

### Re-defining connection

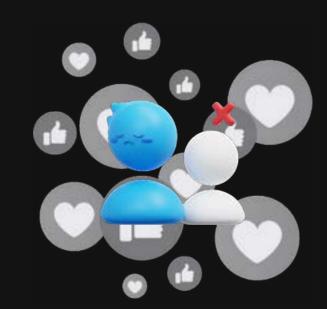
with a social-communication platform leveraging Al to create new social experiences and enable the next generation of advertising





# In a explosive era of "connections", we're paradoxically isolated

Social platforms emphasize numerical popularity over quality. Leaving us surrounded, yet alone



And simple communication apps don't help us stay in touch







# Joyn is intentionally designed for 1:1 interactions and connections

# Built around conversations, not posts

#### Best-in-class chat features

- End to end encryption
- Auto-translate
- Channels
- Snoozing / archiving
- Shared calendars
- No spam / cold DM's
- + more

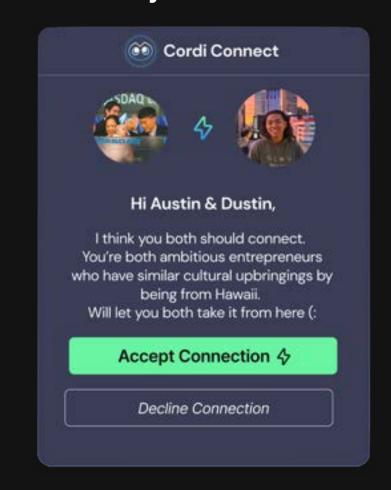


#### Supercharged by Cordi

Social feed w/ Al generated questions centered around insights, not promotion



Al generated introductions centered around who you are, not what you do



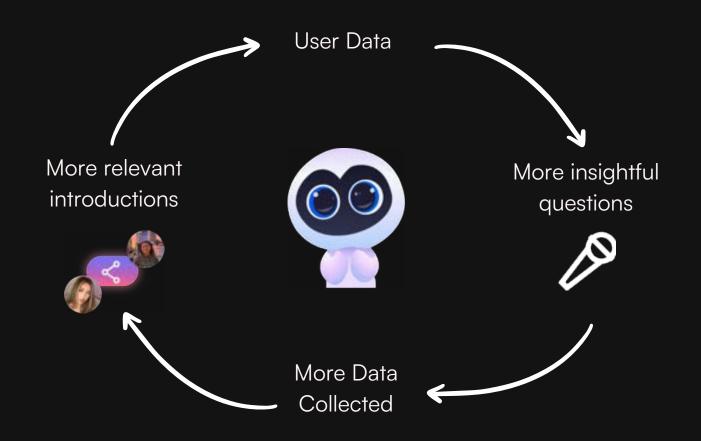


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# Eventually, Cordi will become your favorite thought partner

Al generations get better the more you use it



Soon, Cordi will also make highly-relevant suggestions

I found an article that you might be interested in, a new consumer AI startup just raised \$5m.

Since you liked Billions & Ballers, have you checked out Succession? A new season is out.

Check out this new KBBQ spot in Koreatown, they just opened



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# Enabling the next generation of a \$500b+ opportunity - advertising

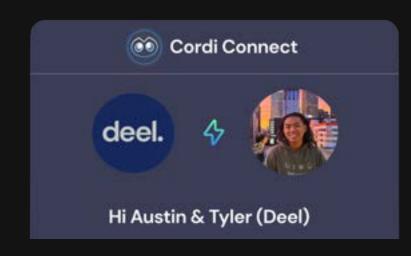
Hyper-targeted leads through Cordi's insights

Presented to as sponsored suggestions

With direct connections to interested leads



Since you have international employees would you be interested in a platform that could help streamline operations?



Compared to other advertising options, Joyn will be the most efficient.



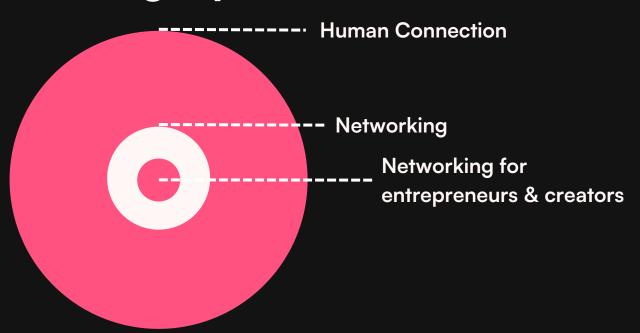
### G2M

#### **Traction**

Cohort	Timeline	Milestones
Alpha	April	<ul><li>Launched on Apple &amp; Google Play</li><li>Identified &amp; fixed scale bottlenecks</li></ul>
Beta	May -> July	<ul> <li>Validated insights &amp; next steps to PMF</li> <li>58.3% 28-day retention (90th+ percentile among other social apps on Apple)</li> </ul>

Full Launch / Growth: Q4 2023

#### **Demographics**



#### Core Insight

For entrepreneur's & creators:

- 1) Social isolation is 10x'd as they are often misunderstood by their peers
- 2) Social platforms are extremely saturated with noise & shallow transactions

## Why We Will Win

Joyn will be best in the world at building and maintaining online relationships



Mainstream social apps are great for promotion (1:∞ interactions), not connections. Would need to disrupt business model to pivot to 1:1



Simple messaging aren't social enough
Won't risk losing existing users with drastic product changes



While other AI assistants will perfect task automation, Cordi will be the most individualized

Our team's unique insights, grit, and experience is our unfair advantage against newcomers

# Joyn

# Founded by an experienced team who understand the art of connection

Dustin Shindo, Chairman Hawaii / Palo Alto / Japan

- Lifelong entrepreneur
- 4 IPO's
- \$2b+ in financing deals

Austin Yoshino, CEO

Hawaii / Los Angeles

- 2nd time founder
- Consumer marketer
- Engineer

Rishab Nayak, CTO Boston / India

- 2nd time founder
- M.S. Computer Science from Boston University







# Raising \$1m \$100k committed

Amount	Timeline	Milestones
200k	Q1 2023	<ul><li>Launch product (MLP)</li><li>Alpha &amp; beta cohort</li></ul>
lm	Q3 2023	<ul> <li>Im downloads</li> <li>\$100k total rev</li> <li>Enhance AI capabilities</li> </ul>



## Summary

- 1. Leveraging emerging technology to solve a core human need while also enabling the next generation of a \$500b+ opportunity
- 2. Beta cohort validated insights and next steps to PMF with strong retention KPI's
- 3. Experienced founding team with previous exits, unique insights, and strong technical / consumer background
- 4. Raising \$1m to advance AI capabilities, execute growth strategy, and monetize





# Get in touch 'Y









# Appendix

Team

Market

Product

KPI's / Finances

Projections





# Team





### Austin Yoshino, CEO



**Core Responsibilities** 

- Product Roadmap
- G2M

#### Previous Relevant Experiences

- Cofounder of Phenom, venture-backed, consumer sports-tech
- Marketing / Product / Operations role at a vertically integrated cannabis company
- Mechanical Engineering, Univ of Hawaii at Manoa
- Multiple leadership positions for social fraternity





### Dustin Shindo, Chairman



**Core Responsibilities** 

- Fundraising
- Business operations

#### Previous Relevant Experiences

- CEO of SPAC (Pono Capital x AERWIN)
- CEO of Junify. Raised \$1.7m, small exit to cofounders.
- CEO of HOKU, renewable energy, IPO'd in 2005





# Rishab Nayak, CTO



Core Responsibilities

- Product Roadmap
- Engineering

#### Previous Relevant Experiences

- M.S. in Computer Science from Boston University
- B.S. in Computer Science & Chemistry from Boston University
- Cofounder of Mount, raised \$1.5m+, consumer shared economy





### How we met





Austin and Dustin met 3 years ago through a college professor and have worked together since. They previously founded a sports start-up together. While Dustin has also been a mentor by sharing wisdom, they have complimentary skill sets.





Austin and Rishab met 2 years ago through a start-up accelerator. Although they were working on different teams at the time they kept in touch and took the jump together when Rishab was looking for his next step and Joyn needed a CTO.



## Unique Insight

Austin, Dustin, & Rishab all have ties to Hawaii - a culture that is built around genuine relationships...not about what you do but, who you are.

#### We noticed that:

- 1. The most important factor for life quality is good personal relationships
- 2. This also carries over professionally where trust, integrity, and alignment of values are better gauged by judging someone based on who they are is instead of what they do.

Joyn is an extension of a life philosophy that has treated us well.





### **Product Team**

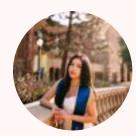


- Oleskii Bondar, Sr. Backend Engineer
  - Kyiv National University of Technologies & Design
  - Volunteer instructor for teaching kids how to code



Vadym Kopachev, Full Stack Engineer

• 4+ years of development experience



Dominique Calaguas, Product Designer

- B.A. Psychology, UCLA
- Prev designer for San Francisco State Univ
- Prev video game design project





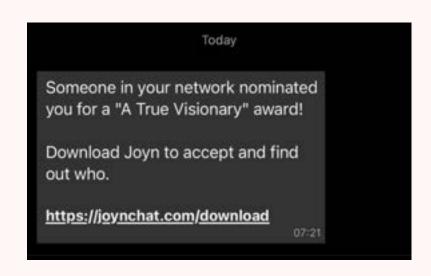
# Market





# **Growth Strategy**

# Product-Rooted Word of Mouth



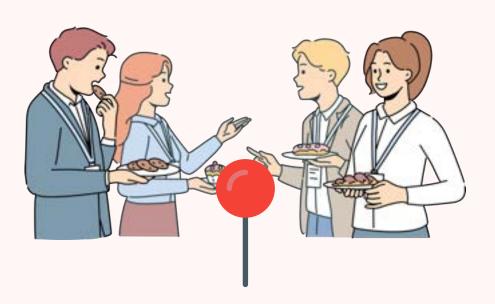
Drives deeper engagement and strengths network moat

### Influencer Campaigns



Rapid, explosive, scalable user acquisition

#### **In-Person Events**



Allows us to directly target geographical hot-spots



<sup>\*</sup>Roadmap to 1m users in projections section



# Competitive Positioning

Joyn fills the gap between limiting private conversations and noisy social media.





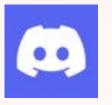














Family & best friends

Social Circle / Close Network

Acquaintances



## Market Analysis



Company	Advertising Revenue (2022)	Estimated Market Share
Google	\$224b	30%
Meta	\$113.6b	15%
LinkedIn	\$5.91b	<1
TikTok	\$5.6b	<1
Twitter	\$4.95b	<1
Snapchat	\$4.6b	<1
Pintrest	\$2.5b	<1
Reddit	\$1.4b	<1
Youtubè	\$1.3b	<1

# Estimated Total Revenue from Digital Advertising: \$746b

Combined revenue for these companies was \$363b or 49% of estimated total market.

New privacy policies & emerging technology prime this market for disruption.



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### Lessons from Beta Cohort

Al introductions need to be more about Connection vs Networking

- Add Q&A social feed to gather personal user insights needed to make connections based off shared life experiences & ambitions
- Revise Al matchmaking prompts & algorithm

Al introductions, auto-translate, and channels were our most used features but, needed better UX

Prioritized polishing & enhancements

Privacy needed to get rid of spam adds friction to adding people on Joyn

- Simplified invite process
- Added QR code option
- Superlatives for intentional invites
- Updated on-boarding for education / focus on invites





# Product



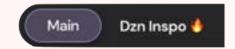


### **Current Chat Features**

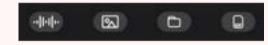
End to end encryption



Message channels

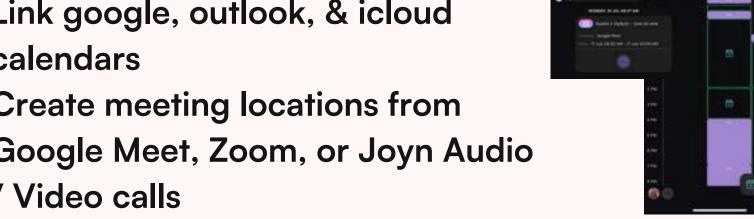


Audio, photos / videos, files, & gifs

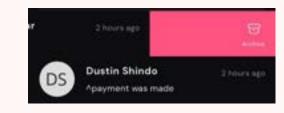


Shared calendars & event creation.

- Link google, outlook, & icloud calendars
- Create meeting locations from Google Meet, Zoom, or Joyn Audio / Video calls



Swipe right to archive, swipe left to snooze with reminders

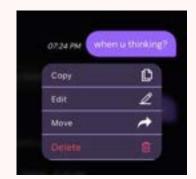


Audio / video calls





Edit, delete, & move messages across channels



Group chats (up to 5 people)



Auto-translate for global languages



Message reactions

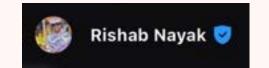






## Current Connection Features

Verification



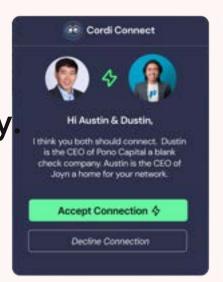
Advanced profile characteristics with dynamic profile prompts

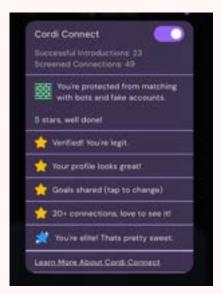




Cordi Connect uses both an algorithm and Al-analysis to determine quality compatibility

+ verification wall for bot protection





Exclusive blue star for hand-selected

Joyn power users

Austin Yoshino ©

Nominations for intentionally inviting people you know to Joyn

Someone in your network nominated you for a "A True Visionary" award!

Download Joyn to accept and find out who.

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https://joynchat.com/downloa

Butter nominated Austral

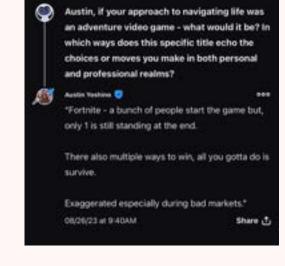
Number One Mentor

Knowledgewite Alexand and ready to linker.

Visite someone that prioritises helping schare before pourself.

Q&A response social feed with Cordi generated

questions



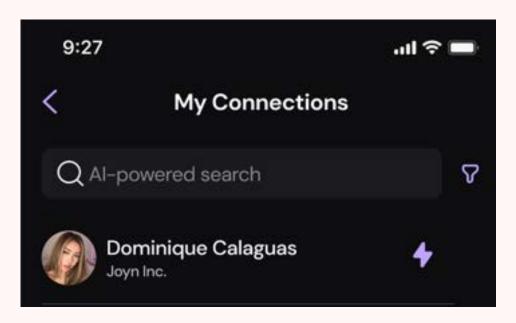


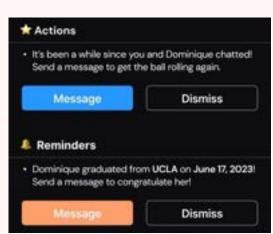
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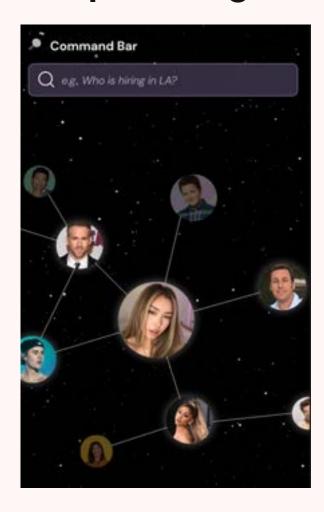


# Product Roadmap Enhanced AI Capabilities

#### Al-powered Personal relationship manager







#### Cordi 2.0

- Integrated in conversations & calls
- Advanced data storage to increase capabilities and accuracy
- Capable of taking actions, ie: "Cordi find us a time to meet"
- Al-generated suggestions





# Product Roadmap Integrating Emerging Technology

Blockchain Wallets to enable
Data / Asset Transferring to Joyn

- Social graphs
- NFT's / digital asset
- On-chain user data



Avatars + In App Purchase Add-ons

- Emotes
- Branded accessories



Immersive Social Experiences w/ Spatial Computing







### Cordi Al Depth



Layer: Cordi is a data layer on top of OpenAl that uses personal information to customize relevant outputs



Market Positioning: Cordi is focused on learning (vs helping) it's users



**Moat: Data** 

more product usage = more data = better outputs



IP:

- Proprietary & exclusive user data
- Fine tuned models for Joyn-specific generations (soon),
- Prompt engineering



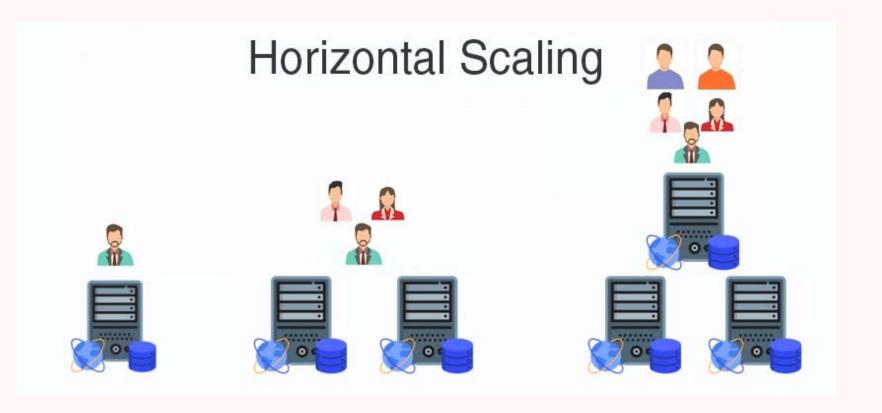


### Scale Infrastructure

Joyn was architected to handle rapid customer growth.

Infrastructure is hosted on AWS using horizontal scaling practices that will auto-scale as Joyn acquires more users. As the product grows the team will continue to optimize the infrastructure to reduce costs,







# Messaging Platform Comparison



	Spam Free	<u>Calendar</u>	Social Information	File Size Limits	Sending Pictures / Videos	Audio Messages	Audio / Video Calls	End to End Encryption	<u>Gifs</u>
Joyn	Yes	Yes	Yes	1 GB	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
WeChat	No	Yes	Limited	300kiB	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Line	No	Yes	Limited	1 GB	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Slack	No	Limited	No	1 GB	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
iMessage	No	No	No	25 MB	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Facebook Messenger	No	No	Yes	25 MB	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Telegram	No	No	No	2 GB	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Discord	No	No	No	8 MB	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Whats App	No	No	No	16 MB	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Instagram Messenger	No	No	Yes	n/a	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
gmail	No	No	No	25 MB	No	No	No	No	No
Snapchat	No	No	Yes	n/a	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Signal	No	No	Limited	25 MB	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes



# Joyn

	Real Conversations	Facilitates 1:1 Interactions	SPAM / Noise Free
Joyn	Yes	Yes	Yes
Instagram	Sometimes	Sometimes	No
Facebook	Sometimes	Sometimes	No
Snapchat	Sometimes	Yes	Sometimes
Threads	No	No	No
X	Sometimes	Sometimes	No
Discord	Sometimes	Sometimes	Sometimes
Reddit	Sometimes	No	Sometimes
TikTok	No	No	No
LinkedIn	Sometimes	Sometimes	No





# Connection Matching Comparison

	<u>Personable</u>	Facilitated on a Platform that Retains Connections
Cordi	Yes	Yes
LinkedIn	Sometimes	No
YC Co-founder Matching	No	No
Lunchclub	Sometimes	No
Bumble BFF / Bizz	Yes	No







	<u>Consumer Friendly</u>	Shows 2-Way Schedules	Directly Integrated with Communication Channel
Joyn	Yes	Yes	Yes
Calendly	No	No	No
When2Meet	No	No	No
Superhuman	No	No	Yes
Google Calendar	No	Yes	Yes
iCloud Calendar	No	Yes	No
Outlook Calendar	No	Yes	Yes
TimeTree	Yes	Yes	No





# KPIs / Finances





### Retention KPI's

#### 90th + percentile in all categories

	5/1 - 5/7	5/8 - 5/14	5/15 - 5/31	5/22 - 5/28	5/29 - 6/4	6/5 - 6/11	6/12 - 6/18	6/19 - 6/25	6/26 - 7/2	7/3 - 7/9	7/10 - 716	7/17 - 7/23	AVG
Day 1 Retention	42.86%	35.71%	57.14%	35.71%	85.71%	71.43%	42.86%	85.71%	28.57%	85.71%	85.71%	85.71%	61.90%
75th Percentile	34.59%	34.47%	34.61%	34.63%	34.50%	34.54%	35.00%	34.80%	34.29%	33.77%	34.36%	34.30%	34.49%
50th Percentile	23.04%	22.89%	22.77%	22.66%	22.46%	23.53%	22.86%	23.16%	22.87%	22.69%	23.15%	23.10%	22.93%
Day 7 Retention	28.57%	28.57%	57.14%	28.57%	85.71%	57.14%	42.86%	85.71%	28.57%	85.71%	85.71%	85.71%	58.33%
75th Percentile	11.78%	11.71%	11.71%	11.35%	11.90%	11.80%	11.60%	11.64%	11.11%	11.54%	11.58%	11.27%	11.58%
50th Percentile	5.37%	5.51%	5.48%	5.35%	5.41%	5.47%	5.69%	5.70%	5.48%	5.47%	5.44%	5.47%	5.49%
Day 28 Retention	28.57%	28.57%	57.14%	28.57%	85.71%	57.14%	42.86%	85.71%	28.57%	85.71%	85.71%	85.71%	58.33%
75th Percentile	5.20%	5.49%	5.16%	5.56%	5.44%	5.31%	5.41%	5.35%	5.29%	5.36%	5.02%	5.37%	5.33%
50th Percentile	2.01%	2.05%	1.94%	2.07%	2.01%	1.96%	2.08%	2.03%	1.98%	1.94%	1.89%	1.94%	1.99%

<sup>\*</sup>Data sourced from Apple developer platforms



<sup>\*</sup>Benchmark data compared to Social Networking category

<sup>\*</sup>Defined as the percentage of active devices that opened the app 1/7/28 days after install.



### Executive KPI's

<u>KPI</u>	September	August	<u>Analysis</u>
Total Downloads (Cumulative)	178	254	Needs to grow, but hasn't been primary focus
Growth Rate	44%	43%	Good, considering it was organic w/ very little resources / effort
MAU / WAU / DAU (Avg)	_	42 / 25 / 9	2nd half of August's metrics were 1.5-2x better, trending in right direction
K-Factor	0.14	0.163	Current primary focus is improving referrals
1st App Open -> 2nd Open Conversion	_	58.97%	Users are coming back after signing-up
Messages Sent (Cumulative)	14,282	16,536	Joyn is being used as a messaging platform
Active Cordi Connect Users	54	78	Validates interest in Cordi Connect
Crash Free Sessions	98.72%	99.39%	Current primary focus is improving referrals





## Company Finances

The company is capital efficient while closely managing operations as if "they were to go public one day" - organized, standardized, and record-keeping.

Burn Rate	\$8-10k / Month
Runway	4-5 months
Estimated Burn Post Raise	\$50-100k / month
Estimated Runway Post Raise	12 - 15 months

<sup>\*</sup>Chairman, CEO, & CTO are not currently paying themselves



<sup>\*2</sup> developers and 1 designer on payroll

<sup>\*\$0</sup> spent on advertising



# Use of Funds: Current vs Projected

Joyn will remain capital efficient while precisely increasing spend to speed up progress.

Department	Headcount (Current / Projected)	Current Spent	Projected Spend	Milestone
Product	2/4	\$8-10k	\$12-15k	Build product / enhance Al
Design	1/1	\$1-3k	\$3-4k	Build product, 1m downloads
Marketing	0/1	\$300	\$10-20k	1m downloads
Leadership	1/1	\$O	\$7k	\$100k total rev, 1m downloads, enhance Al





# Projections





## Roadmap to 1m Users

- Based on real prior data from a comparable product with similar target demographics
- \$234k needed to get from 1,200 -> 879,000 downloads in 1 year

	Month 1	Month 2	Month 3	Month 4	Month 5	Month 6	Month 7	Month 8	Month 9	Month 10	Month 11	Month 12	SUM
N Factor / Referral Count	1.2	1.56	2.03	2.64	3.16	3.80	4.56	5.01	5.51	6.06	6.67	7.34	
Total Downloads	1,200	1,170	7,436	13,534	22,736	35,469	55,331	79,123	104,443	137,865	181,981	240,215	879,304
Budget for User Acquisition	\$1,500	\$1,500	\$5,500	\$7,700	\$10,780	\$14,014	\$18,218	\$23,684	\$28,420	\$34,104	\$40,925	\$49,110	\$233,957
CPI on Paid UA	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.67

#### Assumptions

- Android + iOS campaigns
- Running multiple GEO's (not just USA)
- Month 3+ actual CPIs will be solidified after 1-2 months of AB testing





# **Business Model Validation Roadmap**

Step 1: Acquire audience large enough to start monetizing

Step 2: Test & validate pricing model for ads & leads by partnering with start-ups / SMB's

Step 3: Scale to enterprise clients

Phase	Timeline	Estimated Users	Estimate Revenue
ľ	Q4 2024	100k	\$10k
II	Q4 2025	500k	\$100k (total)
III	Q4 2026	lm+	\$1m+ (total)





# Future Financing Rounds

Leadership team, market size, and product timing position Joyn to grow & mature quickly.

Amount	Vehicle	Valuation	Timeline
200k	SAFE	Uncapped, 20% discount	Q1 2023
lm	TBD	TBD	Q3 2023
5-7m	Equity	20-30m	Q1-Q3 2024
20m+	Equity / IPO	100m+	Q4 2024 - Q2 2025



