

# 2018 Shopper Behavior Study



## **Give Shoppers What They Want:**

Personalization, Communication, Convenience

### ▶ Personalization

No longer just an option. It's an expectation.

of shoppers want new offers provided regularly

of shoppers want exclusive offers based on loyalty to a particular brand

of shoppers want relevant offers based on purchase habits - 123% Since 2017

# Communication & Convenience

High on the priority list for today's shoppers

of shoppers want retailers to highlight where there is a digital coupon and an item for sale

of shoppers say they clip digital coupons while shopping in-store

of shoppers say they would use more coupons if they were available online

### Planning & Its' Role in the Shopper Journey



79% of shoppers reported they use the physical and/or online circular regularly



**62% of shoppers** surveyed said they purposefully look at the store circular and pair it with coupons to plan their shopping trip



## 89% of shoppers plan by creating a shopping list

89% 91% 98% **How Shoppers Use Store Circulars** • To Plan your Shopping List To Find Coupons To Identify Items on Sale

#### **Before The Store:**



40% of shoppers reported looking for digital coupons before going to the store



51% of shoppers reported looking for paper coupons before going to the store

#### **Plan Shopping Trip by Pairing Coupons** & Store Circular







Millenials

Generation X

Boomers

## Coupons Effectively Disrupt Pre-planned Shopping Decisions

Among shoppers who used coupons in their regular shopping trip during the last three months, 83% of shoppers surveyed said the coupon changed their behavior

How using a coupon changes or does not change a shopper's purchase decision



- I bought sooner than I would have because of this coupon
- I bought a particular brand I otherwise would not have normally purchased because of this coupon
- I bought more than I would have otherwise because of this coupon
- I bought an alternative product (different size, flavor, etc.) within the brand I planned to purchase because of this coupon
- I switched back to another brand that I have purchased previously because of this coupon
- The coupon did not change my purchase in any way