

Sprint Emerging & Wholesale Solutions

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**Purpose:** to share information about mobile shopping trends and new ideas for enhancing brand awareness, generating new revenue streams, increasing basket spend and improving foot traffic.

### Agenda:

- » Mobile shopping trends
  - » Mobile Moment of Truth Study
- » New ideas
- » Case study
- » Summary

Limits: 15 minutes



## MOBILE SHOPPING TRENDS





### SPRINT MOBILE MOMENT OF TRUTH STUDY

- »Online survey of 1106 smartphone users
  - •Ages 18 65
  - •August 14-18, 2012

### » Qualifications Smartphone users

- Use top shopping apps
- Used phone in grocery, mass or warehouse club in last month







Where

How

Why

50.4%

have smartphones

X

89%

use while shopping

estimated

= **45%** 

of US consumers

Source: Nielson 2012



Use smartphones "most of the time" at grocery and mass

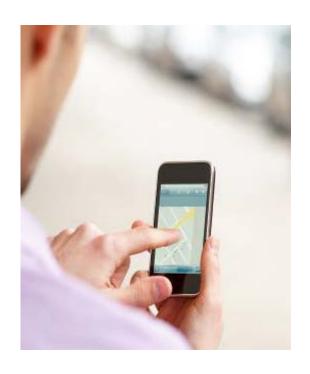
10%





### **SHOPTIMIZERS**

#### The most elite group of tech-savvy shoppers



"I've been shopping this way for about 6 years now, so it is a part of me. I was really satisfied that I did my research and was able to get quality products at a good price that have been tested and proven good by other parents.

If I didn't have my phone, I would be considered a blind shopper."

- Henry, 35-49



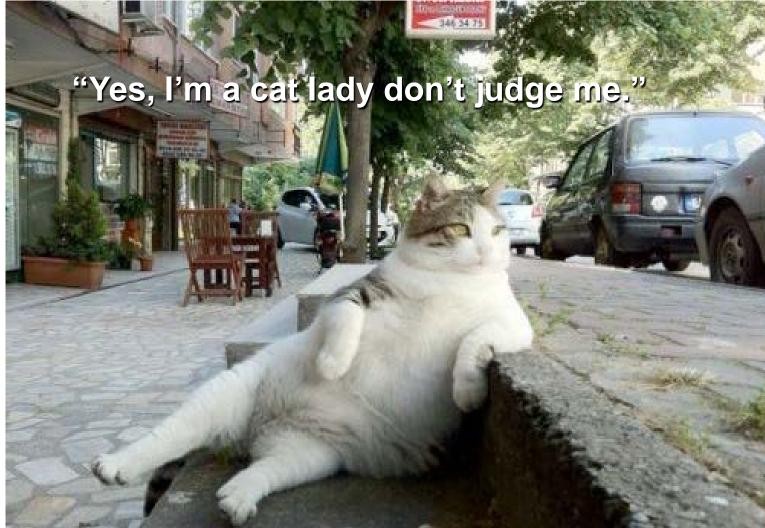
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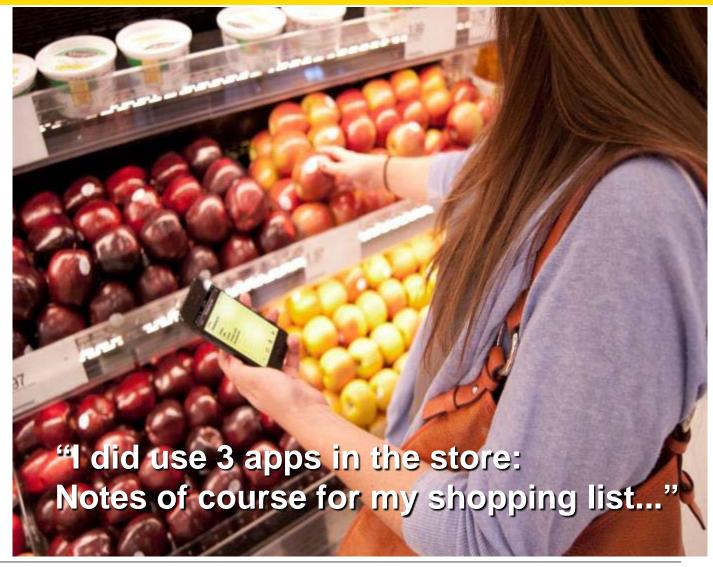






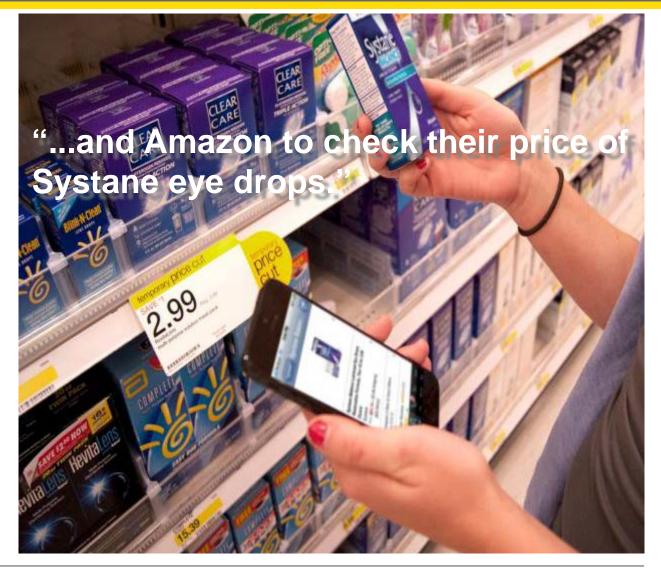














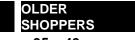




Q: Thinking about just the items you shopped for in the past month, WHERE did you use your smartphone to help you shop while in a store?







18 - 34 years

35 - 49 years



### **ACROSS ALL STORE TYPES**

How many people used smartphones to shop?



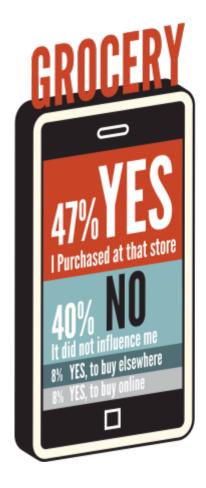
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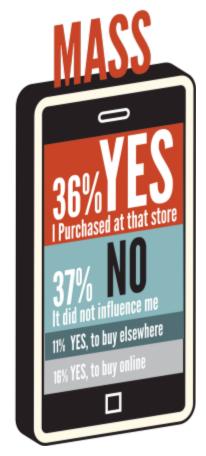




## **INFLUENCE ON PURCHASE**

Q: Did your mobile device influence your decision the LAST time you used it at a \_\_\_\_\_ store?

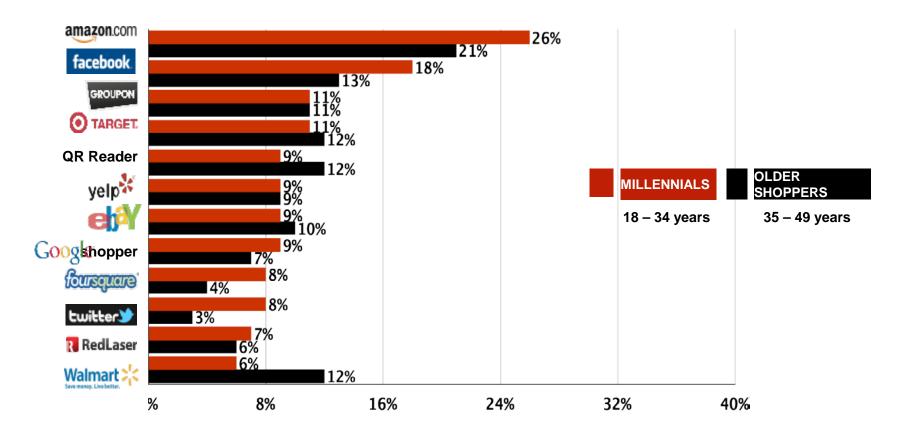






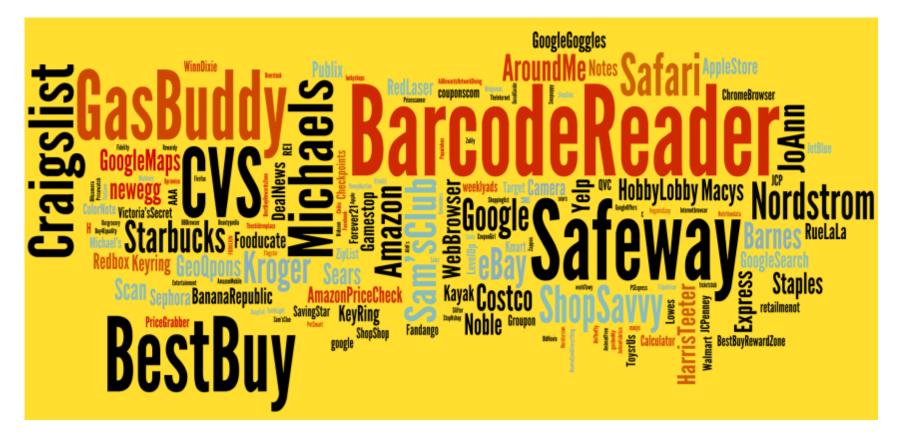
### **SHOPPING APPLICATIONS**

### Q: Which apps do you use regularly or occasionally to help you while shopping?





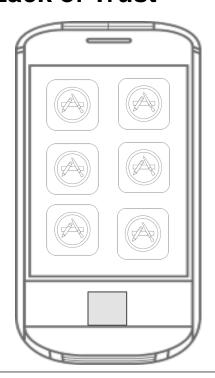
Q: What OTHER shopping apps are currently installed on your smartphone?





### **APP SKEPTICISM:**

- Lack of Utility
- Lack of Information
- » Lack of Trust



"I don't use the Wal-Mart app, and I rely on the website . . . the whole website has deals on it that aren't reflected in the app. . . So I don't trust that the app has the best info."

- Bradford, 27-34

Source: Sprint Moment of Truth, Millennials & Mobile Survey August 2012 (n=1106)

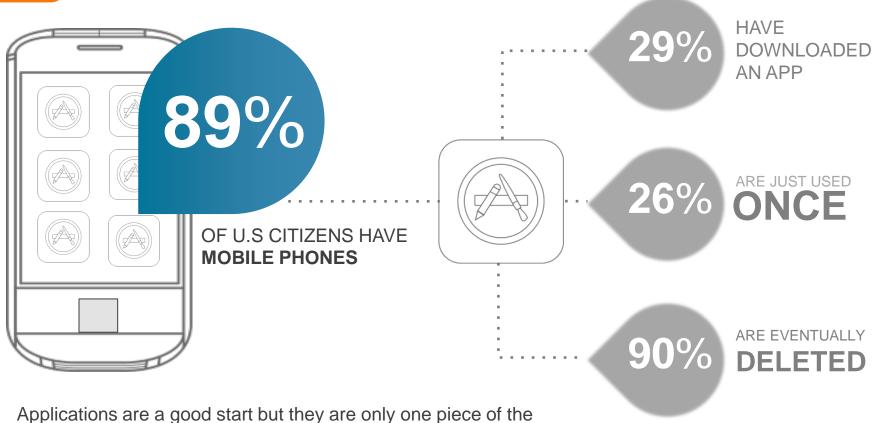


### **APPLICATIONS ON WIRELESS PHONES**



### Industry wide statistics

strategy necessary to engage the mobile shopper.





# CASE STUDY

i-wireless & Kroger





### IMAGINE, ENGAGE, AND COMMUNICATE

Sprint is a **thought leader** working with Retailers to implement customized no-contract wireless programs generating **new revenue streams** and providing value added services for customers.





### I-WIRELESS AND KROGER CASE STUDY

- » Exclusive offering in 3,000 Kroger stores
- » Prepaid no contract mobile devices and services
- » Integrated with Kroger's Plus loyalty rewards program – patrons earn free phone service while shopping at Kroger
- » Rewards program tracks customer purchase information for targeted promotions and earning free mobile device service



https://www.iwirelesshome.com/home
50% figure based on Kroger 2009 Fact Book,
cardholder figure based on www.census.gov projection





## I-WIRELESS CASE STUDY AND VIDEO



"... then we met with the Sprint Wholesale team. Their attitude was completely different, driven by the excitement of growth and reaching new markets. They immersed themselves in our opportunity and our vision for Kroger and i-Wireless."

Paul McAleese, CEO of i-Wireless





### **NEW IDEAS TO ENGAGE THE MOBILE SHOPPER**



### **Private-Label Branding**



Partnering with Sprint to grow your core business in unique ways provides a **competitive advantage** to Retailers and makes the shopping experience more convenient, relevant and personal to the most loyal customers by ...

- » Enhancing and differentiating your company's brand
- » Generating new recurring revenue streams through private label wireless offerings
- » Driving more foot traffic
- » Increasing basket spending per trip
- » Enhancing customer loyalty and lifetime value
- » Increasing share of house holds shopping trips
- » Promoting use of existing store applications
- » Providing economical value to patrons needing no contract wireless services



### **SUMMARY**

45% of all U.S. Consumers use Smartphones while shopping

61% of Millennial shoppers used Smartphones while in a Grocery Store

47% of shoppers said the mobile device influenced their purchase decision in Grocery Stores

81% of moms say their favorite place to use their phone is in line at the Grocery Store

Imagine, Engage and Communicate with mobile shoppers through unique wireless programs



