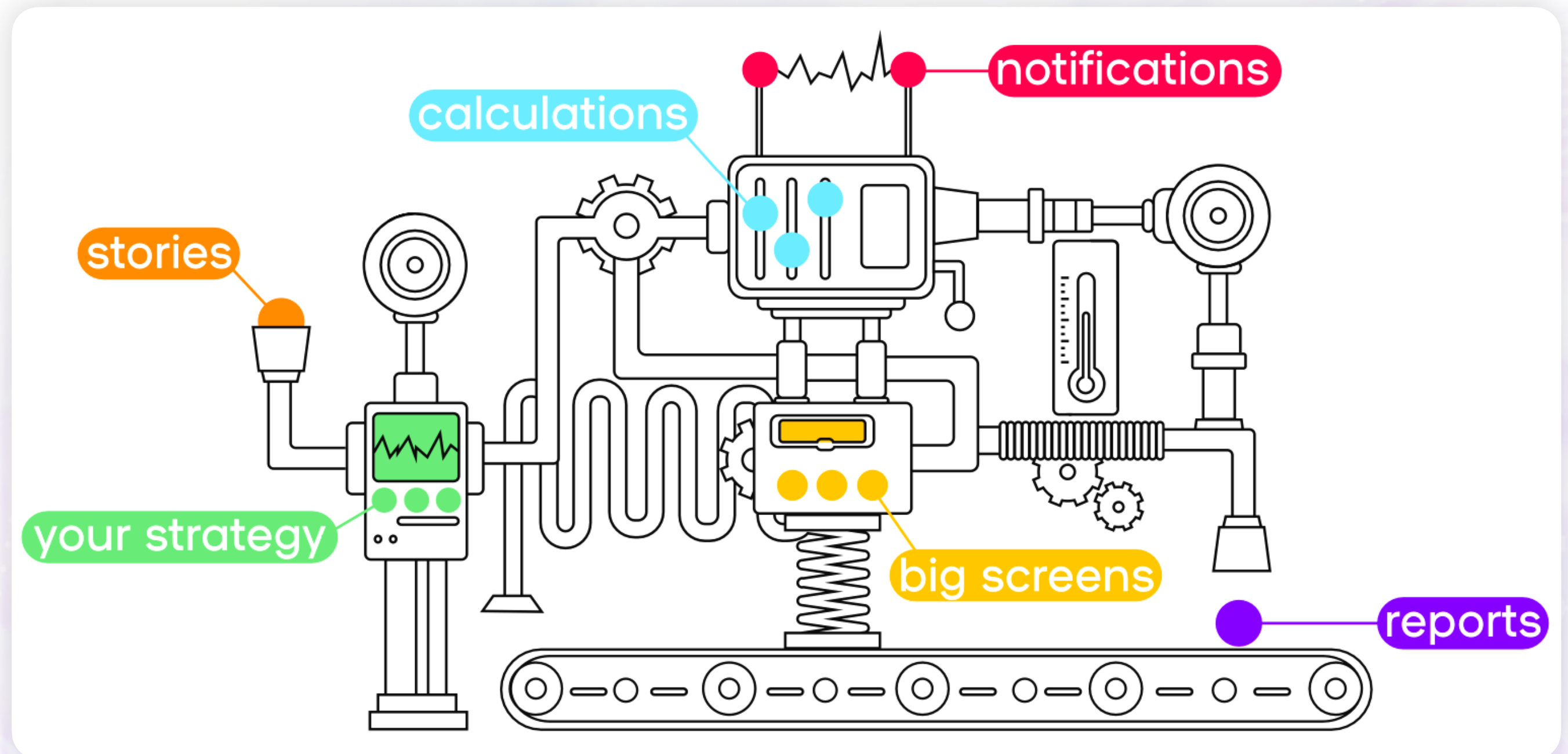


Story Value Engine

Thanks to our Story Value Engine, we can predict the effectiveness of your content strategy, which helps to create the best stories to **support your business strategy**.

Our hungry Story Value Engine is fed by information from **CPI** and **realtime**, which makes it possible for the smart machine to make a predictive calculation.

So, for example, it will be able to predict how a particular author will perform when writing about a specific topic.



You will learn all about how our Story Value Engine works [here](#).



smartocto.ai



Smartocto launched smartocto.ai, the first editorial analytics system **where AI leads to decision-making**. Advanced proprietary combination of Machine Learning, knowledge bases and foundation models will solve problems like what is the best headline, which paragraph or story needs to be rewritten and how, and deep content classification.

With this, every media professional will have their own **personal AI** sitting right next to them. We are already seeing very promising results.



Which insights can you gather from our real time tool?

- **advanced headline testing**
get suggestions for alternative headlines, work faster and smarter
- **automatic content classification**
tag historical content, user needs recognition by default
- **smart story rewriting**
use AI to keep readers engaged with enhancing text suggestions
- **timing optimisation**
let AI factor in key interests for smarter timing, improving story impact
- **an intelligent virtual assistant**
delivers strategic and practical advice to all the roles in the news



This AI is **trained** by smartocto, and will be completely focused on **story strategies**. At the same time, values like story copyright and confidentiality are completely secured.

In short: data will really talk to you and only you. Values like story **copyright** and **confidentiality** are completely secured. It could be the final step in analytics.

Please follow our content about this topic on smartocto.ai

The screenshot displays the Smartocto.ai interface with a dark red theme. At the top, it shows '230 requests' and '588 credits'. The main section is titled 'Advice' and contains a paragraph of text. Below this, it shows 'Paragraph version 3:' followed by another paragraph. At the bottom, there is a 'Learn more about:' section with a 'metadata' button. On the right side, there is a sidebar with 'North Star: pageviews', 'Optimise: story', 'Goal: readability', and a 'Suggestions' section with three items and a 'load more' button. The bottom right corner shows 'smartocto v2.4'.

ai 230 requests 588 credits

Advice

This paragraph stands out from a readability perspective, it uses too many long words and jargon. The alternative make the language more simple.

Paragraph version 3:

The president's new order has a mix of ideas for controlling AI. Some of them seem good, while others don't seem well thought out. It tries to deal with problems caused by AI, like fake videos, people losing their jobs, and the possible dangers AI might bring to humanity in the future.

Learn more about:

[metadata](#)

North Star: **pageviews**

Optimise: **story**

Goal: **readability**

Suggestions

based on your selection

- The story about the Amsterdam Canal can use a paragraph optimisation...
- The headline for the article about tree hugging is not in line with the story user need
- The readability of this story is low. Smartocto.ai has automatic suggestions

[load more](#)

smartocto v2.4



With this toolkit, media professionals are being **relieved of basic day-to-day concerns**.

Because we prefer to show what we have to offer, it's best **to ask for a demo**. You can also get started yourself with a tool that helps in identifying user needs. An advanced application is also included in smartocto.ai.

Try it yourself: userneeds.smartocto.com

Do you want to see some of our features in live action? Ask for a demo via request@smartocto.com

userneeds.smartocto.com [analyse your article](#) [free consult](#) [feedback](#)

paste your article

Copy the text from your news article and paste it into this box. (We're pretty sure that any language will work - but please test us) Then click 'analyse article' to see the results of our automatic user needs recognition. In the explanation box below you'll see the result of the analysis.

[analyse article](#)

know
fact driven

do
action driven

feel
emotion driven

understand
context driven

user needs
for news

explanation

Here you'll find the results - and they're pretty self-explanatory. For each article we can score which user needs are addressed - and what the balance is. It's a useful at-a-glance visualisation of how your story is created.

tip

If there's any additional information available based on the analysis of your article you'll find it here. It might be smart to check [this](#) out in the meantime.

*By clicking on the 'analyse article' button you agree that the content will become part of our AI-recognition algorithm. This separate AI prototype will be available until December 31st 2023. For further information please view more



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make every decision count