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Digital Reinvention™ in retail

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A series of macro trends are impacting the retail industry

Retail industry continues to rebalance sales between digital and the store



Consumer behavior

Increased expectations and power
Multi-generational
Hyper-fragmented
Always on; Mobile-first
Active and involved
Services > goods



Technology

Device proliferation
Platform + apps
Cloud / SaaS delivery
Analytics focused
Cognitive / AI / IoT
Omni-present



Competition

Industry convergence
Low barriers to entry
Brand value
Products/stores to solutions
Traditional vs. disruptive

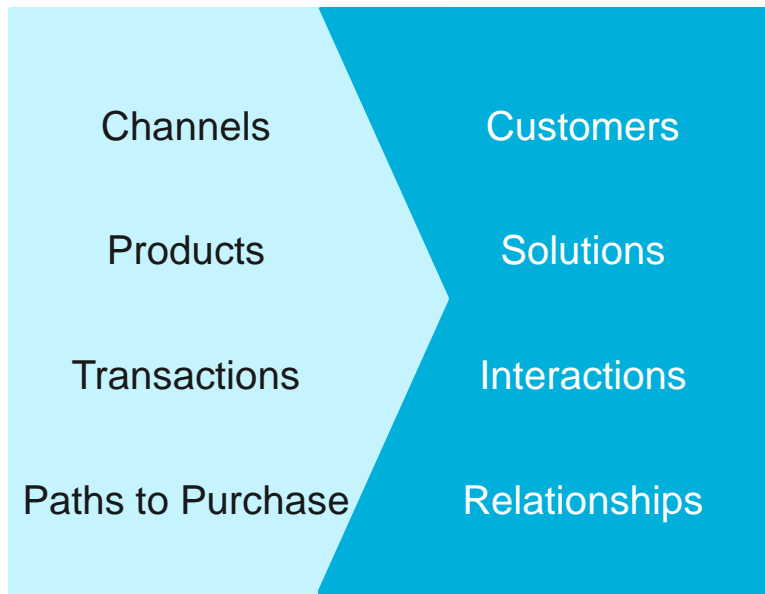


Macro-economic and demographics

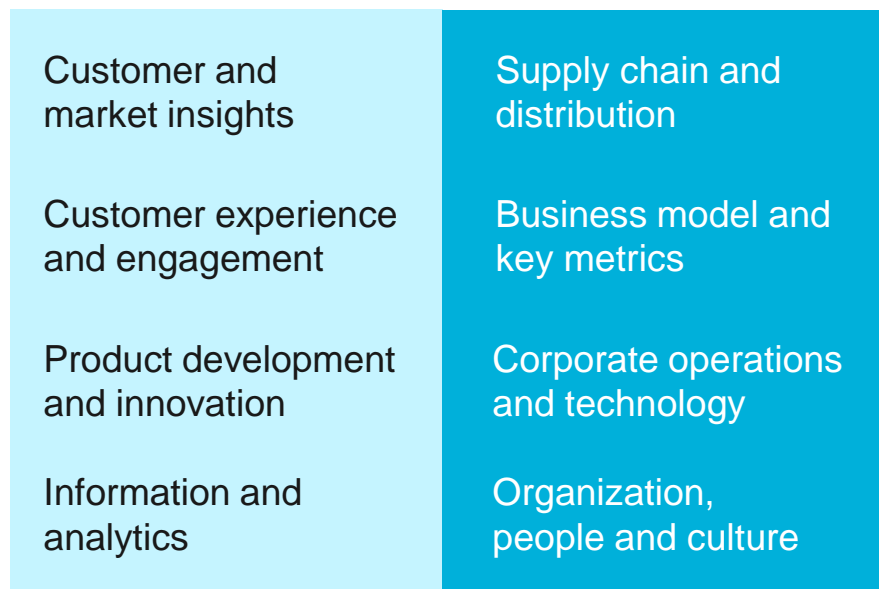
Generational shifts
Secular stagnation
Income inequality
Globalization backlash
Frequent "jolts"
Regulatory uncertainty

To survive, today's retailers need to adapt to post-channel era business models and focus on new capabilities

Changing focus



Improved capabilities



Digital Reinvention will underpin these initiatives

A Digitally Reinvented enterprise offers customers superior experience; customers are at the heart of business



Reinvention of value chain

- Digitally integrated store
- Mobile commerce
- Fragmentation
- New ecosystem emergence



Frictionless, seamless shopping experience

- Superior CX capabilities regardless of channel
- Customer in control
- Customer-centric mobile first design



Engage customers in context

- Individually-tailored marketing messages
- Beyond transaction
- Lifestyle & life stage
- Co-creation & collaboration



Innovate, transform, experiment with value add technology

- Focus on technologies that add value to target customers
- Cognitive, Cloud, IoT, AR, VR etc.
- Agility and speed to market



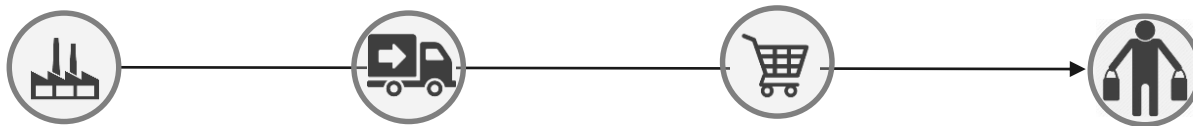
Protect and leverage customer data

- Customer preferences
- Social media
- Customer transaction & browsing history
- Safeguards and transparency

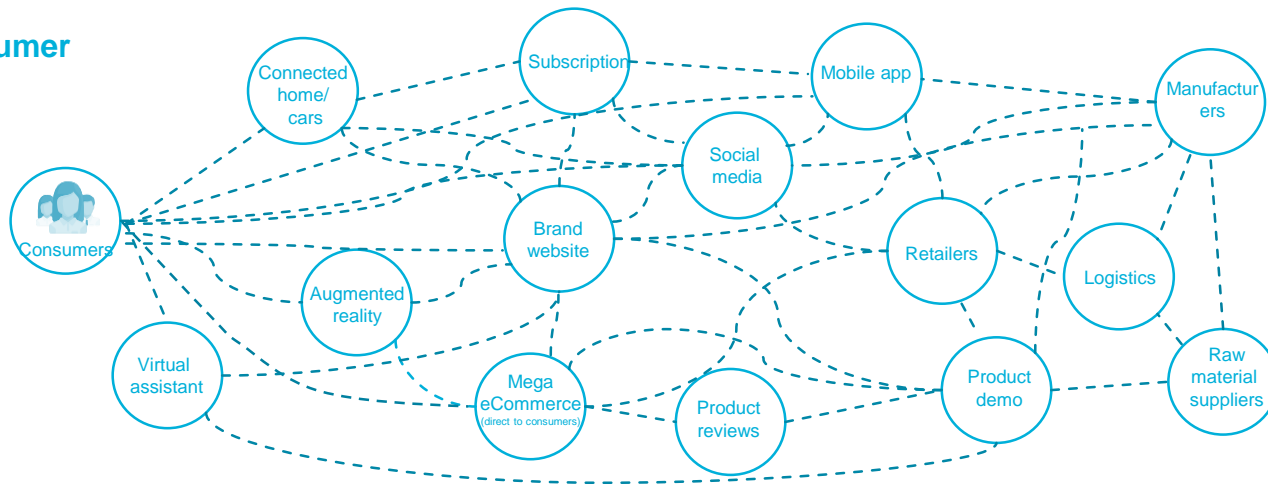
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New business models are displacing traditional paradigms and continue to transform as customer choices evolve

Traditional consumer value chain



Emerging consumer value chain



The last, best **experience**
that **anyone** has **anywhere**
becomes the **minimum expectation**
for the experience they want **everywhere.**



Your youngest customers – Generation Z

Fundamentals still matter the most



Gen Z has a completely different shopping preference from millennials – and it's good news for retail



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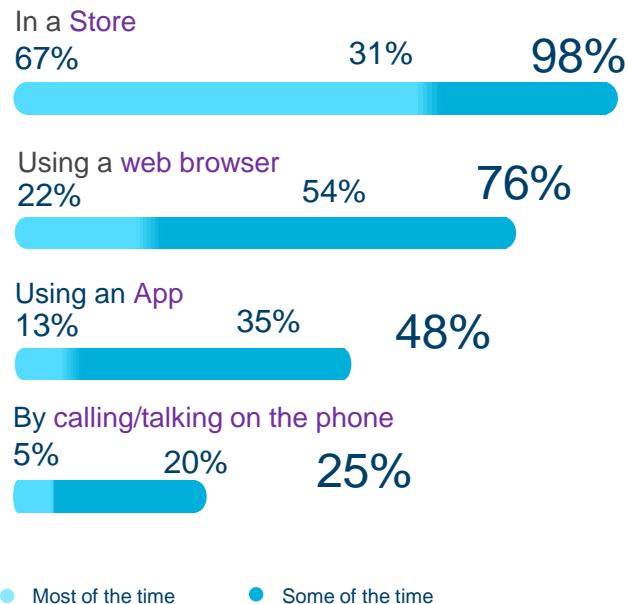


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How do you typically make your purchases?



Your youngest customers – Generation Z

Expects a Frictionless Experience

Gen Z doesn't have patience for technology that doesn't perform

Will not use apps or websites that are **hard to navigate**
62%



Will not use apps or websites that **are too slow to load**
60%



Frequently use **more than one device** at a time
60%



What information are you comfortable sharing?

Willing to share **purchase history**
62%



Willing to share **contact history**
42%



Willing to share **location information**
27%

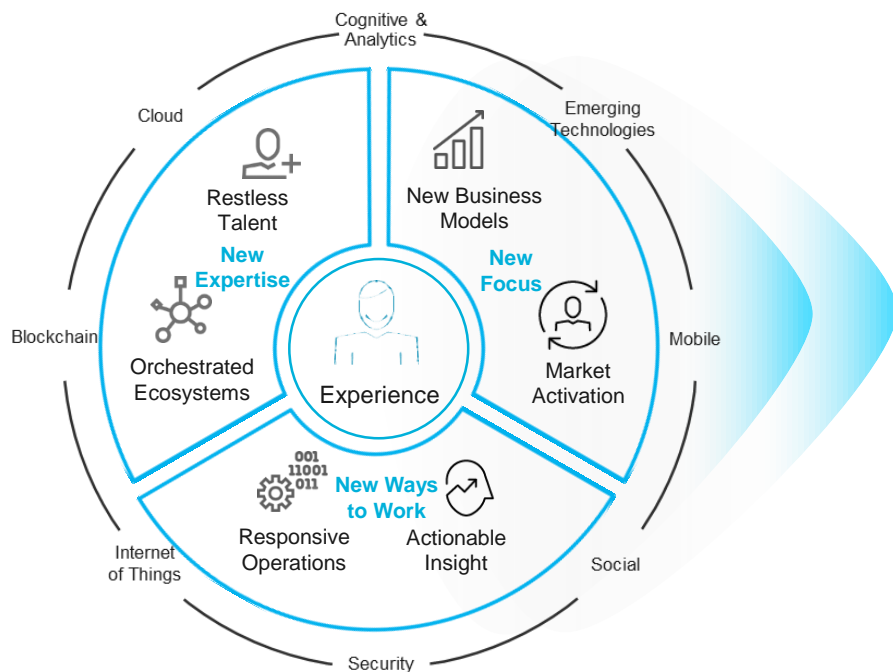


Willing to share **payment information**
18%



Digital Reinvention enables deeper, more compelling experiences

What to do: Organizations embrace new a focus, founded on new expertise and new ways of working



What to do Embrace digital drivers

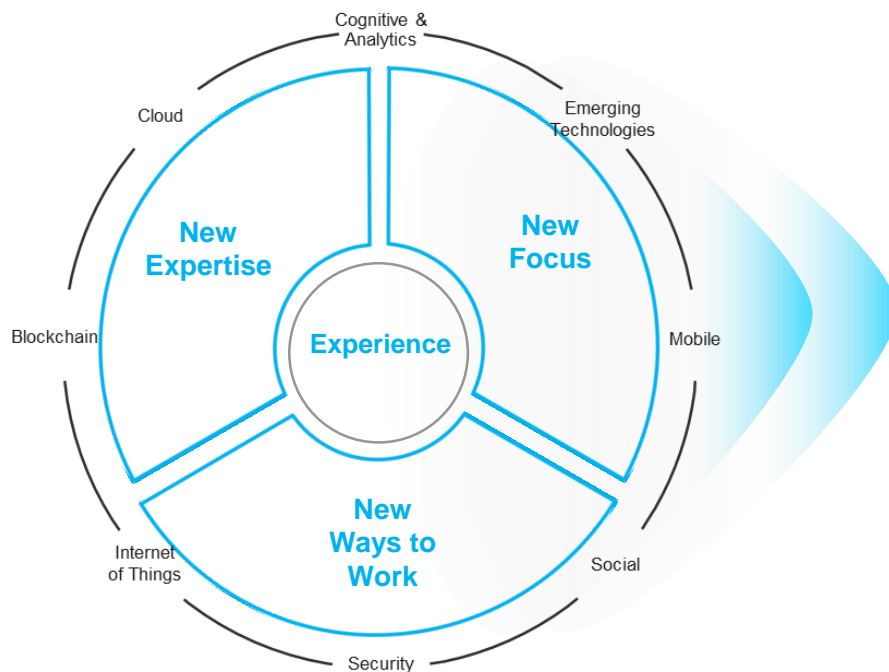
New focus: Employ advanced analytics across organization and build new business models

New expertise: Build the right talent for an agile and innovative organization and actively participates in ecosystems

New ways to work: Digitize product, services and processes across organization and employ design driven innovation

New experiences: Create experiences that customers desire and want

How to make it happen



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Envision: Use design thinking to understand customers, brainstorming ideas and visualizing scenarios

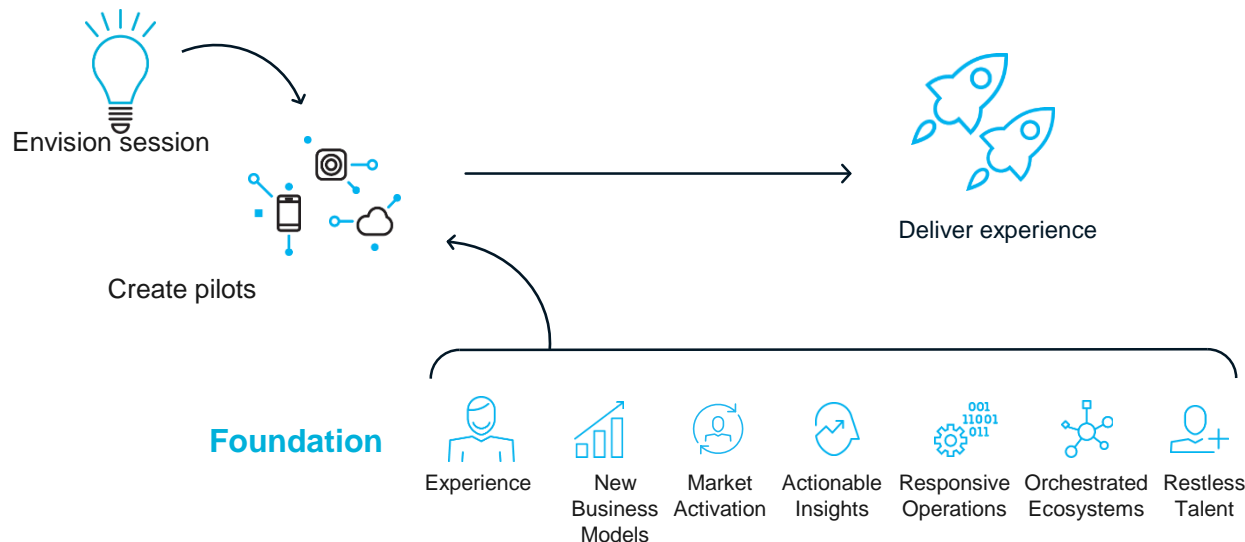
Create: Create prototypes using agile development, test them with customers, and get them to market

Deepen: Augment capabilities and continue to build and deploy applications aligned to the target operating model and ecosystem strategy

Orchestrate: Build a robust team to guide the program, and ensure embrace of holistic reinvention, not a series of point solutions

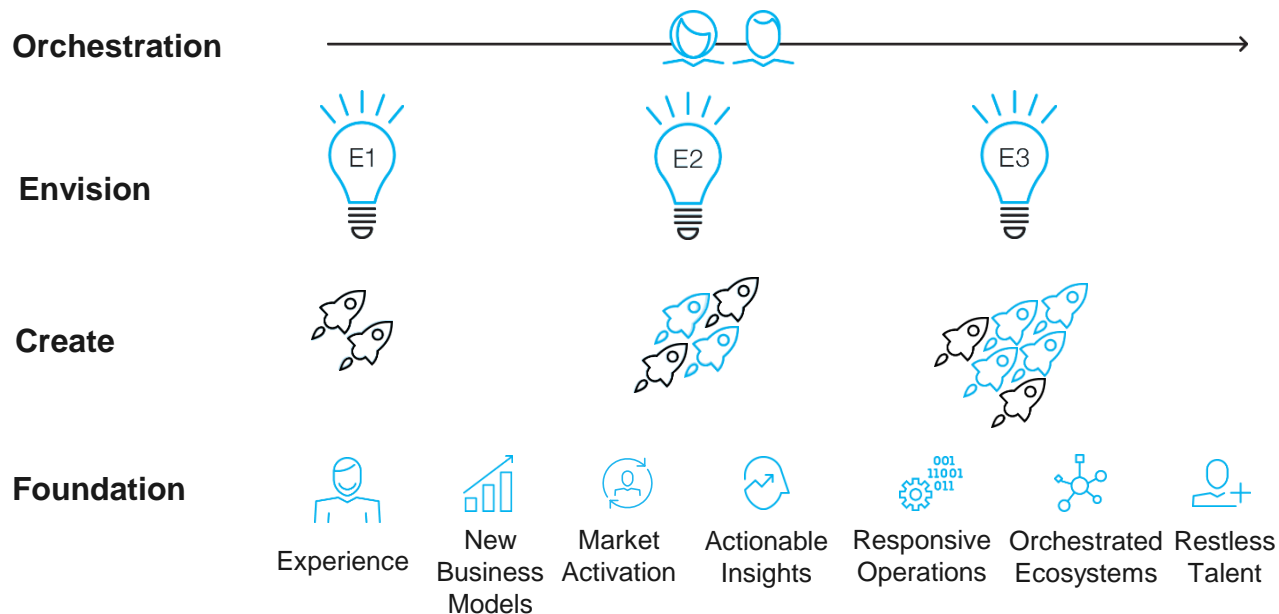
Create pilots and build a foundation of capabilities based on Digital Reinvention drivers

How to do: **create**



Digital Reinvention needs a long-term program of many innovations and launches

How to do: *deepen*



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