

Sweet December Campaign: A Taste of Delight

Executive Summary

The "Sweet December" campaign is a comprehensive marketing initiative designed to increase brand awareness, drive product sales, and foster customer loyalty within the rapidly growing gourmet dessert market. This campaign will leverage a multi-channel approach, combining digital marketing, in-store promotions, and experiential events to connect with individuals seeking delightful treats on a deeper level. Our goal is to position our brand as the go-to choice for quality, indulgence, and a comforting dessert experience. Campaign Objectives

- **Increase Brand Awareness:** Achieve a 25% increase in brand recognition among our target demographic within six months.
- **Boost Product Sales:** Drive a 15% increase in sales of our signature SweetTreats Original and SweetTreats Caramel products over the campaign duration.
- Enhance Customer Engagement: Foster a vibrant online community and increase customer interaction through social media and events.
- **Strengthen Brand Loyalty:** Encourage repeat purchases and cultivate a loyal customer base through exclusive offers and personalized experiences.

Target Audience

Our primary target audience includes:

- Aged 25-55: Individuals who regularly consume gourmet desserts and are interested in indulging in a delightful experience.
- **Urban Professionals:** Busy individuals seeking convenience and quality in their daily treats.

- **Dessert Enthusiasts:** Individuals who prioritize unique and satisfying dessert options.
- Families: Those who seek sweet and convenient treat options for their households.
- Countries: Norway, Denmark, Sweden

Target Products

- SweetTreats Original: Our premium classic dessert, offering a pure and comforting taste for daily indulgence.
- SweetTreats Caramel: Our invigorating caramel-infused dessert, perfect for a subtle lift.

Campaign Strategies and Tactics

1. Digital Marketing

- Social Media Campaign:
 - o **Platforms:** Instagram, TikTok.
 - Content: High-quality visuals of desserts (e.g., delightful moments, cozy settings, product shots), short videos of baking tips, behind-the-scenes glimpses of production, user-generated content features.
 - **Engagement:** Interactive polls, Q&A sessions, contests (e.g., "Sweet Treat Challenge"), user-generated content challenges.
 - Paid Ads: Targeted ads based on interests (desserts, comfort food, cozy activities) and demographics.
- **Influencer Collaborations:** Partner with food bloggers, lifestyle influencers, and dessert connoisseurs to create authentic content and reach a wider audience.
- Email Marketing:
 - Newsletter: Regular updates on new products, dessert tips, exclusive promotions, and campaign highlights.
 - Personalized Offers: Segmented email lists for targeted promotions based on customer preferences and purchase history.
- Website Optimization:
 - Landing Pages: Dedicated campaign landing pages for promotions and new product launches.
 - Blog Content: Articles on the benefits of indulgence, dessert origins, sustainable practices, and brand story.
 - E-commerce: Streamlined online ordering process with clear product descriptions and appealing imagery.

2. In-Store Promotions

• Sampling Stations: Offer free samples of new dessert variations and popular favorites.

- **Loyalty Program:** Introduce a tiered loyalty program with exclusive discounts, early access to new products, and personalized rewards.
- **Bundle Deals:** Create attractive product bundles (e.g., SweetTreats Original + SweetTreats Caramel, multi-packs).
- **Limited Edition Products**: Release seasonal or limited-edition dessert designs or flavors to create urgency and excitement.

3. Experiential Events

- **Dessert Workshops:** Host workshops on topics like the importance of indulgence, benefits of different dessert types, and sustainable consumption.
- Pop-up Dessert Stations: Set up temporary dessert stations at local events, holiday markets, and festivals.
- Partnerships with Local Businesses: Collaborate with cafes, bakeries, or wellness centers for joint promotions and events.

Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)

| Metric | Target | Measurement Method |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--|
| Brand Awareness | 25% increase | Brand lift studies, social media mentions, website traffic |
| Sales Revenue | 15% increase | E-commerce sales data, POS data |
| Website Traffic | 20% increase | Website Traffic Data |
| Social Media Engagement Rate | 10% increase | Platform insights |

Campaign Timeline

The campaign will run for 1 month in December 2024 divided into three phases:

- Phase 1: Awareness & Teaser:
 - Launch social media teasers and initial influencer collaborations.
 - Website updates and blog content release.
- Phase 2: Engagement & Promotion:

- o Intensify social media contests and user-generated content campaigns.
- o Introduce in-store sampling stations and loyalty program.
- Host first series of dessert workshops.

• Phase 3: Loyalty & Expansion:

- Launch limited-edition products.
- Expand pop-up dessert station presence.
- o Analyze campaign performance and plan for future initiatives.

Budget Allocation

The campaign has a total budget of 100.000 € that is allocated as described in this table:

| Category | Allocated Budget |
|----------------------|------------------|
| Digital Advertising | 40% |
| Influencer Marketing | 20% |
| Event Production | 20% |
| In-Store Promotions | 10% |
| Content Creation | 10% |

Conclusion

The "Sweet December Campaign" is designed to be a dynamic and engaging initiative that will significantly impact our brand's presence in the gourmet dessert market. By combining strategic digital outreach with compelling in-store and experiential elements, we are confident in achieving our objectives and fostering a deeper connection with individuals seeking delightful treats everywhere.