Instacart - Onboarding Experience

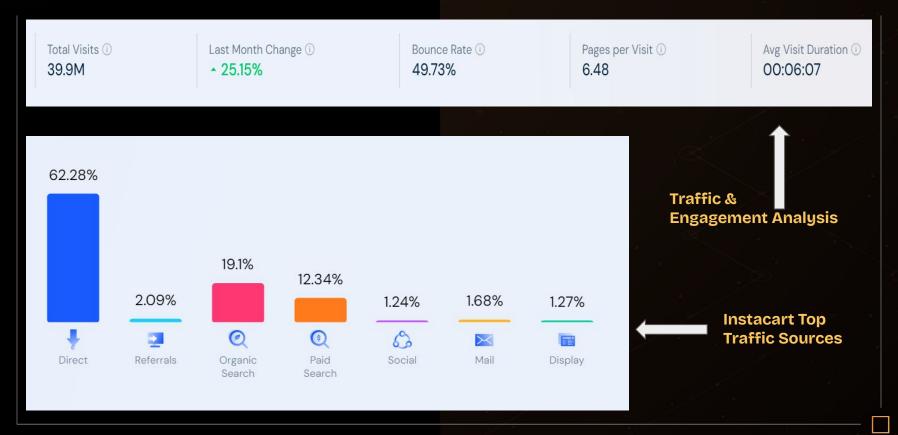
TPF Insurjo 24 - Week 1 Assignment

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Instacart is an online delivery service that lets you shop at nearby grocery stores, wine shops, bulk warehouses, convenience and pet stores, and other retailers.

The goal at Instacart has been to ensure customers get their groceries delivered reliably, to lift up our retail partners, and to provide flexible earnings opportunities for shoppers.

Instacart made \$2.5 billion revenue in 2022, a 38% increase on the year prior. In 2020, its revenues increased by 104% to \$1.5 billion.



The retention rate of Instacart quarter-over-quarter for the U.S. customer increased in Q2 2023 compared to pre-pandemic and early pandemic levels, but was lower than that of most major grocery chains

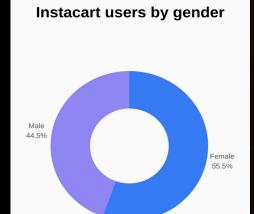


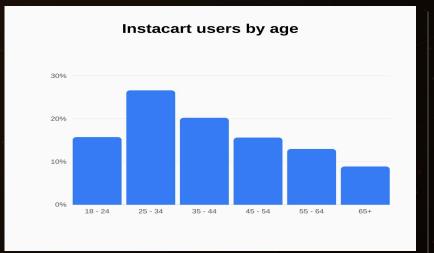




The geographic distribution of Instacart lets us know about the core audience distributed around the world to strategize respectively.

Some general good to know statistics of Instacart for product management







Instacart has approximately 288 million monthly active users across the U.S.A and Canada.



Instacart's target customers include people that have a tight schedule and senior citizens.

Personas considered for Onboarding



Name: Olive S.

Age: 25 yrs

Profession: Student

Olive lives on-campus, and uses Instacart twice every week to get her groceries delivered home.

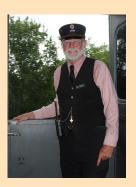


Name: Ann R.

Age: 31 yrs

Profession:
Project
Manager in
XYZ company

Ann uses Instacart as an when she requires groceries and decides to home deliver or pick up based on her schedule.



Name: Robert D.

Age: 63 yrs

Profession:
Retired
Locomotive
Engineer

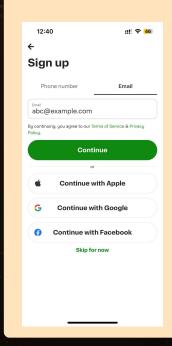
Robert has monthly fixed groceries list with rare changes which he mostly gets home delivered.

Onboarding Flow

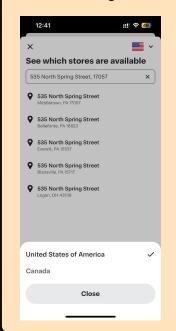
Install & open the app



Create Account



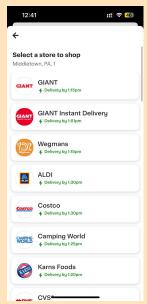
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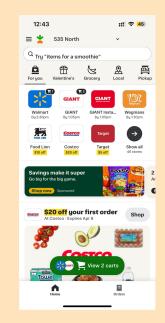
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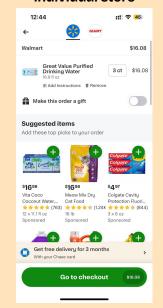
Choose the store you want to shop from



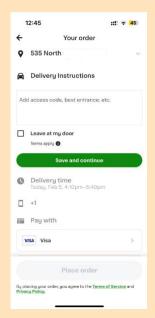
Home page



Go to cart & select to pay for individual store

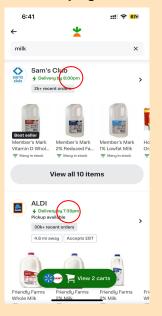


Enter your details, select date/time, & process payment



What could be done a bit different?

On searching an item: Display could include filters (store, fastest, nearest store) or an automated list of nearest store/fastest delivery for ease action play for customer.



There could be an inclusive section of Past Purchases providing an ease to select the items that the user frequently buys and may have forgotten to add to the bag.



In categorized search on applying filters the list should follow an ascending order; example in fastest it should either show nearest/ earliest delivery in order.



This could potentially reduce the Bounce Rate as it increases Directed Purchase flow

A future addition, maybe?

- Instacart currently provides users with two purchase options; being home delivery and pick-up. And a week's timeline option to get the delivery in hand.
- As a part of loyalty program Scheduling weekly/monthly groceries could be an interesting feature.
- It could be a feature that provides the user set up a list to be order weekly/monthly; example if the user requires half gallon milk bi-weekly then the user could set up milk as an item in the list, schedule the order for 3 months and just confirm before every purchase being placed bi-weekly. And also alter the items in the order made in that schedule before confirmation.
- It would increase loyal customer base and rate of active users on the app.

Thank You