DD&T WEEKLY REPORT

Digital, Data & Technology file no later than Sunday by 4:00 PM ET

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1. This week in one paragraph

This week I was focused on assembling the upcoming release which contains 1)mainly the iPhone Duo Basic Support(MOB-971), 2) Search improvements to support moments and add empty results rather than showing error to users (MOB-895), 3) YoSpace update in livestreams to support usage without "streamID" this in order to prepare for fast channel monetization(MOB-970). I also did some investigation/research related to recovery mode due to changes that were done and currently is not working on iOS(related to WC-176), this still needs to be properly checked during next week we did some calls with Mohaimanul to check what was missing in the model and why it was crashing in current version. This week was challenging understanding the new organization chart and starting to use the new tools that we were provided while also trying to get the iOS build prepared for release.

2. Open items

- **MOB-885:** SoundStack Migration: In Progress, most of work was done in previous weeks, we need to validate all the additional parameters and use metadata properly so we can show the companion ads attached to it.
- **WC-176:** this is the recovery mode work in the backend, we did a research on clients but we need to do some changes to make it work.
- **OTT-269:** we need to clean and prepare the AppleTV repo as is a little outdated considering the way we do things on iOS.

3. Next week

- **MOB-885:** SoundStack Migration: In Progress, finish working and updating the metadata, removing old logic we have and use the soundStack API completely refreshing every 5 secs. Validate and test all possible scenarios that contain Preroll and Midroll.
- **WC-176:** Research is needed to see why besides the image, the metadata and content is not shown properly after the inclusion of the model by backend even when the station model is with important keys from the API.
- **OTT-269:** We need to clean do a better branch naming following the jira, update master, create Development branch, delete old branches.
- Be prepared for any issues that can come out after the release specially UI issues as the main purpose of the release was to change and improve auto-layout for a basic iPhone Duo Support.

4. Open issues

- **MOB-885:** SoundStack Migration: In Progress, validate the parameters to avoid preroll audio when video preroll is already presented (video preroll has priority), size of companion ad was not fitting properly the image size of the Station.
- **WC-176:** Image, metadata and all related to a particular station is not working, we don't have a crash anymore and audio works but related content is not being shown, client changes will be needed.
- **OTT-269:** Some changes are needed to run and build properly on Xcode 27, considering upgrading minimum deployment target and associated pods and SPM

5. Suggestions

- Update all current projects to a new minimum deployment targets as the iOS27 release is fully completed by Apple, we just need to support 3 or 4 version before that, let's check the user's analytics with Carlos Ramirez to make a proper decision.
- Everyone with an iPhone or iPad should help checking that the layout of the app remains working perfectly as many updates in auto-layout were made for iPhone Support Duo, and if anyone has an iPhone Duo device to test will be also amazing as all the work was done using simulators.

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