

## eComm Strategy Workshop

November 9, 2017



#### **AGENDA**

- 1 Introductions + Level Set
- 2 Review eComm Themes + Brainstorm Solutions
- 3 Define Concepts
- 4 Develop Concepts
- (5) Conclusion

## Introductions + Level Set

**REVIEW eCOMM THEMES** 

# Personalized, Customized Shopping Experience

### Use favorites and browsing data to show recommended products

Drive purchases through recommended products, frequently bought together, and recently viewed items

#### Frequently bought together





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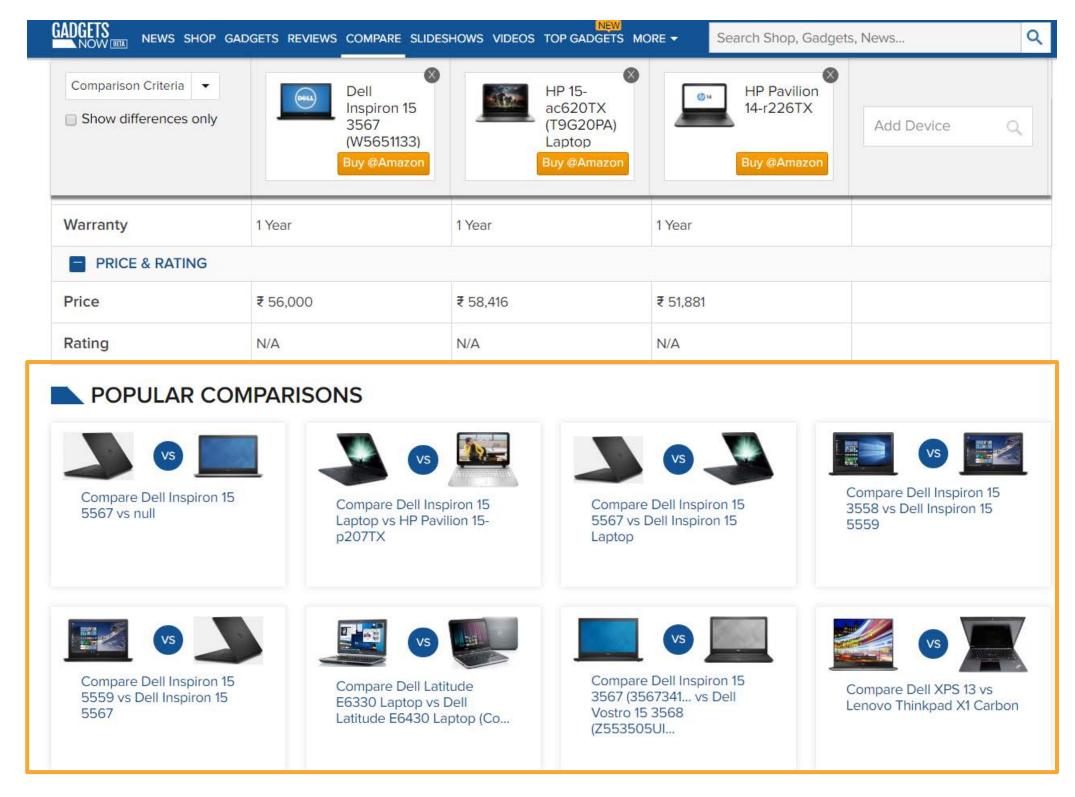
See personalized recommendations Sign in New customer? Start here.

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# Use favorites and browsing data to show recommended products

Show consumers what other people typically compare to help them find similar products

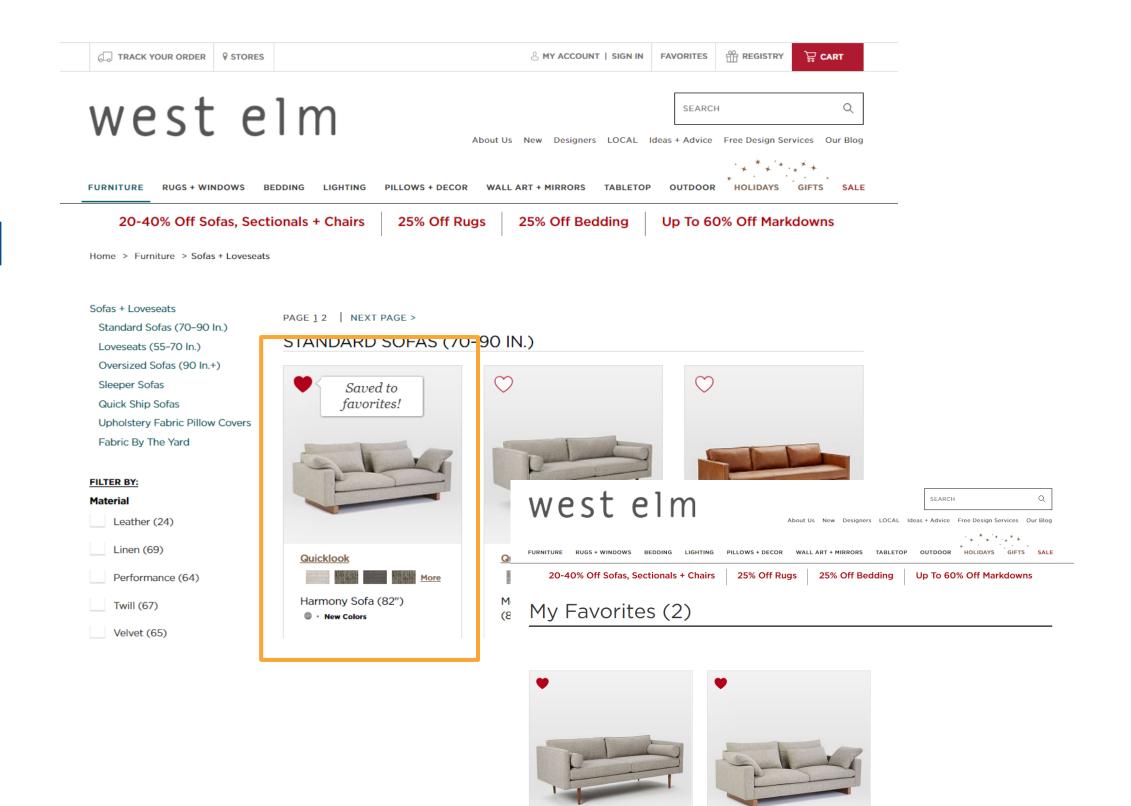


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# Use favorites and browsing data to show recommended products

Help consumers keep track of wishlist items and shopping lists through favorites



Monroe Mid-Century Sofa (80")

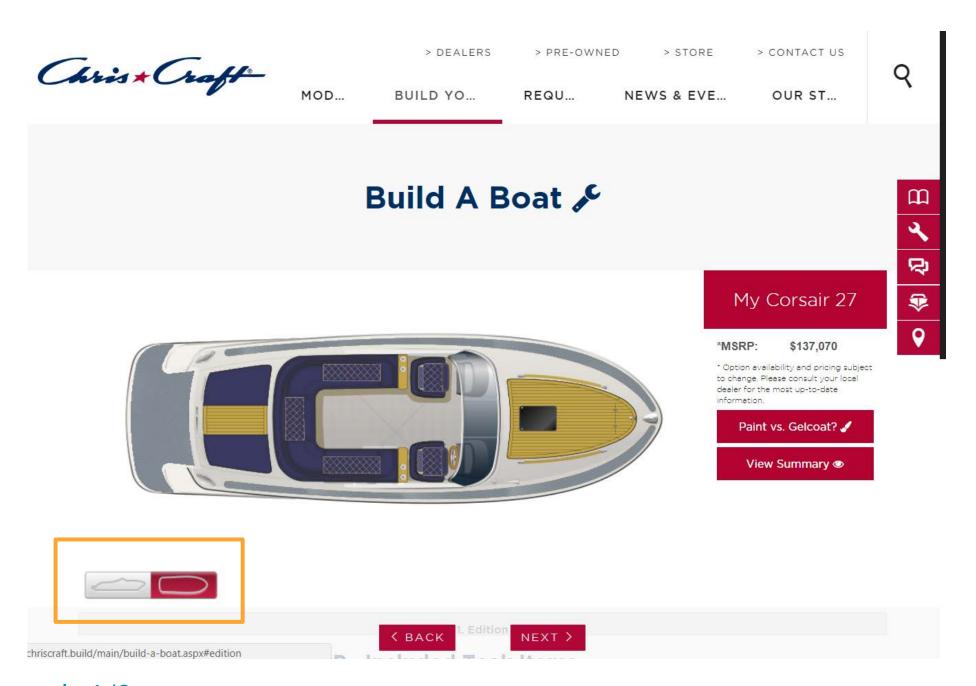
Harmony Sofa (82")

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### Provide consumers a way to define what they want through robust configuration tools

Show consumers how their selections look on the product from every angle



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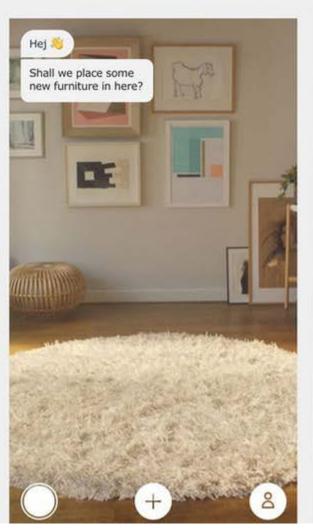


### Provide consumers a way to define what they want through robust configuration tools

AR technology helps consumers figure out how a product will fit in their homes and lives









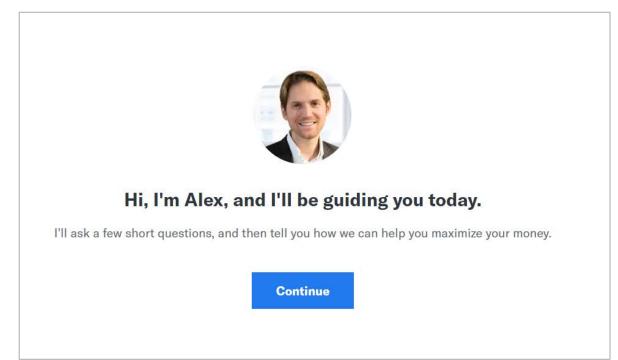
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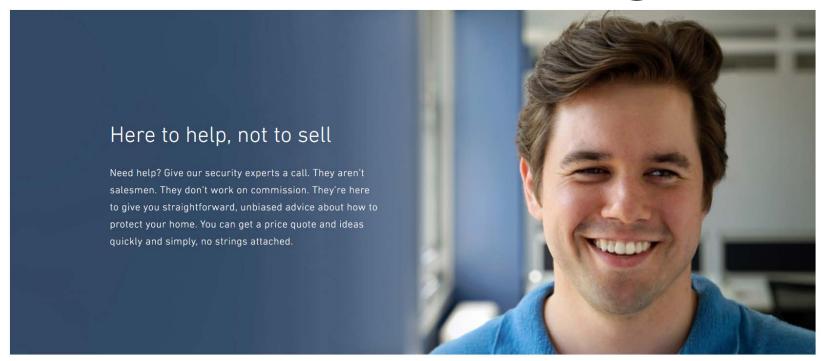
Staff experts and specialists, not salespeople, to guide users to the right option

Use real photos and locations with chat avatars to demonstrate that these are real people with expert, relevant information on the product and inventory nearby

#### **Betterment**



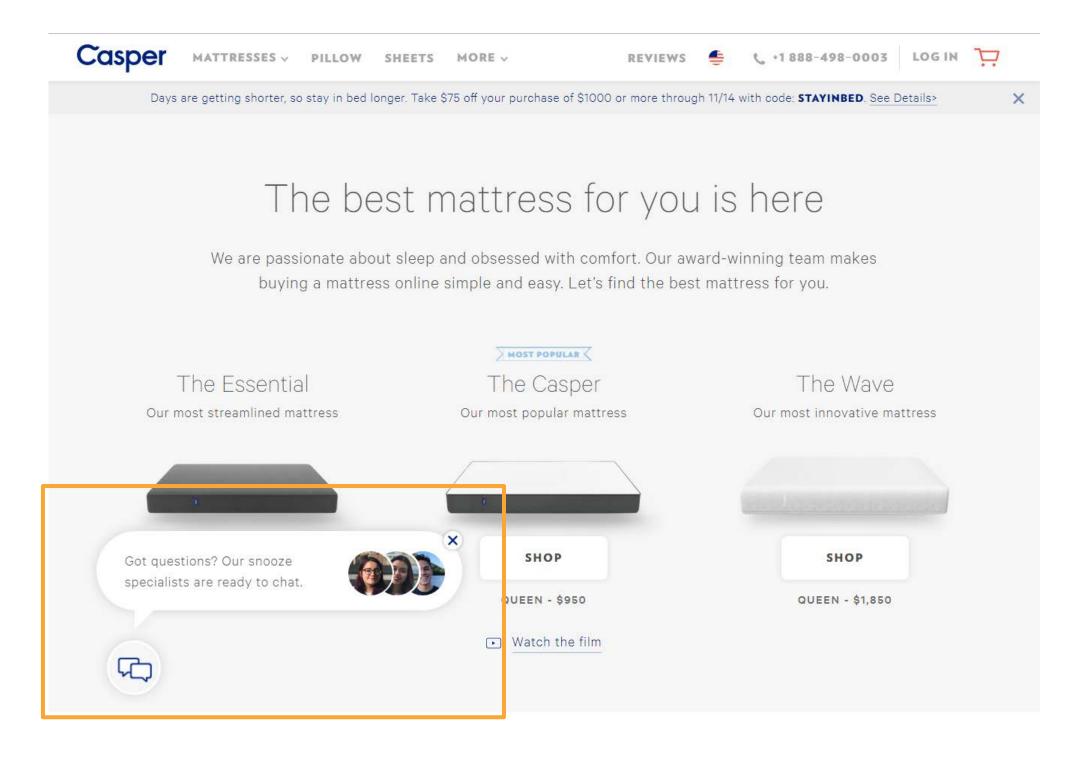
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Use chat prompts where consumers are likely to have questions, such as product comparison pages



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Staff experts and specialists, not salespeople, to guide users to the right option

Extend "experts not salespeople" to the in-person experience



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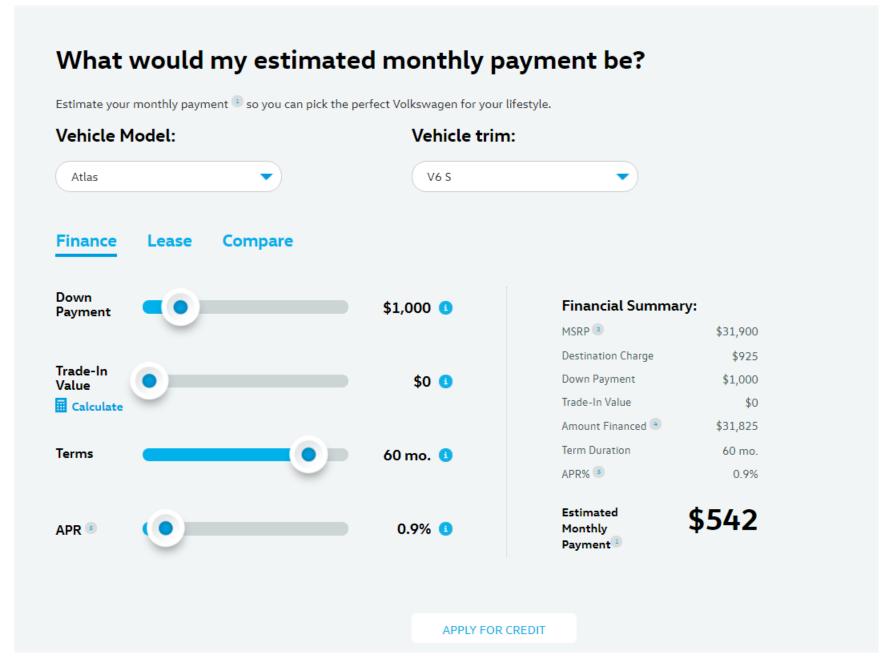
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# Clear steps through the entire shopping funnel

### Help consumers plan for purchase with finance tools and simple, honest pricing language

Consumers want access to pricing without having to provide information





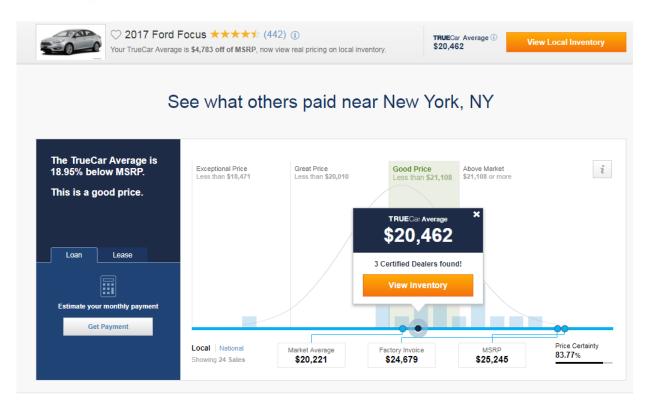
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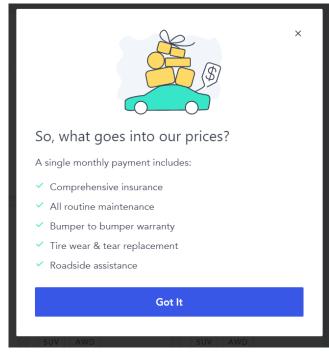
### Help consumers plan for purchase with finance tools and simple, honest pricing language

- Consumers want the best price and are afraid of being taken advantage of at a dealership
- Use pricing, incentives and comparison tools to point consumers to the best price
- Highlight special discounts and included benefits in pricing

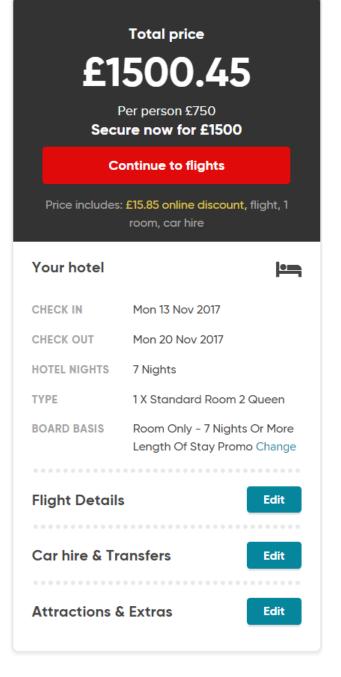




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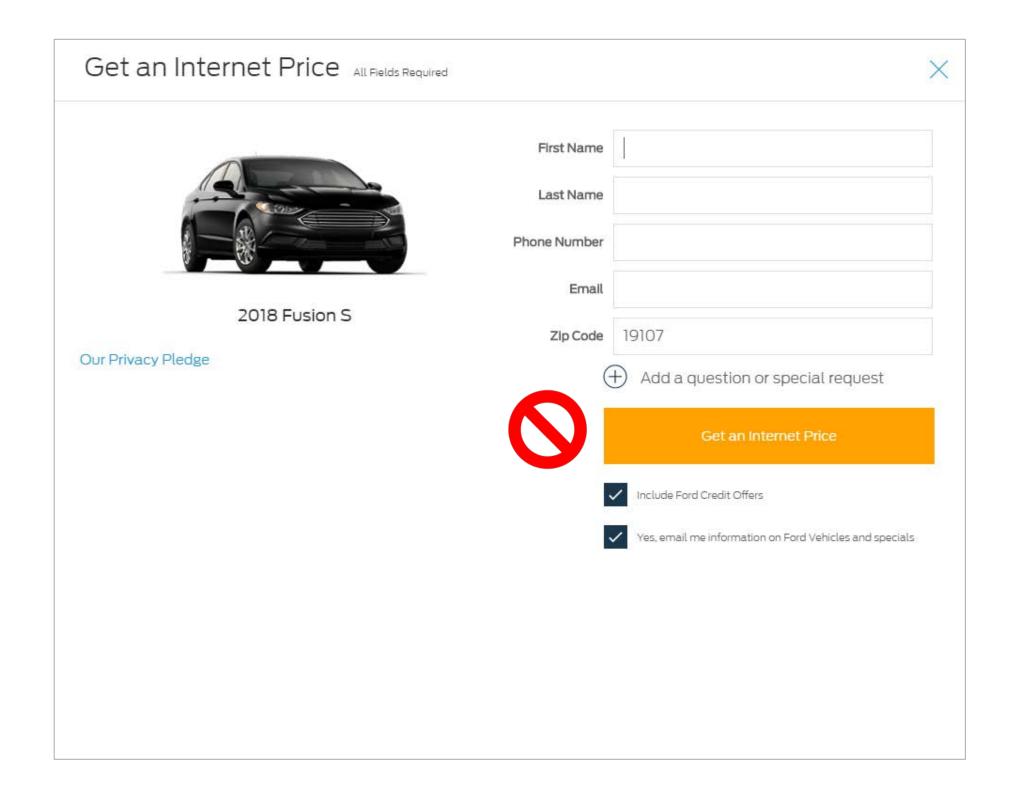


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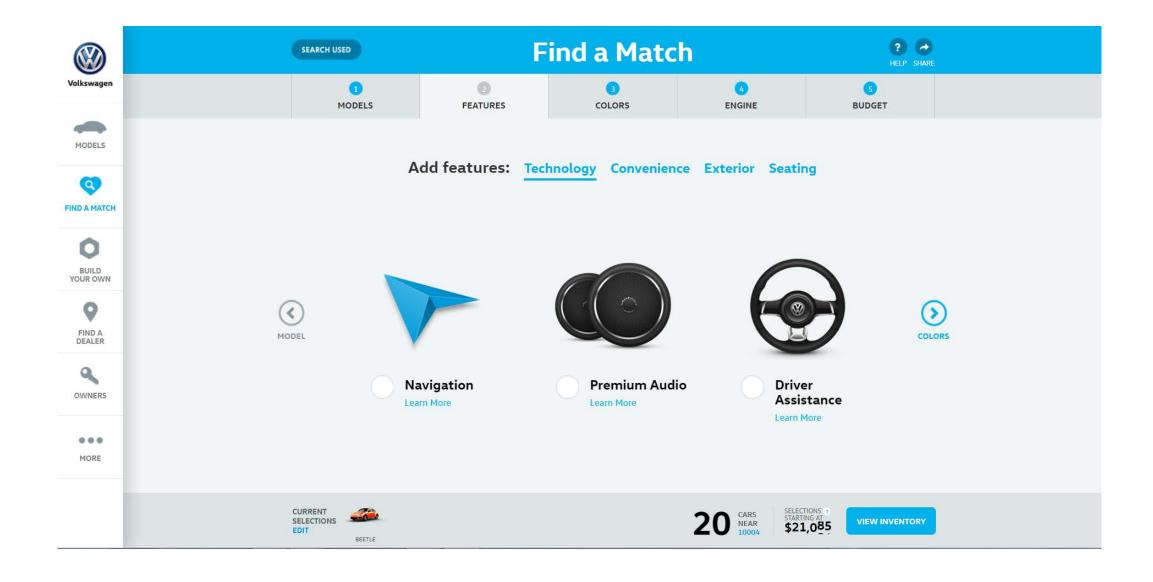
- Withholding information is a turn off (e.g., "Get an Internet Price")
- Consumers do not want to have to come into the dealership to find out pricing



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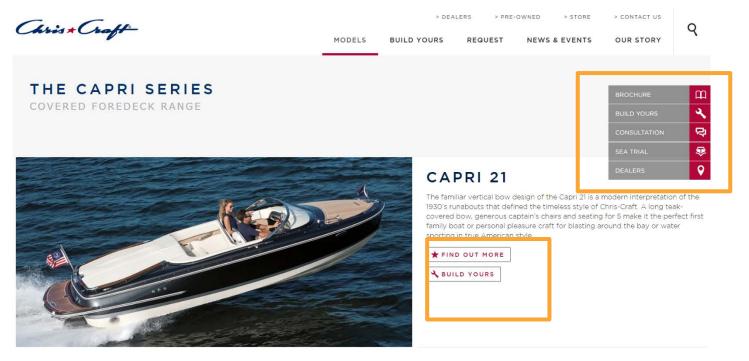
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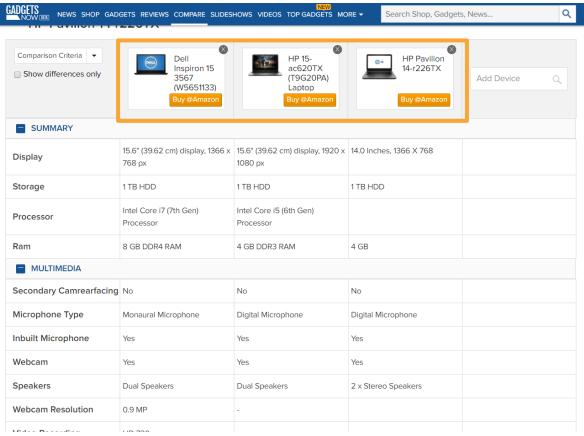
Clear step-by-step guided process to bring people to purchase



Provide consumers with directed, decision-based wayfinding to move them through the shopping process

- Sticky menus to keep important items above the fold
- CTAs on comparison pages to direct consumers to the next stage in the process

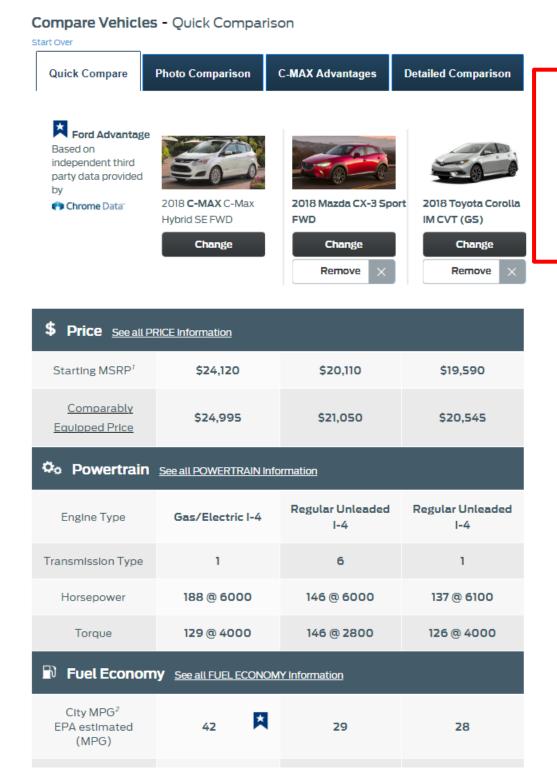




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Provide consumers with directed, decision-based wayfinding to move them through the shopping process

CTAs disconnected from the product



Next Steps

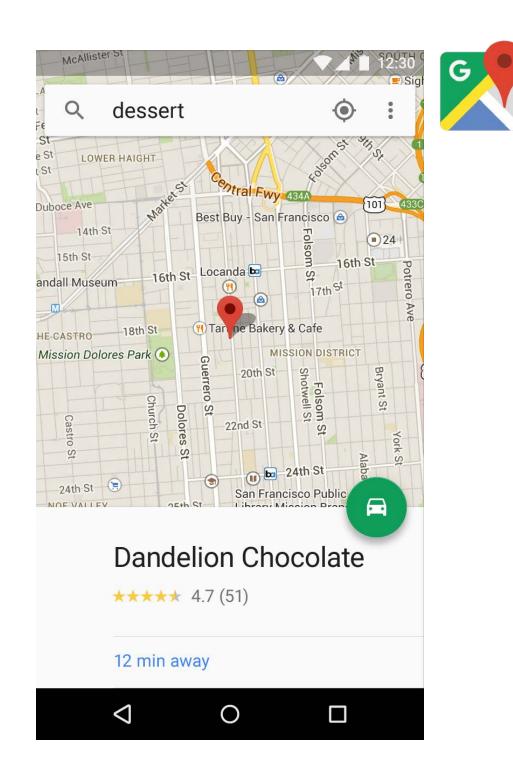
More Shopping Tools

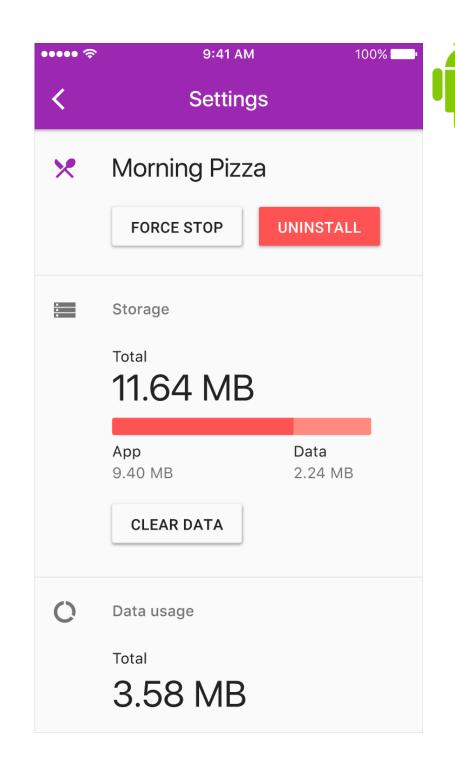
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# Modify flat design with key affordances to indicate what is clickable

Bright colors and raised buttons signal that an action is possible



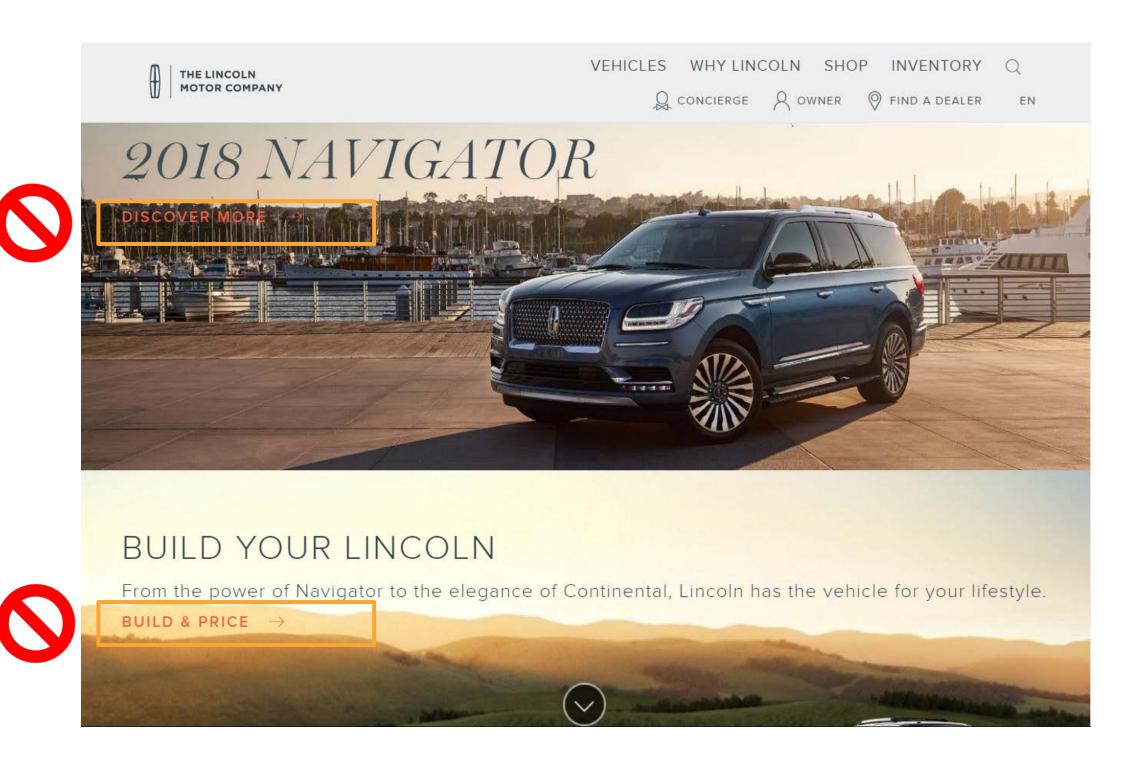


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Modify flat design with key affordances to indicate what is clickable

Flat design can confuse consumers when CTAs are difficult to see against photographs

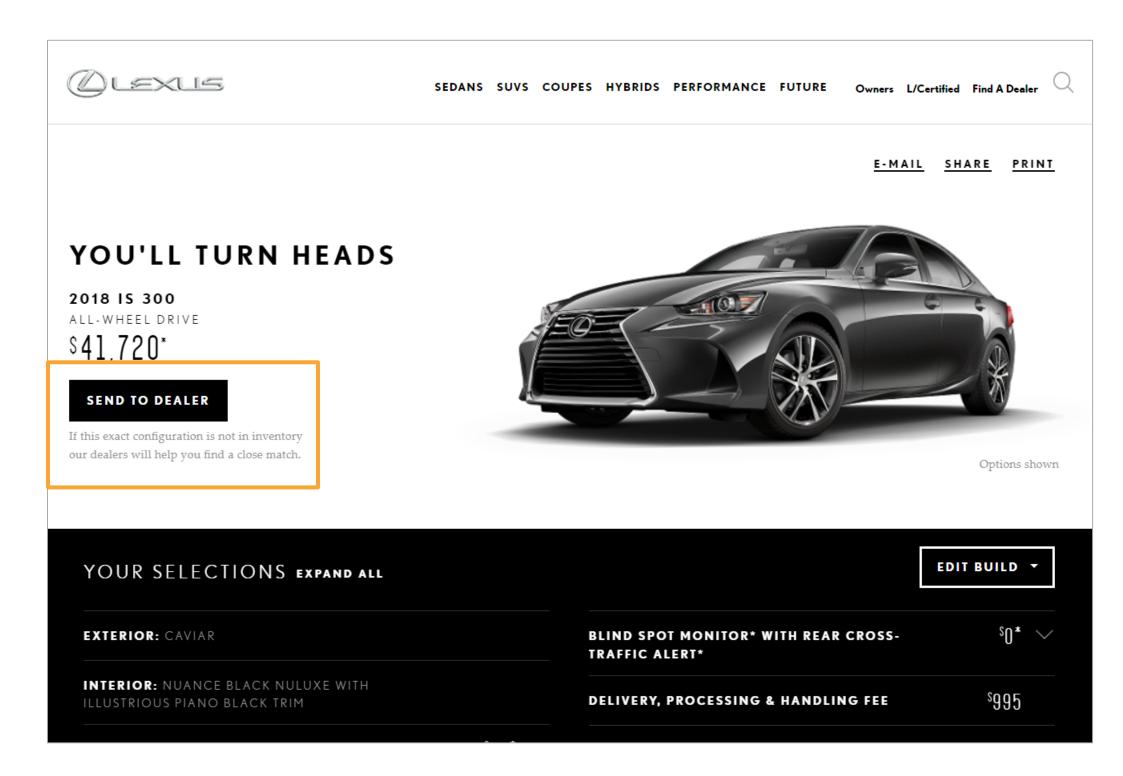


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# Complement the shopping experience before asking for personal information

- Avoid the bait and switch: consumers want their specific, configured car and are frustrated if the dealer contacts them about a very different car
- Ask for contact information when consumers are prepared to give it and actively move the process along



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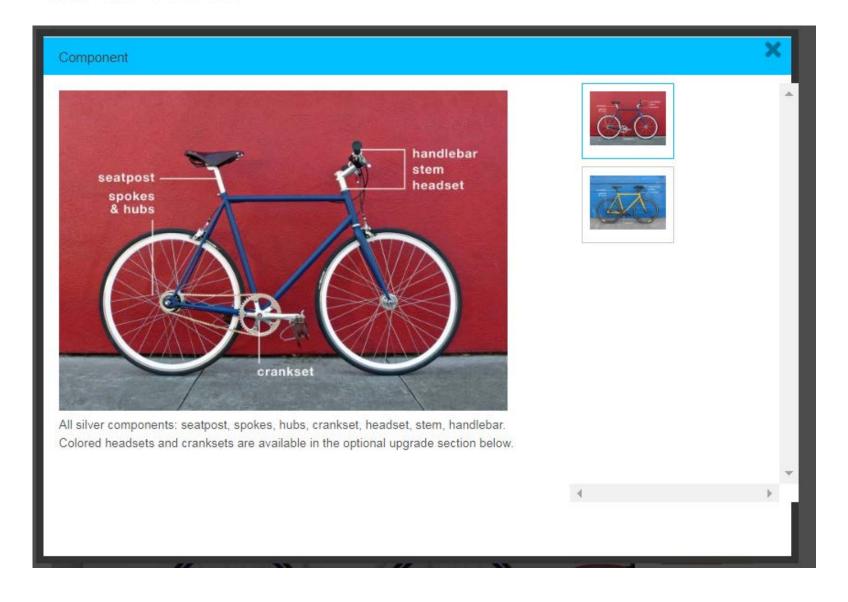
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## Focus on Lifestyle

# Explain specialized product information to shoppers in context of their life

Illustrate terms and concepts for consumers new to the product



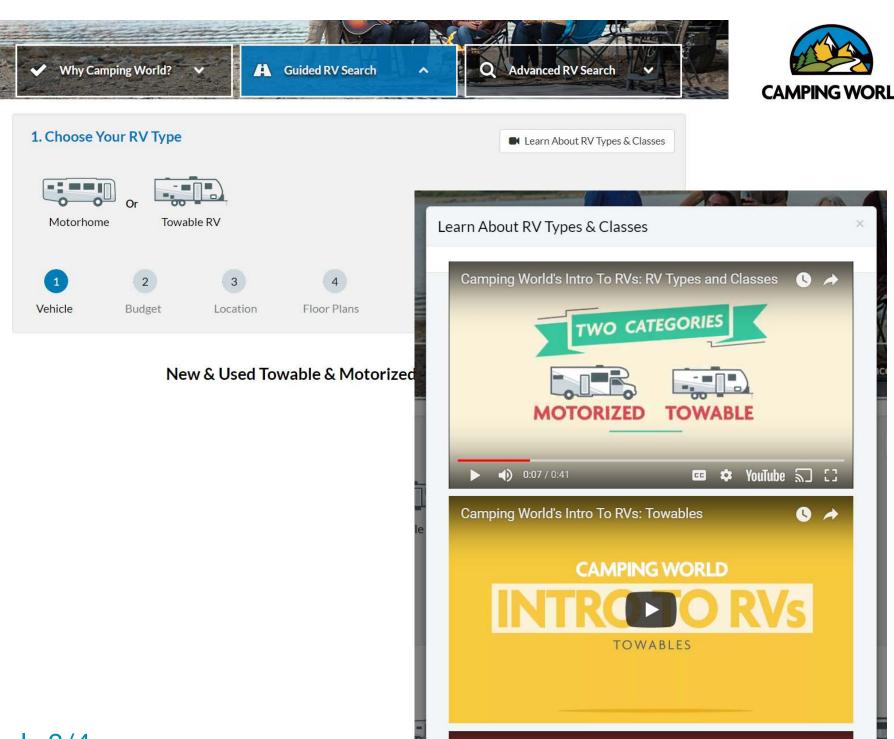


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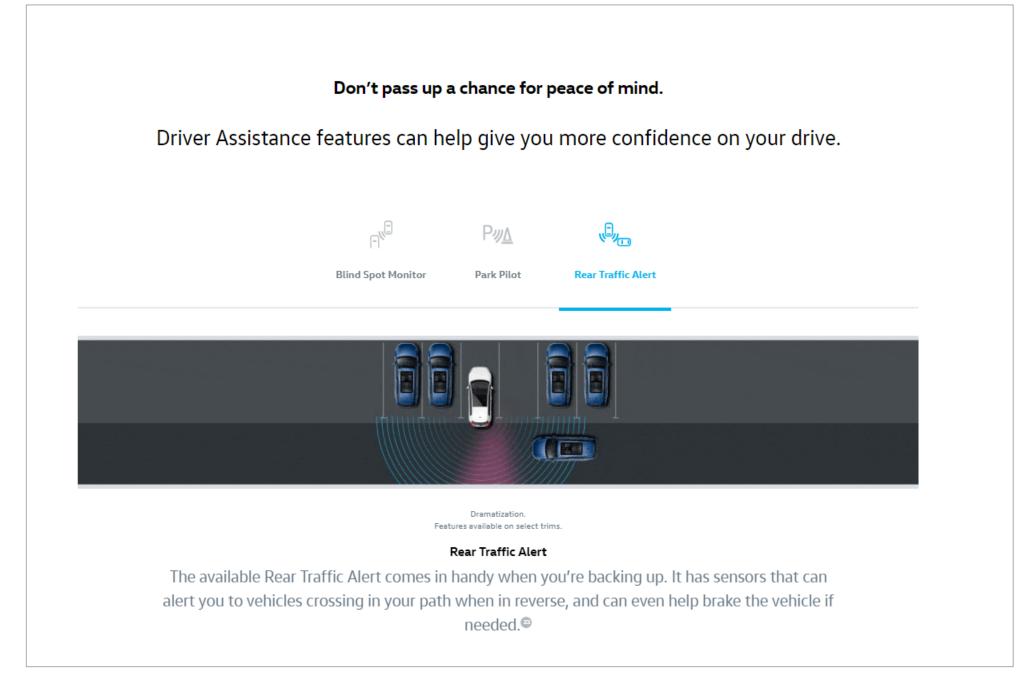




# Explain specialized product information to shoppers in context of their life

Technology presented using an everyday scenario



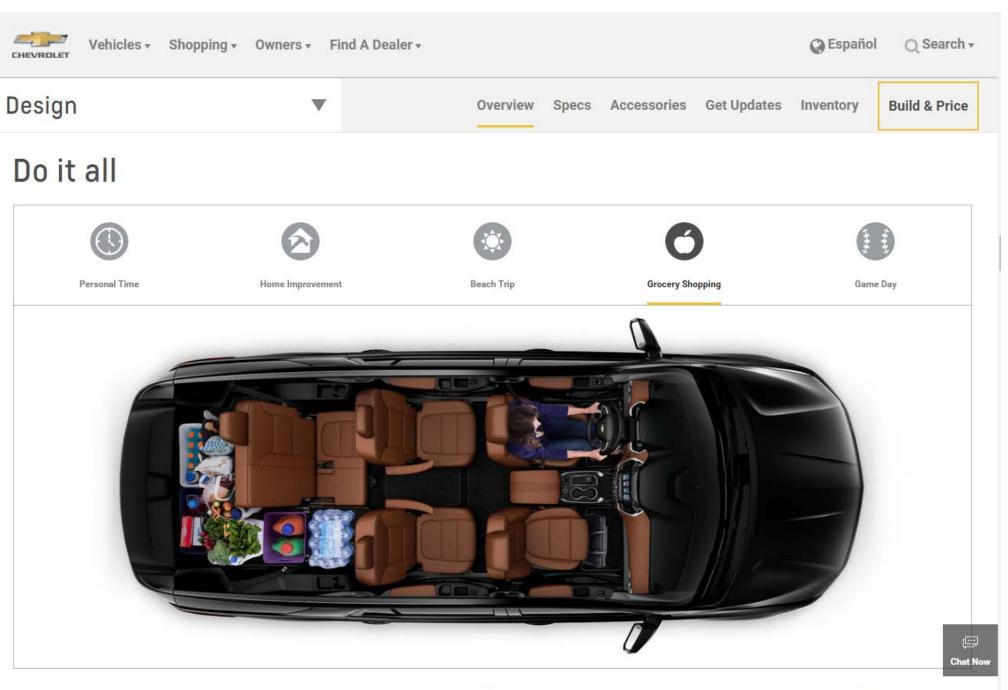


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Explain specialized product information to shoppers in context of their life

Pictures that illustrate lifestyle



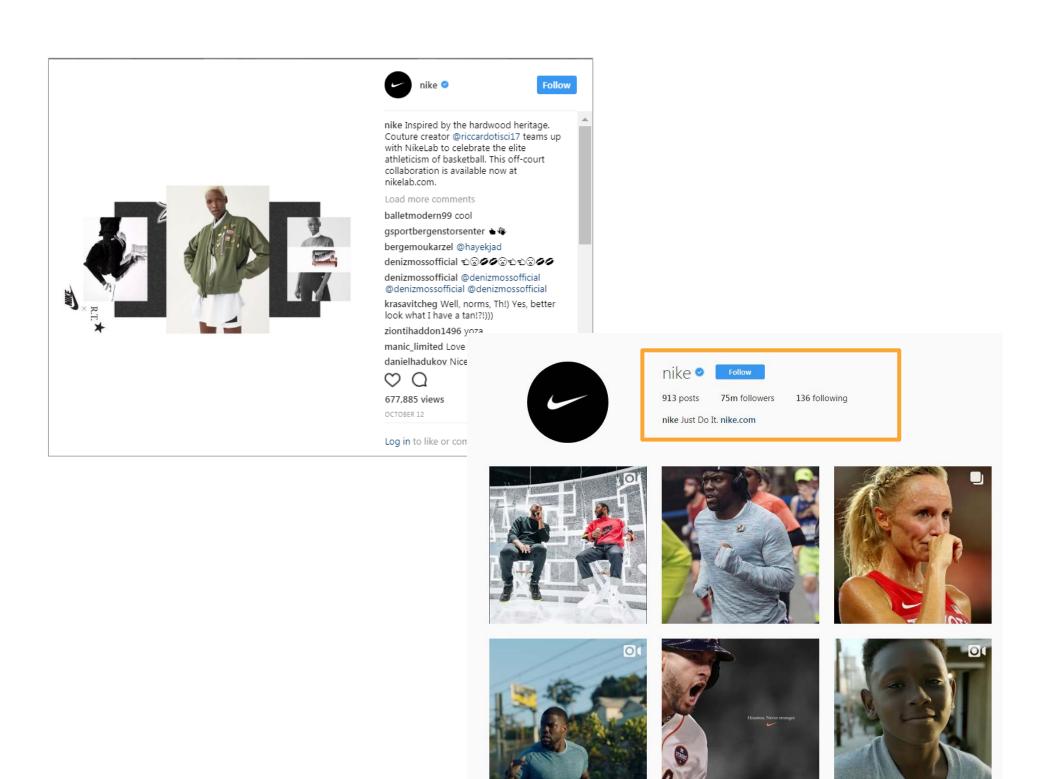
Comfort for everyone with space to spare - that could be the Traverse mantra. This roomy midsize SUV offers best-in-

#### Example 4/4



# Use social media such as Instagram to promote brand innovation and showcase product ownership

- Collaborate with Instagram influencers to drive shares and likes
- Link to product pages and sites in bios and posts



Example 1/4

# Use social media such as Instagram to promote brand innovation and showcase product ownership

Use social media to promote and cover events like product launches, pop-ups, awards and other industry or marketing events



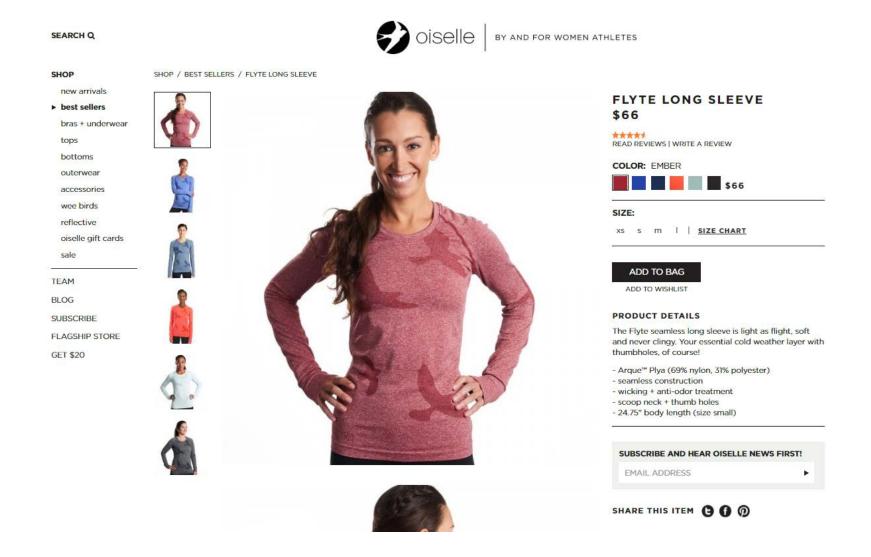




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Use social media such as Instagram to promote brand innovation and showcase product ownership

Pull user-generated content directly onto product pages to show consumers how the product is used and fits into their lives



SHARE YOUR #FLYSTYLE









UPLOAD PHOTOS VIEW ALL PHOTOS

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SIGN IN TO



Use social media such as Instagram to promote brand innovation and showcase product ownership

Creative and artistic imagery drive likes and sharing



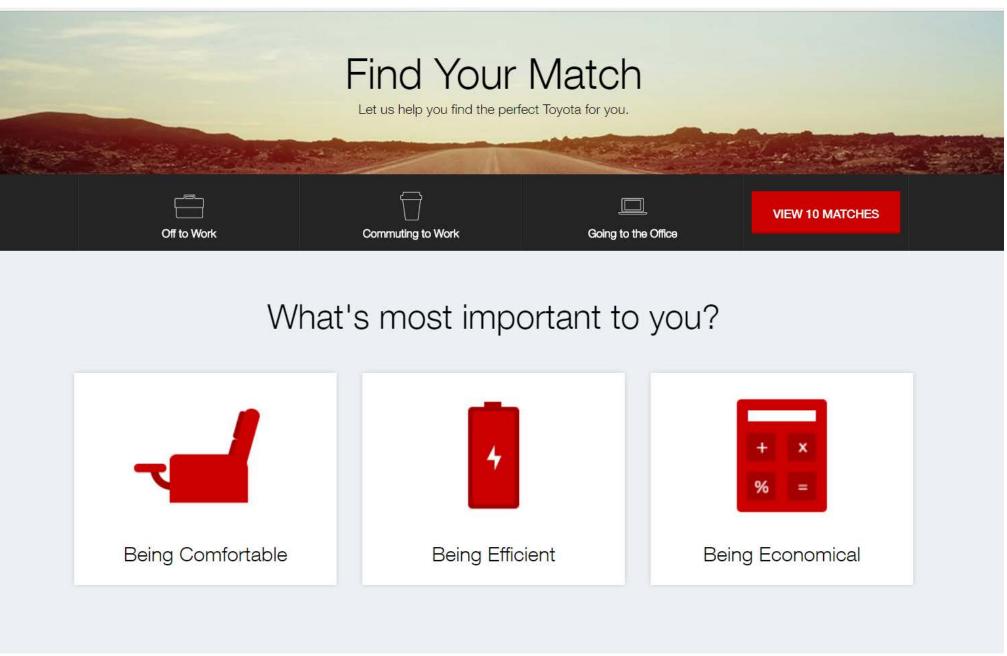
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### Quizzes that help consumers find the right product, services and accessories to fit their lifestyle

- Make it quick and easy to specify their needs with simple choices
- Limit the number of clicks required to get a useful result



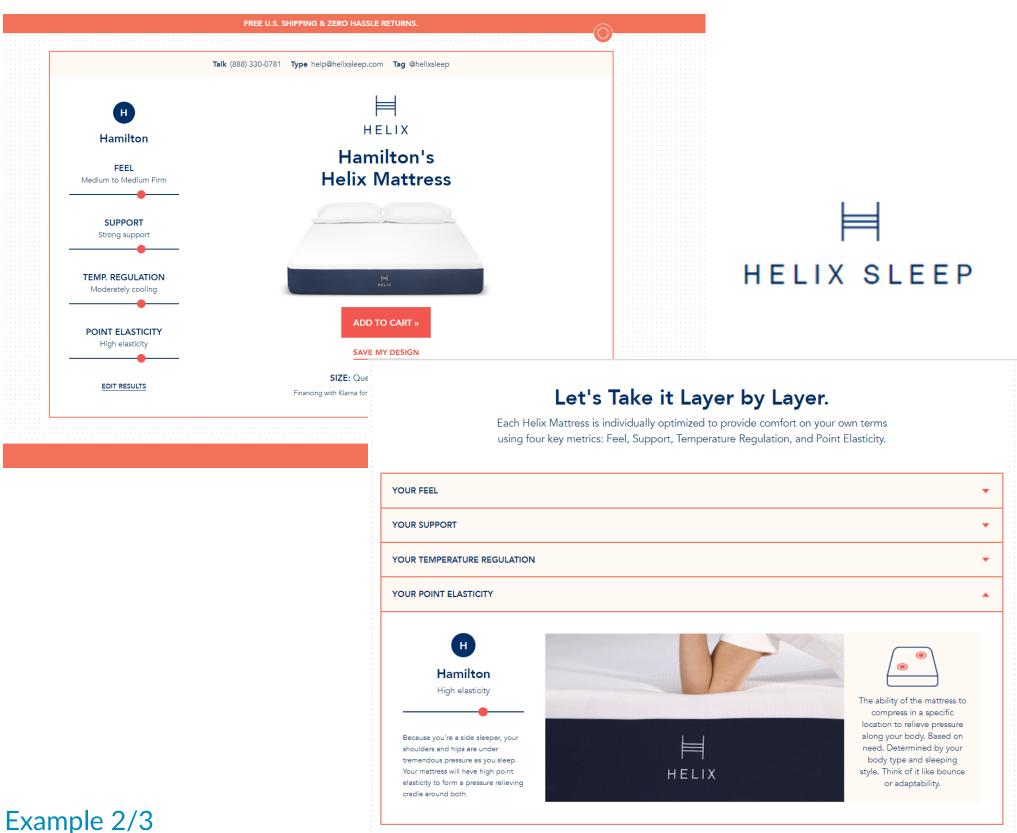


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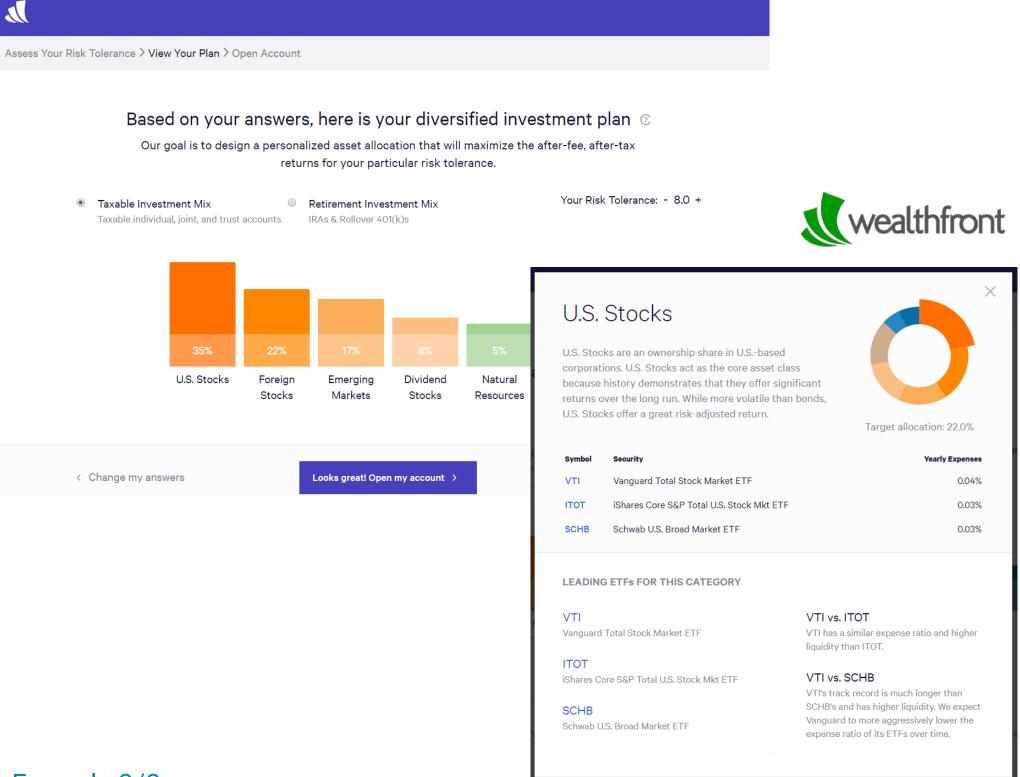
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- Explain why consumers received the results they did
- Explain how the product will solve their problem



Quizzes that help consumers find the right product, services and accessories to fit their lifestyle

Explain industry-specific terminology in a way that relates to their life



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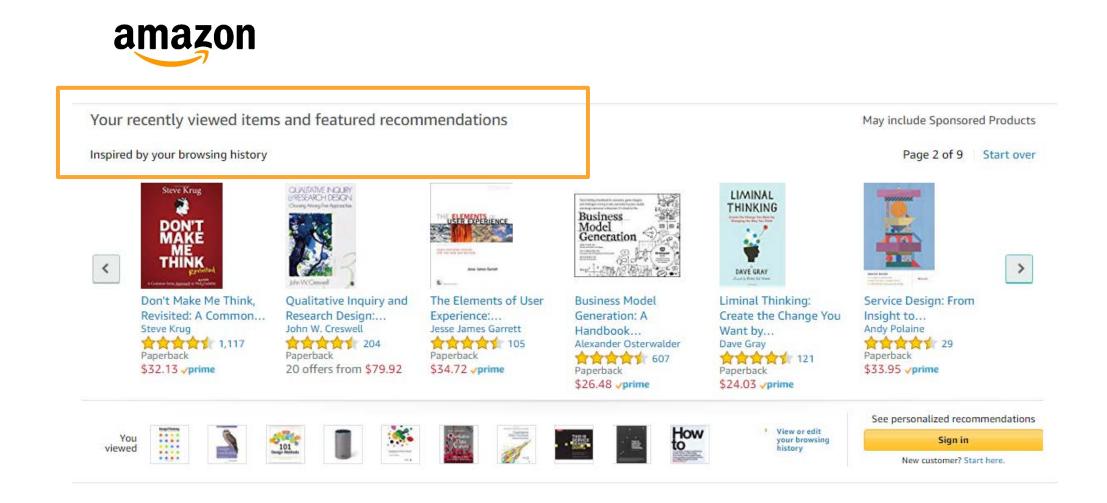


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# Meet the Consumer When and Where They Are

Make it easy for consumers to pick up where they left off as they move between channels

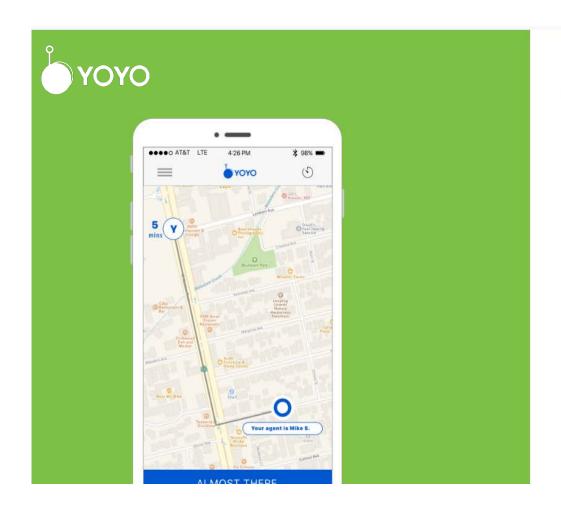
- Collect client browsing history and preferences to recommend relevant options
- Keep recommendations in the client's online account, so all the information is in one convenient place



Example 1/2

# Make it easy for consumers to pick up where they left off as they move between channels

- Deliver a test drive car to the consumer's location
- Offer extended test drives



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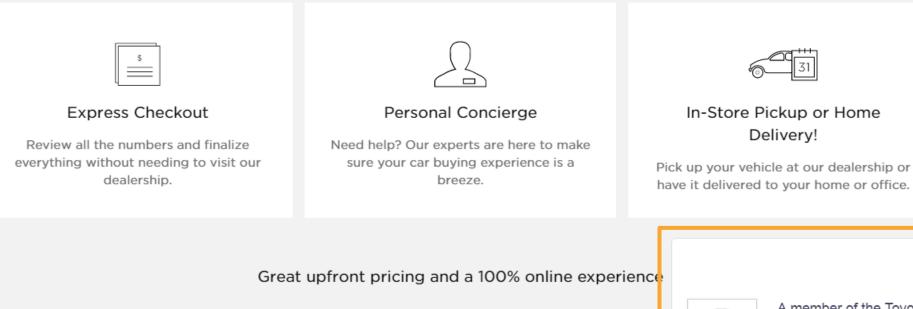


## Chat (and Chat Bots) to answer questions about inventory and help consumers pick a specific product

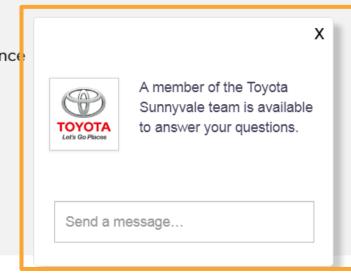
Consumers don't trust fake-seeming chat avatars; they want clues that this is a real person who knows about the car/inventory

## STRESS-FREE CAR BUYING

Our Express service makes buying a new car as easy as buying an iPhone



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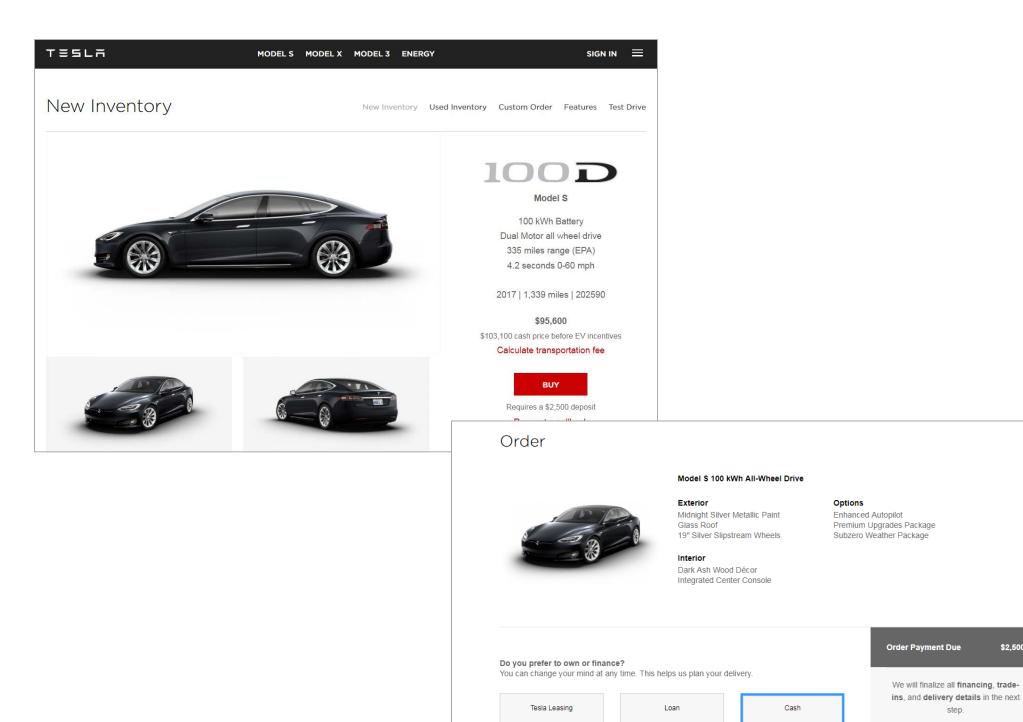


Delivery!

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# Online purchasing to meet consumer's expectations

Tesla's direct-to-consumer model



I'd like to trade in my current car

FIRST NAME

Example 1/3



Questions?
We're here to help. You can call us anytime at (888) 518-3752.

Request a callback

# Online purchasing to meet consumer's expectations

Roadster Express Storefronts allow dealerships to sell cars online

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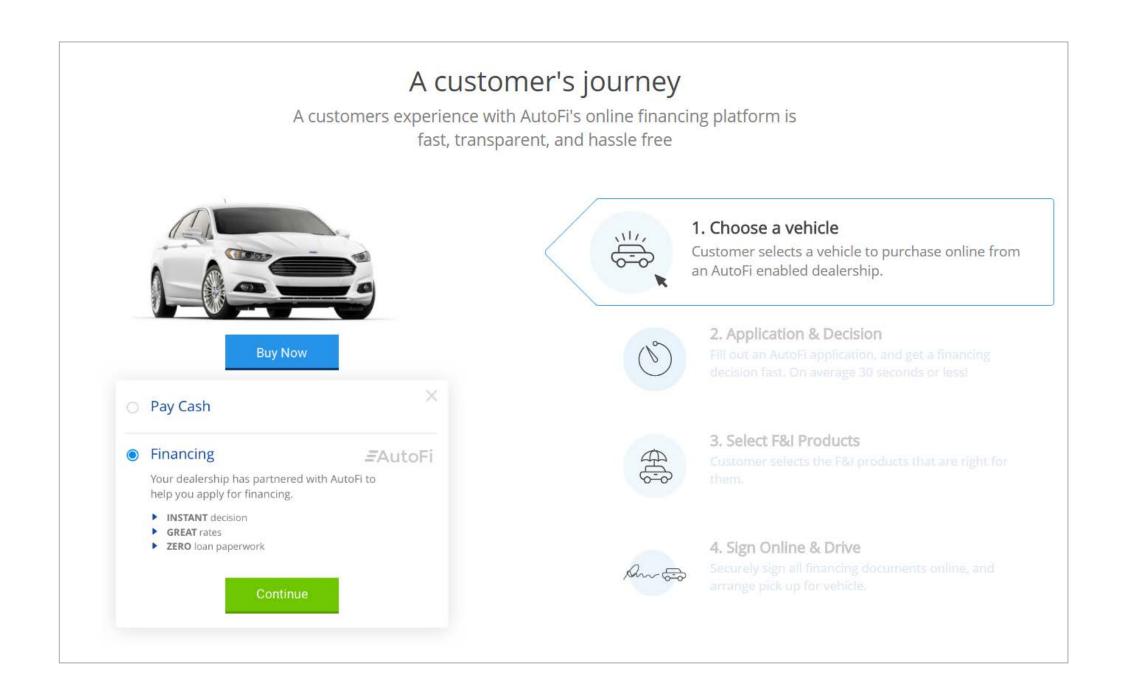
Send a message...

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# Online purchasing to meet consumer's expectations

Ford's partnership with AutoFi allows consumers at select dealerships to complete all financing paperwork online

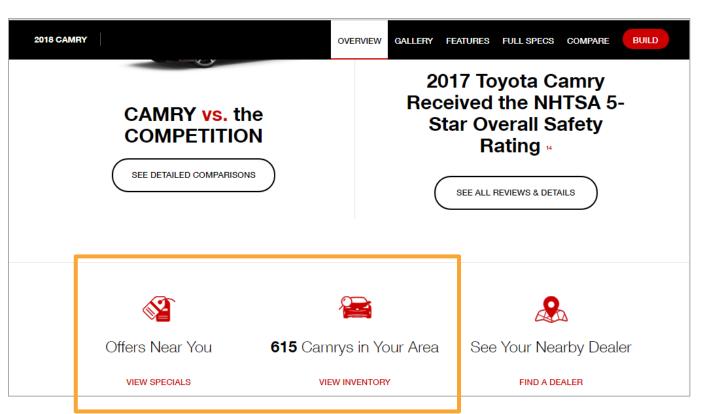


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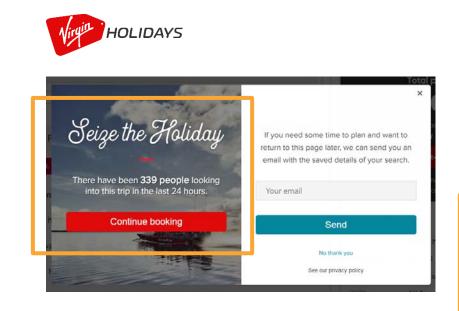
# Localized information for users with targeted CTAs

Leverage mobile technology and location data to provide customized offers

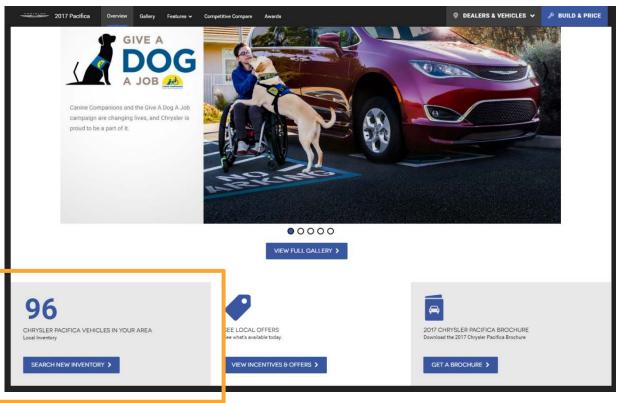








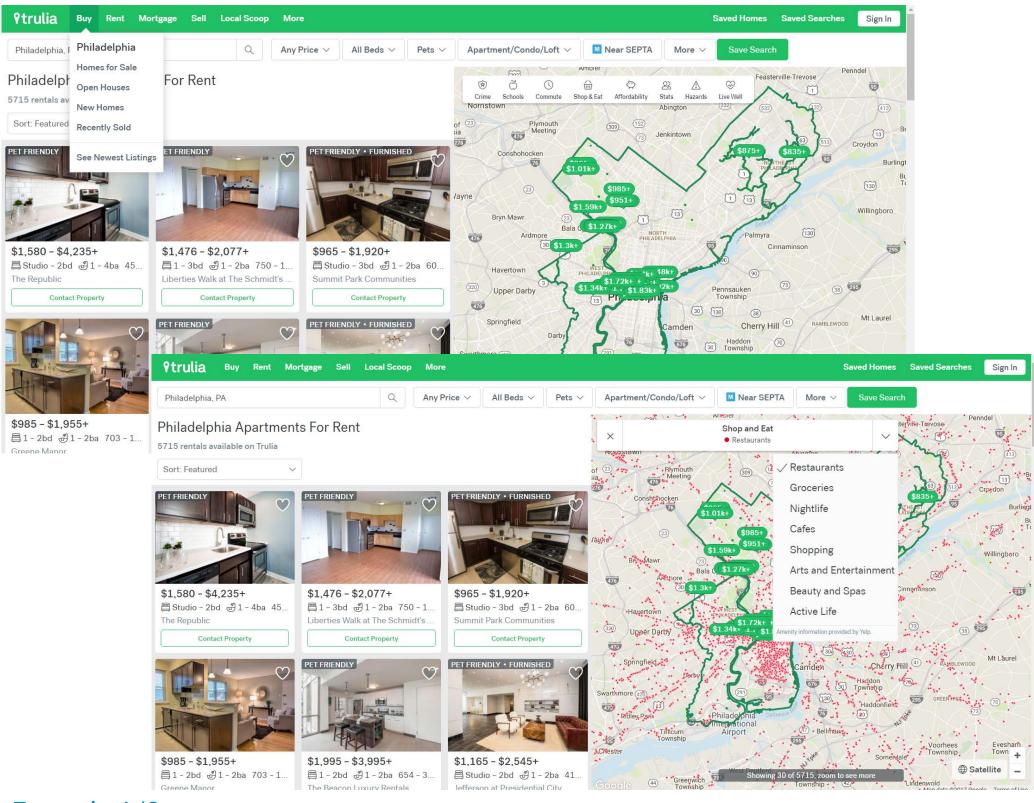
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Move from industry-specific language to familiar, consumer-friendly terminology

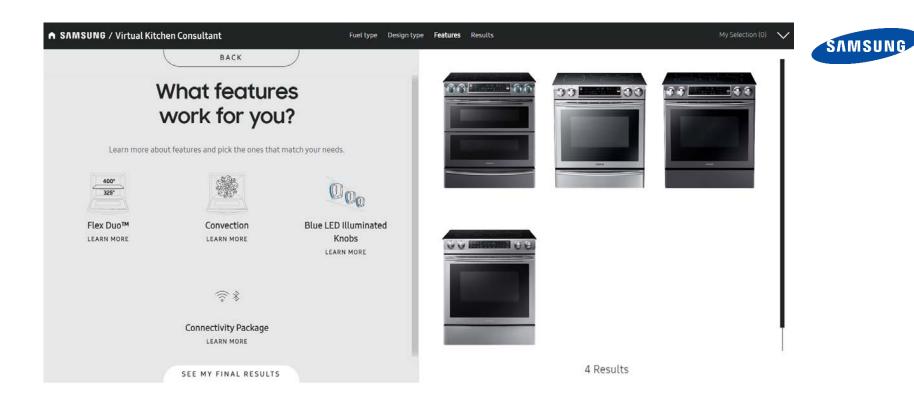
Use categories that are familiar, easy to understand, and relevant to what consumers are looking for from the product



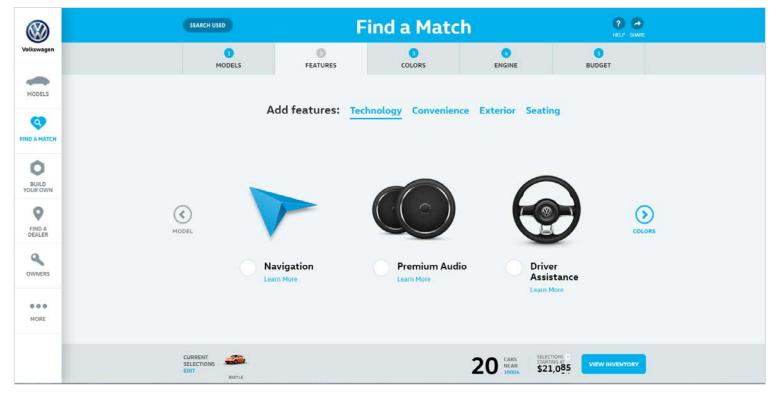
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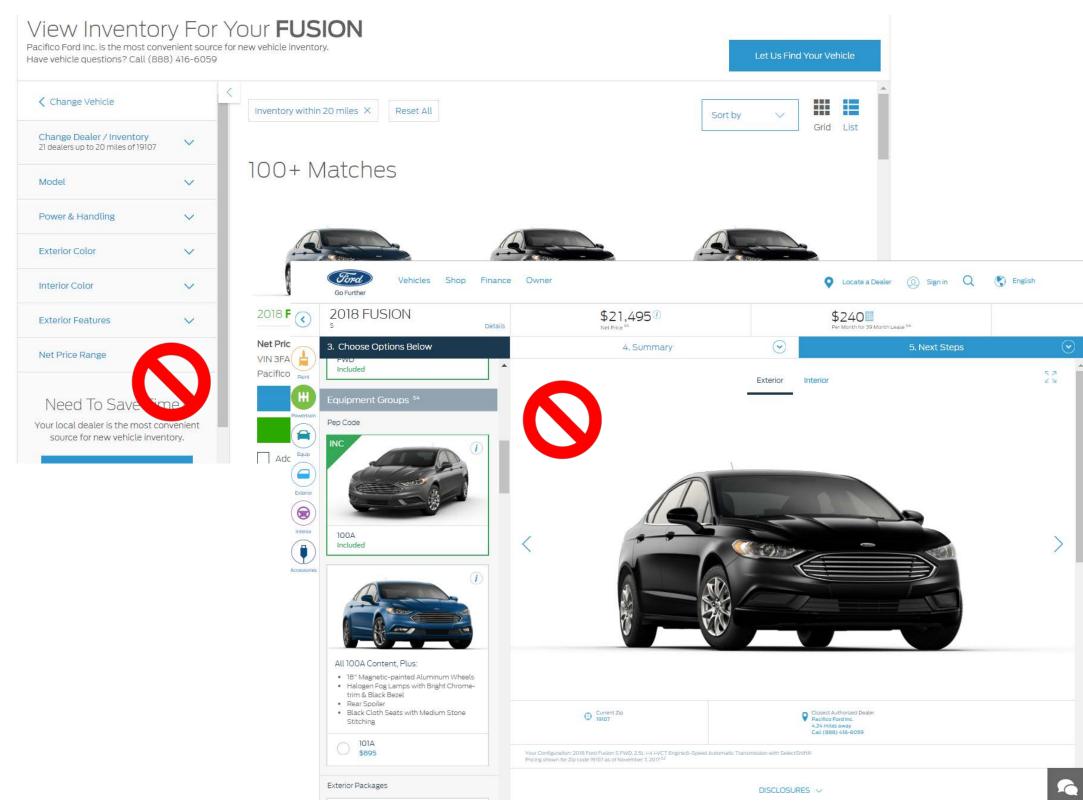


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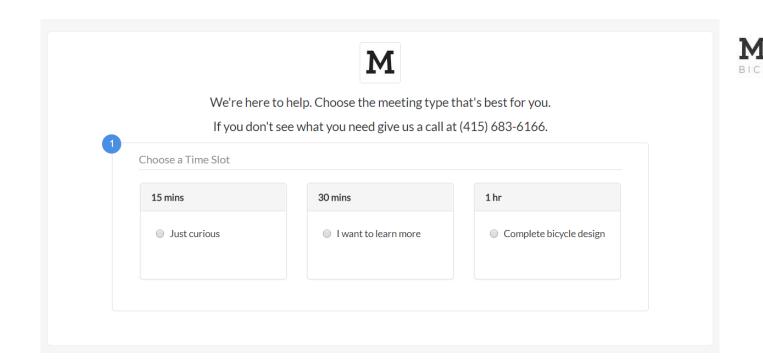
- Previous research shows that industryspecific terminology confuses shoppers (for example, the categories in Build & Price, or names of incentives and offers)
- No filters for technology, incentives or offers, or other features that consumers are interested in (e.g., "sun roof")



Example 3/3



Let the consumer choose their contact preferences: consumers want to control how and when they are contacted



FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	Questions?  We're here to help. You can call us anytime at (888) 518-3752.
EMAIL	CONFIRM EMAIL	Request a callback
PHONE NUMBER		
I prefer email over phone calls		



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## Reward Loyalty

Reward loyalty through special offers on service, new vehicles, or recommended products

Loyalty programs for shoppers or owners

## Explore myAudi

Discover what it means to be a VIP







## Account Management

- · Audi financial payments
- · Add-on plan details Dealer information

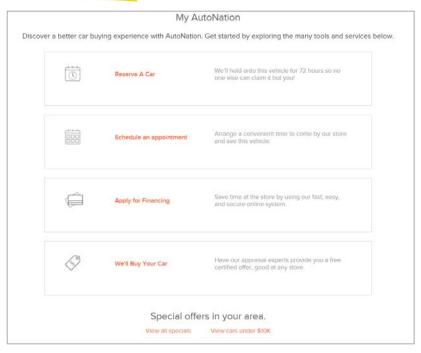
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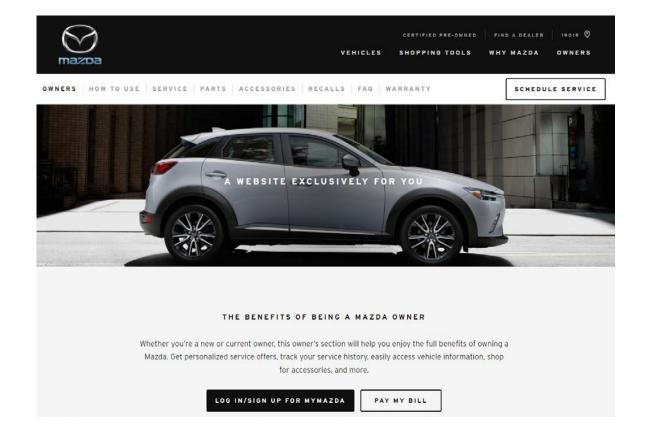
- Videos & guides
- Service scheduling
- · Warranty information · Personalized accessories

### **Exclusive benefits & Content**

- · Lifestyle articles
- · Luxury partner offers Exclusive events
- · Audi owner community

## **AutoNation**

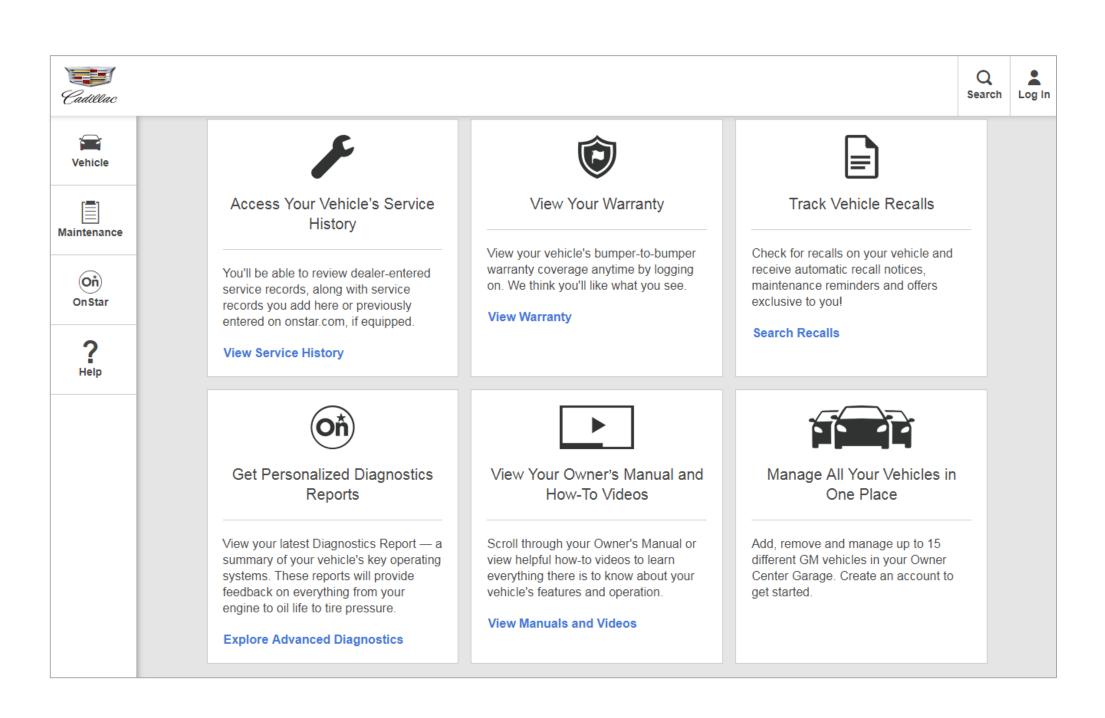




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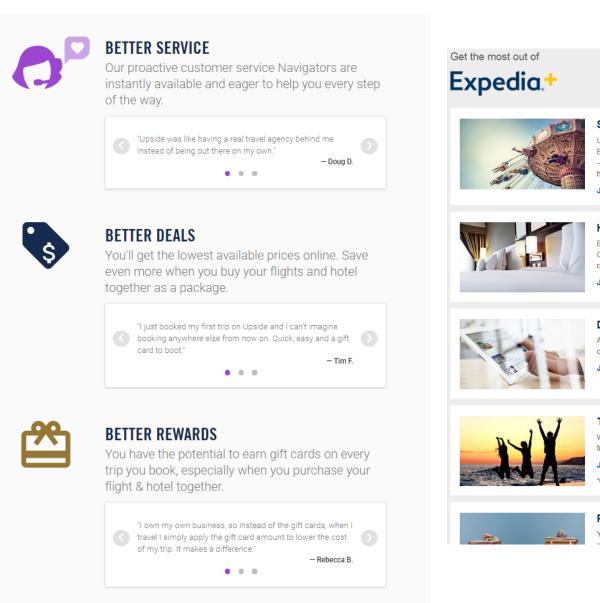
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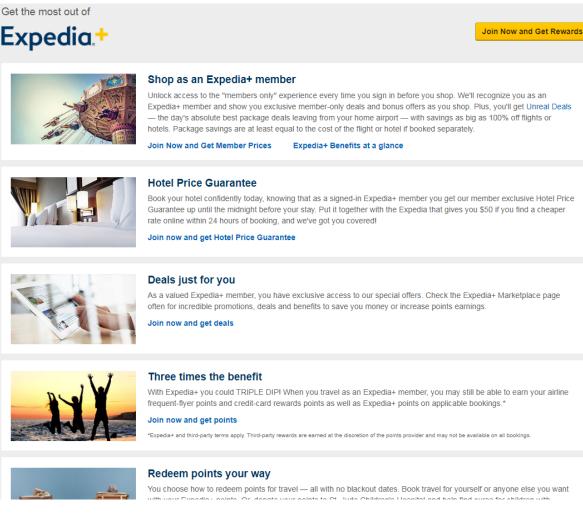
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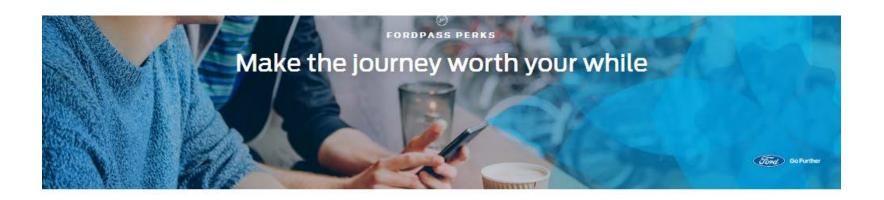


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# Sell the benefits of account and product ownership for owners and shoppers

- FordPass Perks are not explained
- Consumer must make an account without knowing what they will gain



## Perks are here!

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Get entries

Watch a video or complete any number of Winning Moves — online and from the FordPass app — to get entries.



Enter sweepstakes

Submit your entries for your chance to win sweepstakes on FordPass.com.



Claim your prize

Cross your fingers! We'll contact all winners to claim their prizes.

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Highlight the unique value of the brand during the shopping and configuration process

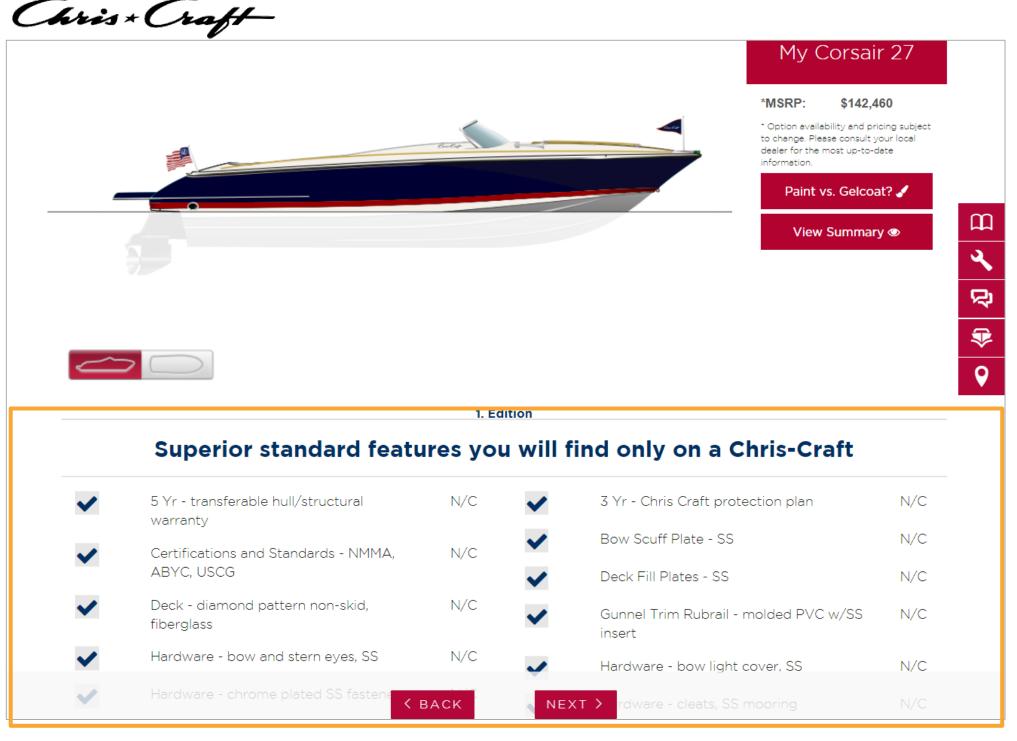
Interactive tools dynamically illustrate the product's benefits and help the consumer understand how it will fit in their life



Example 1/2



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## Group and Organize Ideas

## Refine Concepts

## Next steps

## Thank you