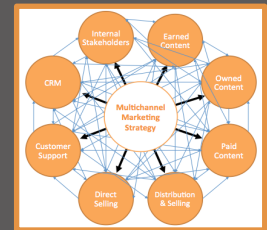




Multichannel Marketing Strategy

AMA Workshop

March 2013




Workshop Schedule

Day 1

Morning
8:30am – 12:00 pm


INTRODUCTION (15 mins)

- Curriculum Review

 **CONTEXTUAL FOUNDATION (90 mins)**


- Foundational principles
- Aligning business, brand, channel strategy
- Planning tools & frameworks

Break (15 mins)


 **MCM STRATEGY (90 mins)**

- What it means
- Planning tools & frameworks
- Success factors & imperatives

Afternoon
1:00pm – 5:00pm


 **ARCHITECTING MCM STRATEGIES (90 mins)**

- Case studies
- Workbook exercise/reflection

 **BUILDING A 'MOCK' MCM STRATEGY (90 mins)**


- Background/assignment
- Sub-group breakouts
- Group discussion

Break (15 mins)


 **APPLYING MCM PRINCIPLES (45 mins)**

- Workbook exercise/reflection
- Peer review

Day 2


 **WELCOME BACK (30 mins)**

- Recap key learnings/Day 1


 **MEASURING CHANNEL IMPACT (90 mins)**

- Cross-channel quantification
- Attribution principles
- ROI tools

Break (15 mins)


 **EVALUATING MCM STRATEGY/1 (60 mins)**

- Mock strategy development
- Sub-group breakouts

 **EVALUATING MCM STRATEGY/2 (90 mins)**

- Group review/discussion
- Workbook exercise/reflection
- Peer review

Break (15 mins)

 **ORGANIZATIONAL READINESS (90 mins)**

- Operationalizing MCM principles
- Success factors
- Workbook exercises/reflection

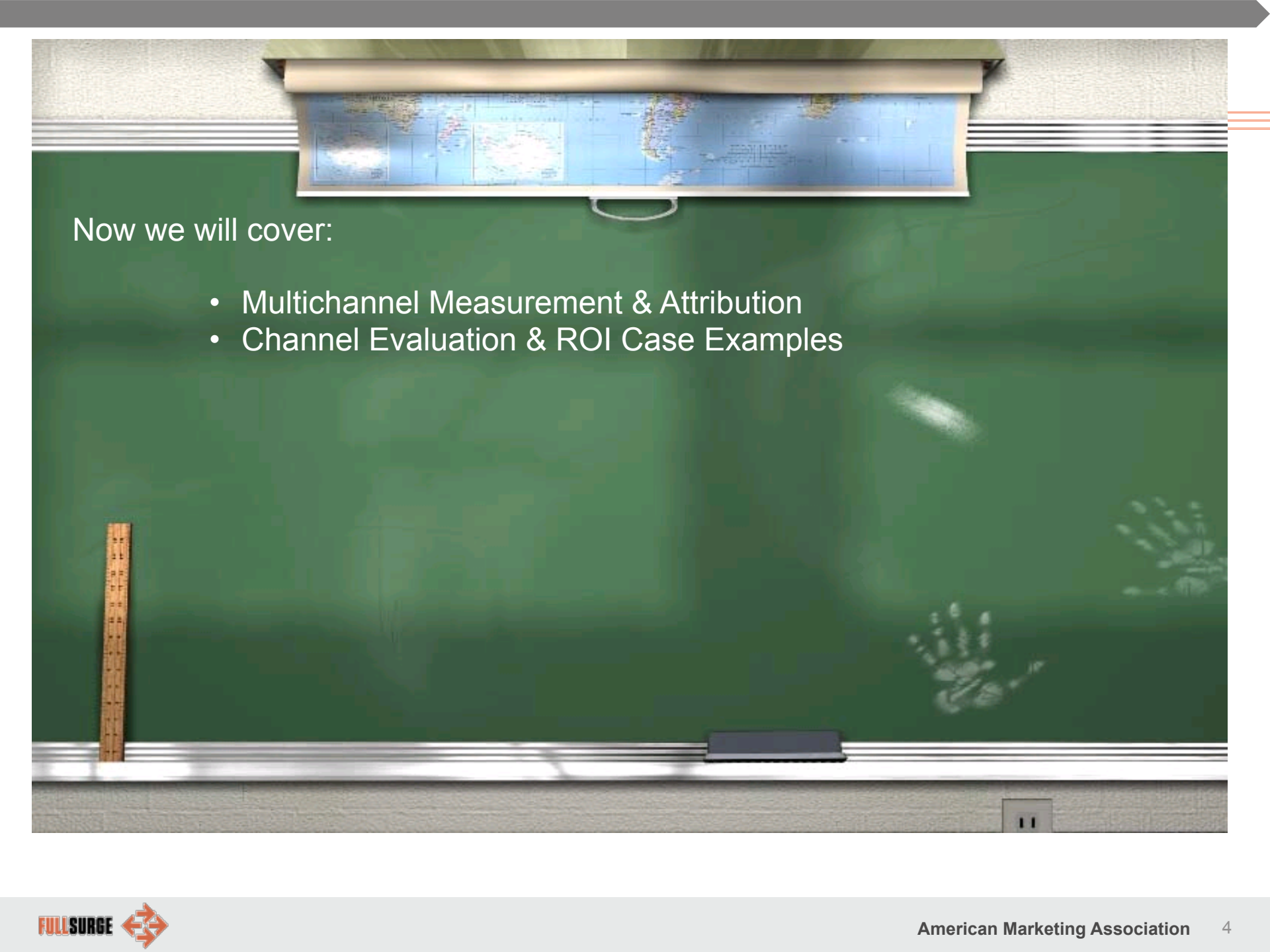
CLOSE (30 mins)

- Final thoughts/course survey



Quantifying Channel Impact

Understanding Multichannel ROI



Now we will cover:

- Multichannel Measurement & Attribution
- Channel Evaluation & ROI Case Examples

Capture results, Measure value creation

- CMOs today are under increasing pressure to provide quantifiable evidence of how their marketing expenditure is helping the organization achieve its goals.
 - 63% believe marketing return on investment (ROI) will become the most important measure of success over the next three to five years.
 - Only 44% of respondents feel sufficiently prepared to manage the increasing importance of ROI.

- Key facets
 - Assessing individual channel performance.
 - Integrating cross-channel attribution.
 - Allocating resources effectively across channels.

Cross-channel Attribution

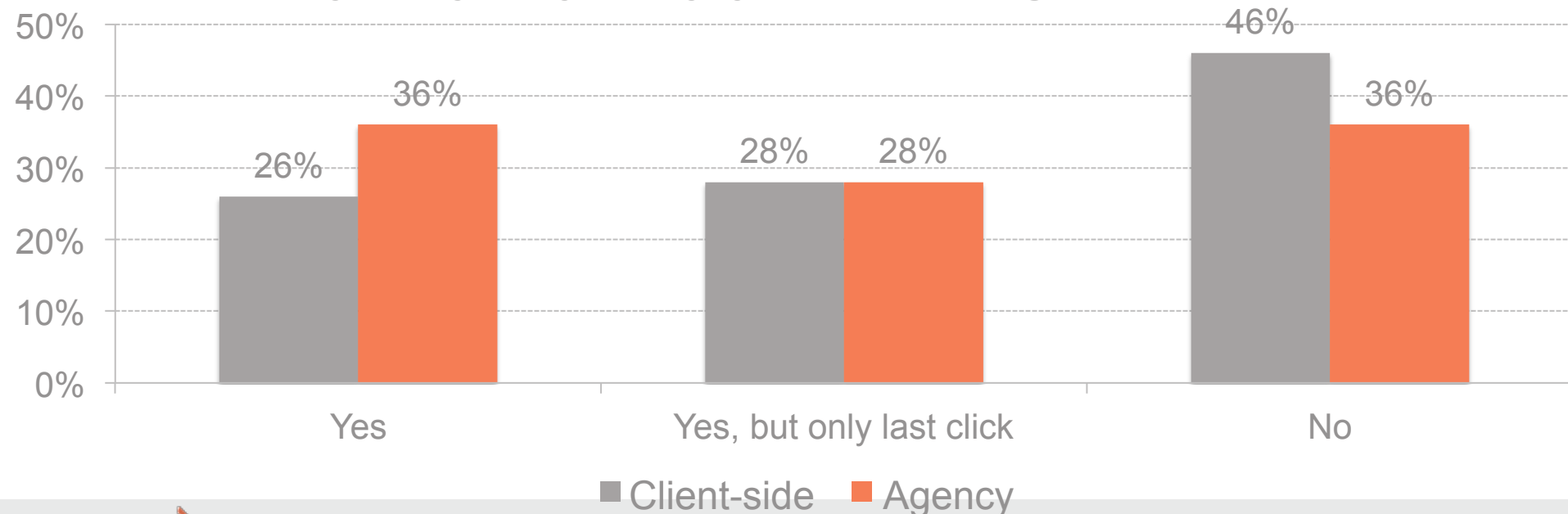
- Channels don't operate independently: interplay is unique for every industry, company and customer segment.
 - Some shoppers make impulse decisions.
 - Others spend time comparing prices and doing research.
- Channel attribution tracks user behavior throughout purchase process.
 - Allowing each channel that played a role in influencing the consumer to get credit for contribution.

Attribution is the practice of allocating proportional credit across all marketing channels to ultimately lead to the desired customer action and business outcome. - Forrester

Use of Marketing Attribution

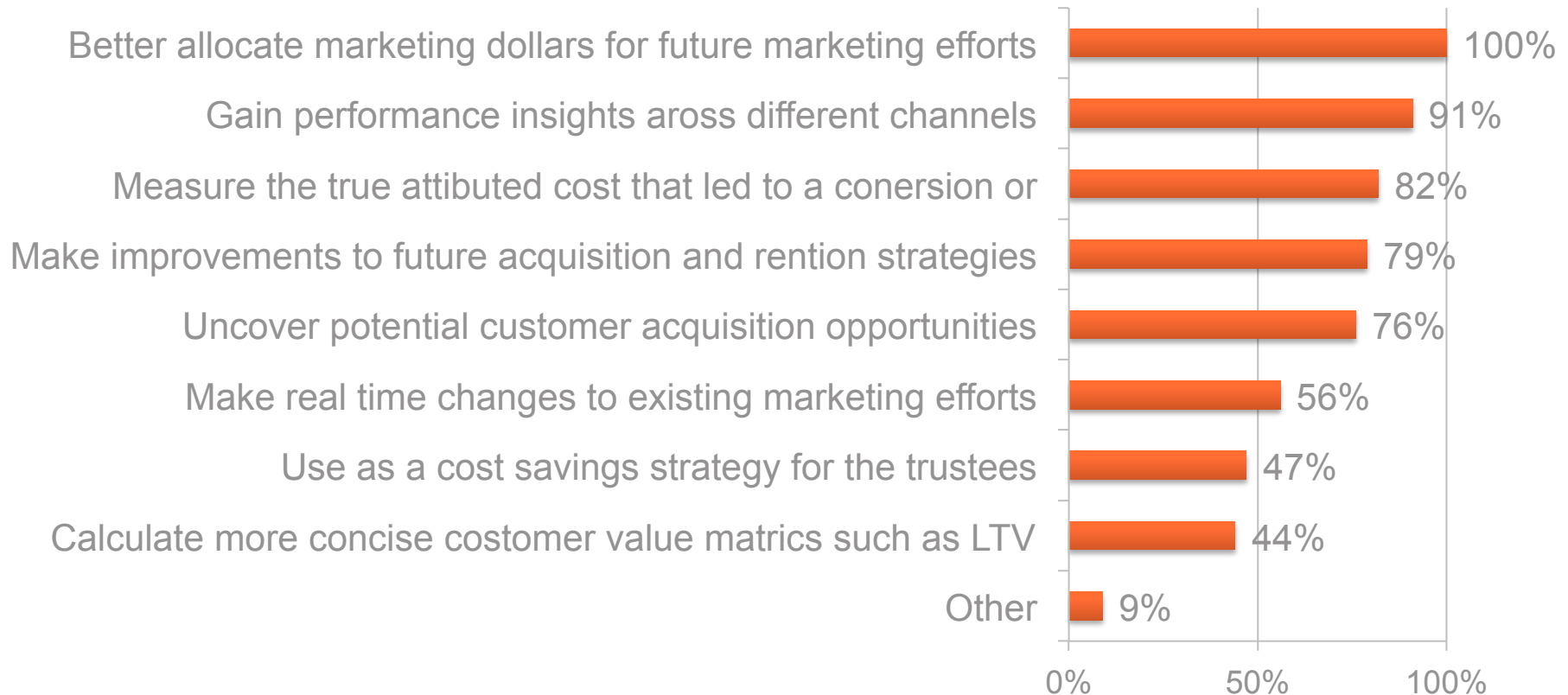
- For most companies that are engaged with it, attribution is still in its early stages.
- 83% of the respondents to the survey who are doing attribution have been engaged in the practice for less than 2 years.
- 28% began in just the last six months.
- Companies are rapidly adopting attribution for a number of reasons, but the central one is that it offers an accountability that internet marketing has promised but rarely delivered.

% of respondents indicating whether they, or their clients, typically carry out any type of marketing attribution



Marketers leverage attribution insights to better allocate their marketing dollars

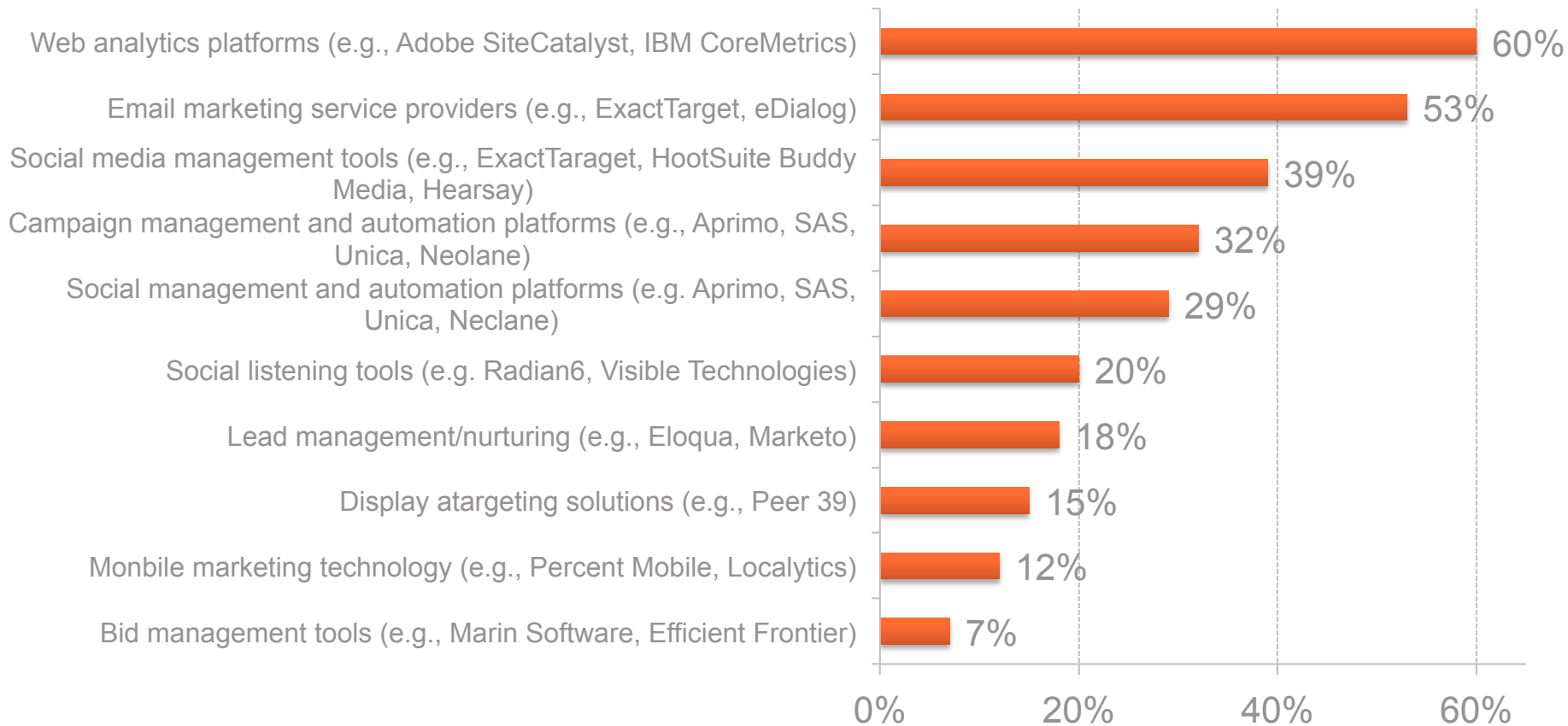
“Why does your firm utilize cross-channel attribution solutions?”



Source: Q1 2012 Global Cross-Channel Attribution Forrester Wave Customer Online Survey

Marketers rely on a mix of technologies to support cross-channel efforts

What technologies do you currently use to manage your cross-channel messaging efforts today? (Select all that apply)”



Four Levels Of Cross-Channel Marketers Emerged



Cross-Channel Marketers

➤ Level 1

- This group accounts for 11% of our sample and is the least sophisticated group in the study. Five times more level 1 marketers than the average are extremely unprepared for cross-channel marketing. More firms in this group suffer from limited knowledge, budget, data, staff, and technology than the average. Being slightly more likely to be high-tech and retail companies than other segments, this group finds that its current marketing technologies fall short in every function we asked about (see Figure 9).

➤ Level 2

- This group has middle-of-the-road multichannel capability and vision. Exactly half of respondents land in this segment. So not surprisingly, their characteristics are mostly on par with study averages. Just more than one-third — 37% — of level 2's say that limited technology hinders their multichannel efforts. This is slightly more than the average, but 24% fewer than the percentage of level 1's saying the same. Level 2's index slightly higher than average for financial services and consumer goods firms.

Source: Forrester

Cross-Channel Marketers (cont)

➤ Level 3

- This segment represents 34% of respondents. Nearly 90% of level 3's think that they are prepared or well prepared for cross-channel marketing. We are not surprised. More in this group than average already integrate email, display, Twitter feeds, search ads, and on-site content with other channels. This group includes a mix of industries and company sizes.

➤ Level 4

- Our most advanced segment is also our smallest. But this 5% demonstrates behaviors significantly different from study averages. Level 4's are tenured interactive marketers that are already integrating all of the channels they apply. They indicate fewer challenges to enabling cross-channel. And the challenges they face are more advanced than other groups'; level 1's struggle to execute cross-channel campaigns, while level 4's want to improve their cross-channel customer insight. Fewer level 4's are dissatisfied with their technologies. This is perhaps because 60% of them own more than 10% of their company's technology budget. Level 4's skew toward big companies from the media industry.

Source: Forrester

Attribution Thinking

- Marketers often aim to discover which channels have the most influence on purchase decisions.
 - User behavior makes it difficult to find a clear answer.
- Marketing attribution introduces a way to assign value to each channel that played a role in influencing the customer. For example:
 - Customer first visits a website through an organic search; returns later through a social network; and then buys after clicking on an advertisement. Who should get the credit?
- Marketing attribution assigns a percentage to each channel based on how far away that channel was from purchase (instead of attributing 100% of credit to the last channel).
 - When implemented effectively, channel attribution models can be used to determine/prioritize most influential paths.
- Spectrum of approaches being used by industry.
 - From simplistic to advanced.

Simplistic

➤ Post-View Attribution

- The last channel to show a person an ad is the channel that receives credit for it. However, this model is even less accurate than the post-click model, as it encourages media partners to plaster ads as widespread as possible in order to take credit for the conversion, even if a consumer doesn't actually see the ad. The benefit to post-view is that it enables marketers to measure if the viewing of the ad actually resulted in an outcome.
- However, the risk associated with this model is that not every ad that is shown to a consumer is actually seen. For example, an advertisement might be posted on a window of a store, but that doesn't guarantee that a consumer walking by will see the ad. Similarly, a banner ad on Facebook or AIM might be present on one's computer screen, but might not be noticed. Not all advertisements are created equal.

➤ The Time Decay Model

- In this model, touch points are assigned credit based upon closeness to a sale; the last interaction is assigned the greatest percentage and the first would receive the least. So, for example, if a customer clicked on a banner ad the day they converted and had also opened an email two weeks prior, the majority of credit would be given to the banner ad.

➤ Full Funnel Attribution

- Full funnel attribution is typically thought of as a model-solution, when in reality it is a theory.
- In an ideal world, every brand would choose full funnel attribution because it assigns values throughout different stages of a consumer's experience, providing deep insights into the role that each ad plays.
- Consider the breakdown of a sales funnel: Consumers move from awareness, to interest, to consideration, to preference and eventually, to purchase.
- Some people would argue that the first ad and last ad deserve the greatest credit because they're responsible for initiating awareness and closing the sale.
- Full-funnel holds that not all ads are created equal, and that brands should understand the impact that each ad has on creating awareness, influencing brand preference, and driving the desired outcome.

Rules-based

➤ Equal Attribution

- A step in the right direction is equal attribution. This is a form of post-view where equal value is assigned to every single ad placement. For example, prior to purchasing a product, a consumer viewed four advertisements from four different vendors. Each ad is then assigned credit for 25% of the sale. However, the risk is that this model assumes that all ads are created equal. Branding campaigns are typically more likely to utilize an equal attribution model, as this model focuses on reach and frequency, over specific types of metrics.
- Some brand marketers choose to forgo an attribution model entirely, which believe it or not, is somewhat similar to equal attribution. In this case, media vendors measure their results directly. As a result, if two vendors show an ad to the same person (who later converts), you then have multiple vendors claiming full credit for the sale. When you add the results up, you appear to have several hundred percent more sales than you actually achieved.

➤ The Linear/Equal Attribution Model

- This model assigns equal credit to every touch point leading up to a conversion. If a consumer touched 4 different channels before purchasing, each channel would be given credit for 25% of that sale.

➤ Fractional Attribution

- Fractional attribution is probably the best solution available. However, unlike the other options listed above, it's necessary to work with an attribution vendor in order to effectively measure fractional attribution.
- Many vendors offering fractional attribution indicate how much duplication is occurring between channels, which helps brands remove repetitive media partners who are not adding value. By highlighting media duplication, it's possible to observe just how far down the sales funnel each media partner is performing. Research shows that the first ad that a consumer views is vastly more important than subsequent impressions. Thus, if one vendor routinely has low duplication and provides the first impression, that vendor can be assigned a higher value because you know that they are responsible for initiating the consumer's interest, and playing a vital role in the conversion.
- Attributional is as close as we can get to practicing full funnel attribution. The trickiness lies in the fact that all companies have different goals when it comes to advertising and whom they are trying to reach. As a result, all attribution funnels are measured differently.

value of contacts

Type	<u>Simplistic</u> Model gives 100% credit to the last (or first) contact/exposure	<u>Rules-based</u> Model assigns credit to each interaction based on specific business rules	<u>Algorithmic</u> Model assigns credit to each interaction based on a statistical approach
Approach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ First/Last Touch Note: We do not consider this pure advanced attribution 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Even/Customized Weights ✓ Time Decay ✓ Positioned Based 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Regression Model ✓ Probabilistic Model Advanced attribution
Pitfalls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Ignores the bulk of the customer journey ✓ Overvalues closing interactions ✓ Undervalues other 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Assigns arbitrary values to each specific marketing tactic ✓ Subjective and lacks analytics rigor to 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Marketers feel uncomfortable with a black box approach to attribution

Scoring Approach: Representative Metrics

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Email Marketing

- Clicked on message
- More points for specific messages
- Do not assign score for:
 - “Email sent” – no action taken on their part
 - “Opens”

Web Visits

- How many pages did they visit?
- Which pages did they visit: Contact Us and/or Pricing vs Support?
- How often do they visit the site?
- Where did they come from?
- Download whitepaper or other media?

Webinars

- Attendees vs. Non-Attendees
- Who visited registration page but didn't submit

Forms

- Submitted /viewed form
- How did they respond to the questions?
- Is the data they provided valid?
- Do they fit your target audience?

Pay-Per-Click

- Which keywords perform the best?
- What is my cost per click?
- Where did they come from?

Physical Activities

- Attended a trade show / physical event?
- Which mailing lists performed the best?
- Which print advertising generates leads?

Not a perfect science yet, but better to be “roughly right” than “precisely wrong”?

Scoring Exercise

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Example

- You're a small software company that sells patch management software.
- You have two offices, one in Asia and one in the US, but you aren't global yet.
- Your software isn't cheap, so you need prospects with reasonably large budgets.

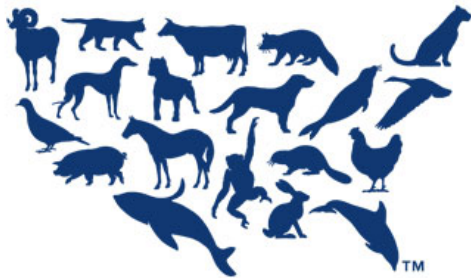
Registration Question	Excellent Prospect		Okay Prospect		Bad Prospect	
Job Title	IT Director	5	System Administrator	3	Sales Engineer	-4
Location of Headquarters	United States	5	Hong Kong	4	Romania	-5
Company Size	> 5,000	4	1,000 - 5,000	2	< 1,000	-2
Industry	Information Technology Services	5	Computer Software	4	Automotive	-5
Budget	> 50,000	4	10,000 - 50,000	3	< 10,000	-2

Implicit Online Behaviour	Point Value
Visitor downloaded the <i>How Do We Compare To Our Competition</i> white paper	5
Visitor browsed company website multiple times in the past 7 days.	5
Visitor downloaded the <i>Evaluation Guide</i> .	5
Visitor is already a lead in the sales system.	4
Visitor clicked on company's Jobs web page.	-5



Optimizing Multichannel Performance

Case Examples



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How Humane Society increased their donor base and yield through multichannel marketing and testing.

Setting the Agenda

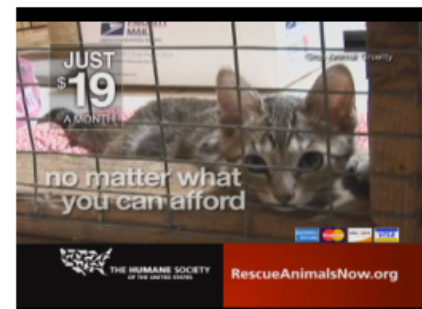
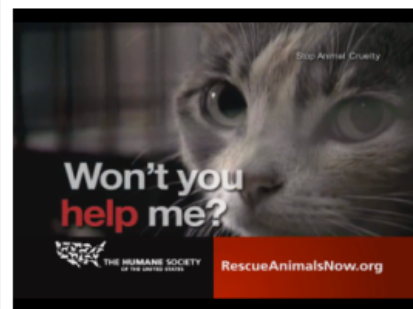
Objectives

- Acquire new sustaining donors.
- Lower the cost per overall donor.
- Raise awareness of animal cruelty.
- Boost non-recurring donations.



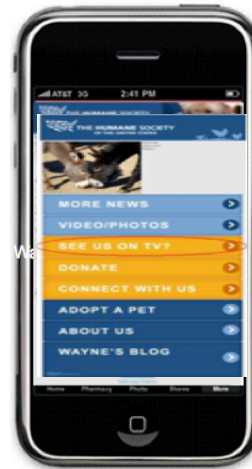
Lead Acquisition Channel

➤ DRTV and Web video



Secondary Acquisition Channels

➤ Home Page (Main & Mobile websites)



➤ Inbound Call Center

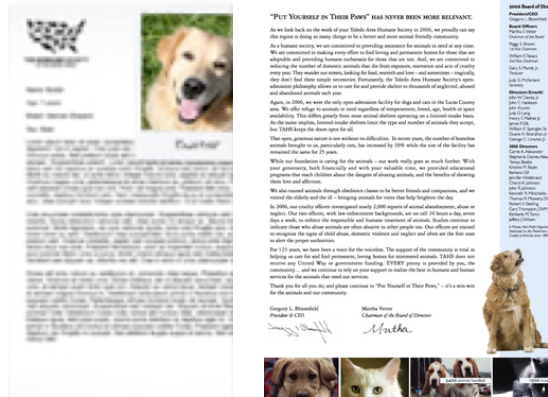


➤ Web and mobile donation pages



Tertiary Engagement Channels

➤ Direct Mail, Email



"PUT YOURSELF IN THEIR PAWS" HAS NEVER BEEN MORE RELEVANT.

In a time when the work of your organization has never been more important, it's essential that you are doing as much as you can to support your community. At the Humane Society, we are committed to making every effort to help dogs and cats in need. We are committed to providing every animal with the best care possible, and we are committed to making the number of animals in need as low as possible. We are committed to making every effort to help dogs and cats in need. We are committed to providing every animal with the best care possible, and we are committed to making the number of animals in need as low as possible.

April 10, 2008, we were the only open adoption facility for dogs and cats in the Lone County area. We offer a wide range of adoption options, including foster care, and we are committed to making every effort to help dogs and cats in need. We are committed to providing every animal with the best care possible, and we are committed to making the number of animals in need as low as possible.

Which are the best ways to help? We are committed to making every effort to help dogs and cats in need. We are committed to providing every animal with the best care possible, and we are committed to making the number of animals in need as low as possible.

We also need your help. We are committed to making every effort to help dogs and cats in need. We are committed to providing every animal with the best care possible, and we are committed to making the number of animals in need as low as possible.

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Thank you for all that you do. We are committed to making every effort to help dogs and cats in need. We are committed to providing every animal with the best care possible, and we are committed to making the number of animals in need as low as possible.

Gregory L. Blumfeld
President & CEO

Marka Young
Director of Fundraising

➤ Outbound Call Center



➤ Social



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The Humane Society of the United States · 1,628,684 like this
November 16, 2012 at 12:11pm · Like

Did you know that you can support us by doing something as simple as taking online surveys? Sign up with SurveyMonkey today by clicking the link below to get started!

Support The Humane Society of the US with SurveyMonkey
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Support The Humane Society of the US by sharing your opinions. We will donate \$0.50 for each survey you complete. Sign up now for free!



Thank you for taking care of our best supporters!
Here's the latest on what you've helped us achieve for animals.

Your Monthly Update

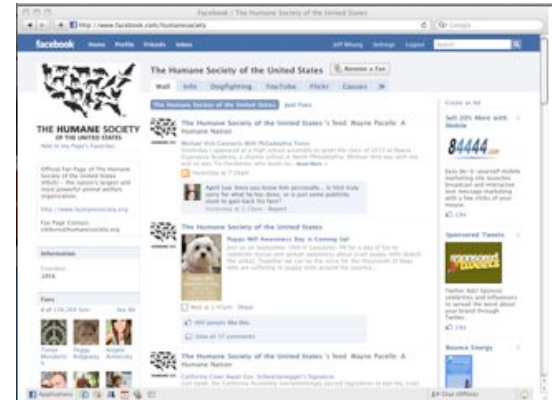
November 16, 2012
Dear [Name],

A major goal has been achieved by our supporters: we've reached 1.6 million supporters! This is a testament to your dedication and support. We are committed to making every effort to help dogs and cats in need. We are committed to providing every animal with the best care possible, and we are committed to making the number of animals in need as low as possible.

What's next?

- The Humane Society of the United States is committed to making every effort to help dogs and cats in need. We are committed to providing every animal with the best care possible, and we are committed to making the number of animals in need as low as possible.
- While the Humane Society of the United States is committed to making every effort to help dogs and cats in need, we are committed to providing every animal with the best care possible, and we are committed to making the number of animals in need as low as possible.

Check this out!



Facebook - The Humane Society of the United States

The Humane Society of the United States · 1,628,684 likes · November 16, 2012

Official Fan Page of The Humane Society of the United States. We are committed to making every effort to help dogs and cats in need. We are committed to providing every animal with the best care possible, and we are committed to making the number of animals in need as low as possible.

Support The Humane Society of the US with SurveyMonkey

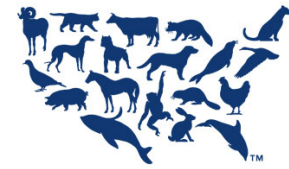
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Support The Humane Society of the US by sharing your opinions. We will donate \$0.50 for each survey you complete. Sign up now for free!

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Donor Capture Results

➤ Channels Metrics



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Multichannel Offer Testing

- Tested Channels: DRTV, Online, Mobile, Call Center
- Tested Offers: one time (major) gift v. monthly (minor) gifts
- Tested Creative: web layout and language shifts

Your gift as a **monthly donor**



Receive an official HSUS windbreaker jacket and tote bag when you become a monthly donor today!

Online/Mobile landing pages & PPC Ads:



Control

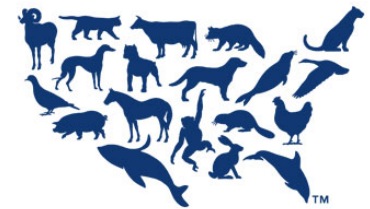
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Splash B

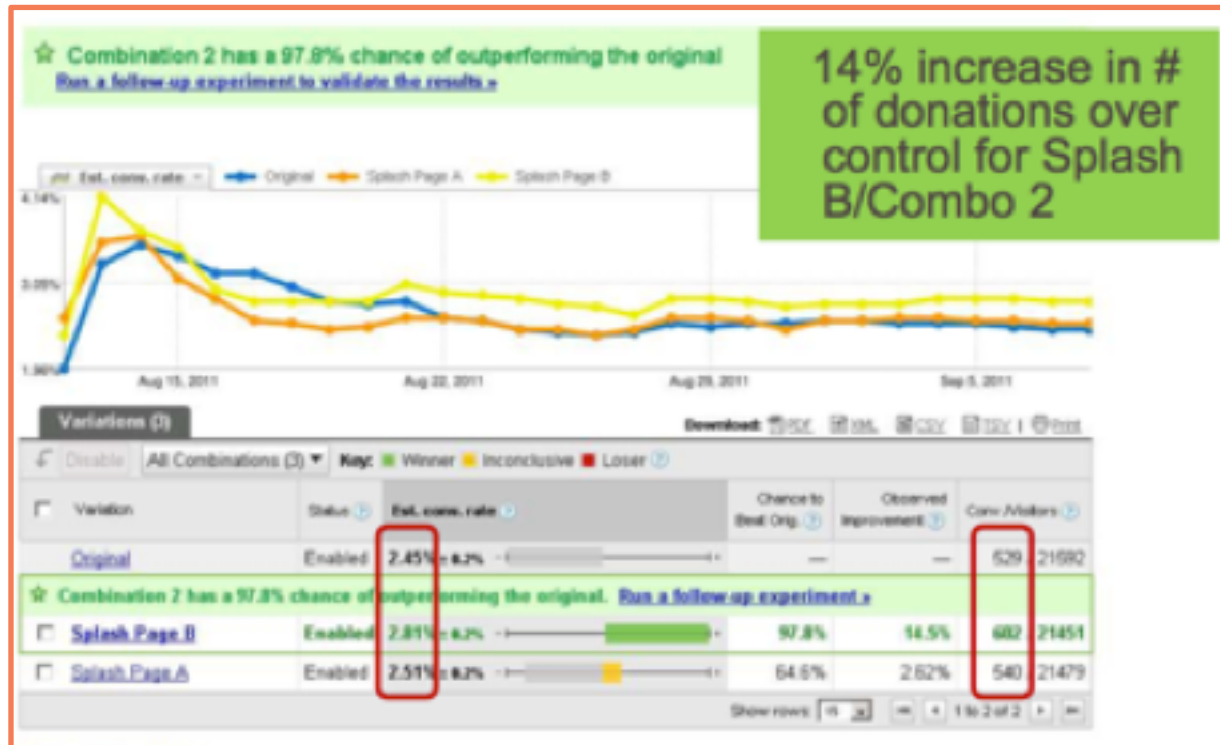


Multichannel Testing Results

➤ Optimization Rates



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The logo for CALENCE, featuring the word "CALENCE" in a bold, black, sans-serif font. A small blue dot is positioned above the letter "A".

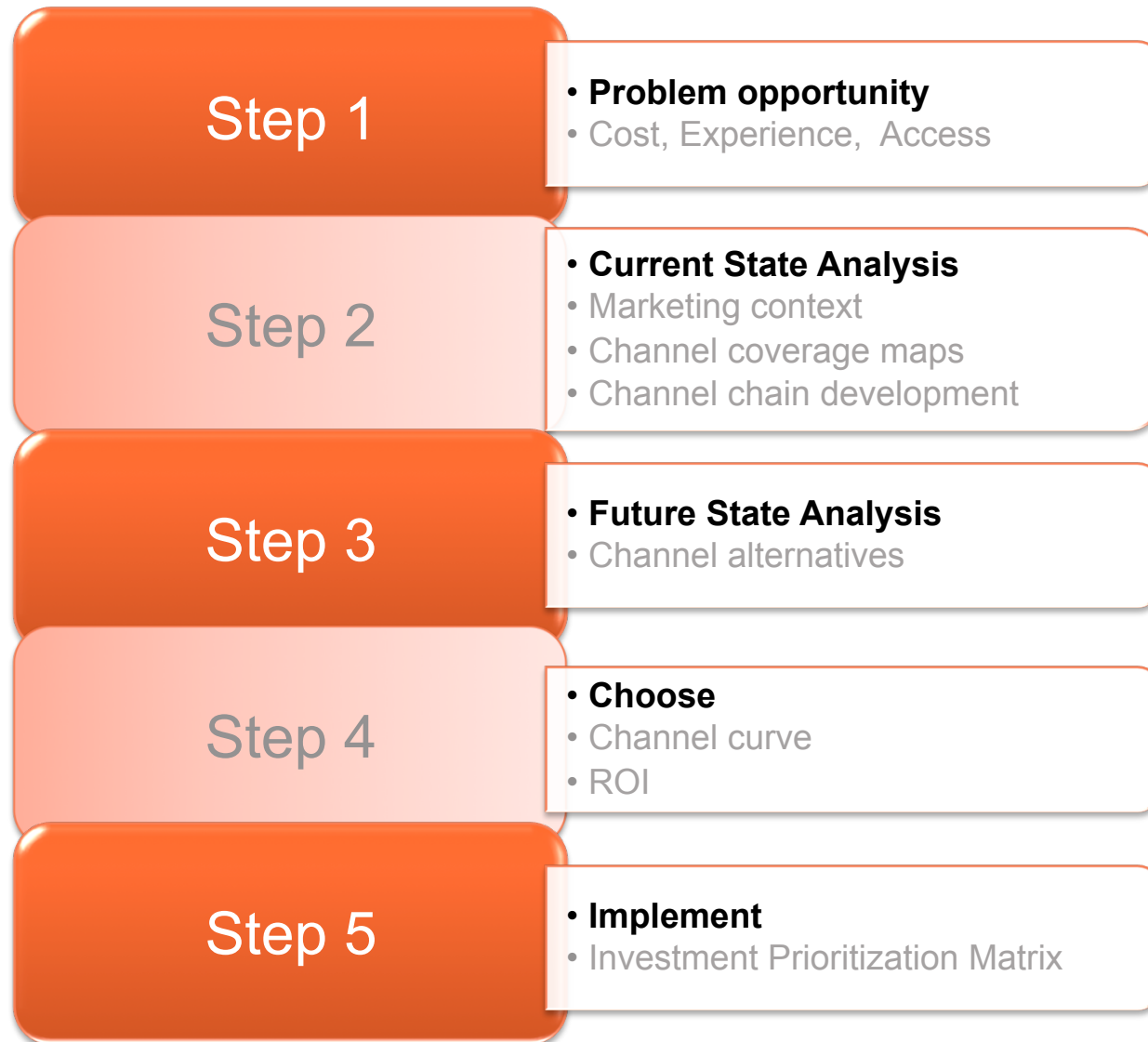
How an IT networking solutions company evaluated its B2B multichannel marketing and ROI through tracking, weighting, scoring metrics.

Background: Typical B2B Marketing Conundrum



Source: Sirius Decisions

Re-engineering Channel Strategy: Process Overview



Channel Evaluation Process

Summarize Current Channel Strategies & Generate Alternatives



Sales Complexity Weighting

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	Order size	Limited customer knowledge	Sales cycle	Configuration	Training	Service	Sales complexity score
<i>Weighting</i>	.015	.025	.01	.02	.02	.01	
Application Configuration & Network Management							
Front Office	10	7	7	7	7	4	7.15
Database	7	6	6	9	8	3	6.85
Data Mining Tools	3	9	3	5	9	5	6.3
Sales Force Automation	5	5	5	7	6	4	5.5
Contact Management	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Networking Hardware							
Desktop	8	2	2	3	3	3	3.4
Mobile phone	5	5	5	6	4	4	5.05
PDA	4	7	7	7	5	4	5.85
Laptop	7	3	2	3	3	4	3.6
Consulting Service							
DB management	5	5	7	8	6	7	6.2
Sales Network	5	7	7	8	6	7	6.7
Customer strategy	3	10	7	6	N/A	N/A	7.3

Product Coverage Map: Current State

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	Customer Strategy	Front Office App.	D.B. App.	Sales Network Mgt	Data Mining Tools	D.B. Mgt	PDA Deployment	Sales Force Automation Appl.	Laptop Development	Desktop Development	Contact Mgt App.
Owner Managed Business	FS	FS	T	I	I	FS	D	FS	D	D	T
Medium Retail Financial Services	FS	D	FS	I	T	I	D	FS	T	T	I
Large Professional Services	FS	FS	D	D	T	T	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS

I = Self-service over the internet
 D = Third party distribution partners

T = Desk-based account managers
 FS = Field sales – account management

Product Coverage Map: Future State

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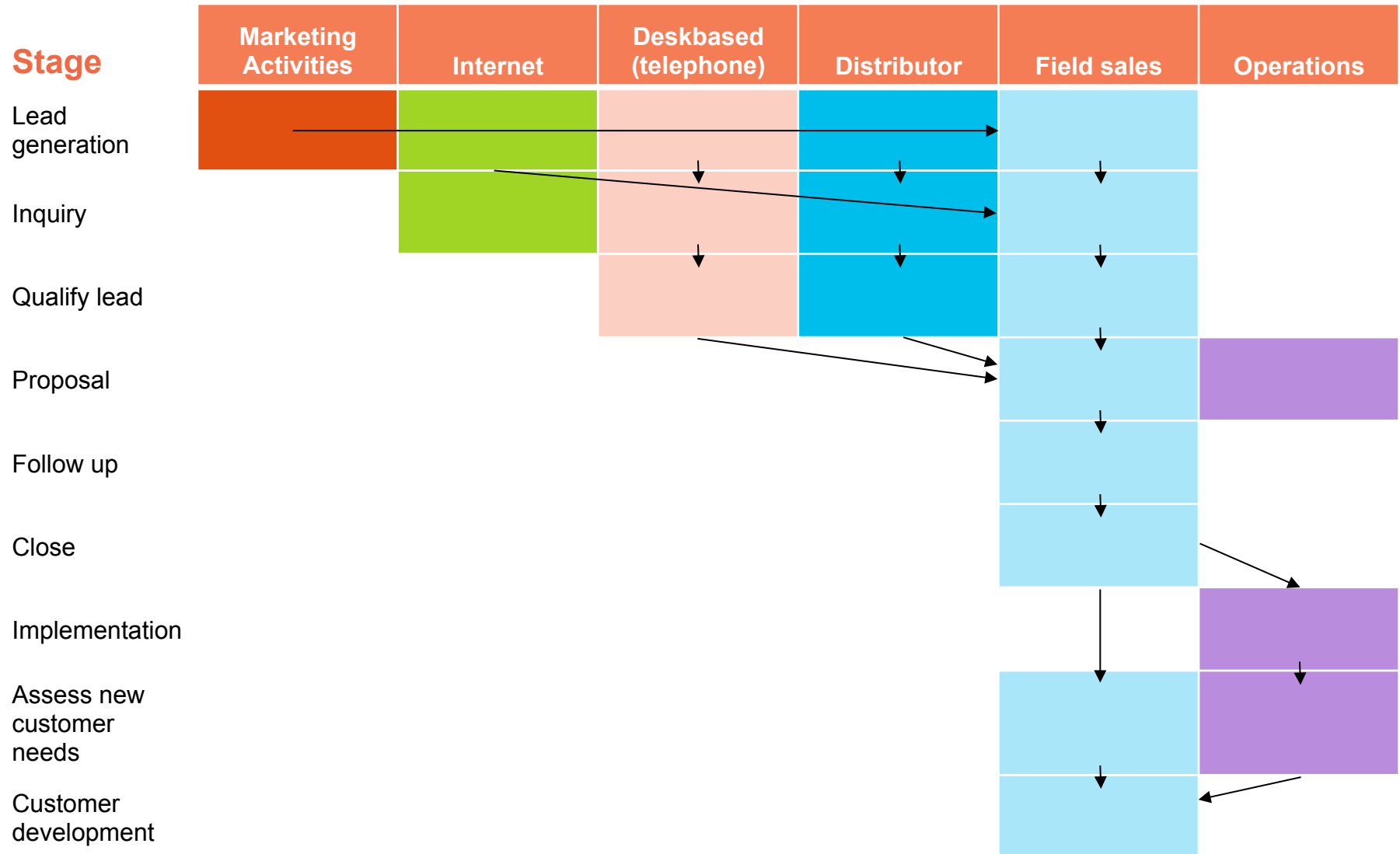
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Owner Managed Business	D	D	D	D	T	T	T	T	I	I	I
Medium Retail Financial Services	FS	FS	FS	D	D	D	T	T	T	T	I
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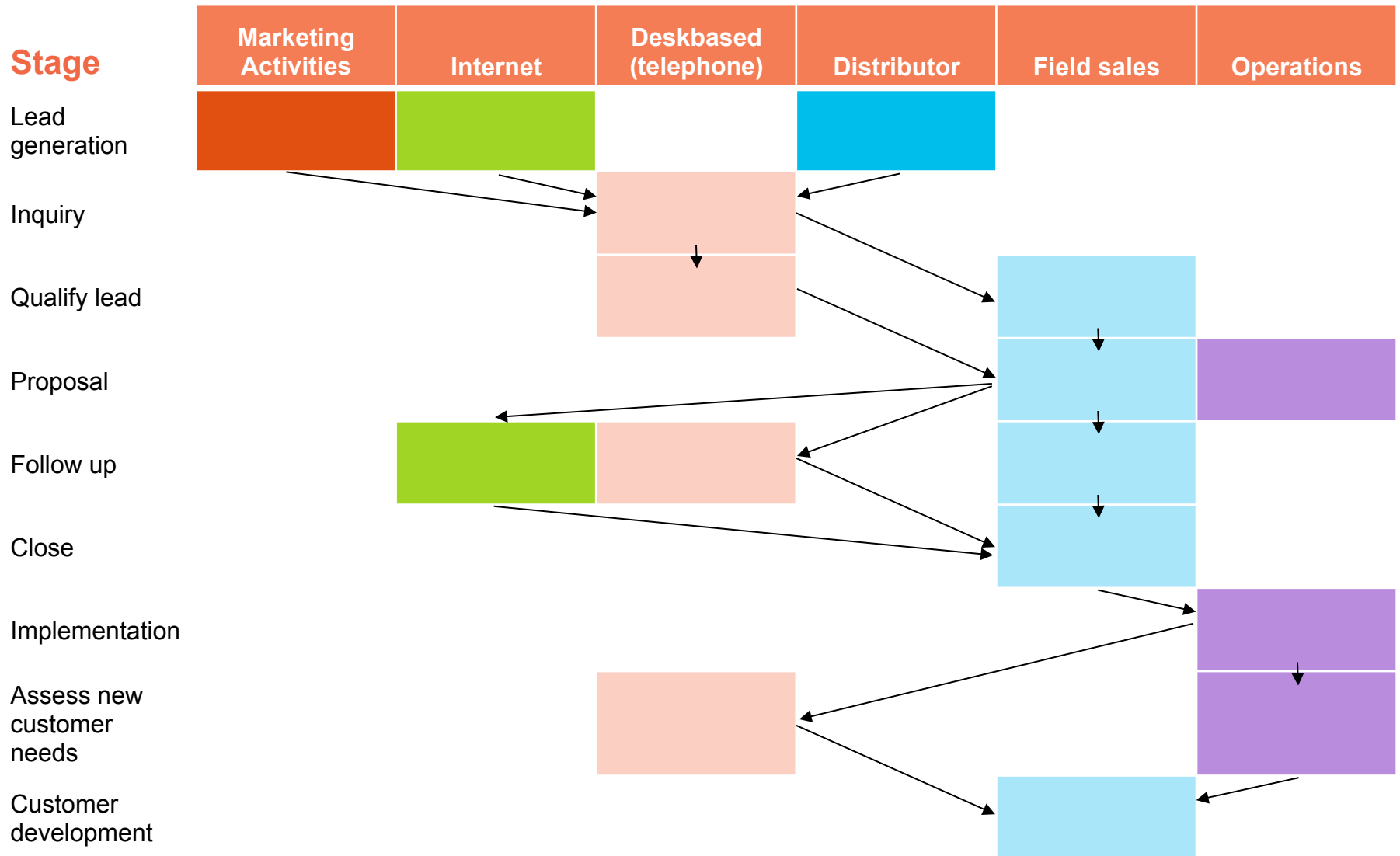
Current Channel Chains

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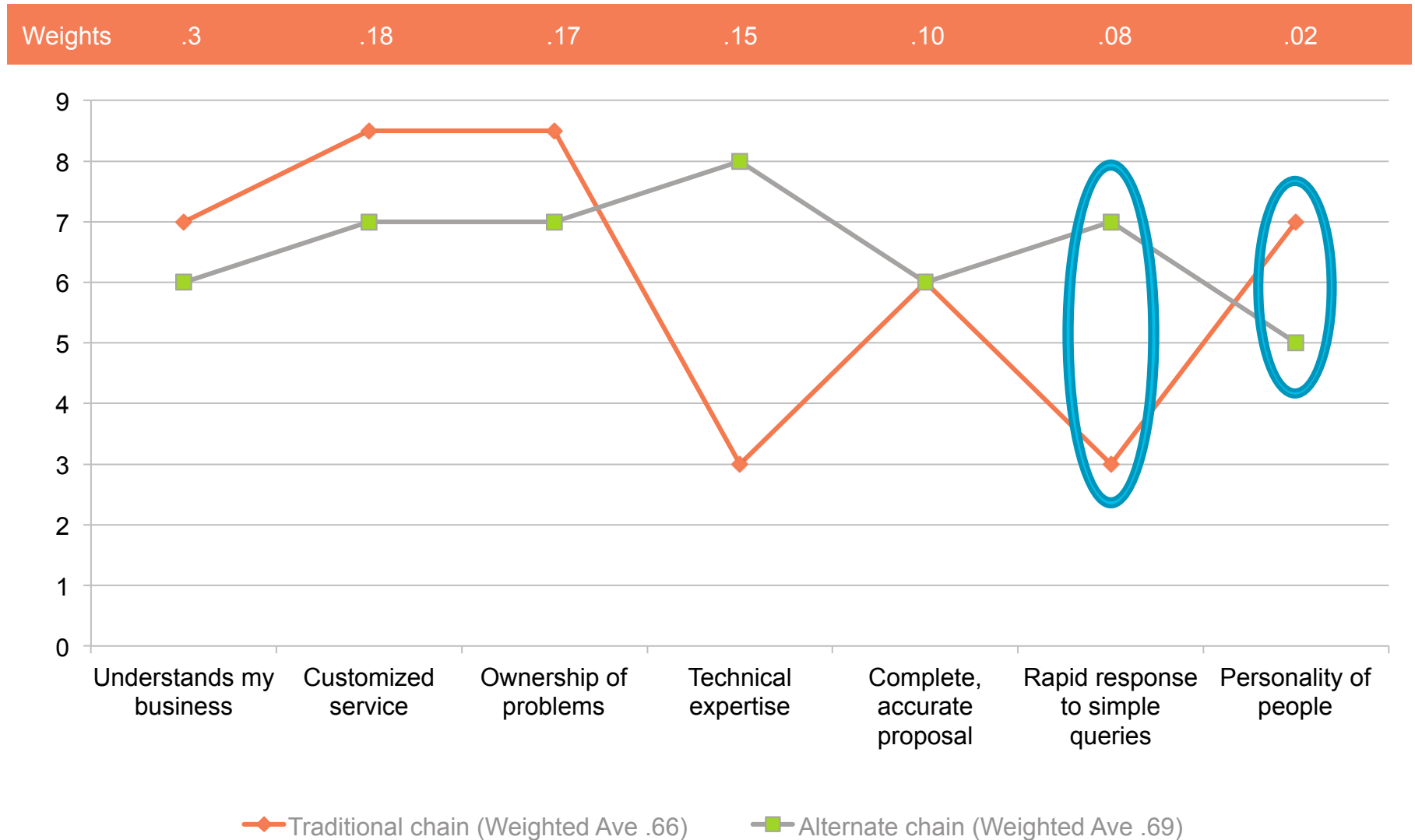
Future Channel Chains

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Comparing Channel Chains

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Channel ROI Analysis

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	Field Channel Driven			Multi-Channel		
Sales Process	Customers	Cost \$000	Cost per process \$	Customers	Cost \$000	Cost per process \$
Inquiries	100	-		120		
Qualify	100	2000	20000	120	1200	10000
Proposal	70	3500	50000	85	3000	30500
Follow up	40	4000	100000	80	4000	80000
Close	10	2000	200000	15	3000	200000
Assess new opportunities	10	200	20000	15	240	10600
Customer development	10	200	20000	15	240	10600
Revenue	50M			75M		
Total cost		11900			11680	
Cost per order			1190			1160

Strategic Prioritization Matrix

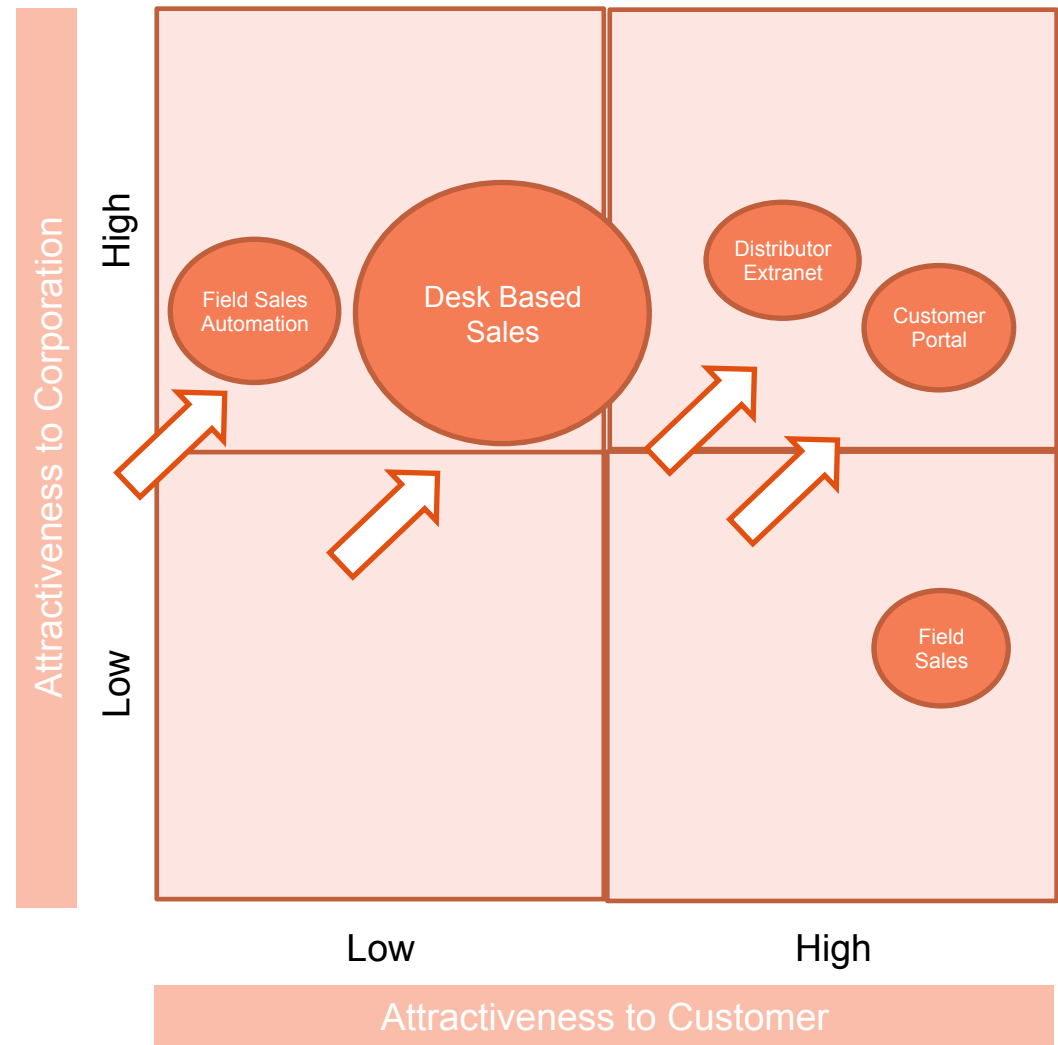
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➤ Attractive to corporation:

- Revenue potential.
- Increased coverage.
- Margin improvement.
- Reduced complexity.
- Fit to strategy.
- Ease of Implementation.

➤ Attractive to customer:

- Convenience.
- Cost.
- Speed of response.
- Availability.
- Product information.
- Ease of use.





Delivering Multichannel Success

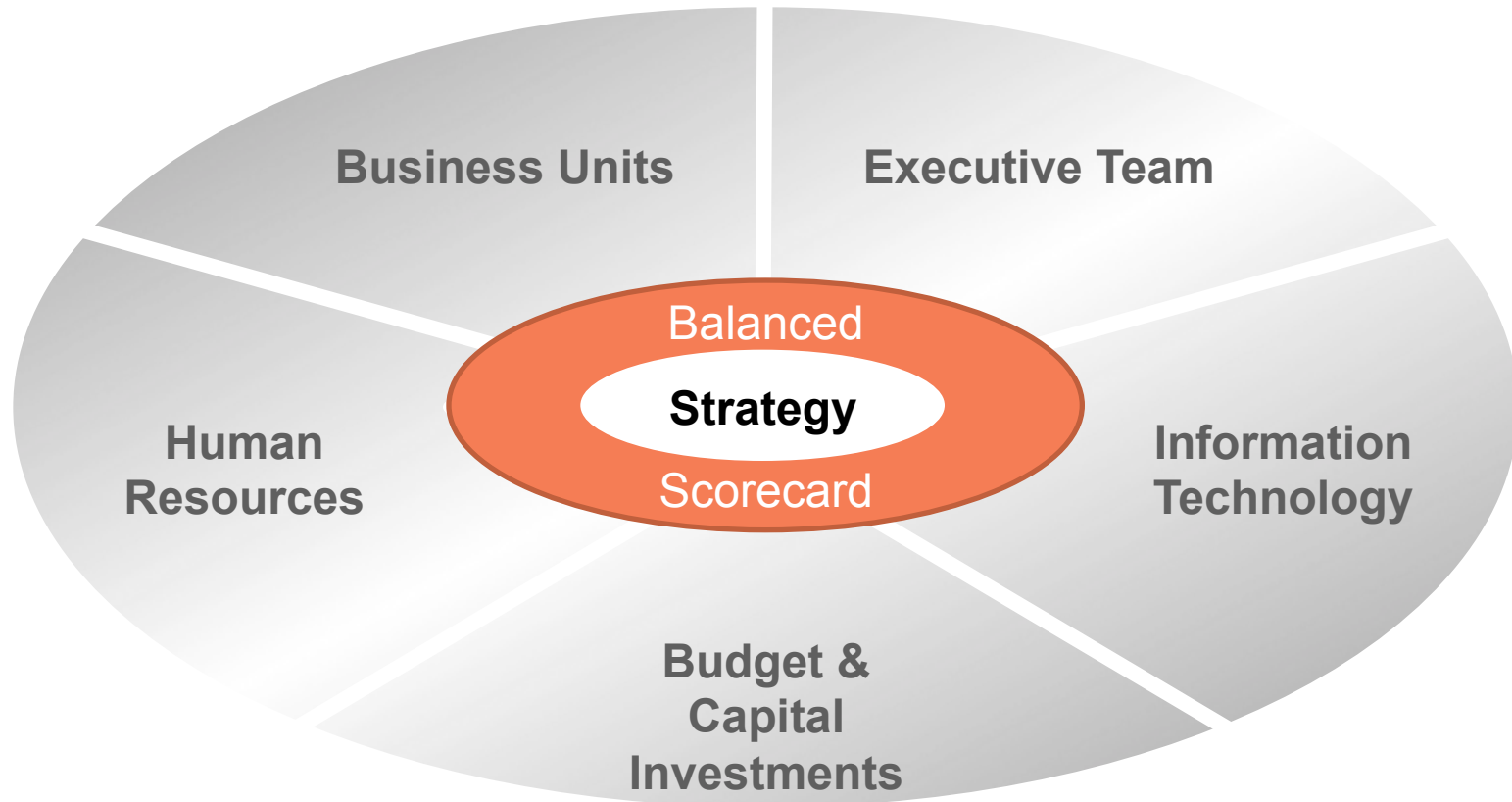
Organizational Readiness



Now we will cover:

- Organizational Readiness Principles
- Case Examples

Enrolling & Aligning Resources



Adapted from "The Strategy-Focused-Organization" Kaplan and Norton, Harvard Business School Press

Cross-Channel Limitations

- Primary challenges:
 - Understanding customer behavior.
 - Managing multichannel execution.
- Customers don't care companies are organized by channel.
 - Want marketers to “stitch the whole multichannel experience together”.
- Key barriers between customers' demands and marketers' efforts:
 - Organizations feel understaffed, siloed or staffed with inadequate skills.
 - Insufficient technology (*70% respondents said they still have small technology budget).

* Source: Forrester

Implementation

➤ Spread customer knowledge.

- Capture firsthand observations, customer feedback and communicate to those who could benefit from insights.

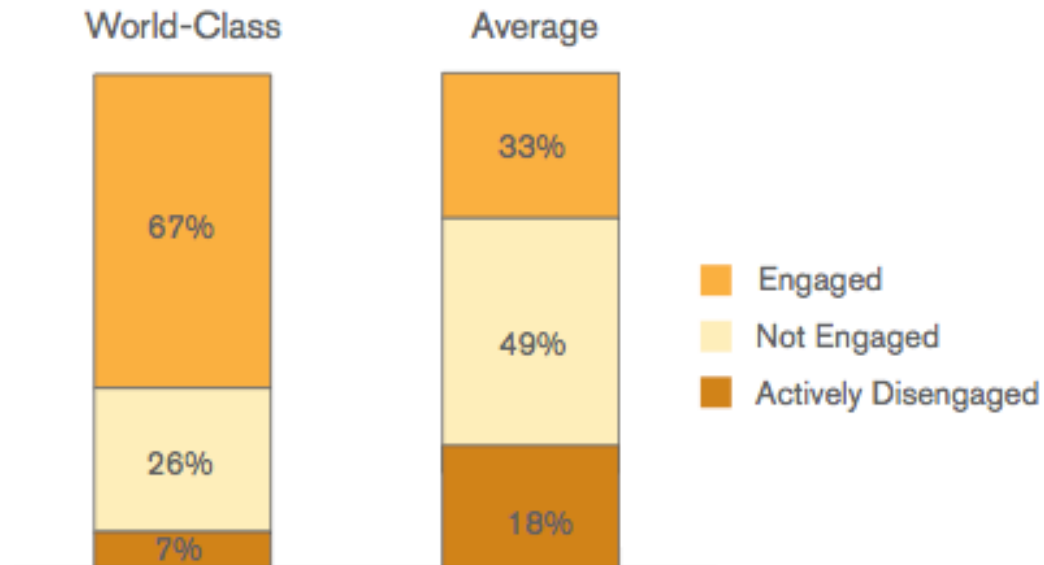
➤ Management and people focus.

- Start with a clear vision.
- Set comprehensive set of rules around each channel.
- Implement customer governance structures across channels.
- Focus on outcomes.

Employee Engagement

- Employee engagement drives business outcomes. Research shows engaged employees are:
 - More productive, customer-focused, likely to withstand temptation to leave
- Employee engagement transcends HR: fundamental to how business gets done.
 - Engagement critical to success: link employee activities to outcomes (aligned with corporate goals)

Unleashing the Potential for Growth



Source: Gallup/2010

How Do Other Brands operate in a multichannel world?

Go Beyond



- Zappos call center employees have no scripts or call time metrics. They are empowered to resolve customer issues on the spot
- It wows customers with its service levels, e.g. promising delivery within four days, but typically delivering the next day
- Zappos wants its employees to be completely committed to the business. It offers new hires a \$1000 bonus, if they leave – to test their desire to work at the firm

Optimize within channel



- Prêt-A-Manger focus on hiring customer-facing staff with brand aligned personality traits
- After a first interview applicants are sent to work in a store for a day to test out life at the fast food chain
- After this trial day, co-workers all vote on the prospective new hire. If less than 90% are in favour, the applicant does not get the job
- Hiring also takes into account behaviors e.g. whether people naturally smile when they greet people

Show Results



- FedEx' s online customer portal allows customers to track their shipments, run reports, get transit times, and file claims – all in one place
- Instant access to information reassures customers that everything possible is being done to get their package sent or received

How Do Other Brands Operationalize the Brand Experience?

Create Support



- To cultivate positivity among its workforce, Google invests in its workplace environment
- Google's 'campus' is designed to replicate University – allowing employees to blend work with 'life' – by enabling productivity, but also being fun
- “Life support” services reduce employee hassle and clear time for working, e.g. laundry, masseurs, doctors, dentists, crèches, and free good food in the cafes

Engaged Employees



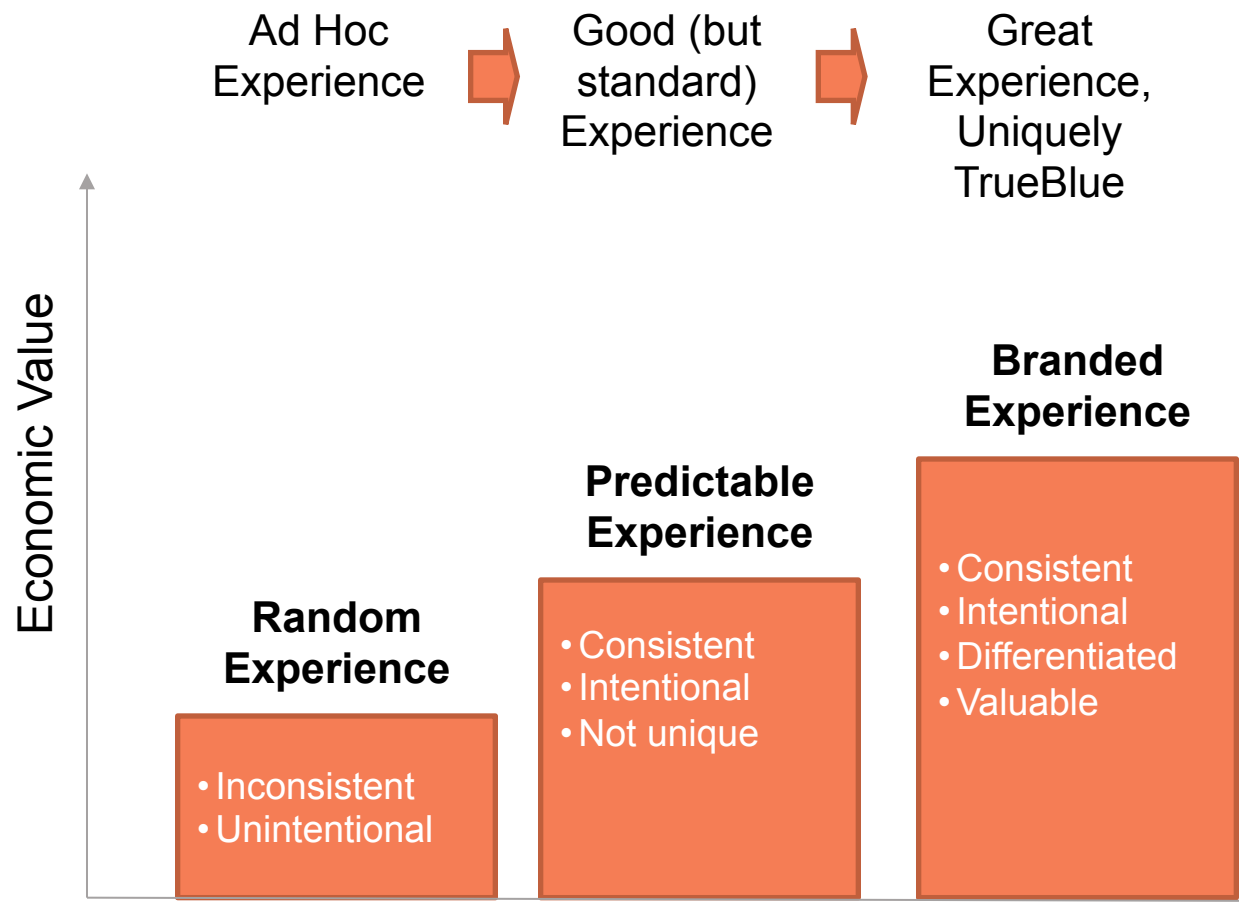
- Apple's Genius Bar helps to orient customers after they have purchased an Apple product
- Stores are designed as showrooms, allowing customers to test out gadgets – meaning fewer surprises when they get home
- Employees are highly trained and compensated; they are motivated to solve customers' problems and spread excitement about products

Connect to the Answer



- BestBuy allows customers to speak directly to a member of BestBuy's Twelpforce –expert employees who troubleshoot customer problems in conversations on Twitter
- Questions are quickly routed to a subject matter expert able, who can provide the answer and engage in continuous conversation as the problem is solved

Deliver an experience that is uniquely on-Brand



Adapted from "Experiencing the Brand – Branding the Experience" – Shaun Smith, *The Forum Corporation* (February 2001)

The brand experience exists in every touchpoint

Touchpoint = Perception shaping moment

The interface between a company and the customer

A chance to shape minds

A chance to win over hearts

A company's first step toward managing the total customer experience is recognizing the clues it is sending to customers"

Managing the Total Customer Experience, Berry Carbone Haeckel

Touchpoints are organized as a Touchpoint Map

- Major categories of touchpoints, e.g. customer service, POS, products/ service, marketing

- Subcategories of touchpoints, e.g. for Marketing: advertising, PR, events, product packaging, investor relations, etc.



- Specific touchpoints, e.g. for investor relations: press conferences, press releases, annual reports

Touchpoints are designed to deliver a branded customer experience

Be present in key moments in people's lives (e.g. life transitions, energy related decision-making)

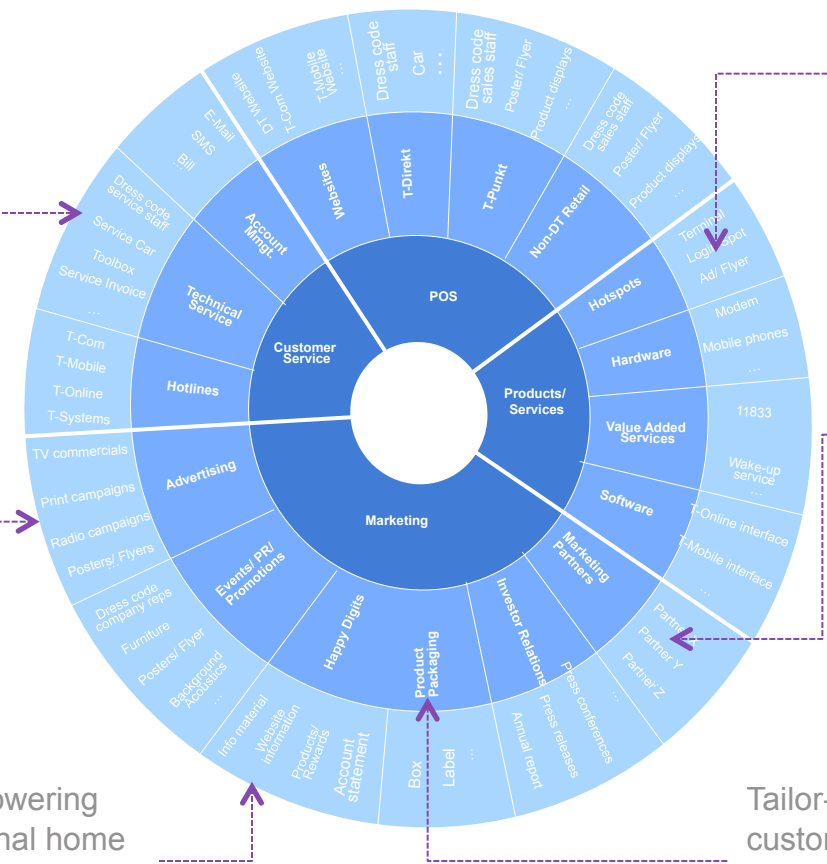
Contact customers via preferred communication channels. Record customer preferences in CRM database

Support customers individually in lowering their energy consumption by personal home audit and advice that focuses on their situation and habits

Provide online chat on the website, where customers and prospects can pose questions and directly get answers

Acknowledge customers' efforts to optimize usage behavior by providing attractive and personalized rewards

Tailor-made tariffs that meet each customers' requirements/ optimal tariff guarantee to always provide best tariff according to customer needs



Touchpoint Design

Branded Experience by Touchpoint (1 of 7)

Illustrative

Category	Touchpoint	Guideline	Examples of levers
Communications – Written	Brochures, Materials for Sales presentations, Recruiting Adverts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be clear, simple and easy-to-understand • Appear real and honest, not “sales-y” • Focus on stakeholder needs and POV 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plain language, straightforward style • Real stories and testimonials • Content that shows understanding/concern for stakeholder (not boasting about Company)
	Newsletter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be accessible and useful • Communicate openly and honestly • Be real and down-to-earth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wide distribution, plain language • All key issues covered (even difficult ones) • Real stories and photos from real people
	Billing, Compliance Information, Contracts, Forms/ Paperwork	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Represent the brand in a consistent manner • Be simple and easy-to-understand 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consistent branded templates • Only necessary information is displayed • Roadmaps for what it is and what is next
	Bulletin Board Postings, Safety Booklets	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be simple and easy-to-understand • Show humility and be down-to-earth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No extraneous info or complicated language • Peer tone (not commanding/condescending)
	Testimonials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be real and down to earth • Allow honest, open feedback 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Real stories written in plain language • Authentic opinions, not recited press points
	Annual Reports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reinforce the Brand Identity • Be simple and easy to understand • Be real and down-to-earth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Story of the Year” that exhibits brand identity • Information not overly dense and complex • Transparency
	PR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proactively create open, honest dialogue • Speak with the voice of the brand • Publicize internal actions that speak to brand 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key issues addressed (even difficult ones) • Genuine tone, no “corporate speak” • Press release for “Never Give Up” Employee Excellence for Customers award
	Traditional Advertising (radio, print, TV)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be real and down-to-earth • Communicate proof points believably 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Testimonials from real people • Real documented results, not puffed-up claims

Touchpoint Design

Branded Experience by Touchpoint (2 of 7)

Illustrative

Category	Touchpoint	Guideline	Examples of levers
Communications – Verbal	CEO Speeches	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Convey messages in simple, clear way • Utilize real and tangible examples • Be relatable and open 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Direct and frank address of key issues • Real stories and examples (no lofty rhetoric) • Down-to-earth language and delivery • Q&A
	Conference Calls with Analysts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be accessible and easy-to-understand • Communicate brand identity at all times • Be transparent and address the real issues 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plain language (no corporate jargon) • Information not overly dense and complex • Tone of humility and deep resolve, even when discussion positive results • Tone of honesty, even when discussing negative results
	Recognition of Workers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognize those that live the brand • Reflect collective effort: no one succeeds alone • Reinforce each individual’s importance to the company 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explanation of how winner embodies brand • Winners recognize those who helped them • Contributions of worker at any level applauded in same way
	Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be simple and easy-to-understand • Utilize two-way dialog and collaboration • Empower individuals’ growth and opportunity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear content delivered in plain language • Interactive techniques (i.e. Train the Trainer) • Emphasis on how training benefits individual
	Sales and Call Scripts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Focus on Customer’s needs (not Company’s) • Build two-way dialog, not monologue • Follow procedure but allow authenticity • Avoid giving “sales-y”, glossy impression 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Content presented from Customer’s POV • Questions and inquiries to create dialogue • Active listening (re-stating, acknowledging) • Guidelines and Tools, not Script (Freedom within a Framework) • Tone of humility, honesty, respect

Touchpoint Design

Branded Experience by Touchpoint (3 of 7)

Illustrative

Category	Touchpoint	Guideline	Examples of levers
Communications – Visual	Sales Presentations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respect Visual Brand Identity • Be simple and to the point • Encourage two-way dialogue • Be real and honest 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Text-light, visual heavy (conversation, not presentation) • Photos/testimonials of real customers • Photos/profiles of real employees
	Tradeshow	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Avoid overly “glossy” or “corporate” presence • Create welcoming, down-to-earth feel • Focus on people, conversation, interaction 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open, inviting structure that feels Blue Collar • Limited counters/tables that separate people • Little props/bells/whistles – people are the focus
	Bricking Materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respect Visual Brand Identity • Be practical and down-to-earth • Include clear, simple info (not overwhelming) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Items that simplify life (e.g. business card holders) • Useful items, to be used every day (penlight, Icy-Hot patch)
	Billboards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respect Visual Brand Identity • Provide practical, useful information that helps people “get work done” better • Enable people (don’ t talk at them) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital display of enabling information (weather forecast, job-search tips) • Digital display of TrueBlue opportunities (job postings, free training sessions)
	Safety Posters	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respect Visual Brand Identity • Emphasize empathy, care, and respect • Focus on employee benefit (not procedure) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human (not procedural) look/tone/feel • Real employees’ pictures and stories • Practical content that highlights proof points
	Stationary, Business Cards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respect Visual Brand Identity • Be down-to-earth and humble yet professional • Emphasize function, usage 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understated branding/small logo • User-friendly, “brilliant” (vs. beautiful) design
	Merchandising/ Materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respect Visual Brand Identity • Fit into people’ s lives, perform a useful role • Enable people to live/work better (Nike+) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practical work materials (Level, Binder Clip) • One-touch order button (a la Pizza-delivery fridge magnet)

Touchpoint Design

Branded Experience by Touchpoint (4 of 7)

Illustrative

Category	Touchpoint	Guideline	Examples of levers
Communications – Digital	Promotional videos	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remain real, honest and down-to-earth • Communicate succinctly, get to the point • Be Customer- Worker- and Employee-centric 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Real results and “work done” • Authentic, journalistic/documentary film style • Company story told through real testimonials
	Email signatures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be consistent • Reinforce the Brand Identity • Be practical and useful 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consistent, branded signature • Personal contact info, “emergency hotline” info • Useful “did-you-know” tips that change daily
	Text notifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be clear and easily understood • Be as warm and personable as possible 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specific instructions, in everyday language • Friendly greeting or sign-off
	SEO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reinforce brand identity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investment in terms relevant to brand attributes and company capabilities
	Website	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be clear, simple, easy-to-use • Include useful, opportunity-creating information • Feel down-to-earth and human, not “corporate” 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Simple site architecture divided by audience • Information available on growth industries/jobs • Real photos/stories from each audience
	Presence in social media	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connect in authentic way with audiences • Engage in honest, open two-way dialogue 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Everyday voice (potentially create persona) • All feedback welcomed, respectfully addressed
	Intranet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Encourage open dialogue • Stimulate idea sharing and innovation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leadership adoption, incentives for posting • Open calls for ideas/innovation (with prizes)
	Apps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enable people to live/work better (e.g. like Nike+) • Make things easier/more accessible 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interactive training quizzes • Push notifications for job postings • Simplified timesheets via check-in app
	User-generated Videos	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reinforce real, honest nature of brand 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contest for best user-generated video from Customer, Employee and Worker
	Screensavers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engage and empower employees 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Useful tips / inspiring quotes that change daily
	Internal IT Systems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design to help user “get work done” better 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Audit work process for potential improvements

Touchpoint Design

Branded Experience by Touchpoint (5 of 7)

Illustrative

Category	Touchpoint	Guideline	Examples of levers
Human – External Behaviors	Site visits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Focus on the Customer’s needs, not selling Show that we know and understand them Be respectful of the Customers time Be useful and produce real results 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Active Listening and good questions Bring gift of coffee, the way they like to take it Specific agenda, limited time On-site issue resolution (i.e. service recovery allowance)
	Field sales	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establish real, human contact Focus on the Customers’ needs Offer something useful and practical 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Down-to-earth, non-corporate connection Questions to uncover needs, not sales pitch AM Coffee/bagel delivery, PM cool Iced Tea
	Worker conduct	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be honest and respectful Be polite and professional Know how to handle conflict Know the company and the job to be done 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guidelines for appropriate demeanor Standard greeting at beginning/end of each shift Protocol and training on handling conflict “Coaching” sessions from workers with experience at that client
	Worker appearance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be well-groomed and professional-looking Dress appropriately for work environment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guidelines for appearance “to be proud of” Guidelines for proper footwear, headgear, etc.
	Dispatch calls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Communicate responsiveness, urgency Be efficient and seamless 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Targets for ring/hold time Caller ID/CRM database pulls up stored data
	Cold Calling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use real approach to create human connection Be respectful of Customer’s time, use it wisely 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Down-to-earth, real tone Concise, to-the-point conversation Calls not placed during busy times (morning)

Touchpoint Design

Branded Experience by Touchpoint (6 of 7)

Illustrative

Category	Touchpoint	Guideline	Examples of levers
Human – Internal Behaviors	Screening and Hiring Processes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be honest and upfront • Be real, down-to-earth and less intimidating • Get practical, results-oriented candidate info 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear expectations are set for process/timing • Peer interviews: meet the team/people like you • Real life situations/role play in interviews
	Worker/Sales Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be practical, help “get work done” better • Be real and tangible, not theoretical • Teach “softer” skills – empathy, humility etc. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Book of real stories of past problems/solutions • Emotional IQ / Sense and Respond training • Role play of “stepping in others’ shoes”
	Safety Orientation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be engaging and impactful • Emphasize empathy, care, and respect 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interactive exercises and role plays • Peers share their safety scares/stories
	Onboarding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create connections, integrate into the team • Educate and give baseline knowledge • Show investment in workers/employees growth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coffee Chats: 30 informal chats/ first month • “Citizenship Exam”: True Blue quiz • Create “opportunity” development plans upfront • Mentor program
	Town Hall	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be democratic, two-way dialogue • Be honest/transparent 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Q&A / Dialogue encouraged and rewarded • Direct and frank address of difficult issues
	Leadership Paradigm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proactively identify/develop potential leaders • Create Brand-Based Leader Training Program 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early leadership opportunity for high-potentials • 1 day Employee/Worker Shadowing/6 months
	Celebrations/ Award Ceremonies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be down to earth and real • Be practical and useful 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limited “glossy”/ corporate feel • Awards that are useful (specialty tools)
	Performance Reviews	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Structure according to pillars of brand • Include practical, useful recommendations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 360/Peer Reviews (Humility) • Top 3: 3 concrete steps to take to improve
	Recognition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognize individuals that live the brand • Recognize both small and large contributions • Reward with useful, practical items 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Empathy Award” given 1x/year • Peer-to-Peer Award Budgets (12 to give/year) • Giveaways: education, tools, household items
	Culture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Embody Brand Identity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Culture” awards • Culture/Mindset Change Management Program

Touchpoint Design

Branded Experience by Touchpoint (7 of 7)

Illustrative

Category	Touchpoint	Guideline	Examples of levers
Physical – Corporate Property	Corporate HQ	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be down-to-earth, not “corporate” • Create an inviting/welcoming feeling • Encourage connection between people 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design based on Blue Collar codes/cues • Comfortable reception with homey amenities • Chat Zones, Ideation Corners
	Branch divisions and internal office layout/environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create inviting/welcoming feeling • Encourage connection of people • Encourage development of people 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome station with greeter • Communal/grouped seating in waiting area • Map of the branch/process: What to expect
	Cars	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communicate the brand message • Be practical/useful • Be down-to-earth and humble 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brand logo and tagline painted along side • Trucks and other work-equipped vehicles • Understated models/design (not too “flashy”)
	Signage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communicate the brand message • Be clear and easy to read • Be practical/useful 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understated placement/design (not too “glitzy”) • Clear, easy-to-read font • All relevant info included (phone/web contact)
Physical – Employee	Uniforms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be clean and fresh • Be easily identifiable as belonging to the brand • Be practical and designed for function 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Washable fabrics that don’t stain or show wear • Understated but identifiable branded uniforms • Moveable cut, breathable and durable fabrics
	Badges	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be easily identifiable as belonging to the brand • Be practical and designed for function 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understated but identifiable • Folds to fit into wallet, so never “left at home”
	Work Tools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be ready to use/ready to work at all times • Communicate specialization/expertise 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guidelines/Standards for tool maintenance • Giveaways/Awards of specialized tools
	Dress code	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be ready to work at all times • Look professional but down to earth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Off-limits, “non-work-ready” clothes (sandals) • Pictures of real workers , dressed appropriately
	Grooming/hygiene	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be clean and ready to work at all times 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guidelines for appearance “to be proud of” • Always-Ready Essentials Kit (Stain pen, floss,

Internal Alignment Plan



- Create one, common understanding of org focus.
- Gather key information and create repository.
- Enroll people as customer champions.

- Generate understanding of principles, tools.
- Continue to refresh and evolve materials.

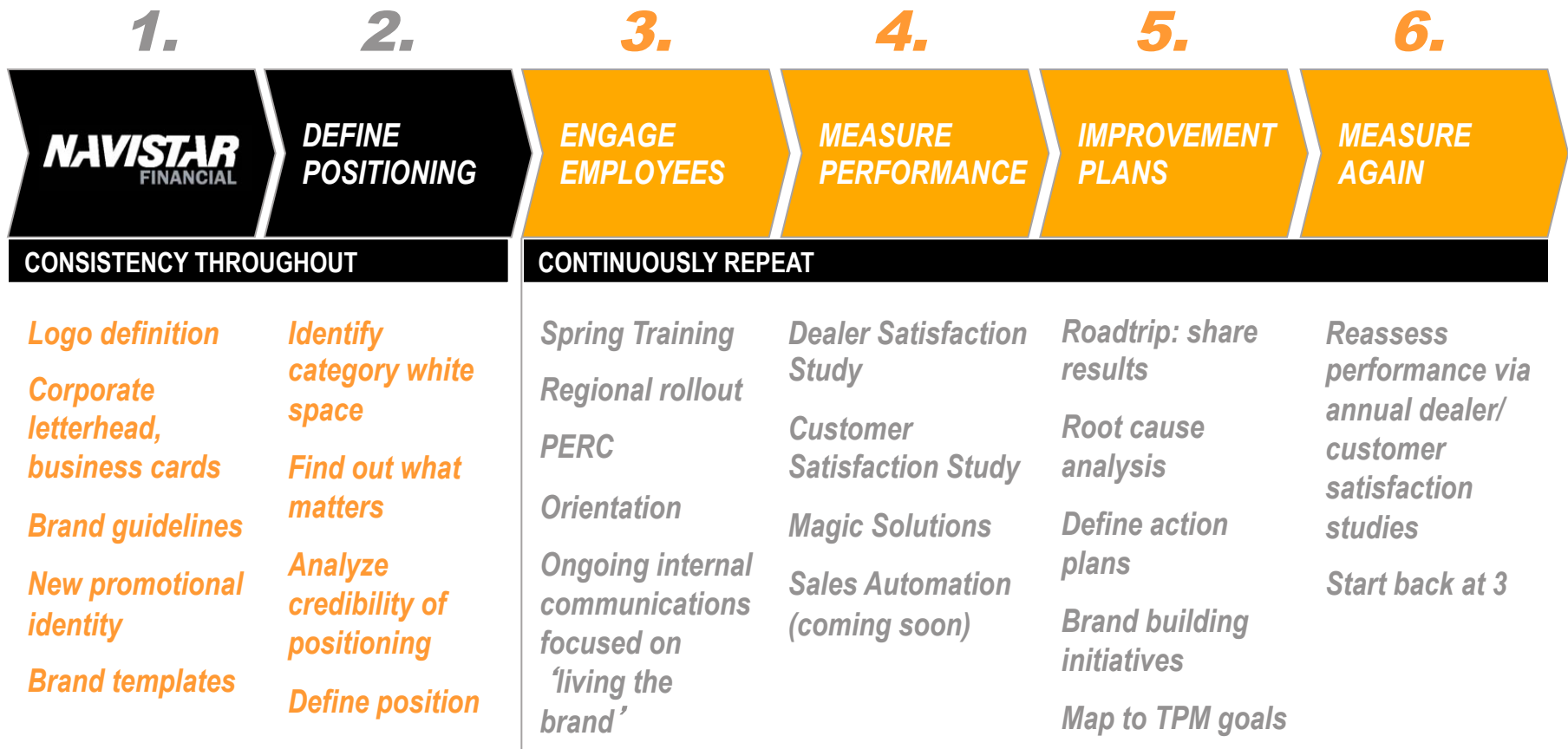
- Develop cross-training workshops.
- Deploy SWOT team
- Create tangible metrics (& include in performance eval/compensation).
- Create small wins to upfront to create momentum.



Organizational Readiness



Plan to Win



Branding

NAVISTAR FINANCIAL

Position

Transportation financing value through ‘unexpected’ customer service.

Purpose

Our purpose is to help our customers be successful by providing financing options combined with dependable, consistent service and knowledge

Commitment

Our commitment is to invest in and leverage our people, processes and technology to deliver ‘unexpected’ customer service by being creative and living our brand mantra.

Brand Mantra

Simplify, Serve, Empathize & Celebrate.

Tagline

Taking the Curves Out of FinancingSM.



ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLE

- Simplify
 - Formation of Customer Advocate Team (CAT).
 - EZ Pay Solution / Finance Tools simplification.
 - Automated Credit decisioning.
 - Magic Solutions: One-call resolution.
- Serve
 - Spring Training focus on Customer Service.
 - Customer Service Charters (company-wide).
 - Centralized dealer/customer surveys.
 - Syndication; Menu-selling for improved dealership revenue opportunities.
 - Loyalty campaigns, pilot program (cultivating).
- Empathize
 - Business Manager Advisory Board.
 - Day-in-the-Life initiatives.
- Celebrate
 - One of the “Best Small/Midsize Companies to Work for in America”.
 - PERC enhancements / PERC Premiums & online auction.
 - National Customer Service Week Celebration (Executives serve).
- Ongoing Leadership reinforcement/communications.

Very Satisfied brings loyalty

Satisfied is ‘tablestakes’

If we only ‘satisfy,’ we compete on rate

If we compete on rate...

- a) we rock.
- b) we’re cheap.
- c) we lose.**





WHY WE EXIST (HELPS GUIDE BUSINESS STRATEGY, DECISIONS)

PURPOSE

...to help our customers be successful by providing financing options combined with dependable, consistent service and knowledge

COMMITMENT

...to invest in and leverage our people, processes and technology to deliver *'unexpected'* customer service by being creative and living our brand mantra

WHAT WE' RE DOING (BOLD GOALS/STRAT PLAN)

CULTURE:

Make it easy to buy/own an International truck

GROWTH:

Grounded in Customer Service Organic, Deliberate, Profitable

BUSINESS PRIORITIES (FOCUS OF THE STRAT PLAN)

1. Customer & Dealer Loyalty
2. Sales & Marketing Effectiveness
3. Training & Development
4. Optimize our people & process

WHY WE CARE

Navistar Financial's success is created *everyday*, by *every* employee, in *every* interaction, with *every* employee, dealer and customer.

HOW WE DO IT (BRAND MANTRA)

- **SIMPLIFY:** Make every aspect of our business simple.
- **SERVE:** *Continuously* improve dealers' / customers' / employees' experience with us.
- **EMPATHIZE:** Understand customers' / dealers' / employees' perspective and respond appropriately.
- **CELEBRATE:** Build relationships and make it fun.

HOW WE EXECUTE

We deliver on every team's **CUSTOMER SERVICE CHARTER** commitments and drive tactical focus.

Internal Assimilation



Our Brand Mantra

- **SIMPLIFY:** Make *every* transaction simple.
- **SERVE:** Make dealer's/customer's life easier.
- **EMPATHIZE:** Our reputation is built on our ability to sympathize/empathize.
- **CELEBRATE:** Lighten up, have fun! Our culture and personality counts.



Culture Built on Customer Service

Navistar Financial's success is created *everyday*, by *every employee*, in *every* interaction, with *every* dealer and customer.



RFO CHARTER POCKET CARD

SIMPLIFY

- Focus on innovations that help our dealers sell more trucks/trailers
- Consistently improve our processes working toward simplification
- Create simple deals and programs
- Stick to the basics

SERVE

- React, understand, and respond quickly with a goal of one-call resolution
- Be an entrepreneur: show a passion to serve and take pride in your work
- Foster a supportive environment and serve each other
- Educate dealer/customer to better understand financing and our offers

EMPATHIZE

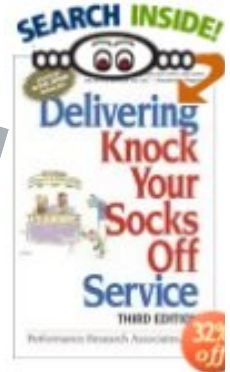
- Take an outside-in approach to policy (pricing, response times and otherwise) with the dealer/customer perspective always in mind
- Take time to listen, understand and predict customer and dealer needs
- Walk a mile in the shoes of those you serve (Day-in-the-life)
- Trust and be trusted

CELEBRATE

- Build binding relationships with customers and dealers
- Incent behaviors that support the mantra
- Create an environment that communicates and celebrates success
- Make time to celebrate and have fun



TAKING THE CURVES OUT OF FINANCING



Branding Tools for Internal Stakeholders

1. Office posters, collateral
2. Dealer education materials
3. Intranet
4. Brand Anthem video

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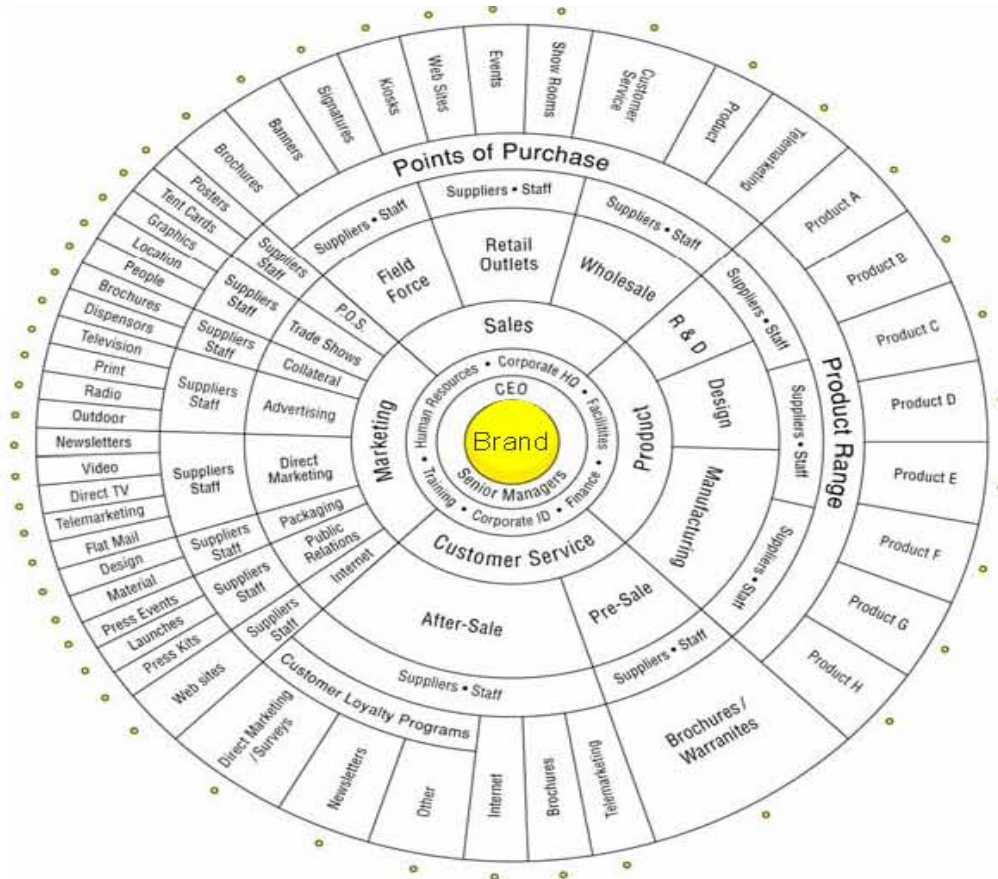
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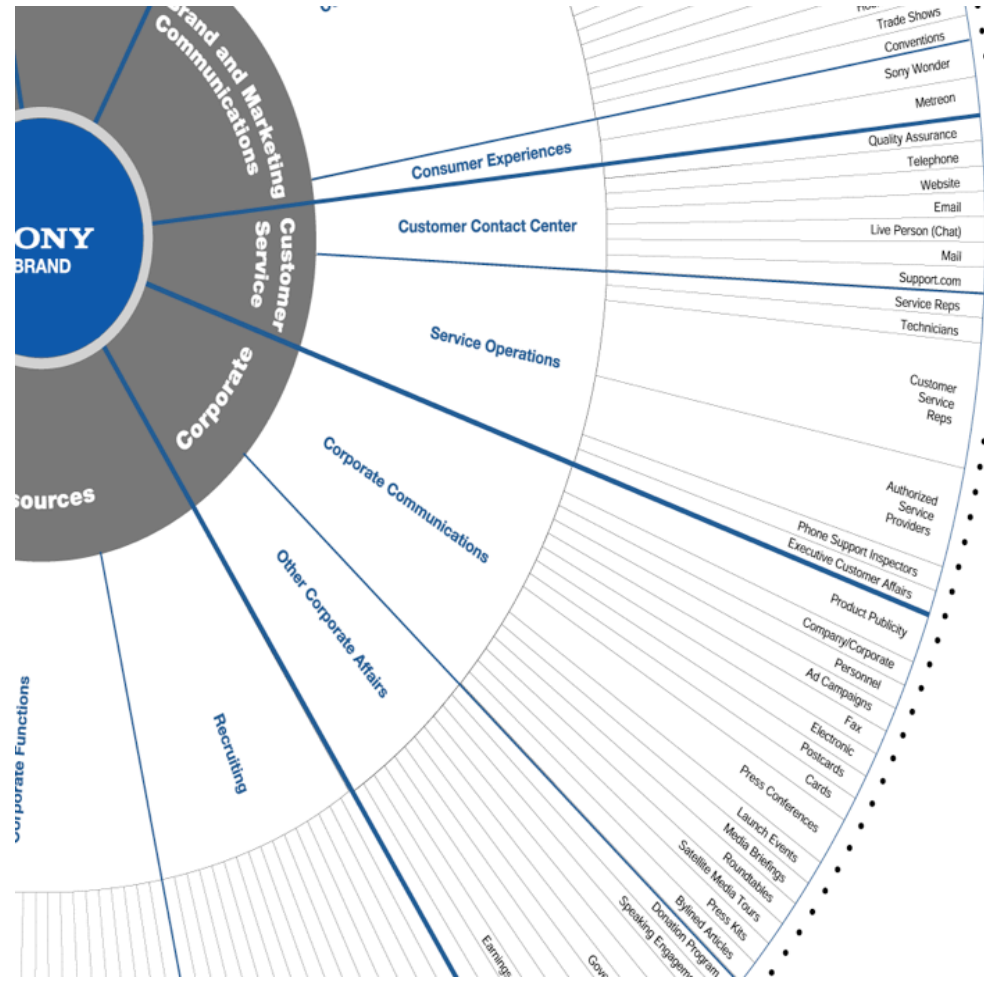
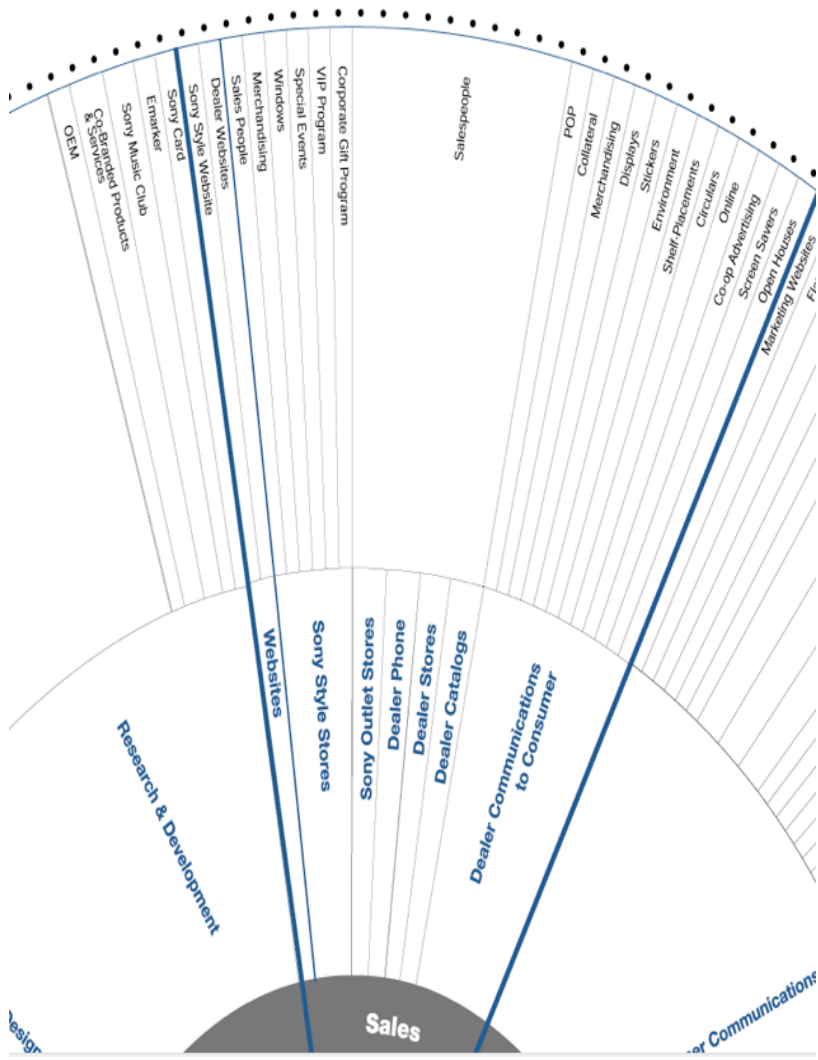
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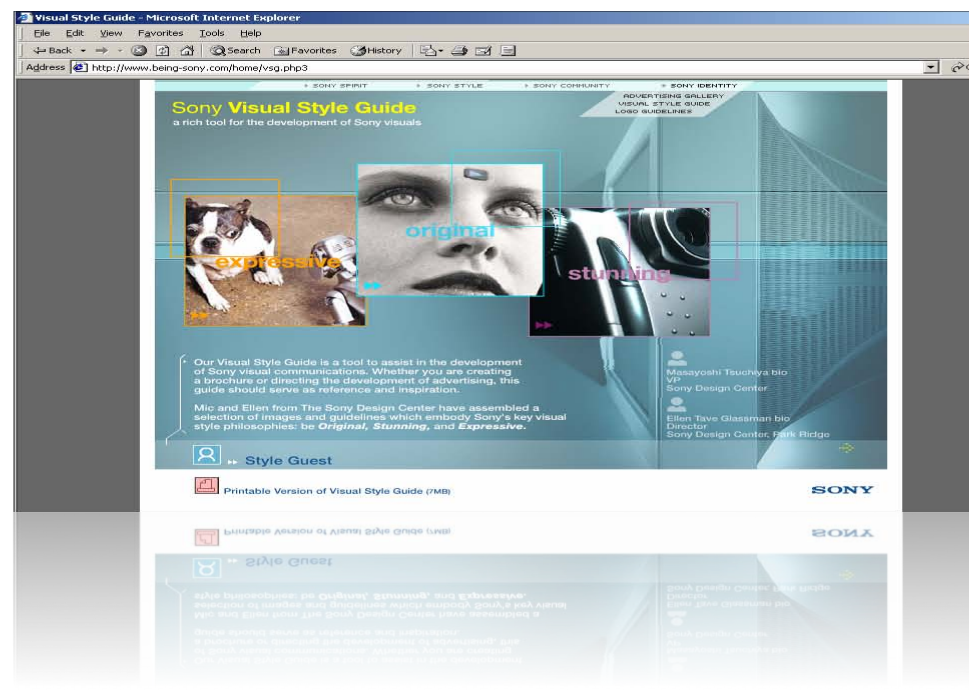
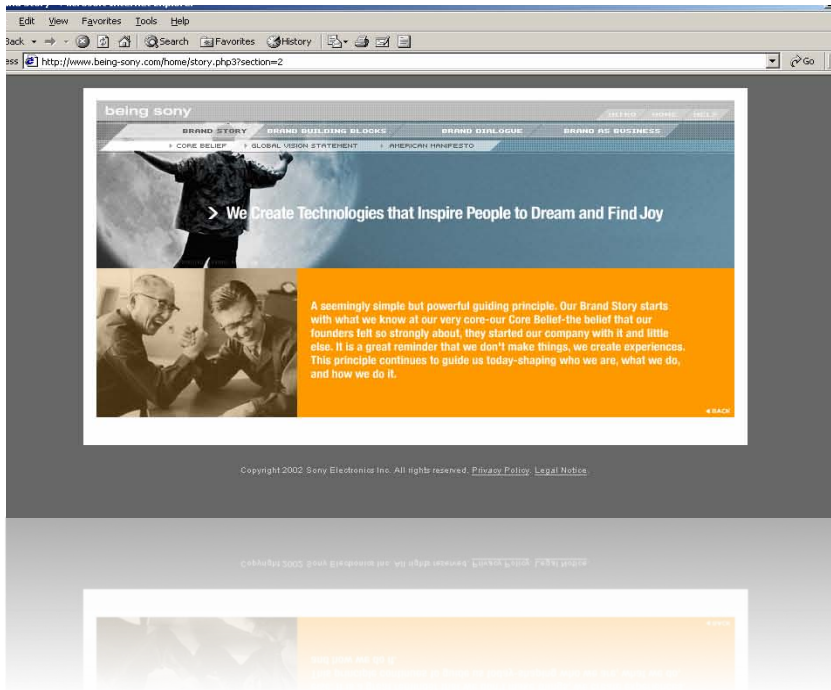
Operationalizing the Brand



Brand Wheel



Spreading the Knowledge: Intranet



Organizational **Readiness**



McD at Bottom of Fast-Food Category in Satisfaction Index

McD's expected to post another sales drop

By Caroline Lee

McDonald's Corp. may have to see its restaurant units fall 10 feet to reach about 10,000 units.

Share's why

- Financial analysts predicted that the fast-food chain will report a 10% drop in sales in February.
- The decline of McDonald's restaurant chain in Japan, said to fall 10% in the first quarter, may have helped the overall sales drop.

McDonald's announced in late January that it had lost 100,000 units in the first quarter. The company's stock price fell 10% in the first quarter. Analysts expect the company to lose 10% of its units in the first quarter.

Happy Meals Are No Longer Bringing Smiles at McDonald's

Sales Have Fallen for Three Years; Chain Mulls Adding Menu, Carrot Sticks, Higher Quality Toppings

By Barbara J. Brown

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HAMBURGER HELL

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McDonald's losses reflect nation's changing tastes

Diners favor more upscale fast food

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Growth decline eyes McDonald's revenue

Year	Revenue Change (%)
2007	1.2%
2008	1.1%
2009	-1.8%
2010	-1.9%

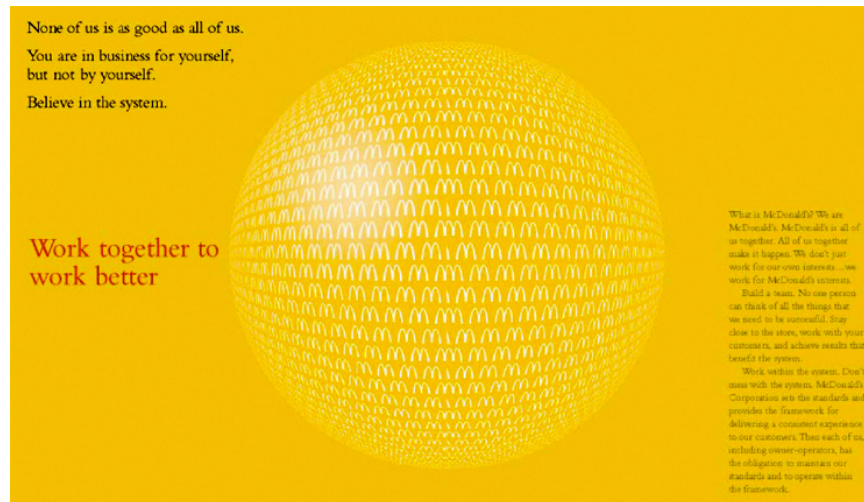
The decline in revenue is due to a combination of factors, including a decline in sales and a decline in the number of units. The company is also facing a decline in the number of units.

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Cultural Degeneration

“A McDonald’s Brand Cult? I can’t even find any evidence of Brand Culture here.”

- Larry Light, Former Global CMO



None of us is as good as all of us.
You are in business for yourself,
but not by yourself.
Believe in the system.

**Work together to
work better**

What is McDonald? We are McDonald. McDonald's is all of us together. All of us together make it happen. We don't just work for our own interests... we work for McDonald's interests.

Build a team. No one person can think of all the things that we need to be successful. Stay close to the store, work with your customers, and achieve results that benefit the system.

Work within the system. Don't mess with the system. McDonald's Corporation sets the standards and provides the framework for delivering a consistent experience to our customers. Thus each of us, including owner/operators, has the obligation to maintain our standards and to operate within the framework.

Turnaround Plan to Win

McDONALD'S PLAN TO WIN

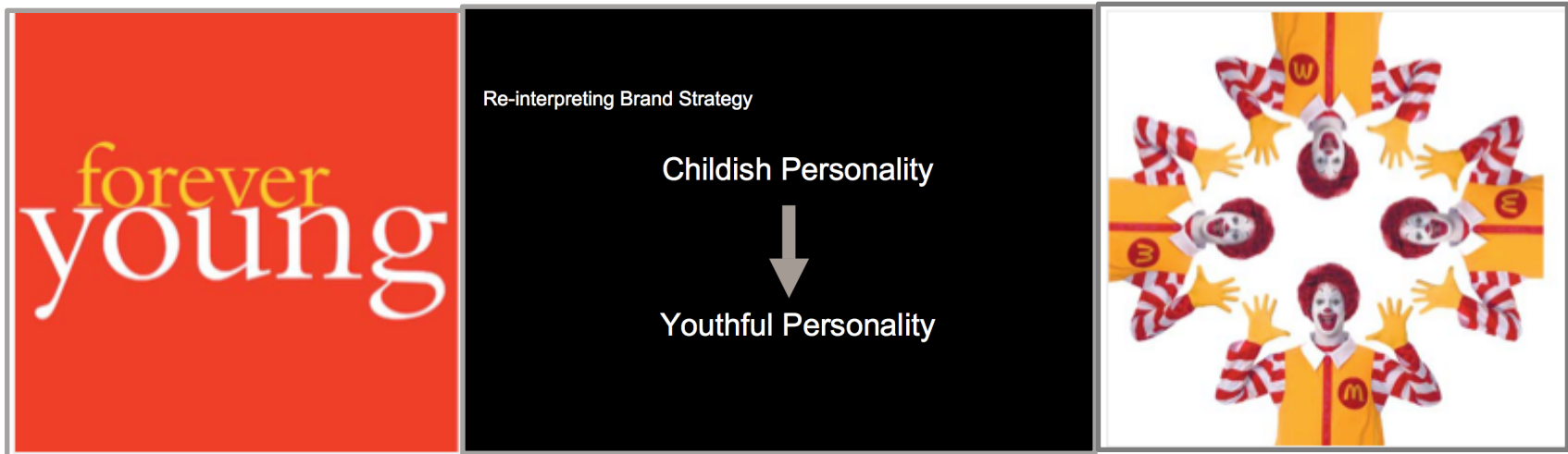


Customer Experience	Critical Success Factors	System Must Do's	Customer Measures	3-Year Milestone
<p>WHERE WE WANT TO BE</p> <p>The people at McDonald's really do their jobs well. I get my order quickly and they got it right. They are so nice and friendly, I just find myself smiling and look forward to coming back.</p> <p>The food tastes great. It's real quality. There are lots of choices in what and how I can order. That's why I can go there often.</p> <p>The restaurants are so inviting, up-to-date and clean... they just look good. And I can eat there or take the food away. I feel comfortable there anytime. And it's a fun place to go.</p> <p>I can afford to go there often because McDonald's offers me great-tasting food and there's no better value in town.</p> <p>McDonald's is a brand I identify with and trust. I love their advertising and what they stand for. And I love that McDonald's contributes to my community.</p>	<p>HOW DO WE PLAN TO GET THERE</p> <p>PEOPLE Our well-trained people will proudly provide fast and friendly service with a smile that delights our customers.</p> <p>PRODUCTS We will serve food and beverages people prefer to enjoy regularly.</p> <p>PLACE Our restaurants and drive-thrus will be clean, relevant and inviting to the customers of today and tomorrow.</p> <p>PRICE We will be the most efficient provider so that we can be the best value to the most people.</p> <p>PROMOTION All of our marketing and communications will be relevant to our customers and consistent with our brand.</p>	<p>WHAT ACTIONS WE WILL TAKE NOW</p> <p>Deliver the Service Promise Place only verified crew in service positions Advance speed standards at drive-thru and front counter Ensure peak satisfaction shift management Zero tolerance for misbehavior Greet and thank customers every time Ensure all shifts staffed to guidelines</p> <p>Develop A Hospitality Culture From top</p> <p>Become The Best Employer Rebuild pride in working with McDonald's</p> <p>Deliver The Quality Promise Place only verified crew in prep positions Serve only exceptional finished food quality</p> <p>Improve Food Relevance Offer products that customers want regularly Present and package food for enjoyment now or later Successfully launch Wholesome Initiatives</p> <p>Deliver The Cleanliness Promise Present spotlessly clean restaurants, inside and out Give instant attention to all needed repairs</p> <p>Create Relevant And Modern Dining Experience Enable making relevant choice Provide best drive-thru experience, clear communication options and menu boards</p> <p>Deliver Value Develop pricing strategy for each marketplace Fix spins value offerings Advance MultiCo price balance to optimize margins and value</p> <p>Be The Most Productive Provider Improve store operating efficiency Leverage supply chain Advance OI-A and capital expenditure targets</p> <p>Deliver Marketing Leadership Re-emerge as Brand Image Re-establish Happy Meal leadership Activate Ronald McDonald marketing</p> <p>Build Trust Bank Ensure each restaurant is involved in local community Improve the trust factor Implement Trust Bank advertising campaigns Provide and maintain helpful interaction in stores</p>	<p>SERVICE MEASURES Fast Accurate Friendly</p> <p>FAVORITE PLACE TO WORK Training Commitment Retention Employer Reputation</p> <p>FAVORITE FOOD AND BEVERAGE Taste Choice Wholesome Enjoy regularly</p> <p>FAVORITE PLACE TO EAT Clean Relevant Comfortable Inviting Fun, enjoyable, entertaining</p> <p>FAVORITE VALUE Good value for money Good value for time</p> <p>FAVORITE ADVERTISING Impact Likability Purchase intent Relevancy Ronald likeability</p> <p>COMPANY I TRUST Involved in my community Helpful info available</p>	<p>+5pt increase in Speed of Service & Friendliness gaps 30% reduction in Service related complaints Return to all time high in overall QSC gap scores +5pt crew, O/D, Home Office and manager surveys Proud rating +5pt employer reputation</p> <p>+5pt in Hot and Fresh rating 20% reduction in Cold Food complaints +2pt in penetration</p> <p>Attain all-time high in Cleanliness gap scores +5pt in Place Adults Enjoy +3pt in attractive, Comfortable Décor</p> <p>+3 pt in Low Price +3 pt in Value for Money 2% net cost savings as % of sales Restore margins to 2000 level Increase Crew Productivity by 1 TC per labor hour</p> <p>+5pt in Favorite rating +5pt in Brand awareness Return to all-time high Happy Meal units per store +5pt in Company I can Trust +5pt in RMHC awareness and recognition +5in Ronald likeability</p>
ultimate measures of performance	more customers ↑ penetration	more often ↑ frequency	more brand loyal ↑ loyalty	more profitable ↑ SDOI/margins

ENDURING PROFITABLE GROWTH

Cultural Rejuvenation

- Reframing the McDonald's brand essence.
 - Strategic intent: Forever Young.
 - Market facing expression: I'm lovin it.
- Focusing and re-energizing the organization to deliver it.



Business Turnaround

- Re-ignite pride, commitment, and loyalty by restoring McDonald's Brand Culture.
 - Equip organization to create & deliver the desired brand experience.
- By shifting strategies, this team was able to increase total sales .
 - From \$50.1 billion to \$70.1 billion in under 4 years.





Appendix



THINK BOOK

Multichannel Strategy Journal