

# YouTube Subscription Tracker - Enhanced

## Most-Viewed Channels by Category

# Category-Based YouTube Analytics

Track What You Actually Watch • Organized by Topic

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## What This Does

Every Monday 9 AM, you get a report showing:

- ✓ **Top channels per category** (Programming, AI, Business, etc.)
- ✓ **Total videos watched** in each category
- ✓ **Most active category** of the week
- ✓ **Inactive subscriptions** to review
- ✓ **Viewing patterns** and insights


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## Sample Output

Todoist Task:

 YouTube Weekly Review – By Category

Week of 2026-03-10 to 2026-03-17

 OVERVIEW: • Total Videos Watched: 47 • Total Subscriptions: 125 • Active Categories: 5

 PROGRAMMING (18 videos)

1. Fireship – 8 videos
2. ThePrimeagen – 7 videos
3. Web Dev Simplified – 3 videos

 AI & ML (12 videos)


1. Two Minute Papers – 5 videos
2. Matthew Berman – 4 videos
3. AI Explained – 3 videos

 BUSINESS (8 videos)

1. Ali Abdaal – 4 videos
2. My First Million – 3 videos
3. Starter Story – 1 video

 AUTOMATION (5 videos)

1. n8n – 3 videos
2. Make – 2 videos

 INSIGHTS: • Most Active Category: Programming (18 videos) • Most Watched Channel: Fireship (8 videos) • Inactive Subscriptions: 87 (consider reviewing)

## Built-In Categories

### Programming

- Fireship
- ThePrimeagen
- Web Dev Simplified
- Traversy Media
- Kevin Powell
- + 10 more

### AI & ML

- Two Minute Papers
- Lex Fridman
- Matthew Berman
- AI Explained
- WorldofAI
- + 5 more

### Business

- Ali Abdaal
- My First Million
- Thomas Frank
- Starter Story
- Colin and Samir
- + 4 more

### Automation

- n8n
- Zapier
- Make
- IFTTT
- Activepieces

### Finance

- Graham Stephan
- Andrei Jikh
- Meet Kevin
- The Plain Bagel
- + 2 more

### Tech News

- MKBHD
- Linus Tech Tips
- Dave2D
- The Verge
- + 2 more

## How It Works

### Workflow Diagram:

```
[1] Schedule Trigger (Monday 9 AM)
↓
[2] Get YouTube Subscriptions
↓
[3] Get Watch History (Past Week)
↓
[4] Categorize Channels
↓
[5] Generate Categorized Report
↓
[6] Create Todoist Task
↓
[7] Save to Notion Dashboard (Optional)
```

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## Key Features

### Category Analysis

- Automatically groups your channels
- Shows top 3 per category
- Displays total views per category

### Most-Watched Tracking

- Overall top channel
- Top category of the week
- Individual channel statistics

### Subscription Cleanup

- Identifies inactive subscriptions
- Suggests channels to unsubscribe
- Helps declutter your feed

### Trend Insights

- Weekly viewing patterns
- Category preferences over time

- Content consumption habits

## Setup Guide

### Step 1: Enable YouTube API (10 min)

1. Go to [console.cloud.google.com](https://console.cloud.google.com)
2. Create new project: "YouTube Tracker"
3. Enable **YouTube Data API v3**
4. Create OAuth 2.0 credentials
5. Add scope: `youtube.readonly`
6. Download credentials

### Step 2: Configure N8N (5 min)

1. N8N → Credentials → Add
2. Select "Google OAuth2 API"
3. Paste Client ID + Secret
4. Authorize YouTube access
5. Test connection

### Step 3: Import Workflow (2 min)

1. Copy workflow code from `.md` file
2. N8N → Create New Workflow
3. Paste nodes
4. Connect credentials
5. Activate!

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## Customization

### Add Your Categories:

```
const CHANNEL_CATEGORIES = {
  'Your Category Name': [
    'Channel 1',
    'Channel 2',
    'Channel 3'
  ]
}
```

```
]
};
```

### Change Top Channels Count:

```
const topChannels = channels.slice(0, 5); // Top 5 instead of 3
```

### Filter Minimum Views:

```
if (totalViews >= 3) { // Only show categories with 3+ views
  // Display category
}
```

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## Track What You Actually Watch!

Categories • Top Channels • Inactive Cleanup  
Automated every Monday morning

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