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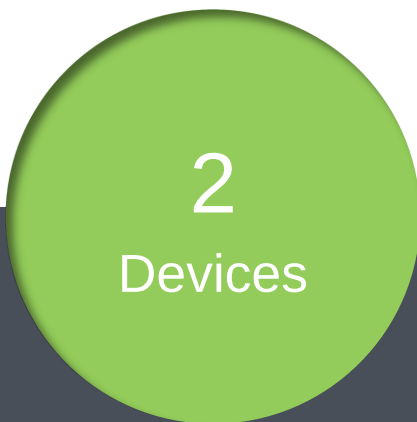
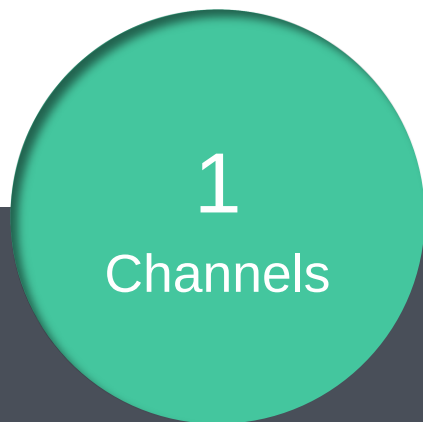
Australian Shopping Behaviour

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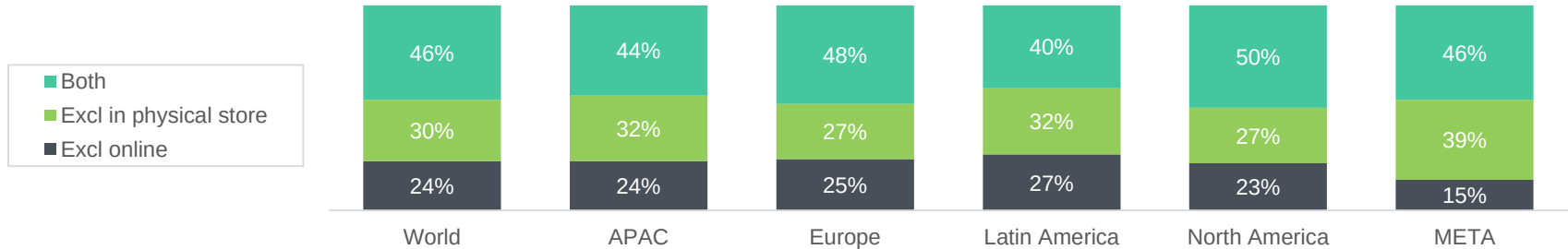
CHANNELS

Online is where the upfront journey stuff happens

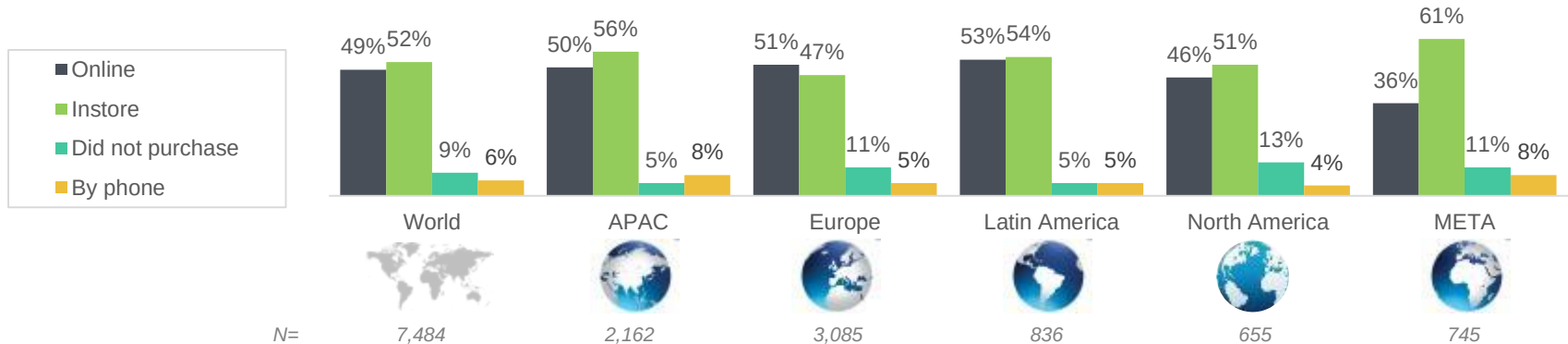
Globally, omni-channel shopping predominant method in big ticket consumer electronics category



Channels shopped: Consumer Electronics



Where purchased: Consumer Electronics

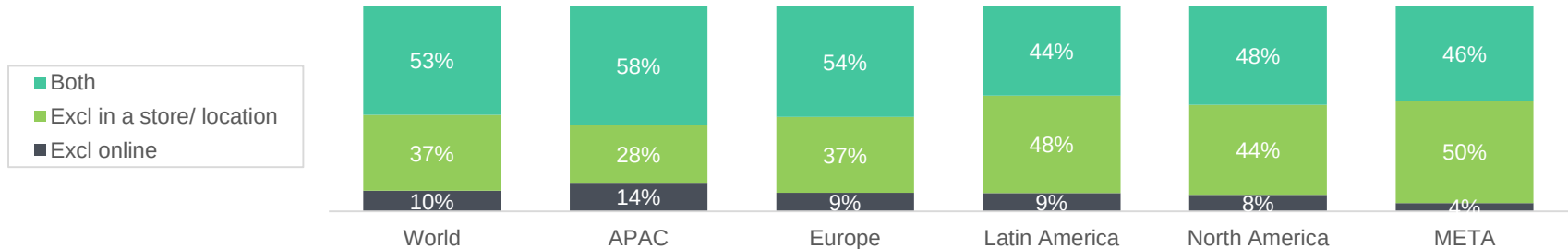


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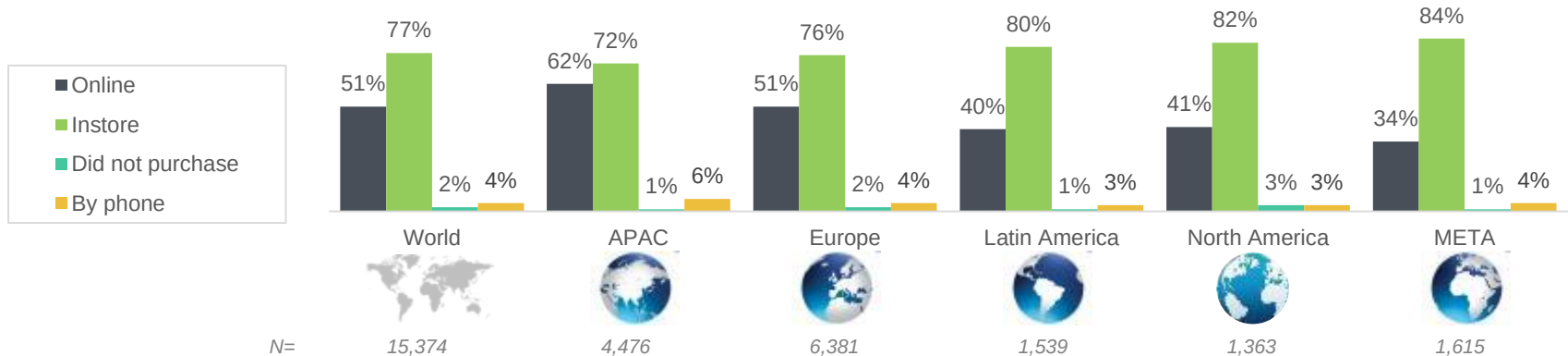
Apparel has higher incidence of omnichannel shopping journeys (than CE) but also higher instore purchase – need to try it on



Channels shopped: clothing & fashion



Where purchased: clothing & fashion

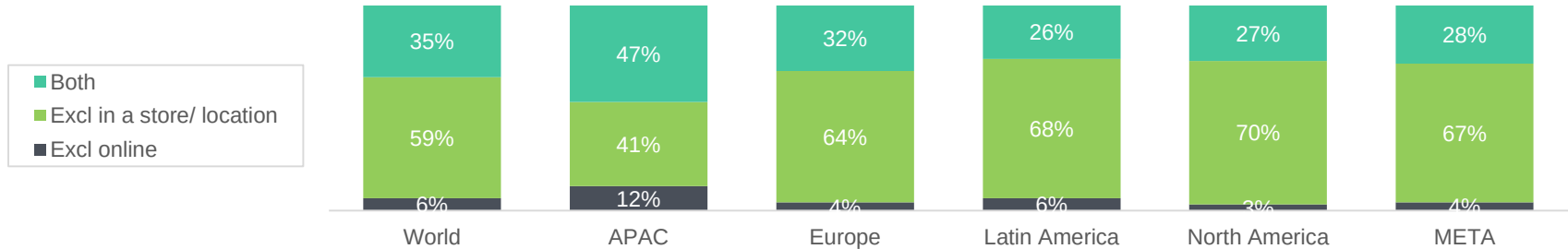


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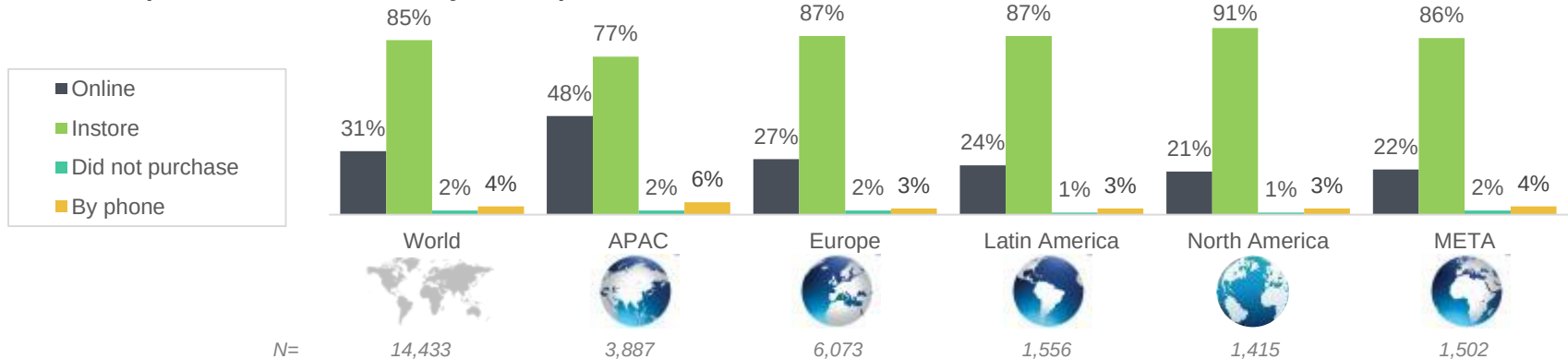
APAC shift to omni and online shopping particularly evident in beauty and personal care



Channels shopped: beauty and personal care



Where purchased: beauty and personal care

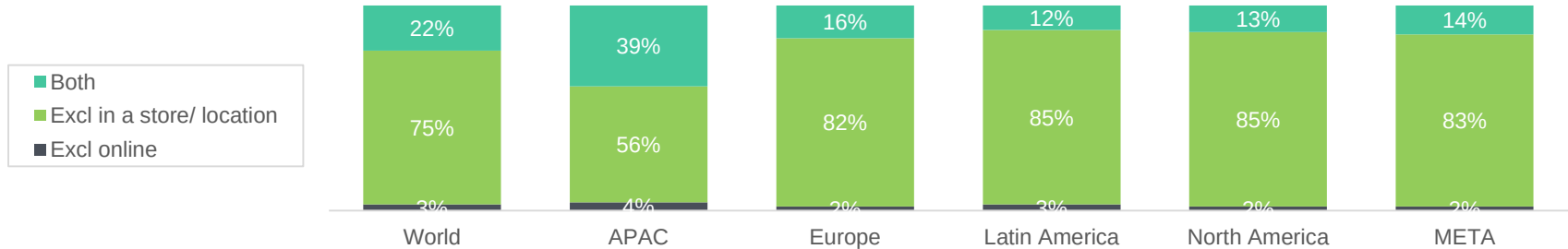


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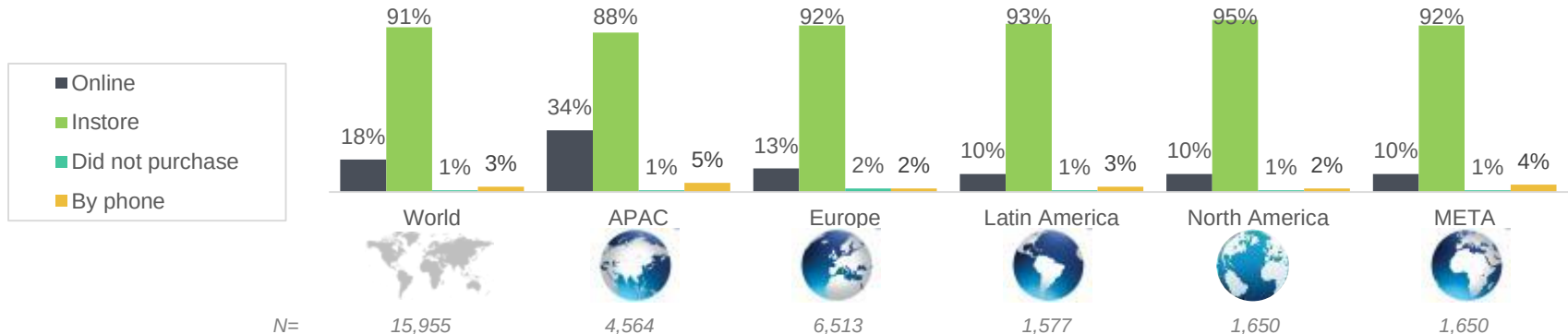
Even FMCG has a 1 in 5 incidence of omnichannel journeys. Online purchase for grocery channels led by China and Korea



Channels shopped: packaged food and beverage

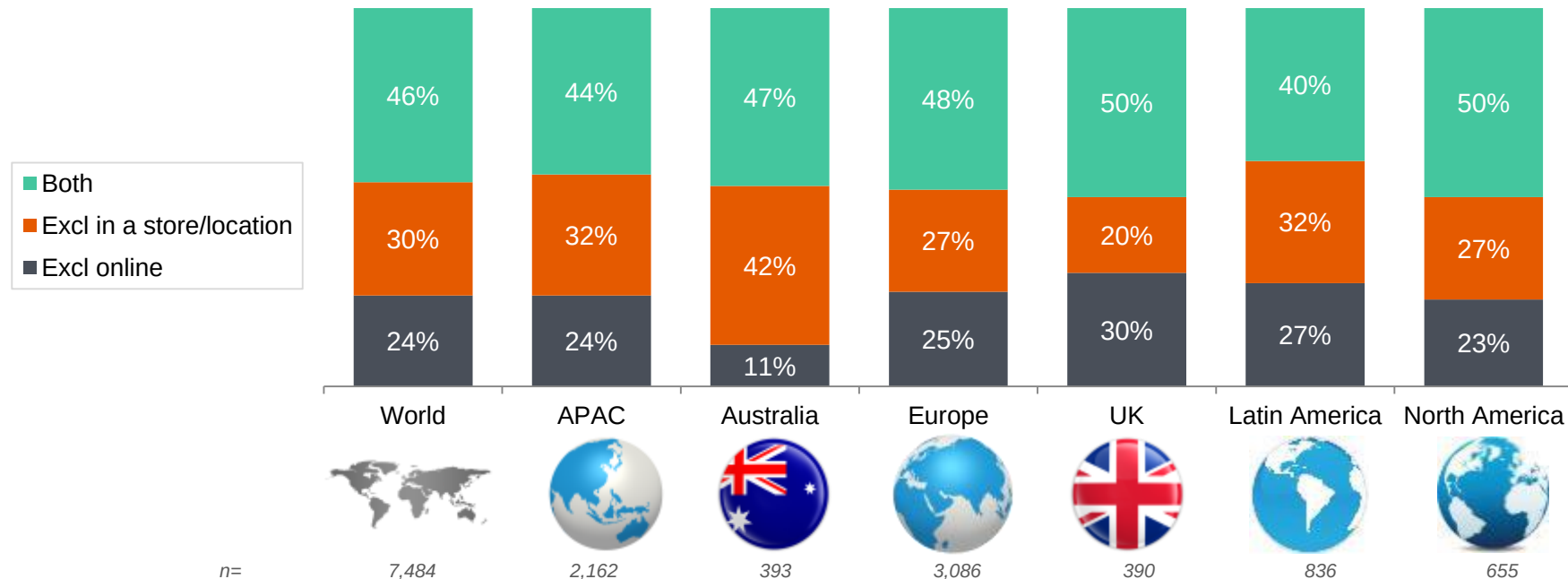


Where purchased: packaged food and beverage



Q2: And have you shopped for each of the below exclusively online, exclusively in a store/physical location or both?

Australia more likely exclusively physical store and less likely exclusively online for CE shopping journeys than other markets
However, omnichannel (ie webrooming) equal to other markets

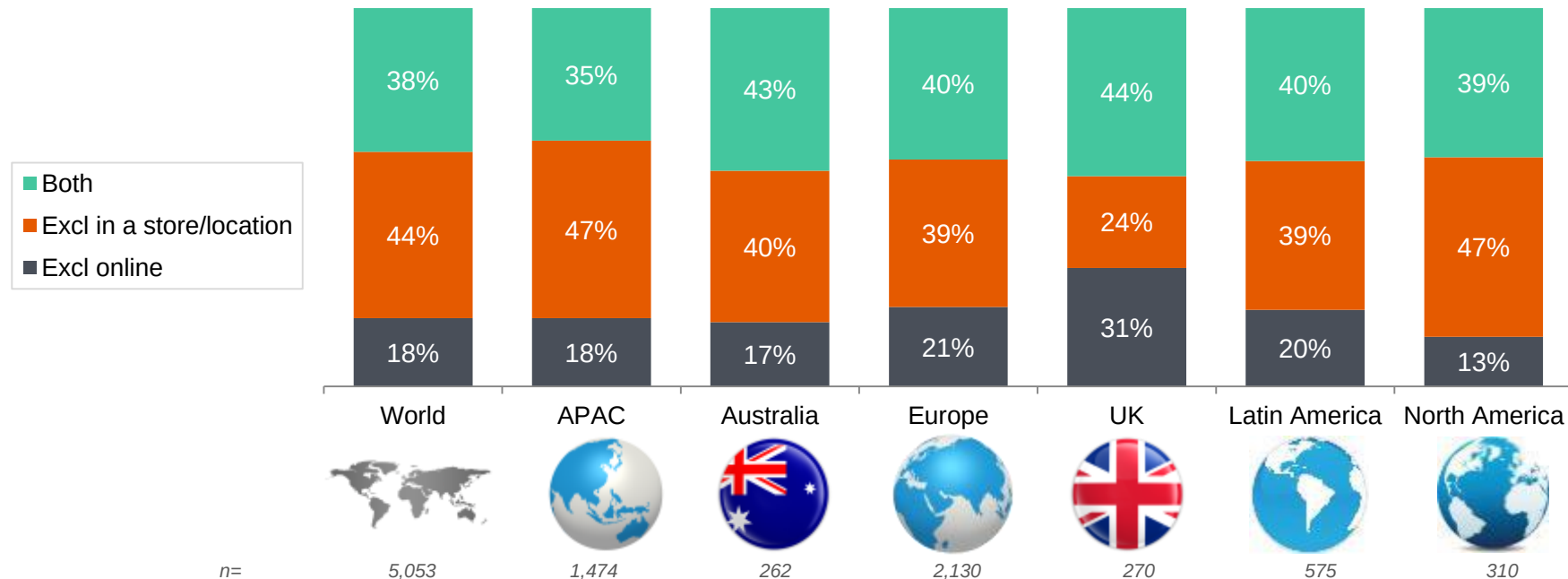


Channels shopped (whole purchase journey) - consumer electronics

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MDA has more omnichannel shopping than SDA

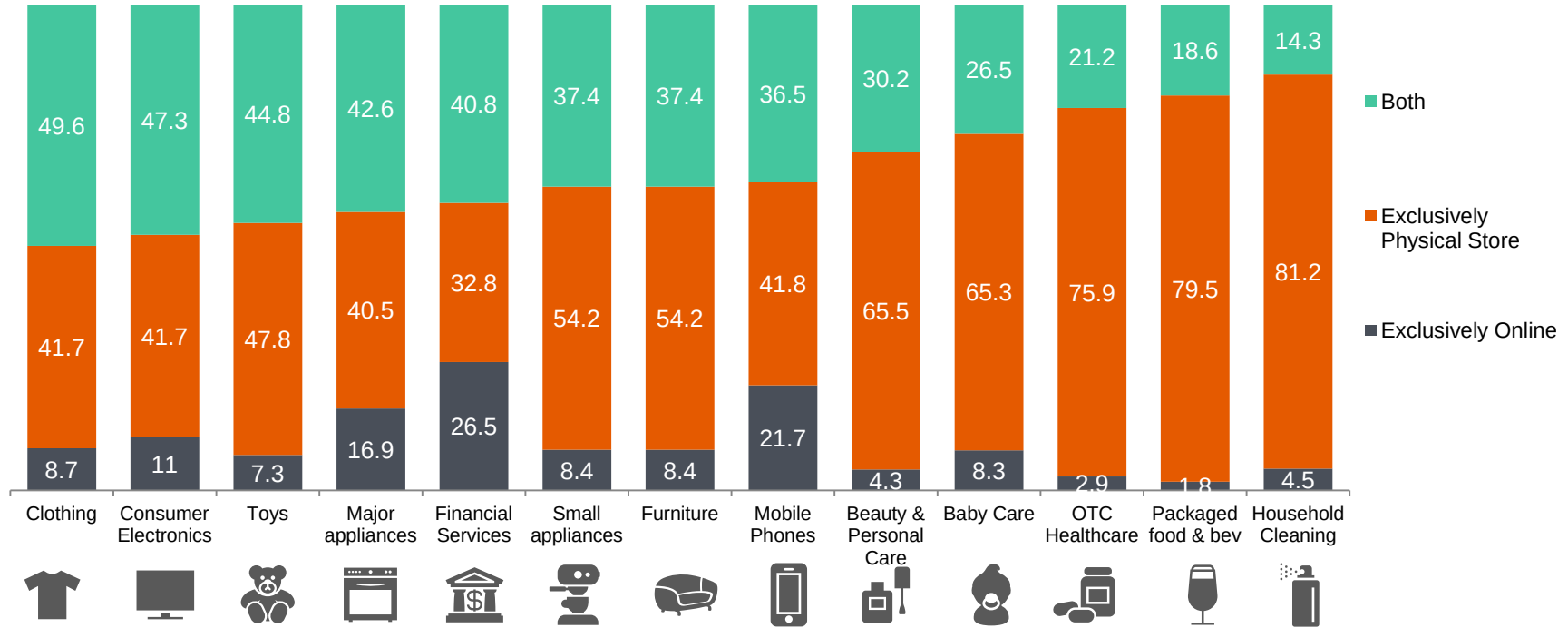
And for Australia, higher exclusively online journeys than for CE



Channels shopped (whole purchase journey) - MDA

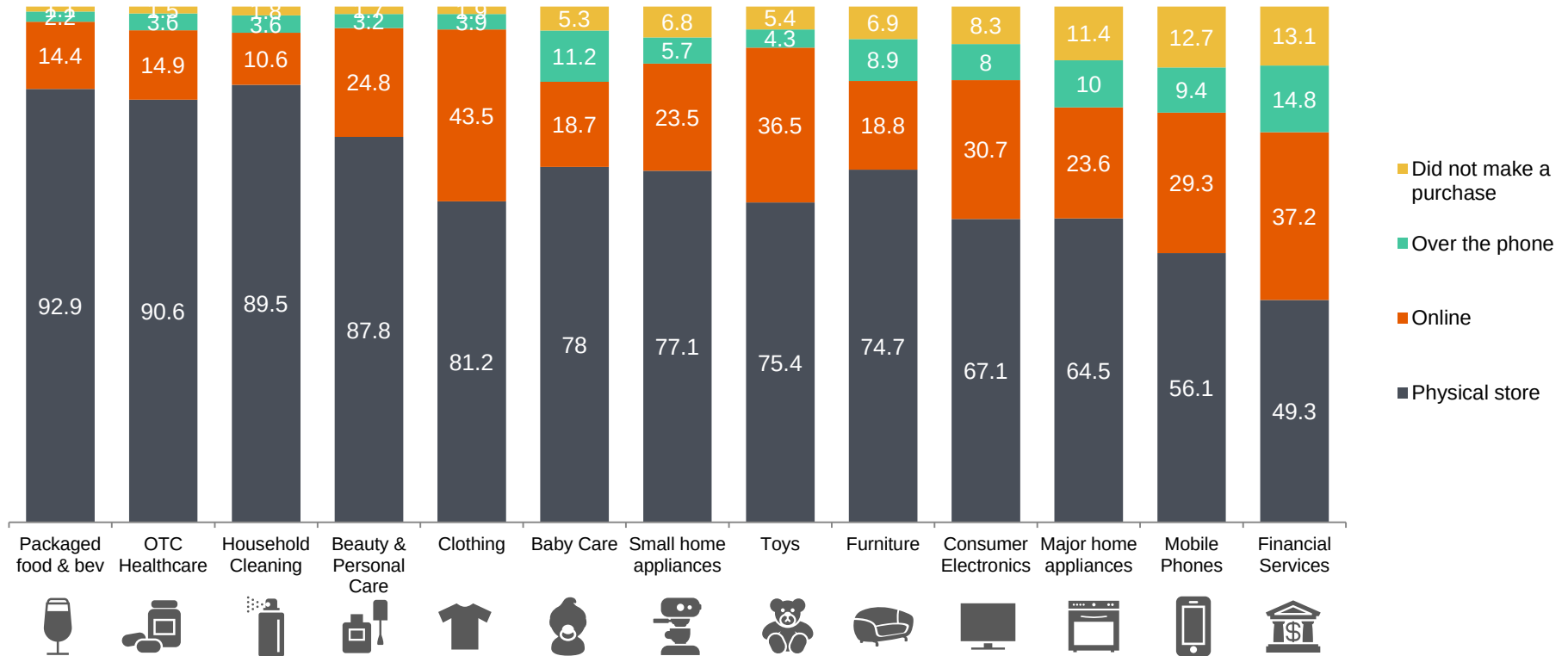
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Omnichannel journeys are increasing across the board, even in the lower involvement categories



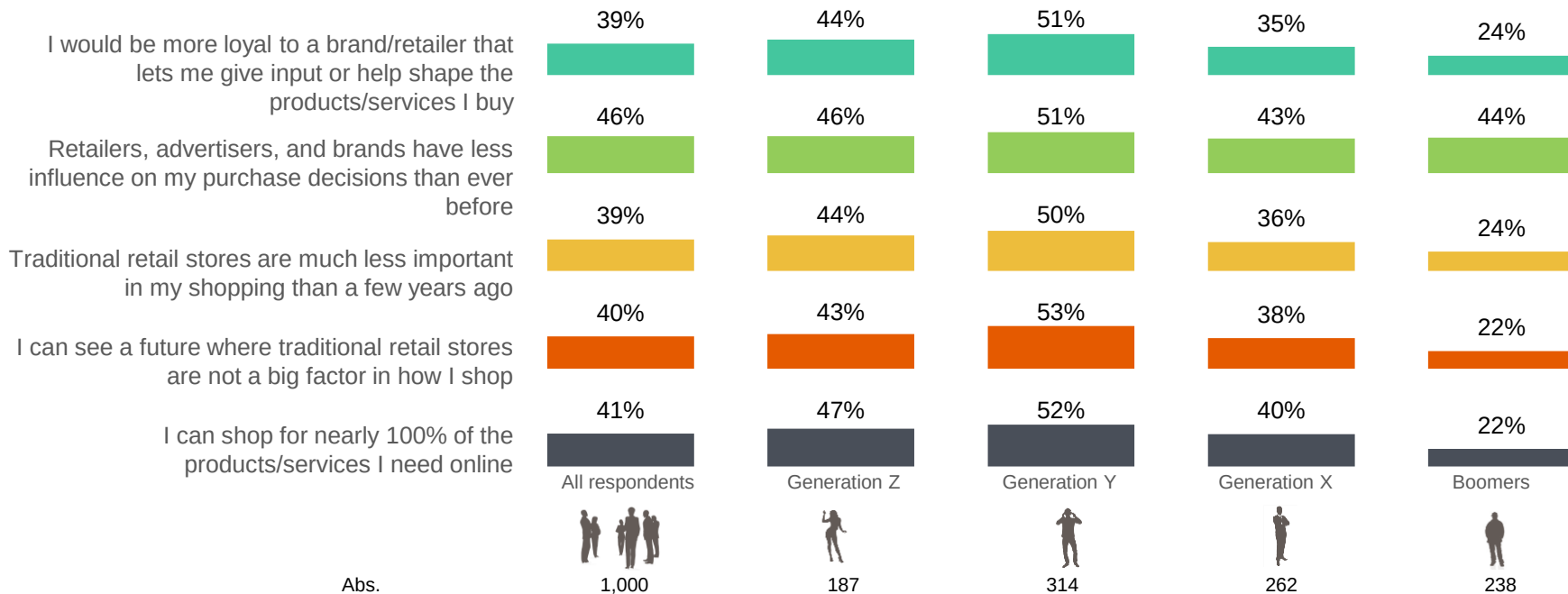
Q2: And have you shopped for each of the below exclusively online, exclusively in a store/physical location or both? (P6M) %

Online purchases still highest for higher involvement categories, but increasing across the board



Q2a: And when you shopped for [category], did you make a purchase? (P6M) %

Around 4 in 10 show a desire to move most purchasing online

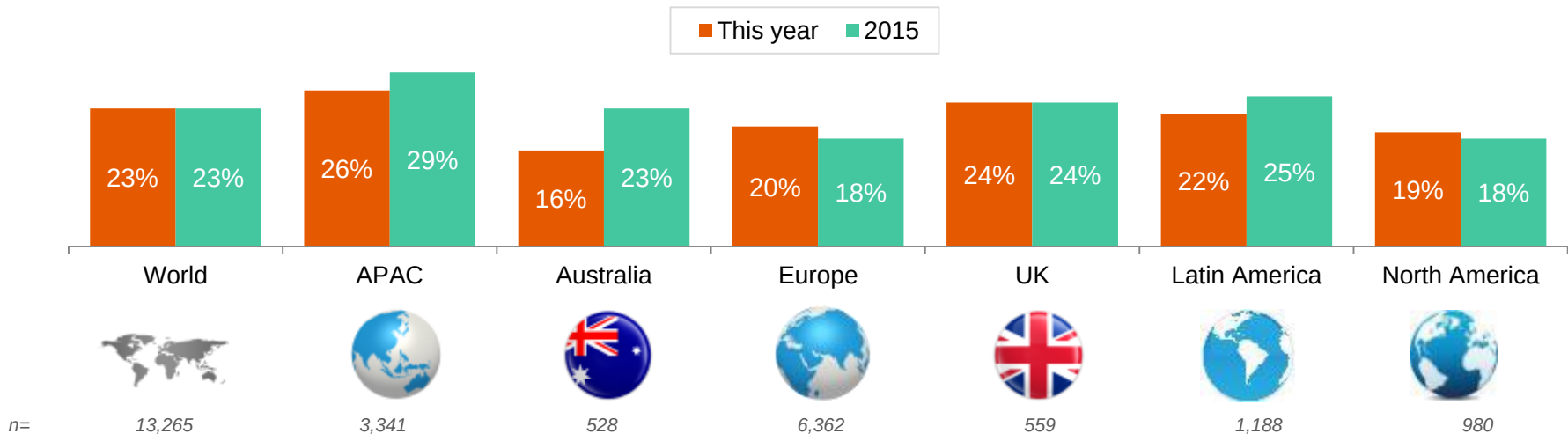


Q3A. Below are different statements about shopping. Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with each statement as it relates to your shopping experiences in general across the many different kinds of products and services you shop for. By "shopping" we mean the process of browsing, comparison shopping, information gathering, or the actual purchase of products and services.

Showrooming rates appear to be dropping in APAC, LATAM and META – and particularly Australia



% of shoppers reporting showrooming on mobile device (any category)



In Oz, showroomers much more likely to be LECs (30% showroomers) rather than non LECs (12% showroomers) due to LEC comfort with purchasing via mobile device.

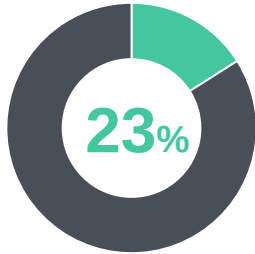
Q17: During any of your shopping occasions over past 6 months have you used your smartphone or tablet to see a product in the store and then purchase it on your device from another retailer or online competitor?

Webrooming incidence is more than double that of showrooming – the dominant behaviour, and growing

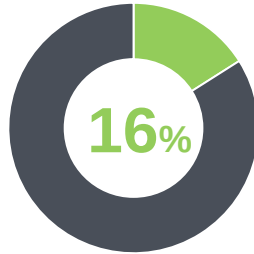


Hostile Showrooming

(saw product in-store then purchased online elsewhere)



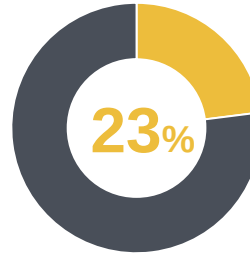
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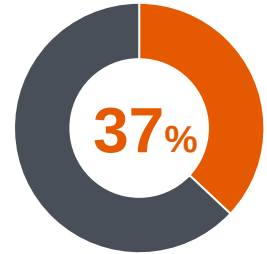
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Webrooming

(saw product on device and later went to physical store to purchase)



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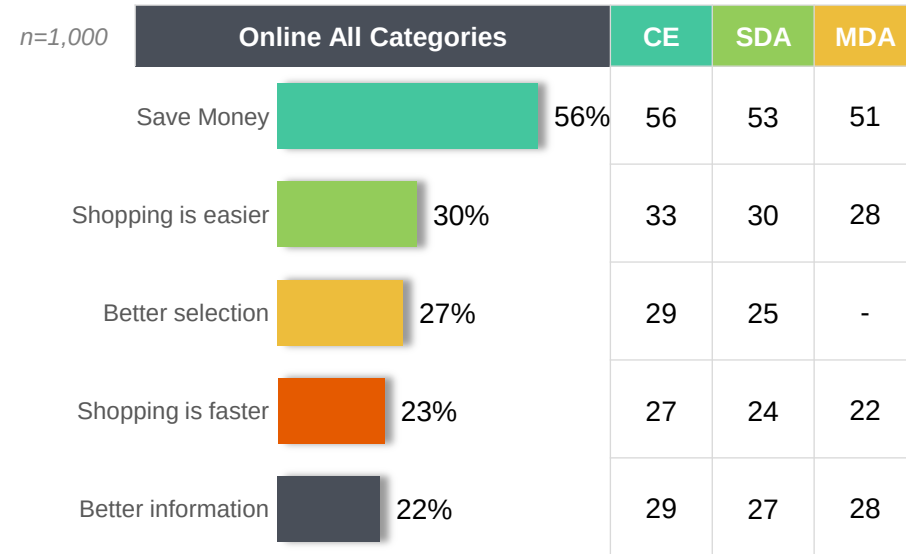
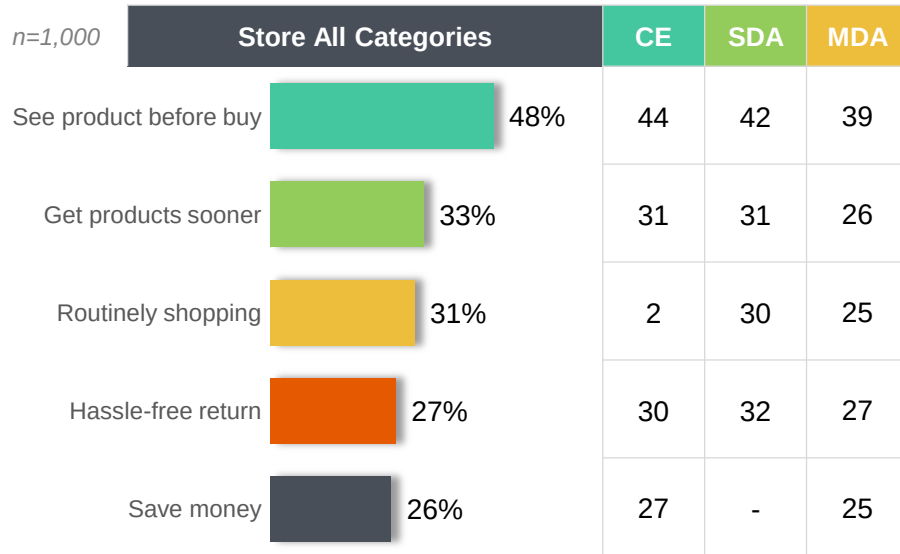
LECs also more likely to Webroom (50%) versus non LECs (34%) but gap is not as great as for showrooming.

Source: GfK FutureBuy

Q17 During any of your shopping occasions over the past 6 months, have you used your (device) for any of the following?

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Top 5 reasons for buying in physical stores versus online stores: Physical stores about tangibility; online about money, range, ease



Faster and better info online for tech categories.

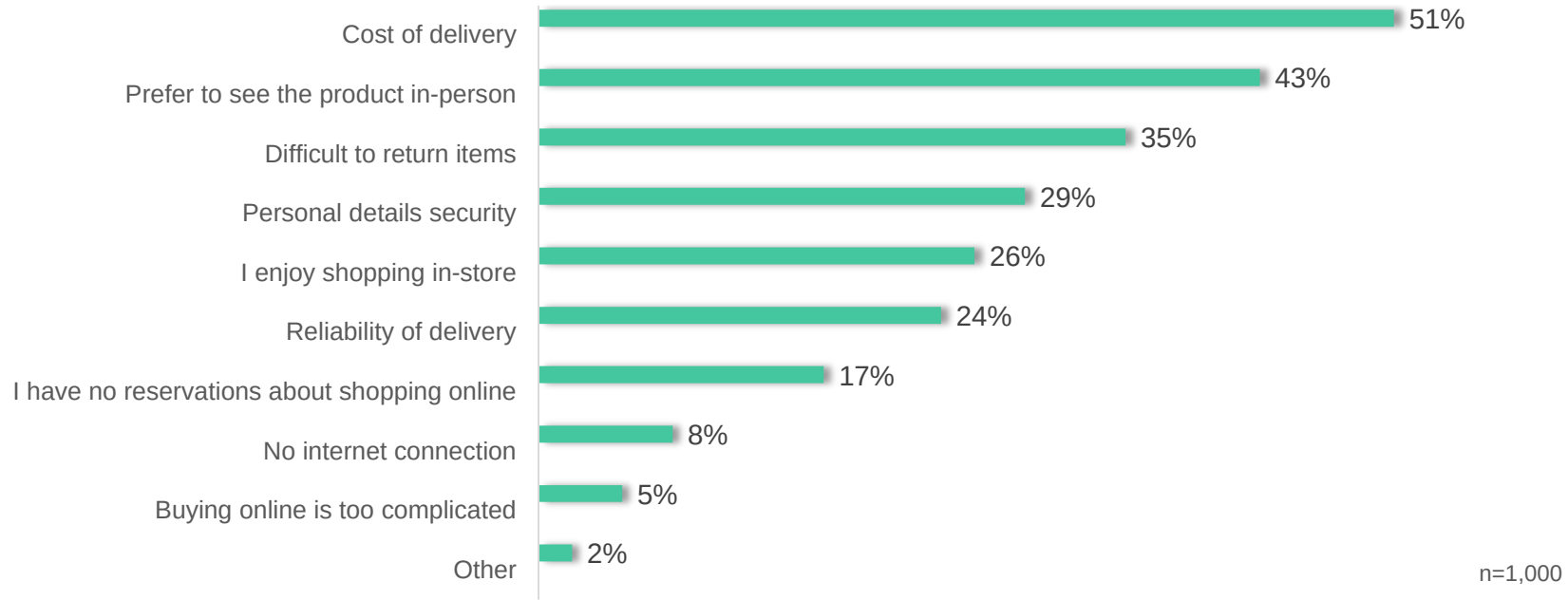
Q4. Thinking about the last time you were deciding whether to purchase something online versus in a store, and decided to purchase in a store/online, what factors were most important in driving your choice to purchase there? Source: GfK FutureBuy

Free delivery still the top reason to buy more online next year



Q19: How important would each of the following factors be in getting you to make more online purchases in the next year?

...therefore the biggest barrier to online shopping is still the cost of delivery



Q19C: Thinking about buying and paying for items online, why would you not buy online?

Key takeouts for omnichannel shopping

1

Omnichannel journeys are increasing, particularly search stages

Online is where the upfront journey stages happen, even if they still buy in a physical store

Increasing importance of SEO, 24/7 availability online, retailer and manufacturer website product descriptions and third party reviews

2

The **physical store** is not going away – it's about tangibility and experience

Make instore experiential and curated

3

Online stores are about price, range, information and convenience

Role for third party reviews and product information

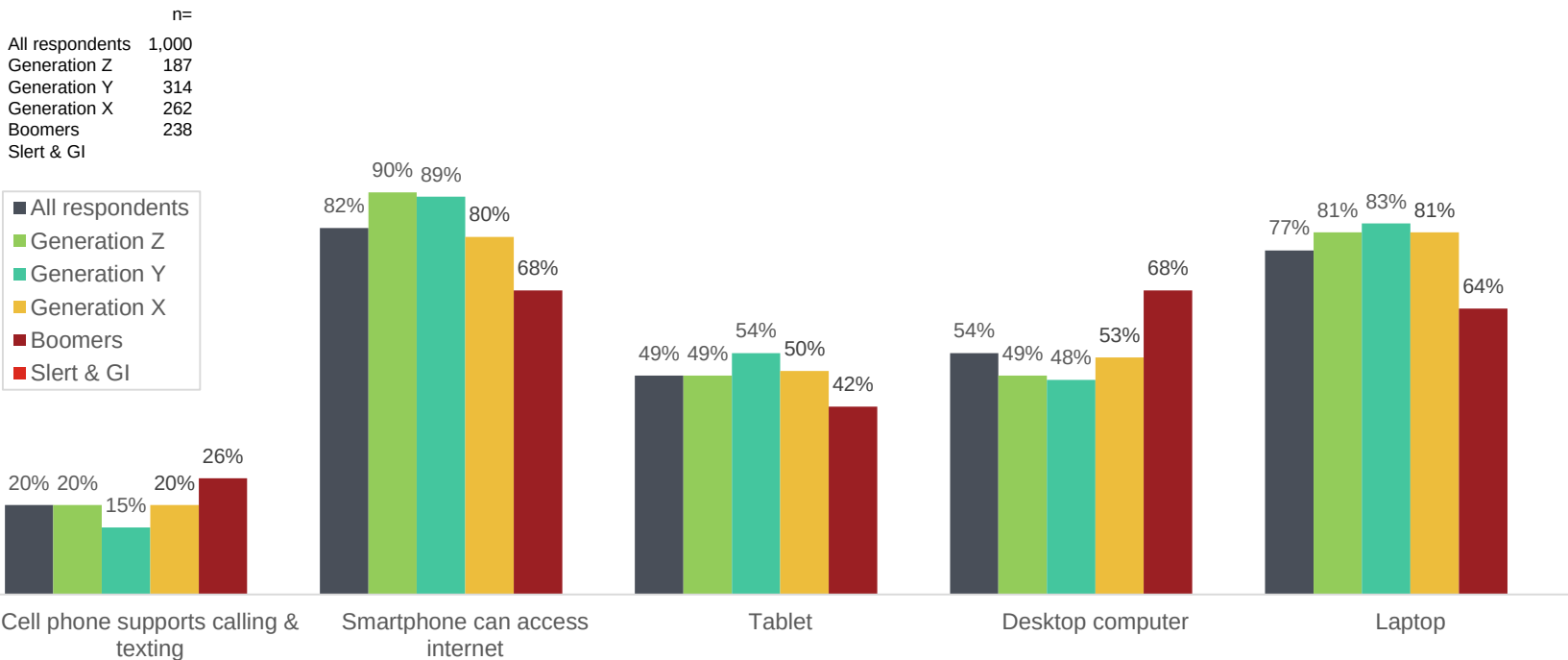
Make it one tap, 1 touch, 1 click and max 3 screens to reach – particularly for mobile



DEVICES, AND HOW THEY ARE BEING USED

Search on mobile, buy on PC

Smartphone penetration rivals that of laptop ownership incidence, and doesn't vary much among generations X, Y and Z

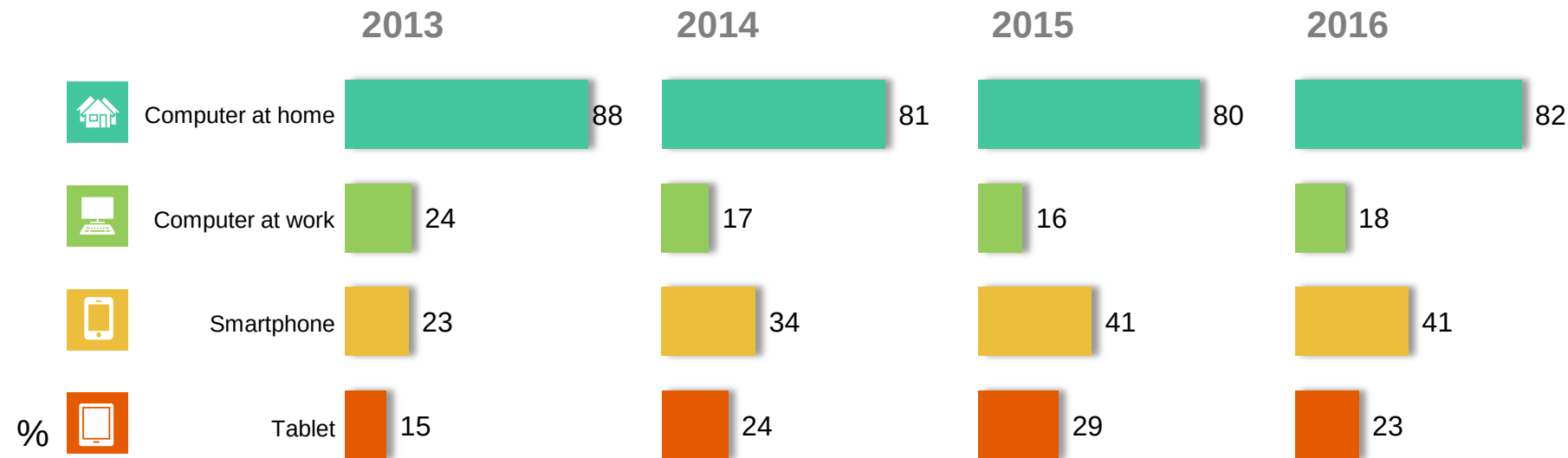


Q9: Do you personally own any of the following devices? (Select all that apply)

The continued growth of shopping via mobile devices is at the expense of PCs. Gens Y and Z higher on smartphones.



Tablets for shopping are slowing as their growth slows.

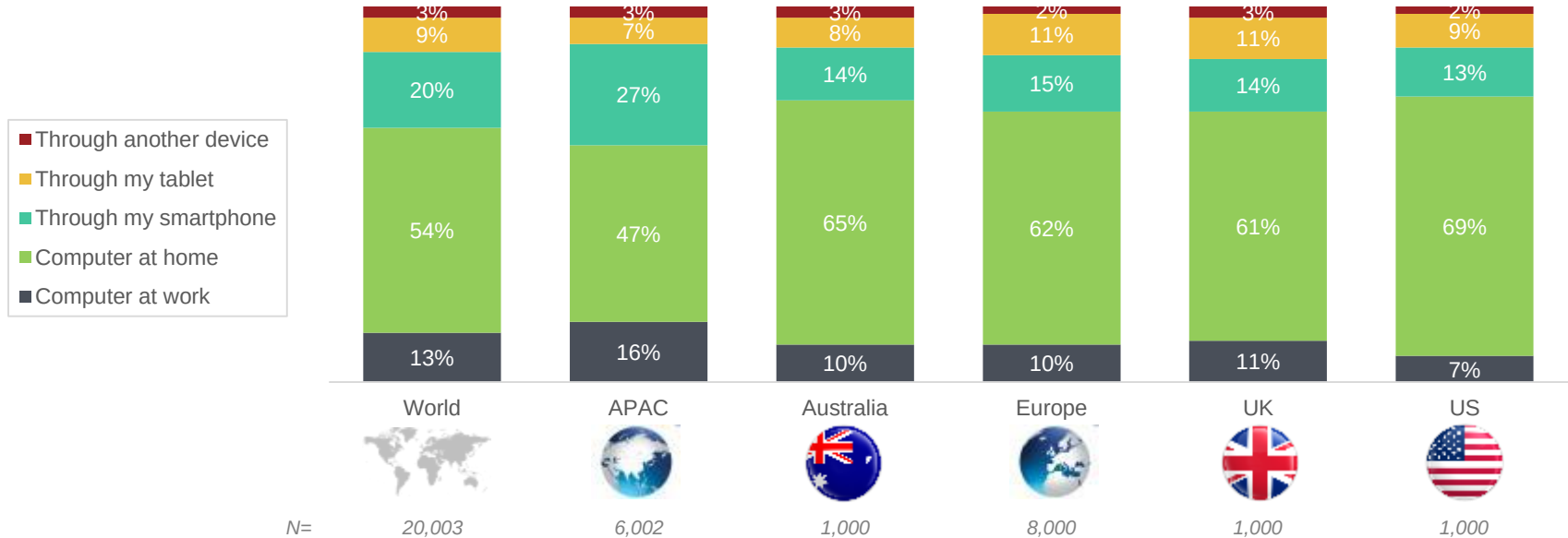


Q12 Which of the following devices have you used to help you shop for a product in the past 6 months?

Two thirds of Australians' shopping time on devices is on a computer at home, but smartphones are rising as a % of shopping time

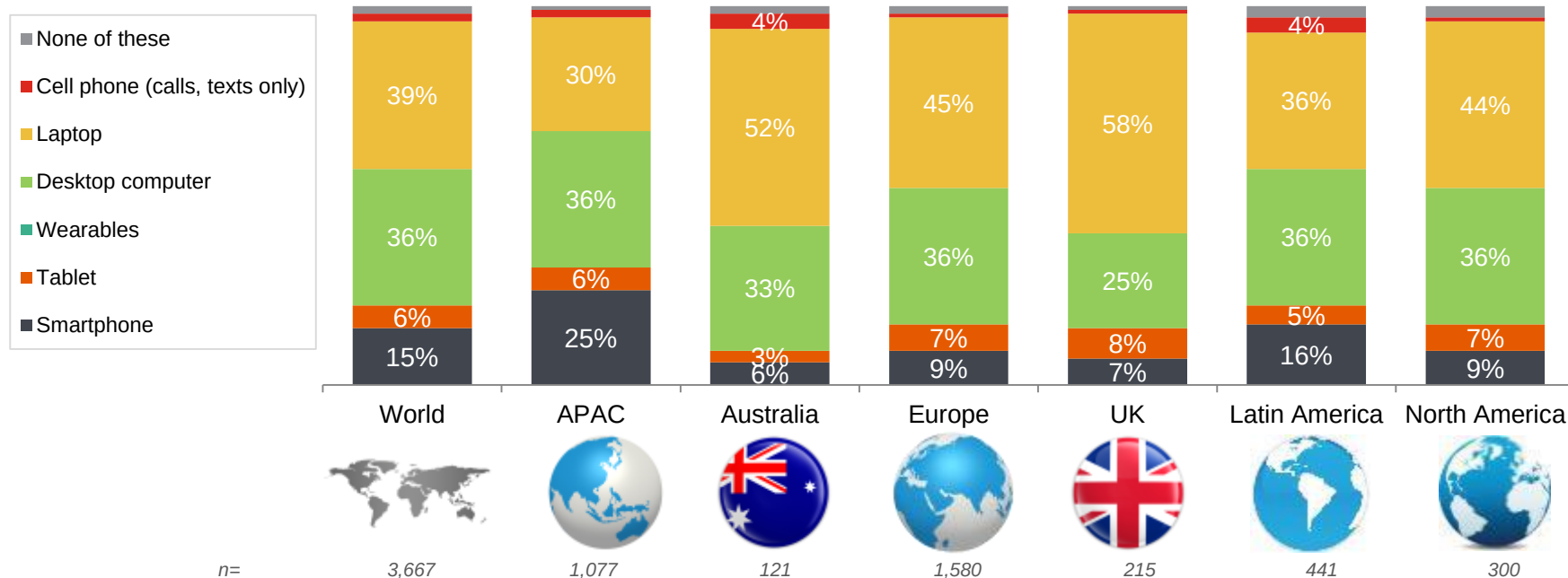


Share of total online shopping time spent on device



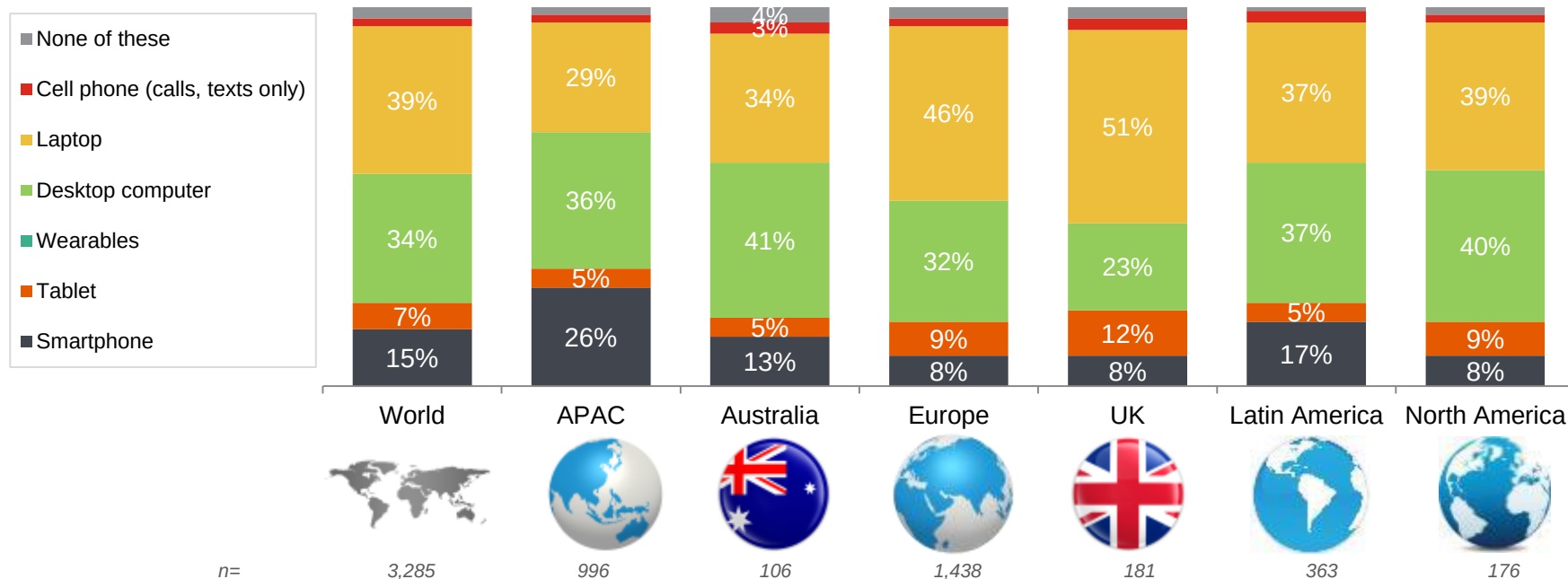
Q11: What percent of your total time spent shopping over the internet is represented by each of the following? By 'shop' we mean the process of browsing, comparison shopping, information gathering, or the actual purchase of products and services. Your responses must be sum of 100%

In consumer electronics, laptops are bigger than desktop PCs for online purchasing in western markets.
Developing markets more smartphone based.



Q2B For each of your online purchases you mentioned, which device did you use to make that purchase?

Where in SDA, interestingly in Oz desktops are still bigger for online purchases. For MDA, the global and Oz pattern is very similar to this.



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Millennials and shopping behaviour



Millennials are **1.5x more likely to use their smartphone** for shopping than other generations

And their **time spent shopping on smartphones** versus other devices is also 1.5x that of other generations

Millennials
vs. Aus
Average



My **social networks** have become as important as other information sources for me to make the best product choices



My **mobile device** is quickly becoming my most important shopping tool



I **look forward** to being able to pay for more and more transactions from my mobile device



I like it when a website **keeps track of my visits** and then recommends things to me

But what shoppers say they are doing more of is the same across the generations



And the % of 'more' behaviours is starting to plateau YOY.

	ALL		Z	Y	X	Boomer
1	Researching products on Internet	=	Finding products on Net	=	=	
2	Finding products on internet	=	Research on Net	=	=	
3	Price comparisons	=	Google search	=	=	
4	Using Internet to purchase	=	Price comparisons	=	=	
5	Google search	=	Net Purchase	=	=	

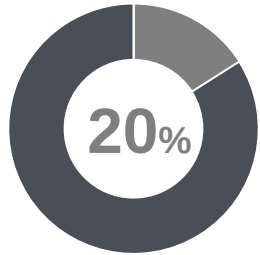
Source: GfK FutureBuy 2016

Q. Compared to a year ago, would you say that you are doing more, less or about the same of each activity as it relates to your shopping experiences in general across the many different kinds of products and services you shop for

Mobiles are used to make the purchase journey easier – to minimise ‘running around’ physical stores



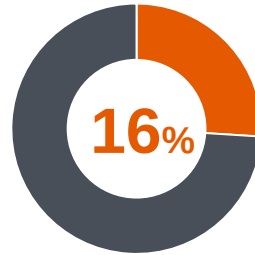
Top ways of using smartphones when shopping (all categories)



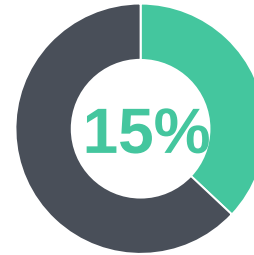
Compare prices



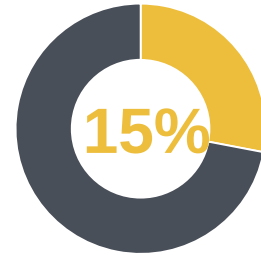
Gather information
about the product/
service



Locate a store



Check availability
in store



Check reviews of
the product/service

Tablets 22%

16%

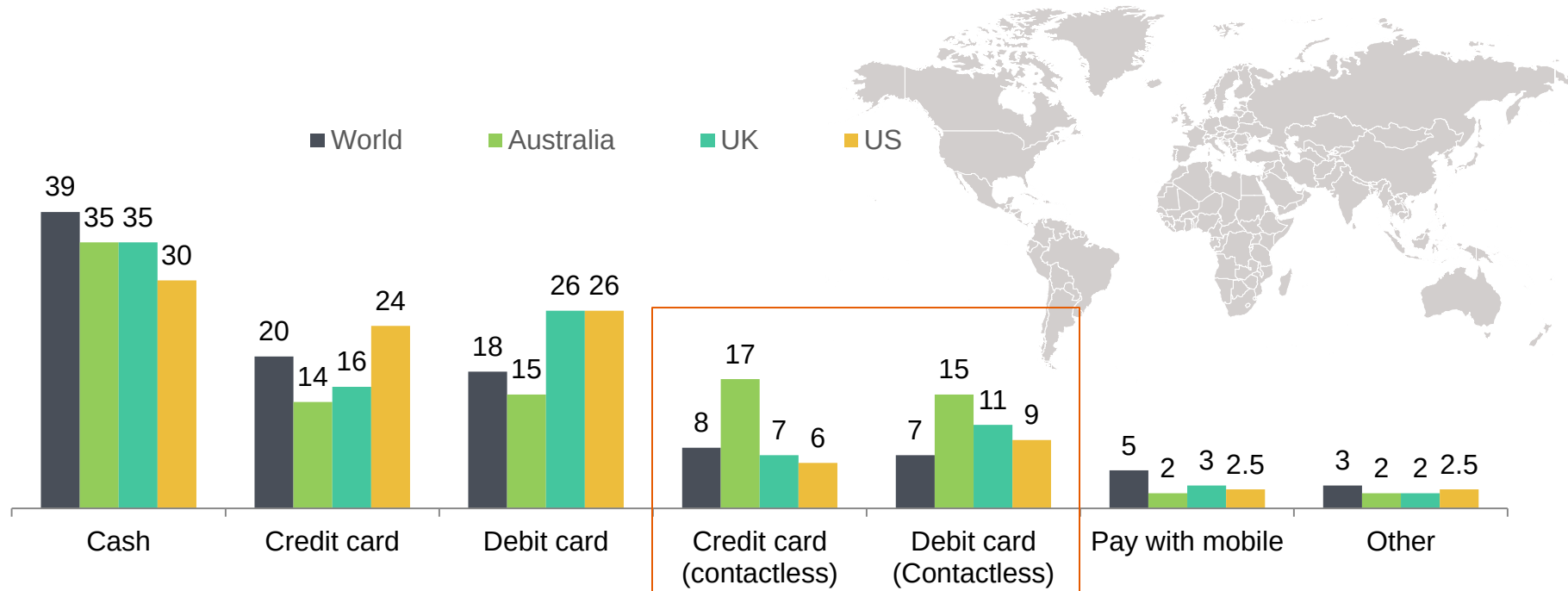
19%

17%

16%

Source: GfK FutureBuy – Q16. Let's focus on the last time you used your device to help you shop. In which of the following ways did you use your device when you were shopping

Australia's love affair with one-tap payment methods leads the world (albeit contactless credit cards, not yet mobile payment platforms): no major shift to paying with mobile device yet



Source: GfK FutureBuy

Q. Thinking about all of the products and services you buy on a regular basis, what percentage of transactions do you estimate you pay for using each method below?

Key takeouts for devices

- Use of mobile devices for shopping in Australia has doubled in the past 3 years, at the expense of laptops and desktop PCs
- The top shopping tasks on devices are functional – what, where, how much, is it available
- Australia leads the world in contactless credit card payments

THIS MEANS YOU NEED TO:

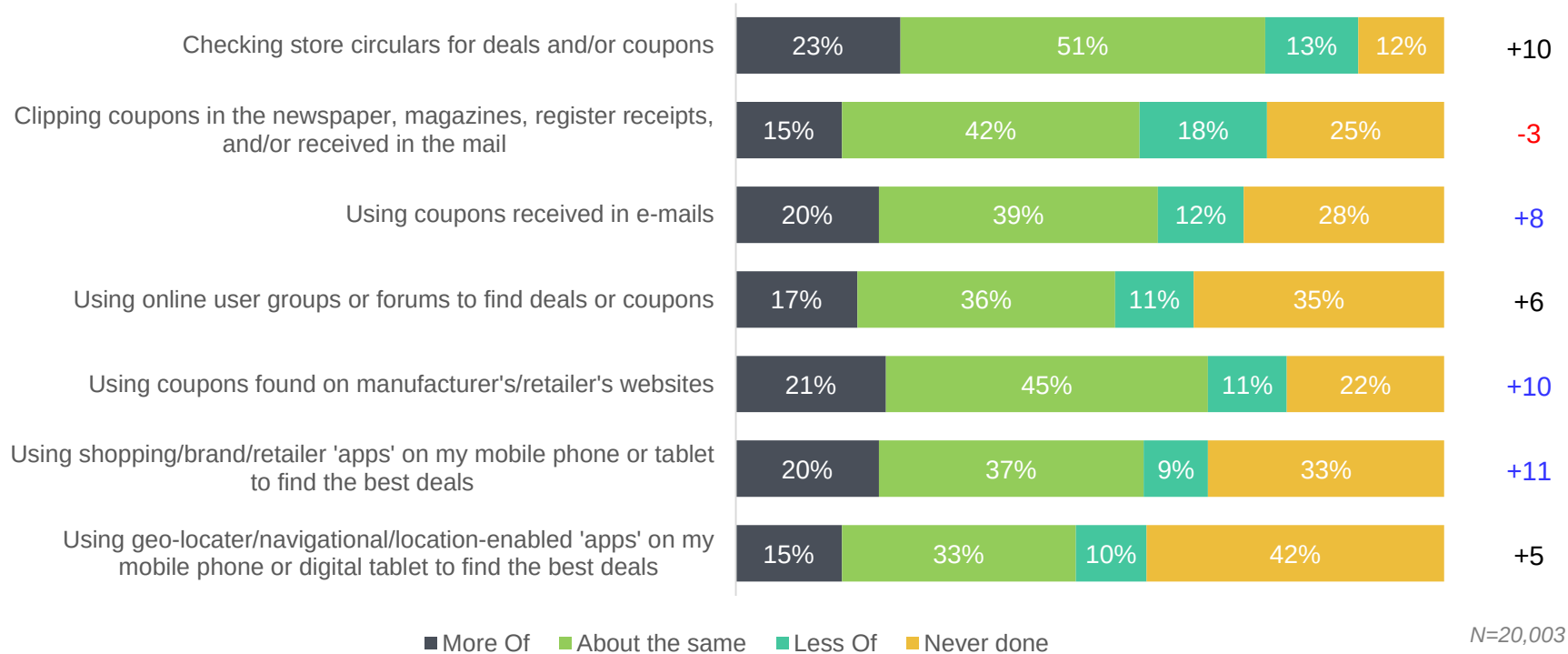
- Ensure your mobile optimisation includes the most-performed searches and tasks – and include payments
- Collapse stages of the purchase journey and reduce customers' need to 'run around' by optimising mobile search



TOUCHPOINTS

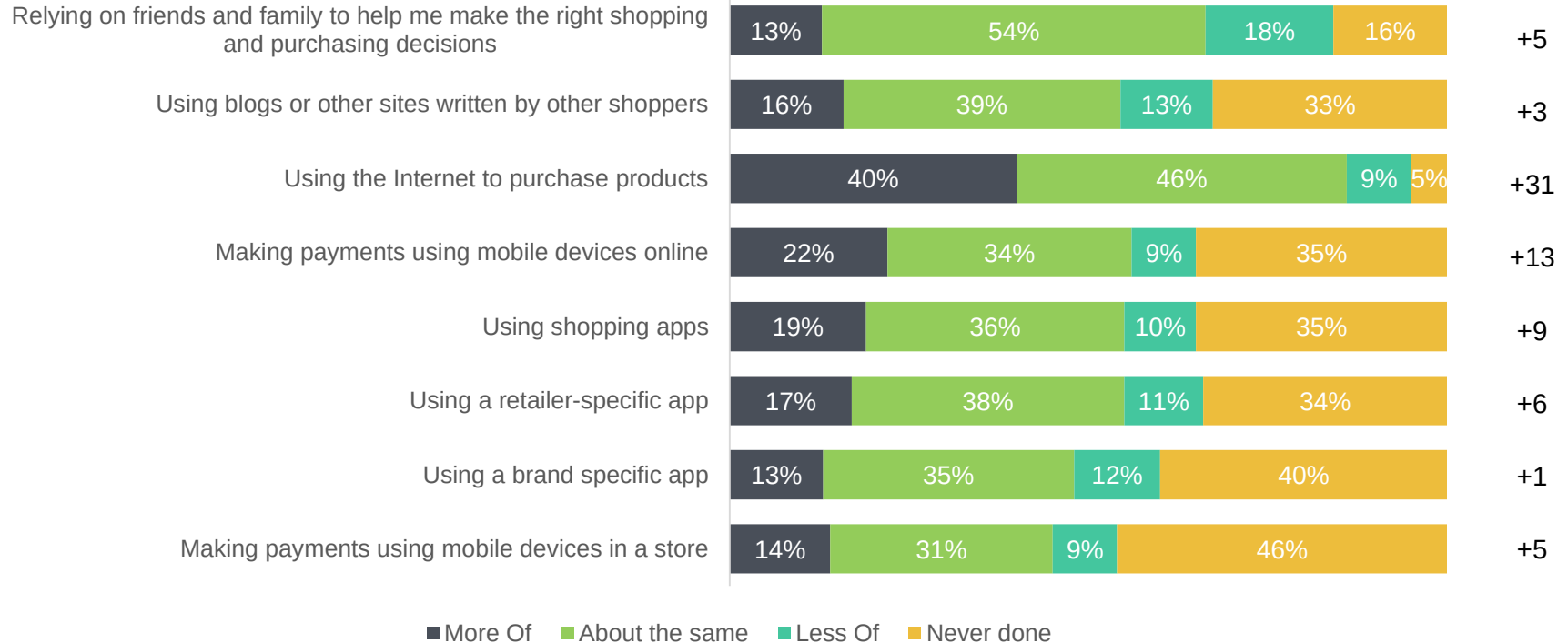
We're all influencers and deal-seekers now

Globally, deal seeking behaviours are increasing overall, and shifting from paper based (coupons) to electronic



Q7. Compared to a year ago, would you say that you are doing more, less or about the same of each activity as it relates to your shopping experiences in general?

Usage of shopping apps and online purchase is increasing rapidly



Q7. Compared to a year ago, would you say that you are doing more, less or about the same of each activity as it relates to your shopping experiences in general?

In Australia, shoppers are doing and using more of Google, coupons, and various deal-seeking tools. Degree of planning has been increasing



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Role of touchpoints in decision making: 3rd party opinions in some categories stronger than traditional media and equal to instore



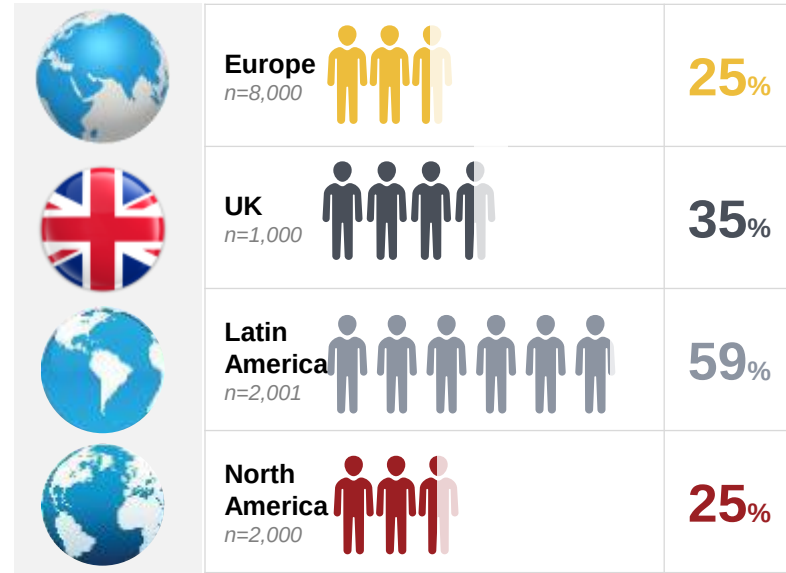
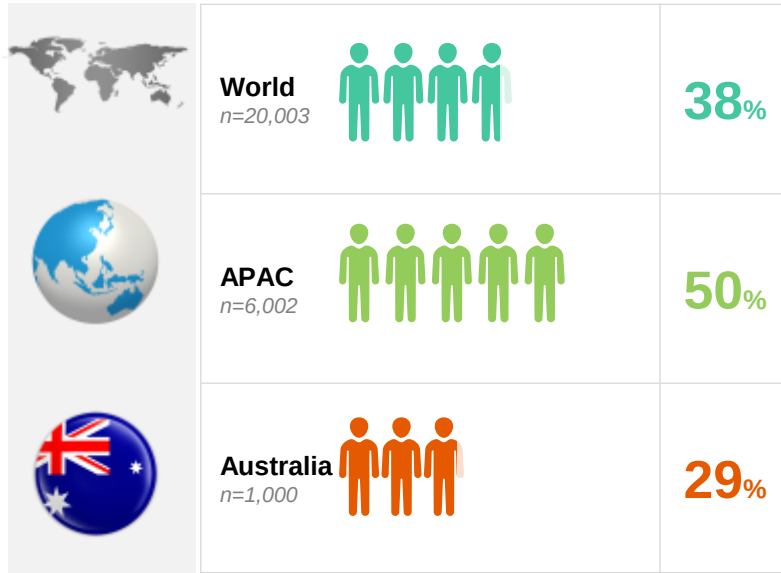
Consumer electronics



Reliance on social networks to inform shopping decisions highest in APAC and LATAM

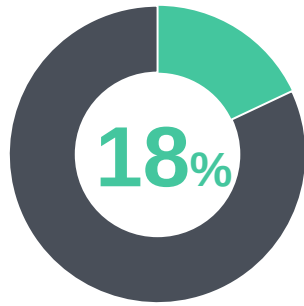


% agreeing - my social networks have become as important as other information sources for me to make best product choices - (top 2 box)



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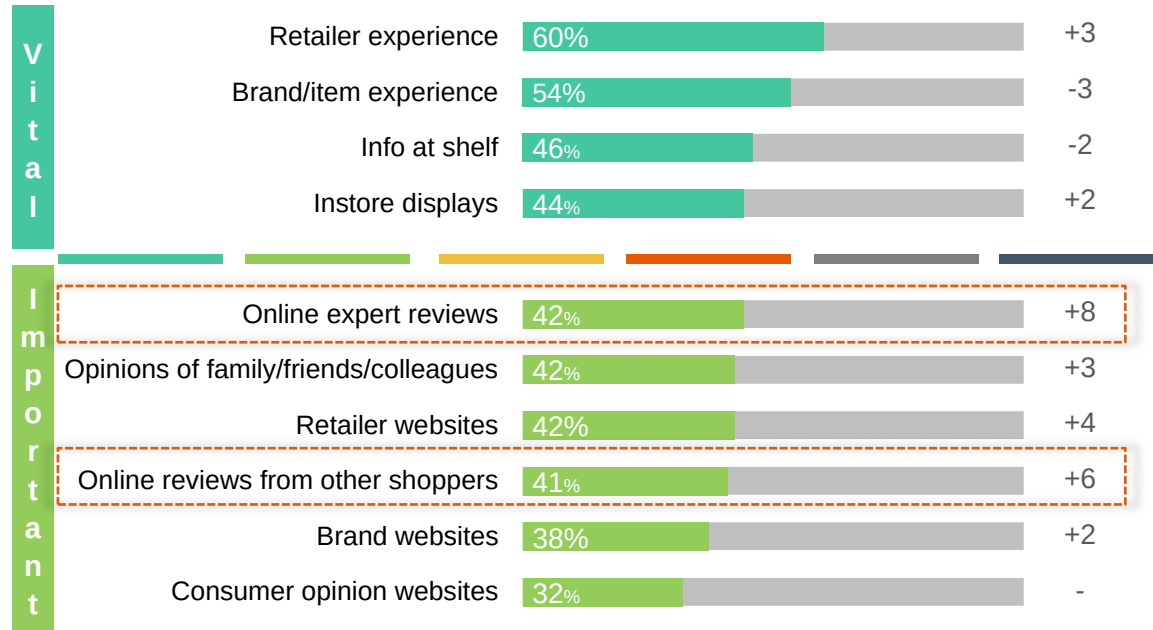
Reviews for everyone: The increasing importance of reviews and ratings!



18% say they **go out of their way to tell other people about products and services they really like**. This increases to nearly 1 in 4 amongst Millennials.

Source: GfK ConsumerLife

GfK FutureBuy: Important shopping touch points (all categories)

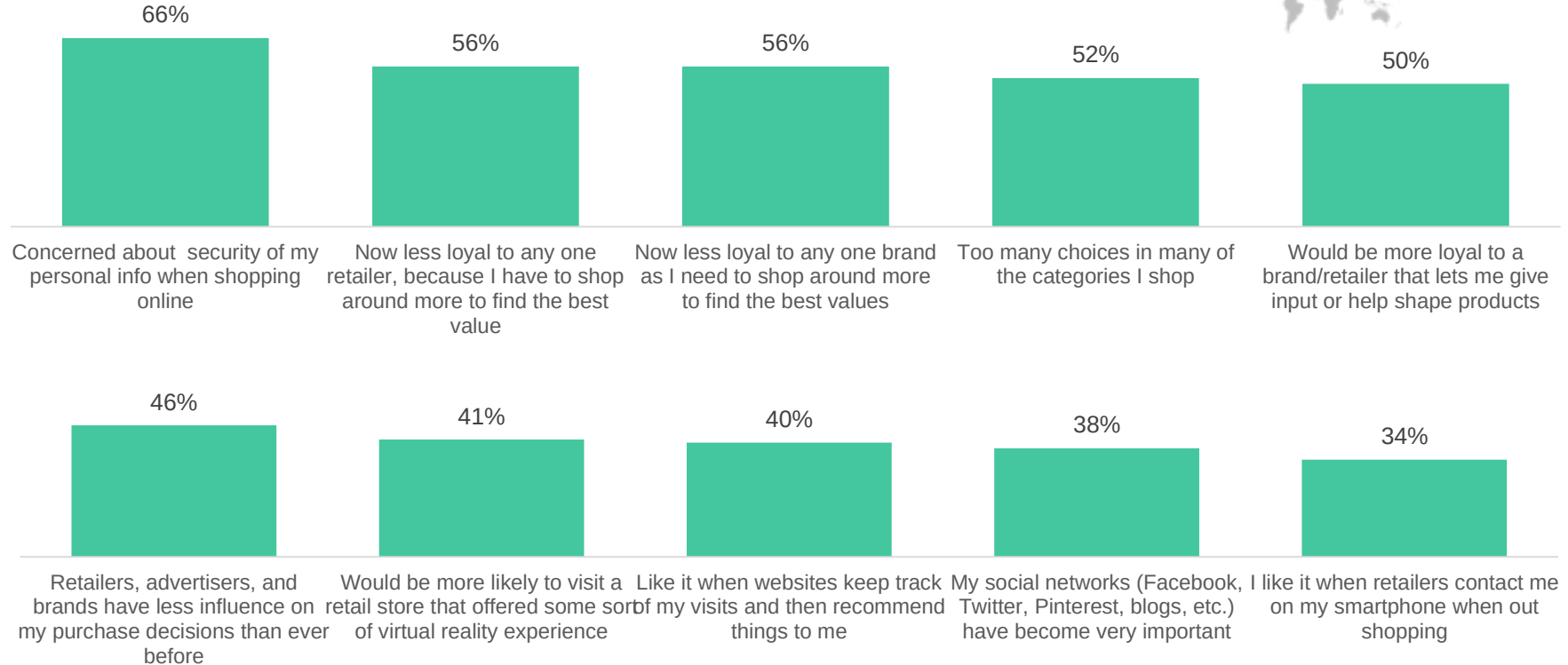


Source: GfK FutureBuy 2016

Q. When shopping for [category] how important was each of the following factors in your shopping decisions? Top 2 Box, average across categories

Loyalty comes from experiences and input into products and services.

Deal seeking behaviour is decreasing loyalty to brands and retailers



Q16. Let's focus on the last time you used your device to help you shop. In which of the following ways did you use your device when you were shopping

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Key Takeouts - Touchpoints

Deal seeking behaviours are increasing

However, deal seeking is decreasing loyalty to retailers and brands. Loyalty comes from co-creation

Third Party reviews and opinions are increasingly influential

THIS MEANS YOU NEED TO:

- Be continuously available 24/7 online from moment of trigger, at all stages of the journey
- Social listening is a must
- Harness positive word of mouth – create offers around customer advocacy programs, publish and leverage reviews
- Encourage sharing
- Be where the deal-seeking is



ABOUT GfK FUTUREBUY

GfK FutureBuy®: A window on tomorrow's shoppers – How they buy today and what they expect of retail tomorrow



Running since 2009 ... in Australia since 2013

20+ Countries...

- **Australia**
- Belgium
- Brazil
- Canada
- **China**
- France
- Germany

- **Indonesia**
- **India**
- Italy
- **Japan**
- Mexico
- Netherlands
- Poland

- Russia
- South Africa
- **South Korea**
- Turkey
- UK
- US

16 Categories...



FMCG

Beauty and Personal Care
Packaged Food/Bev
Household Washing & Cleaning
OTC Healthcare
Baby Care*
Shaving*

Services

Financial Services
Food & Beverage
Out-of-Home



Consumer Durables

Consumer Electronics
Mobile Phones
Small Home Appliances
Major Home Appliances

Other

Toys
Apparel
Car and Truck Tires*
Furniture & Furnishings



20 min Online Survey
N=1,000 per country (18+)
20,000 shoppers!

Benefits of GfK FutureBuy® insights

More Bang for Buck



Help to focus resources against the shopper touchpoints that are most important in shoppers' decision processes

Know Before You Go



Provide immediate shopper landscape perspective in new geographies or new product spaces your business is considering expanding into

Turbo-Charge Your Shopper Marketing



Profiles the preferred shopping modalities of your target to ensure your shopper marketing programs "connect" and "convince"

A Look Over Horizon



Early visibility to the emerging trends that are reshaping shopping
Leading edge consumers and early adopting geographies can preview what's coming

A Smart Starting Point



Enables you to develop informed hypotheses to pipe into other custom studies you run
Ensures you are asking all the right questions and makes all your other studies more impactful

GfK FutureBuy® 2016 offerings and pricing (ex GST)



Data Portal Access

- Live interface access to all FutureBuy® survey data spanning 20 countries and 16 categories
- Includes 2016 and 2015 data



Custom Presentations



Global Access		
1 year portal access to all countries/categories for 2016 and 2015, includes: ▪ Webinar training session on portal navigation ▪ Activation of up to 5 users at single site		\$30,000
Regional Access		
▪ Asia Pacific (\$18,000) ▪ North American (\$11,000)	▪ Latin America (\$11,000) ▪ Europe (\$20,000)	Varies by region
Individual Market Access		
▪ Varies by market		\$6,000
All Access Packages Include:		
▪ Webinar training session on portal navigation ▪ Up to 5 users at single client site		

Fully prepared, custom category and/or market-specific insights presentations

Customized findings report (30-35 page report)	\$4,500+
Pre-pared category specific or country specific report	\$3,500
Half day client workshop of findings	\$3,750

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Thank you!

Questions?