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- Use Itemize a lot.
- Use very short sentences or short phrases.
- These overlays are created using the Pause style.

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# Making the Next Billion Demand Access The Local-Content Effect of google.co.za in Setswana

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## Motivation

- Two-Sided Market / Cross-side network effects
- WWW content is hard
- Social media content is easier: Facebook vendor lock-in

#### Quantifying Content

using visit counts instead of page counts

### Endogeneity

- Maybe Google introduced the interface following increased usage among Setswana speakers?
- Botswana speaks Setswana
- google.co.bw was translated in Setswana
- introduction on google.co.za was a spillover, exogenous
- google.co.za also introduced Xhosa, but not exogenous



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