

Youngsters Buying Behaviour in Digital Marketing:Special Reference to Gobichettipalayam

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ABSTRACT

The buying pattern of shopper is ever-changing at a quicker rate in the client familiarized market surroundings. Consumer behaviour differs once it comes to the merchandise, price, features, quality, packaging, buying behaviour, status, generation; age of the customer etc. however, youth is the most intricate group to correspond with. The ever-changing preferences of the gift day youth affects the shopping for pattern as a result of the largely follow the rhythm of fashion and style per the changing time. Therefore, Marketers spend crores of rupees and invest too a lot of time on research per annum to spot and predict the ever-changing youth behaviour. Now digital promoting has expose several challenges to the seller in the retail phase. The present generation is additional fascinated with the web looking than the standard shopping for. The marketers are forced to introduce the innovative method of merchandising due to the pressure of the younger generation's shopping for behaviour. The buying behaviour and behavioural pattern of youth has as larger influence in the buying behaviour, hence in this study, Youngsters buying behaviour in digital marketing is cantered because the core issue. The study reveals that most of the children of this generation have access to the digital media but they lack the notice regarding its optimum utilization.

Key Words : Digital marketing, Youth, Buying behaviour of youth, Online

INTRODUCTION

Digital Marketing is defined as shopping for and merchandising of data, products, and services via computer networks or web. Internet and electronic commerce technologies square measure reworking the entire economy and dynamical business models, revenue streams, customer bases, and supply chains. New business models are rising in each business of the New Economy. Travel industry and ticketing has seen a ocean modification within the last decade. One estimate suggests that online travel business contributes regarding seventy six of total web commerce in Republic of India. Ticketing is now done either in third party websites or airline sites. Customers of online searching square measure delighted with prompt delivery and perfect payment mechanisms

building trust in shoppers. Even on-line classifieds have created a no-hit transition online with jobs and married taking the lead. Online retailers square measure currently pushing a larger range of classes like natural philosophy and white merchandise. In these emerging models, intangible assets such as relationships, knowledge, people, brands, and systems are taking center stage. The internet could be a tumultuous technological innovation however shoppers every place square measure rousing to the concept of searching on-line. The impact on retailing has been profound and as a result several businesses square measure dynamical the channels they use to sell their merchandise and services. In some parts of the world, retailers have been quick off the mark in developing their own severally branded e-commerce stores, whereas in other components the e-market place dominates.

Digital marketing scenario in India:

India is the world's third largest net population. After the proliferation of net, Marketing strategy has taken associate off root to reach bent on the general public. The tremendous growth that digital marketing has shown cannot be match up with the other strategy. Looking up to the current state of affairs in Asian country, people here are a unit not solely awake to net however area unit using it for varied functions in life. Thus, there's a booming internet selling business in Asian country. In India social media is the driving the adoption of digital selling.

The retail sector in India is booming each on and offline. India is a relative arrive to on-line the web the net looking revolution however it's expected that online sales can grow by fifty per cent annually within the next few years. The country is already the third largest nation of internet users with over a hundred and twenty million and the speedy uptake of mobile commerce is expected to extend the amount of users to over 330 million by 2015. Social media is helping to drive the event of digital selling. Increasingly loaded populations of young net savvy customer's area unit disbursement additional time and cash on-line and in doing thus area unit influencing looking trends. Among the popular merchandise on-line area unit books, consumer natural philosophy, travel, financial services, apparel and beauty care. Online looking activity is targeted in major urban conurbations with urban center being the main centre followed by metropolis and Kolkata. A large proportion of the purchases area unit conducted in on-line market places like Snadpdeal, launched in 2010. Currently, the internet accounts for under a little proportion of India's gross domestic product however the predictions area unit that a web boom is simply round the corner for Retailers. Indian youth are alleged to follow strict ethical and family values and supposed to invest their whole time and a focus towards study and career. So the career, education has to be the only aim of a student. Indian youth are the powerful phase in the market WHO directs the makers to create what they need. This study evaluates the extent to which the youth plays role in leading the seller. The study will be helpful for the seller to plan the selling methods to capture this and potential youth phase within the merchandise below study. According to the National Youth Policy-2014, the study will cowl the entire youth within the age-group of 15-29 years, which constitutes twenty seven. 5 per cent of the population according to Census-2011, that is about thirty three large integer folks.

Buying behaviour of youth:

Buying behaviour of associate degree individual plays a predominant role within the shopper behaviour generally and among the youth specially. Buying behaviour promoting is a method of creating relationships between merchandise offered within the market and targeted shopping for behaviour teams. It involves segmenting the market on the basis of shopping for behaviour dimensions, positioning the product during a way that appeals to the activities, interests and opinions of the targeted market and undertaking specific promotional campaigns

Which exploit shopping for behaviour appeals to enhance the value of the offered product. In India net is around twenty years recent. India is among the prime three population of net users with a hundred forty five million customers. The digital marketing is having simply 3-4% of organized marketing. This reveals that some elements square measure the hindrance in the prosperity of on-line promoting in Bharat. The risk perceived by the youth in India is one in every of them. The prosperity of online searching in Bharat is immense thanks to its huge size of youth population. The government is investing a great deal in net infrastructure. The organized retailing can't reach to the rural a part of India public simply whereas on-line retailers square measure finding their consumers in cities together with villages of across India.

Review of literature:

The following are the important review related to this study:

1. Vishal Khasgiwala & Monica Sainy in their study titled "Gender disparity wise study of Impulsive shopping for behavior and explorative tendencies of youth in central India", impulsive buying behaviour is experimented. Impulsive buying is a common behavior nowadays and might occur in any setting. Much of the human activity is driven by impulses that ar biochemically & psychologically excited. Beatty and Ferrell described that Impulse shopping for refers to immediate purchases that ar while not any pre-shopping objective either to get the precise product class or to meet a selected want. It is not consciously planned, but arises like a shot upon confrontation with sure input. India Being a shift economy technological boom such as tv looking channels and therefore the web expand consumers' impulse buying opportunities, increasing both the accessibility to merchandise and services and the ease with that impulse purchases are often created. Impulse

buying is associate degree unplanned purchase that's characterised by comparatively speedy decision-making, and a subjective bias in favour of immediate possession.

2. Dastidar & Datta (2009). In this study it had been found that, relationship present gender wise between each the variable and influence of explorative tendencies on impulsive shopping for behavior on in young feminine is higher than young male. It reveals that, variety seeking, risk taking/innovativeness, and curiosity motivated behavior in young feminine is higher result spontaneous shopping for behavior. While study shows that, in male it is very lower. The population in the age-group of 15-34 increased from 353 million in 2001 to 430 million in 2011. Current predictions suggest a steady increase within the youth population to 464 million by 2021. By 2020, India is set to become the world's youngest country with sixty four per cent of its population within the operating age bracket (The Hindu, 17 Apr 2013).

3. Sathish and A. Rajamohan (2012). In their study Consumer behaviour and shopping for behaviour promoting, a general approach of consumer is taken. A consumer's buying behaviour is seen as the total of his interactions along with his surroundings. Buying behaviour studies ar a element of the broader behavioral idea referred to as psychographics." Harold W. Berkman and Christopher Gilson outline shopping for behaviour as "unified" patterns of behaviour that each confirm and are determined by consumption. The term "unified patterns of behaviour" refers to behaviour in its broadest sense. Attitude formation and such internal subjective activities might not be evident, but they ar behaviour nevertheless. Buying behaviour is associate degree integrated system of a person's attitudes, values, interests, opinions and his over behaviour. It is found during this study that "Consumer behaviour remains a young discipline and most of the research currently offered has been generalised solely throughout the past fifteen years about. Innovations such as the buying behaviour idea and AIO analysis represent ways that to manoeuvre the study of customers faraway from isolated, often unrelated comes towards broader integrated systems and analysis techniques.

4. Rashmi Bansal (2007), in her article defined urban youth as youth marketers of nowadays in India and not as per the version of sociologists and media men World Health Organization relate it to the statistics of men underneath the age of twenty five. Youth could be outlined as a potent and cultural force, the consumers of nowadays

and the growth engines of tomorrow. This study concentrates on the aspirations, inspiration and perspiration of urban Indian youth and not on the response of the youth's choice of either Western or Indian designs or the cultural values. There is little doubt that increasing wealth would result in radical decisions for the longer term generations.

5. Priyanka Mehra (2009) in her article mentions that youth have always been a prime target for marketers. More thus in India currently, as two-thirds of the population is below thirty five years of age. According to MindShare Insights, the research divisions of a media-buying agency Mind Share, 65%, or over 700 million Indians, are younger than thirty five years. This segment has associate degree influence on shopper payment so much in excess of its numerical strength. Nine million individuals in the age bracket of 12-25 years from the highest thirty five cities (one million and population) in India ar those setting the trends and raising the aspiration price for one-billion-plus Indians, reports Mind Share Insights.

6. Manjeet (1999) in her article finds out that India's youth are bold, technology-oriented and confident. By 2015, Indians under twenty can create up fifty fifth of the population and wield proportionately higher payment power. In the west, the youth segment has sometimes been honeycombed against their seniors. Rebellion was the key starting purpose. Adventure, music and other symbols of 'cool' became a good formula for making cult brands that rallied against the system. This model of tapping youth presupposes that it's perpetually youth versus previous. It also preoccupies itself with a continuous hunt for what's 'cool' among youth. Since the behavioural distance between the youth and the others in these societies is important, it's easy to rally youth around such points of distinction. This model however is at a loss in India, where everything and everybody is young.

Statement of the problem:

In the development of science and technology, today's innovation becomes obsolete tomorrow. The tastes and preferences of the consumers square measure additionally ever-changing at a fast rate. The marketers are finding it troublesome to cope up with the ever-changing would like of the customers. These changes in the expectations of the purchasers are because of several reasons, but one of the most reasons is ever-changing

shopping for behaviour. Buying behaviour changes square measure a lot of seen among the youth than the younger kids and previous age folks. The shopping for behaviour of younger generation not solely influences their individual buying behavior, but additionally it influences the shopping for behavior of the family. As a marketer one wants to perceive the ever-changing wants of the purchasers and turn out the products and services consequently.

Need of the study:

Digital Marketing has brought astonishing changes in the approach within which the merchant markets the merchandise and therefore the approach within which the purchasers square measure shopping for a similar. Buying behaviour of associate individual influences several factors, and these factors invariably affects the marketer to match the desires of the purchasers normally and youth above all. So it is realised that there's a necessity to review Digital promoting and its impact on shopping for behavior of the youth.

Objectives of the study:

The following are the objectives of the study

- To identify the factors influencing the changing purchasing behavior of the youth.
- To examine the changing purchasing behaviour of the youth and their impact on Digital marketing
- To suggest the Indian marketers, the changing purchasing behaviour of the youth and its influences on their buying behavior.

METHODOLOGY

Sources of data:

For the present study researchers use both primary and secondary data. Primary data is collected through the questionnaire. Such secondary sources are drawn from the published articles, research papers, census survey, published general reports, sources through related websites etc.

Sample design:

The present study is the research-oriented study. Researchers use both primary and secondary data for this study. Researcher use simple random sampling technique to select the sample from Gobichettipalayam.

Sample size:

For fulfilling the objectives of the study researchers

randomly select 100 youngsters from Gobichettipalayam.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

One of the important steps is to analyze the data and discuss the findings. In this part researchers will discuss the empirical findings from this study. The data analysis mainly concerns primary data collected in the form of questionnaires distributed among youth of Gobichettipalayam. Table 1 shows the results of frequency for respondent's agreement with statements. Each statement is considered as one module.

The following are the important findings of the study:

India is the fifth largest nation in term of YouTube users. On an average, Indian's spend around fourteen hours a week on-line, which fully overshadowed tv. The Indian Online advertising market is growing quick at the rate of fifty annually and it had been reportable to cross one thousand crores in 2020. The factors which typically influence the shopping for behaviour of the youth includes, lifestyle, attracting the opposite sex, purchasing power, family background, employment status of the youth, intervention of Western culture, educational qualification etc. India has nearly 950 mobile subscribers and at least fifty million subscribers have net allows mobile phones. The number of internet sites in Asian nation is over ninety million whereas that of Facebook profiles is over five hundred million. Every day over eight million incoming and twelve billion outward messages are sent via Whatsapp. Besides, on-line retail in Asian nation is on rise as hour % of internet users in the country visit online retail sites. The study reveals that most of the children of the current generation have access to the digital media but they lack the notice concerning its optimum utilization.

Using mobile net and several a lot of alternative factors account for a growing digital selling trade in Asian nation. When all alternative industries in Asian nation are troubled with ten to twelve nada, digital marketing trade is booming high with half-hour growth rate. Even after having such processing chance, India still lack folks WHO are delicate and down pat in Digital selling. India desires proficient Digital marketers WHO will use this chance which may produce a revolution. Things will get higher within the current situation and in future too as Asian nation has the resources. All that to be done is to polish the talent. The markets of the present day conjointly do ton of analysis to grasp the youth and their shopping for behaviour pattern, so that they'll match to the necessity of the youth phase shopping for behaviour may be a

Table 1 : Results of frequency for respondent’s agreement with statements

Modules	Strongly agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Total weights	Rank
Convenience							
Frequency							
I get on-time delivery by shopping on-line	20(100)	15(60)	20(60)	30(60)	15(15)	295	XI
Detail information is available while shopping online	25(125)	20(80)	15(45)	25(50)	15(15)	315	VIII
I can buy the products anytime 24 hours a day while shopping online	40(200)	25(100)	20(60)	10(20)	05(05)	385	I
It is easy to choose and make comparison with other products while shopping online.	30(150)	25(100)	20(60)	05(10)	20(20)	340	IV
Website Design/Features							
The website design helps me in searching the products easily	20(100)	10(40)	30(90)	30(60)	10(10)	300	X
While shopping online, I prefer to purchase from a website that provides safety and ease of navigation and order	15(75)	20(80)	25(75)	24(48)	16(16)	294	XII
The website layout helps me in searching and selecting the right product while shopping online	30(150)	25(100)	30(90)	10(20)	05(05)	365	III
I believe that familiarity with the website before making actual purchase reduce the risk of shopping online	20(100)	25(100)	20(60)	15(30)	20(20)	310	IX
I prefer to buy from website that provides me with quality of information	27(135)	22(84)	18(54)	18(36)	15(15)	324	VII
Time saving							
Online shopping takes less time to purchase	35(175)	20(80)	30(90)	10(20)	05(05)	370	II
Online shopping doesn’t waste time	29(145)	20(80)	18(54)	18(36)	15(15)	330	VI
I feel that it takes less time in evaluating and selecting a product while shopping online	32(160)	17(68)	18(54)	16(32)	17(17)	331	V
Security							
I feel safe and secure while shopping online	10(50)	20(80)	30(90)	30(60)	10(10)	290	XIII
Online Shopping protects my security	05(25)	10(40)	42(126)	38(76)	05(05)	272	XV
I like to shop online from a trustworthy website	12(60)	20(80)	25(75)	30(60)	13(13)	288	XIV

Source: Primary and Calculated data.

dynamical issue which too it’s dynamical at a quicker rate, so most of the merchandise that is of recent innovation becomes obsolete too quickly. Innovation kills innovation. Due to changing technology what’s Associate in nursing innovation these days becomes obsolete tomorrow. This poses many challenges to the marketers. Majority of the respondents feels that any time purchase is possible through on-line. Respondents feels that customers take very less time to purchase.

Suggestions of the study:

The following are the important suggestions of the study

1. Marketers need to understand the accessibility of the digital facilities to the youth segment, before launching any product in online.

2. Marketers need to conduct pre market survey to identify the need of the consumers especially in digital marketing.

3. Consumers need to be aware of digital marketing and there is a need to create a proper awareness.

4. As most of the studies revealed that the customers are risk averse and hence they need to be taught how to handle risk associated with digital marketing.

The study ultimately suggests the readers and users to be aware of all the Digital marketing portals and make use of their utility to the maximum extent with utmost care and caution.

Conclusion:

To conclude, the youth, their buying behaviour, their

purchasing power, awareness about the product etc. have greater influence on the individual and family shopping for behaviour. As per the present National Youth Policy there square measure around thirty three large integer population in Bharat is that the youth within the age vary of 15-29 years. They form a major portion of market phase in Bharat. Every merchandiser should perceive the science of these youth phase, so that they will be a booming merchandiser within the days to come back within the competitive economy. The Digital promoting that has revolutionized the economy in general and marketing in particulars poses several threat and challenges to the merchandiser within the competitive market. Changing shopping for behaviour warrant the marketers to perceive the youth in an exceedingly higher thanks to devise appropriate promoting ways to retain this and to capture the potential market, so that the market will progress from the mere client destined promoting approach to Technological client destined promoting approach within the close to future.

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