

CLASS 01

#### **Email Marketing and Your Business**

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# WHY EMAIL MARKETING IS STILL IMPORTANT

# IS EMAIL MARKETING STILL RELEVANT?

#### Email is still a huge part of being a successful business.



# PEOPLE HAVE DRAMATICALLY CHANGED HOW THEY LIVE AND WORK.



There's a big disconnect between how companies sell and how people buy.



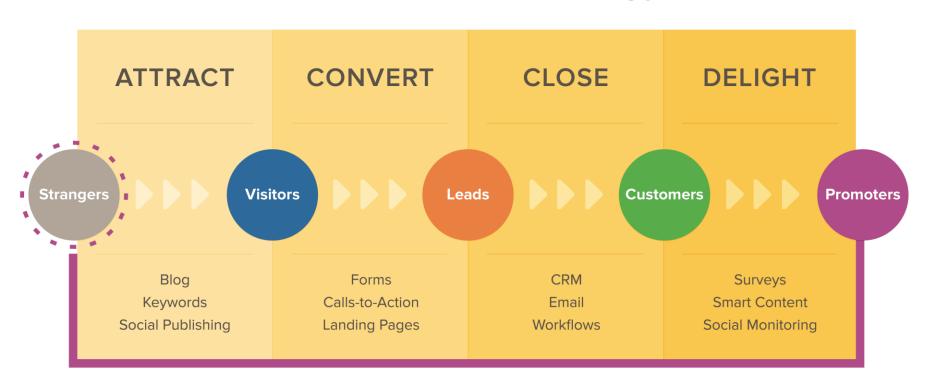
In traditional marketing, companies focus on finding customers by getting their message in front of as many people as possible.

# TECHNOLOGY IS MAKING THESE TECHNIQUES LESS EFFECTIVE AND MORE EXPENSIVE.

INBOUND IS ALL ABOUT EMPOWERING VISITORS, LEADS AND CUSTOMERS WITH HELPFUL, RELEVANT **CONTENT THAT** PROVIDES VALUE.

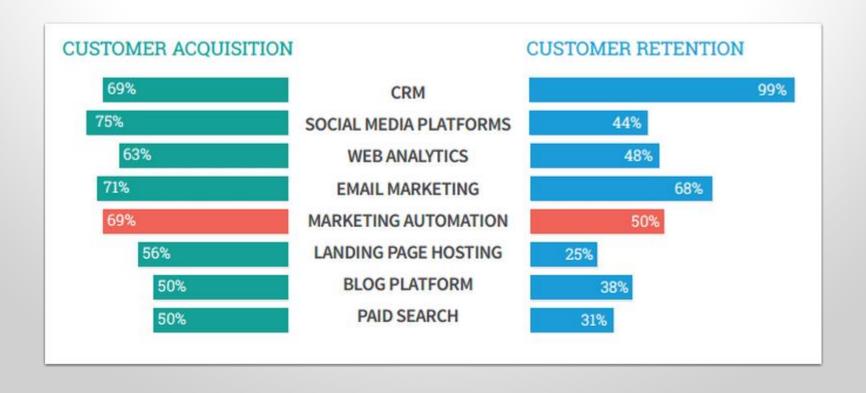


#### **Inbound Methodology**



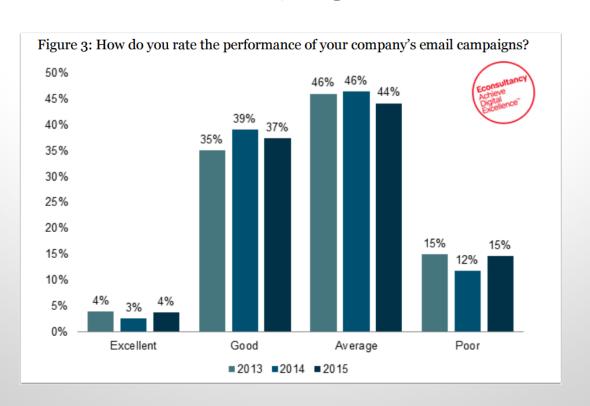


## What tech can help marketers close leads and delight customer?



WITH AN ROI OF 38-1, EMAIL MARKETING IS ONE OF THE BEST INVESTMENTS YOUR BUSINESS CAN MAKE.

### Only 4% of companies would rate the performance of their email campaigns as excellent.



74

The number of times the average person checks their email EVERY DAY





# AN INVITE INTO A PERSON'S INBOX IS A PRETTY BIG DEAL.



"With great power comes great responsibility."

#### EMAIL MARKETING IS MEASURABLE.

"THE GREAT CHALLENGE OF OUR CURRENT MEDIA LANDSCAPE IS CAPTURING AND RETAINING USER ATTENTION." -NICCO MELE

# HOW TO BUILD AN EFFECTIVE EMAIL MARKETING STRATEGY

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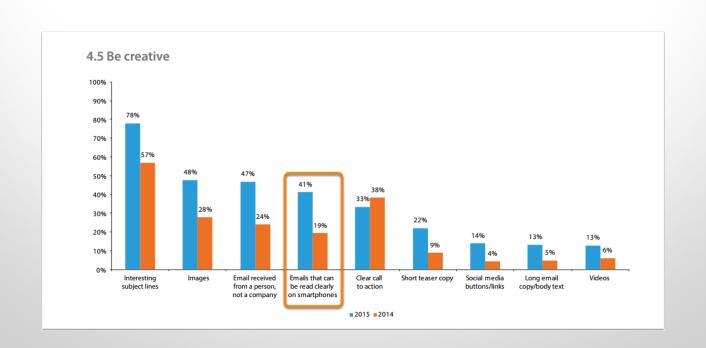
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# THE REALITY IS THAT EMAIL HAS TO BE MOBILE-OPTIMIZED TO BE EFFECTIVE.

81%

Of smartphone users say email is the MOST popular activity they use their phone for.

# People want emails that can be clearly read on smartphones.



When asked to rate the statement: "Most of the marketing emails I receive include no content or offers that are of interest to me."

62%

agree or strongly agree.

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# FOCUS AS MUCH ON THE CONTEXT OF YOUR MESSAGES AS THE CONTENT YOU DELIVER.

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94%

Of businesses say personalization is critical to their current and future success.

JUST BECAUSE YOUR EMAIL WENT OUT TO 10,000 PEOPLE DOESN'T MEAN IT HAS TO READ LIKE IT DID.

THE MODERN MARKETER HAS LOTS OF DIFFERENT CHANNELS AT THEIR DISPOSAL TO ATTRACT, ENGAGE AND CLOSE PEOPLE INTO CUSTOMERS.

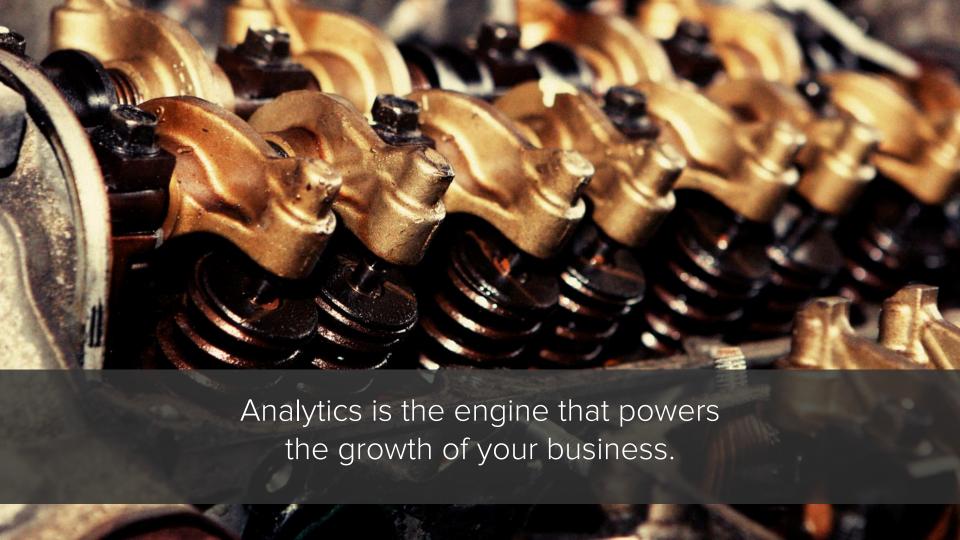
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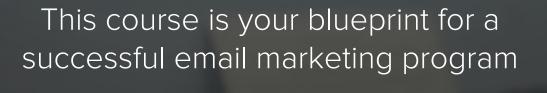
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# WHAT A SUCCESSFUL EMAIL MARKETING STRATEGY LOOKS LIKE





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# IT TAKES TIME TO FIGURE OUT THE QUIRKS AND DIFFERENCES OF YOUR CONTACT DATABASE.

#### WORK TOGETHER TO DECIDE

- When is the right time to send an email, and when is it not
- How often should you send emails?
- How many emails should a lead receive? A customer?

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## FEATURES OF A GOOD EMAIL SERVICE PROVIDER

- Connected to a contact database
- Ability to analyze the success of your email sends
- Ability to send automated emails based on user activity
- Have landing page and form functionality for generating new leads

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#### IMPORTANT DECISIONS TO MAKE

- How will lead nurturing be used in your business?
- How many emails is too many emails?
- What role will email play in the way you communicate with existing customers?