



# Email Categories

- Personal



Hotmail®

YAHOO! MAIL

Gmail

- Marketing

VerticalResponse  
MAIL MARKETING GROUP

MailChimp

Constant Contact  
MARKETING SOLUTIONS

Experian  
ClearMail

- Transactional

SENDGRID#



# Twitter Followers

tim falls is now following you on Twitter! [View](#) (0)

Twitter to Isaac

Steve Jobs 10:21 PM (1 hour ago)

My Tools

twitter

Hi, Isaac.

[tim falls \(@tfalls\)](#) is now following your updates on Twitter.  
A little information about tim falls



44 followers

130 updates

following 60 people

The Twitter Team

Fun of how email at [tfalls@twitter.com](mailto:tfalls@twitter.com)

Please do not reply to this message, it was sent from an unmonitored email address. This message is a service email related to your use of Twitter. For general inquiries or to request support with your Twitter account, please visit us at [Twitter Support](#).



# Shipping Alerts

Your Amazon.com order has shipped (#002-0803772-7048245) [View Details](#) | [Close](#)

Amazon.com is loading

[View Details](#) | [Close](#) | [My Items](#)

Greetings from Amazon.com

We thought you'd like to know that we shipped your items, and that this completes your order.

You can track the status of this order, and all your orders, online by visiting Your Account at [102.7www.amazon.com/gp/aa/history/your.html](http://102.7www.amazon.com/gp/aa/history/your.html)

Here you can

- \* Track your shipment
- \* View the status of unshipped items
- \* Cancel unshipped items
- \* Return items
- \* And do much more

The following items have been shipped to you by Amazon.com:

Qty	Item	Price	Shipped	Subtotal
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Amazon.com Items (Sold by Amazon.com, LLC)

1	Playstation 2 Memory Card...	\$6.95	1	\$6.95
2	Logitech 3 Button USB Opti...	\$11.75	2	\$23.50



## Transactional Email Problems

- Deliverability
- Scalability
- Lack of insight
- Time consuming





# Deliverability (solved)

Delivery Monitoring    SPF    DKIM  
DomainKeys    Soft/Hard Bounces  
Unsubscribes    RDNS    CAN-SPAM  
Feedback Loop    ISP Rate Limits



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Gmail

YAHOO! MAIL



Hotmail®

Expert system in transactional email to solve problems. On average users increase 20% deliverability by using SendGrid



# Metrics Provided by SendGrid



# Many others sending emails





# Competition

	Services	Products	SendGrid
Deliverability			
Scalability			
Metrics			
Enhancement			
Integration			
Administration			
Affordability			
Flexibility			



# Revenue Model

	Basic	Silver	Gold	Platinum
Monthly Price	\$9.95	\$79.95	\$199.95	\$799.95
Price per email	\$0.001	\$0.00075	\$0.00050	\$0.00045
Custom IP	✓	✓	✓	✓
Click Tracking		✓	✓	✓
Open Tracking		✓	✓	✓
White label		✓	✓	✓
Reseller Panel			✓	✓
Priority Support				✓



## Customer Acquisition

- Direct
  - Ad campaigns
  - Social media marketing
  - Open source integration
- Distribution channels
  - Hosting companies
  - Systems administrators
  - Web development firms





## Goals

- Raise \$300k
  - Solid Sales & Marketing
  - 400 customers
  - \$60k monthly recurring revenue
- Investors
  - Email experience
  - Contacts with hosting providers
  - Mentorship





# Welcome



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We make email delivery easy

Isaac Saldana, Jose Lopez,  
Tim Jenkins, Kyle Kermgard



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## Transactional Emails

- Examples of transactional emails...



# Friend Requests

## Matt Van Horn added you as a friend on Facebook...

☆ **Facebook** to Isaac [show details](#) May 30 [Reply](#) ▼

Matt added you as a friend on Facebook. We need to confirm that you know Matt in order for you to be friends on Facebook.

To confirm this friend request, follow the link below:  
<http://www.facebook.com/n/?reqs.php&mid=8bbb24G43D61bR689b88G2>

Thanks,  
The Facebook Team

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This message was intended for [jsaldana@ee.ucr.edu](mailto:jsaldana@ee.ucr.edu). Want to control which emails you receive from Facebook? Go to: <http://www.facebook.com/editaccount.php?notifications&mid=ZnJpZW5kO2Zyb209MTAxMDAwOTA7dG89MTEzOTgyNzEzEzQ==&mid=8bbb24G43D61bR689b88G2>

Facebook's offices are located at 1601 S. California Ave., Palo Alto, CA 94304.



facebook.



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# Email Delivery Made Easy



**SENDGRID#**

Easy integration | Hosted service | Zero coding



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**YAHOO!** MAIL  
BETA

**Gmail™**  
by Google BETA



## Deliverability

- 20% non-delivery is typical
- Costly – missed opportunities
  - If 1% of Ebay's yearly email is missing they lose \$14 million dollars



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# Scalability



The more email sent the more hardware needed, more software to configure, and more servers to maintain.



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SendGrid is a cloud-based service that scales on demand



## Lack of Insight after delivery





# Metrics Provided by SendGrid

