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Selling Solutions: A Marketer's Guide to Driving Seafood Sales

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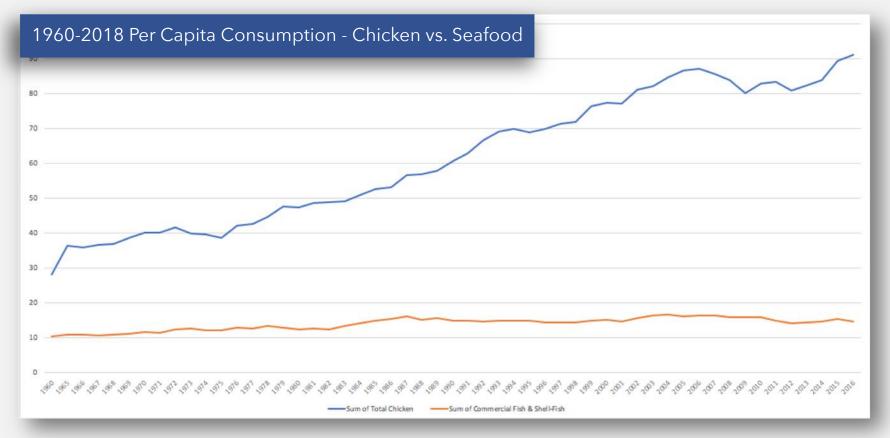
Selling Starts With the Consumer



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*USDA Consumption Data



Building a Consumer Relationship

- Ask the right questions
- Open line of communication
- Facilitate continued dialogue







Asking the Right Questions

Create consumer research that is:

Actionable
Scalable
Continuous





Find Ways to Use the Data



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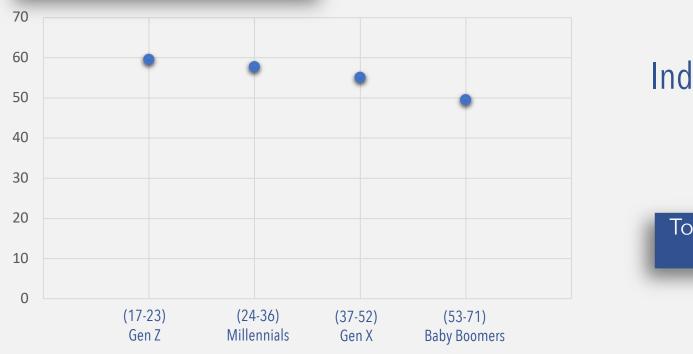
How do we put the data to work?

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Intent to Purchase: All Seafood



Index Across all Species

Total Respondents 2,201

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Chart represents respondents who selected: "Very Likely", "Likely", "Neither Likely or Unlikely"



Intent to Purchase: Raw Shrimp



How likely are you to purchase Raw Shrimp?

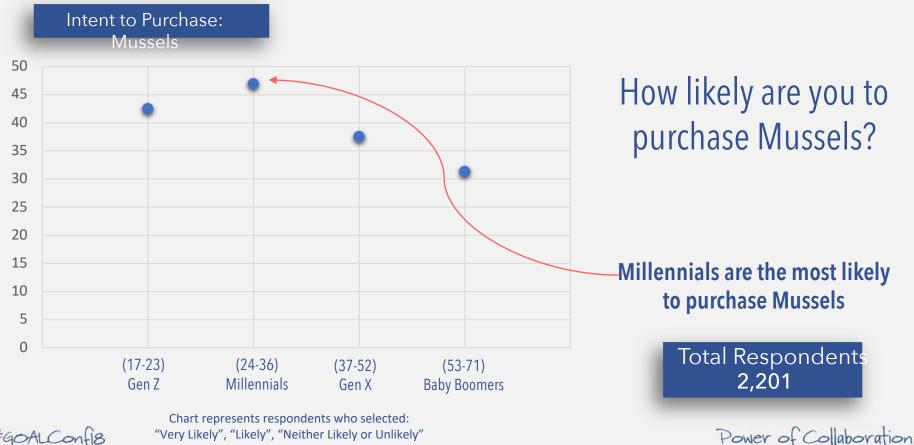
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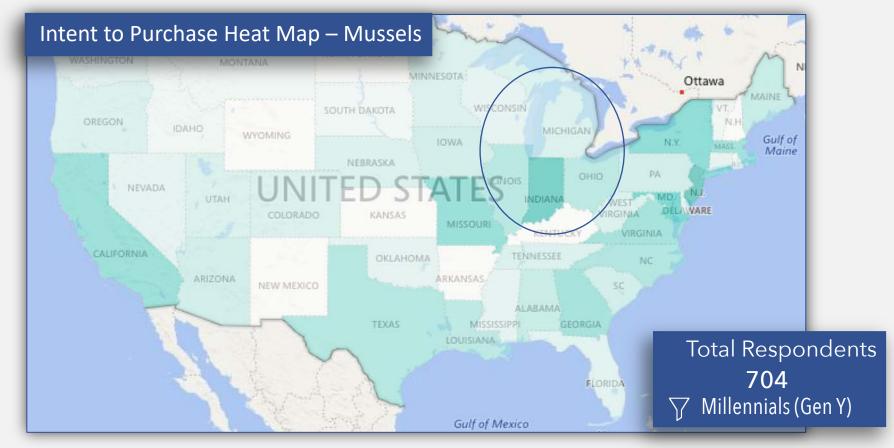
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Species: *Mussels*

Target Market: *Millennials*

Geographic Region: *Indiana, Ohio, Michigan & Illinois*

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Millennial Purchasing Priorities in Target Region

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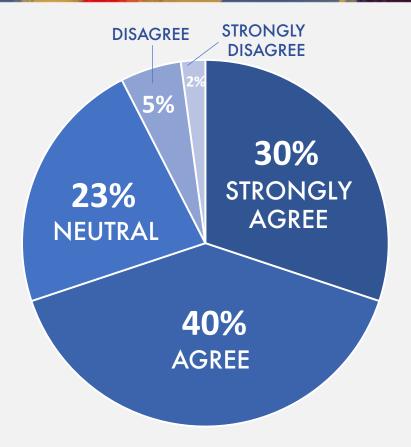


Key Decision Factor #1 All Natural

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When I purchase seafood, it is important to me that the product is All Natural.

Millennials (Gen Y)Indiana, Ohio, Michigan & Illinois





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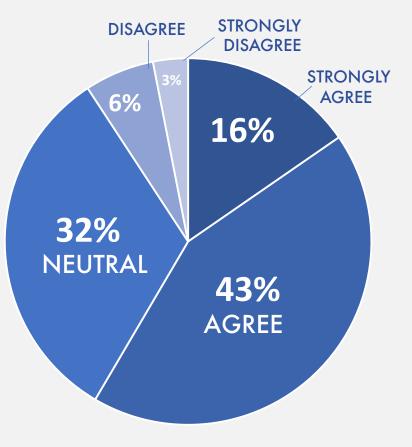
Key Decision Factor #2 Visually Appealing

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When I purchase seafood, it is important to me that the product is visually appealing.

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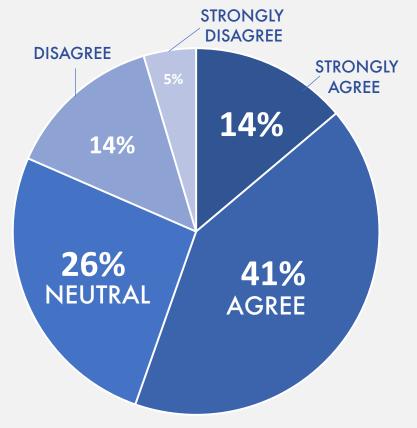
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I've already decided before going to the grocery store what kind of seafood I will purchase.

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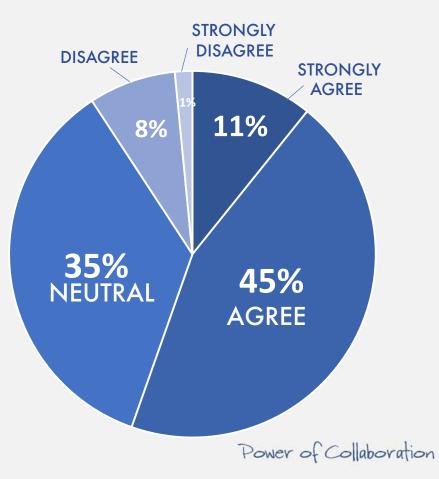
Key Decision Factor #4 Recipe

The seafood I am purchasing is for a specific recipe.

√ Millennials (Gen Y)

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√ Indiana, Ohio, Michigan & Illinois



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Important Messaging: All Natural, Visual Appeal, Need Specific Recipe

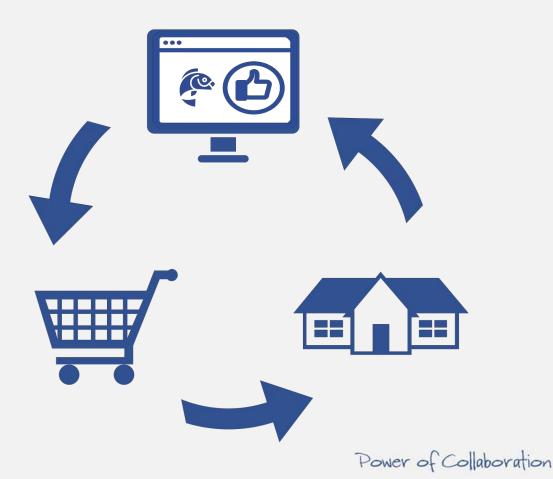


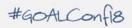
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Ways to Engage

✓ Online✓ At the store✓ At Home







Mussels are one of the most popular shellfish on the market! They are **all natural**, tasty, and easy to prepare at home! Give our Tipsy Mussels recipe a try for your next seafood meal!



Facebook

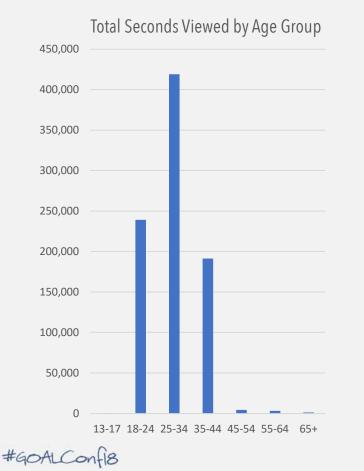


- Video was targeted to millennials living in Indiana, Ohio, Michigan & Illinois
- In 2 weeks it has reached **100K** + Facebook users

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Facebook Analytics

Post was targeted specifically to the market that we determined in our consumer research



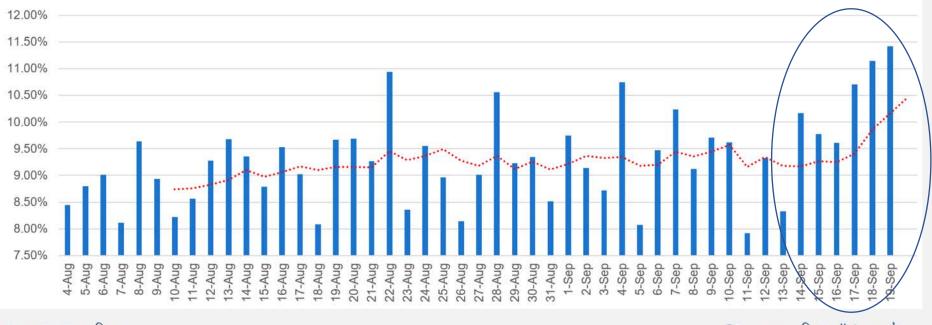
Two Weeks of Results

- 857,000 seconds of the video was watched
- Post reached 104k+ Facebook users

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Retail Results



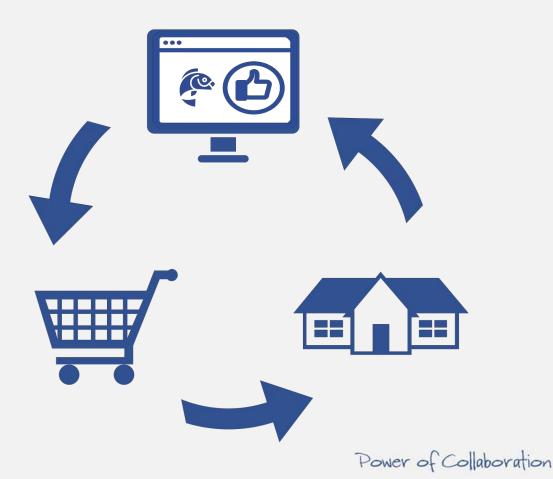
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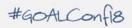
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Engagement at Home



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Underutilized Space

Engaged Customer



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Reaching Consumers at Home



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Potential Reach is <u>Huge</u>

For Tilapia, top 5 importers import about 130M LBS per Year

• Average around 4 fillets per LB

• Even 50% of this volume being IVP would mean a potential 260M for impressions



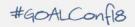
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Summary

A consumer / industry relationship takes **hard work**

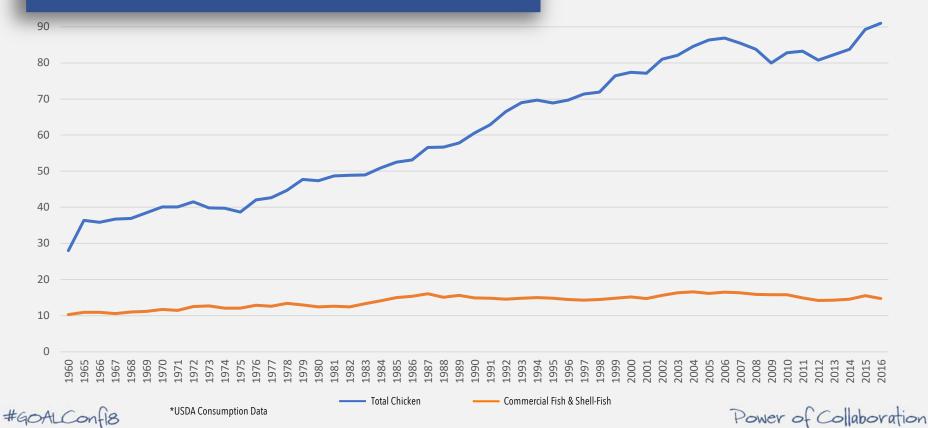
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- Create open lines of communication
- Messaging that truly matters to the consumer
- Consistency



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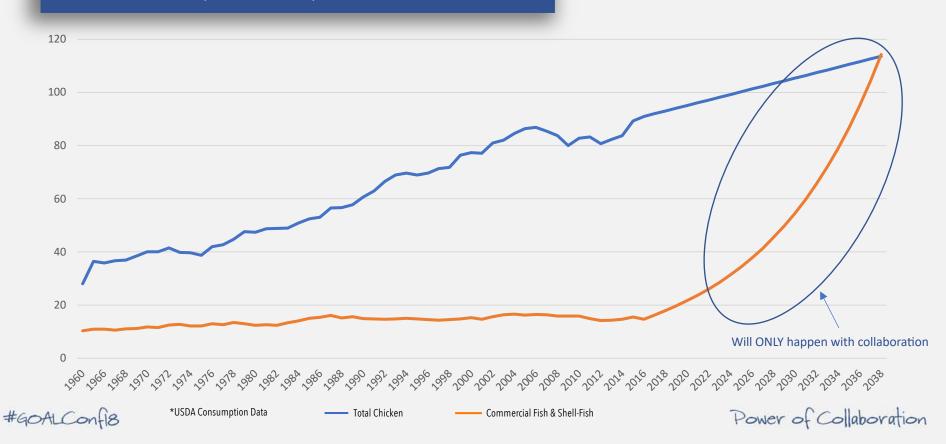


1960-2018 Per Capita Consumption - Chicken vs. Seafood





1960-2038 Per Capita Consumption - Chicken vs. Seafood





Thank You

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