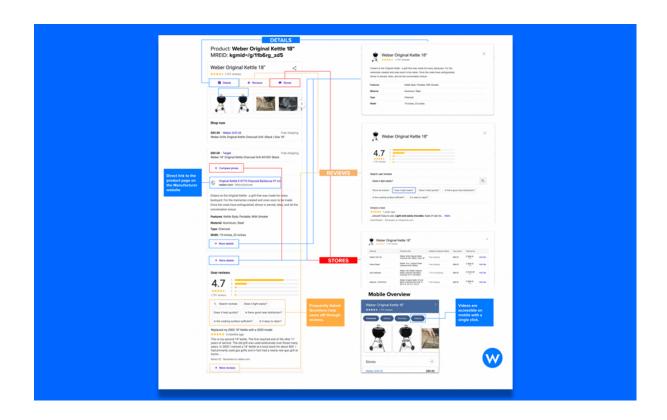
OPTIMIZE YOUR GOOGLE PRODUCT KNOWLEDGE PANELS CHECKLIST

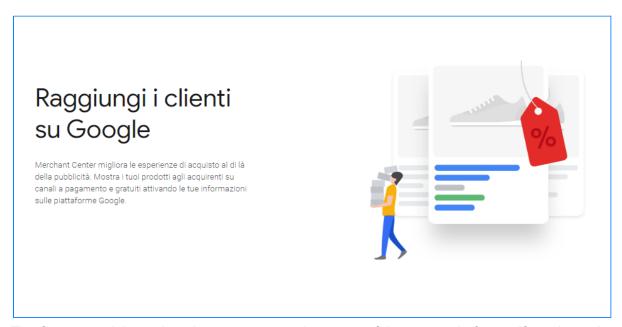


Thank you for downloading this checklist.

Highlight your products on Google SERPs

with Knowledge Panels!

☐ Start with the Manufacturer Center or with the Merchant Center

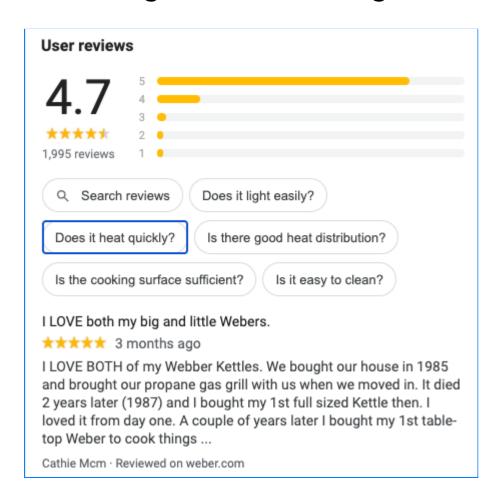


The first essential step is to be present on at least one of these two platforms. If you haven't already done so, **sign up for the Manufacturer Center if you're a manufacturer**, or **the Merchant Center if you're a retailer**. If you're a manufacturer who sells its products online, you can sign up for both platforms.

Even if you already have an account, be sure to curate it as much as possible and properly report all data related to your products and e-commerce. Also, remember to update this information frequently.

These two platforms are two very authoritative sources for Google. The data we enter on them, such as prices, names, and GTIN codes, can give us a big hand in enriching the Knowledge Panels of the products we sell.

☐ Leverage reviews and ratings



User reviews and ratings are a powerful tool for increasing trust and social proof about the products you sell.

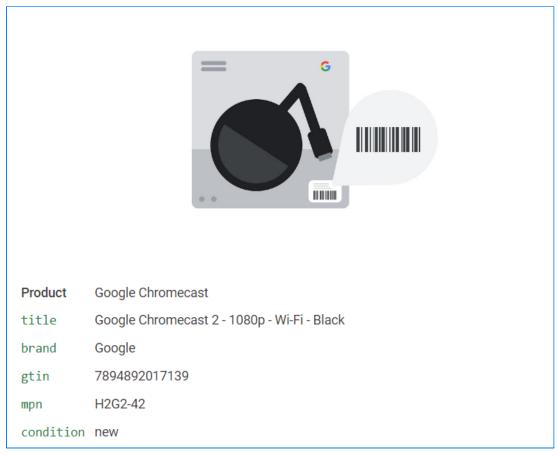
There are two main avenues.

Google aggregates reviews and ratings from large sites like eBay. If your products are also sold and reviewed on these large platforms, these reviews could be aggregated into the Knowledge Panels review snippet.

Also, we recommend using structured data on your product pages to help Google properly "read" your customers' reviews and ratings.

Using the AggregateRating markup correctly can help you show a snippet with the average rating of your product.

☐ Submit the GTIN code

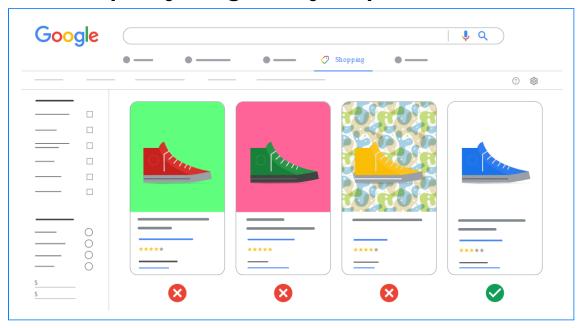


The GTIN code is a unique universal code that identifies products. In some cases, it might not be easy to get it, but when it is possible it is always worth communicating it correctly through the structured data and platforms we saw in point 1.

This code allows Google to unequivocally identify the product you are selling and correctly associate the information related to it. Some possible effects of this correct association may be that you appear as a reseller in the Knowledge Panel of a product, or that your Google Shopping ads and free product listings (at the moment not yet available in all countries) are shown more frequently and on more placements.

Retailers who correctly added GTIN codes to their products saw **an average 20% increase in clicks**. With <u>E-commerce SEO by WordLift</u>, you can add GTIN codes and other Unique Product Identifiers to your product pages on WooCommerce in just a few clicks.

☐ Use quality images for your products



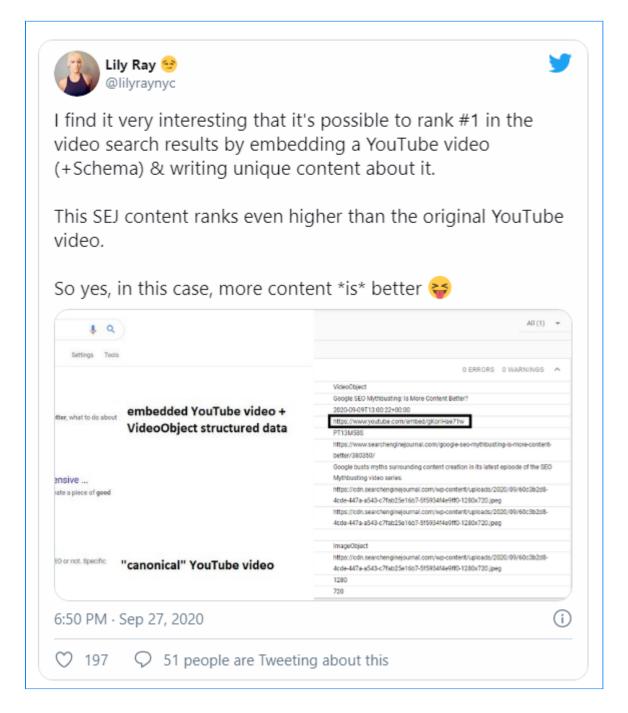
If you want your product images to appear on Google's placements and Knowledge Panels, you'll need to follow the guidelines it dictates.

Some of them are simple technical specifications, such as the minimum resolution of 100x100 pixels (250x250 on apparel products), but there are also principles you should take into account to have good product photos in general.

You can find these requirements in this merchant center's quide.

Again, applying structured data correctly will be crucial.

□ Publish articles based on YouTube videos

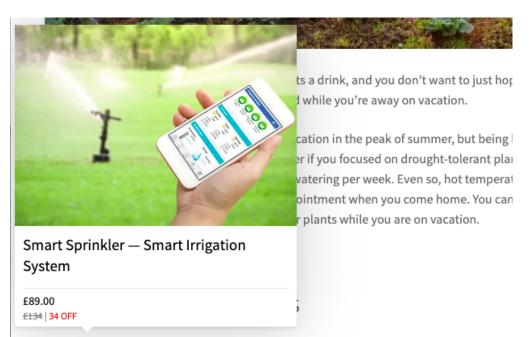


You can gain additional visibility for your products in Google Panels by **creating articles based on YouTube videos and using VideoObject markup**. These articles often rank higher than canonical video, as long as the new content adds value to the video.

Also, remember to mark the product you are talking about in the article's structured data. With E-commerce SEO by WordLift, you can do this with Context Cards, getting three results in one go:

- enrich the markup schema of the page with the product
- add a link to the product page

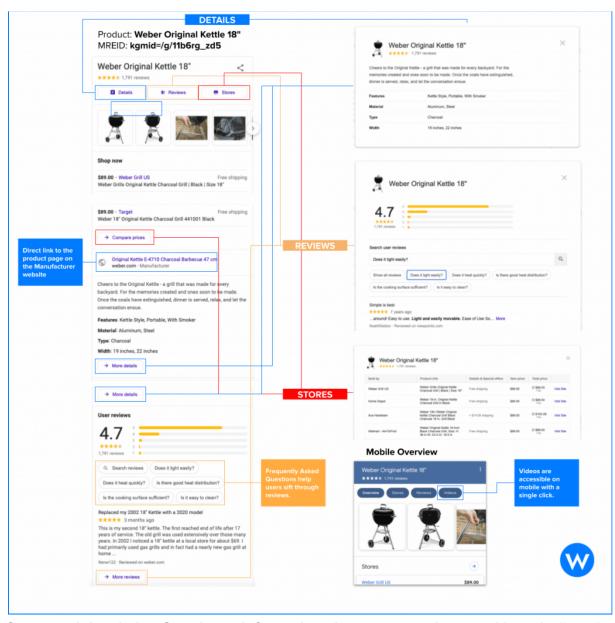
improve the User Experience on the page with a beautiful Product Card



Smart irrigation controllers include an online portal that you can access on your compuryour smartphone or tablet, allowing you to easily adjust your irrigation from anywhere

Unlike traditional **irrigation** controllers that operate on a preset programmed schedule **irrigation** controllers monitor weather, soil conditions, evaporation and plant water use the **watering** schedule to actual conditions of the site.

Structured data... and, again, structured data



Structured data helps Google get information about your products and brand, allows it to rank your content, and is critical for creating entities associated with your business and establishing relationships with and between them. For example, you can link a product to its accessories and show this correlation in Google's SERPs.

SEO of the future will be increasingly based on these semantic connections.

The more accurately your e-commerce communicates this information, the more visibility it will have on search engine pages.

How do you take care of structured data on a website?

There are several ways to do this. Relying on a tool like <u>WordLift</u> is one of the easiest and most effective.

Do you want a hand implementing and optimizing structured data on your e-commerce?

Our technology and our team can help you!

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