

How to scayle November

#### Capture in November the highest demand of the e-commerce year





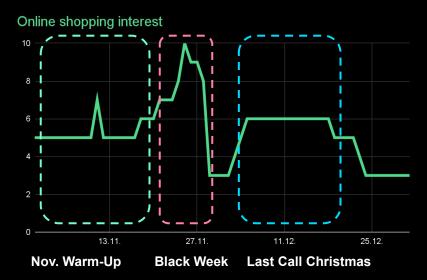
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>75%

increase in Black Friday online revenues since 2017 +51%

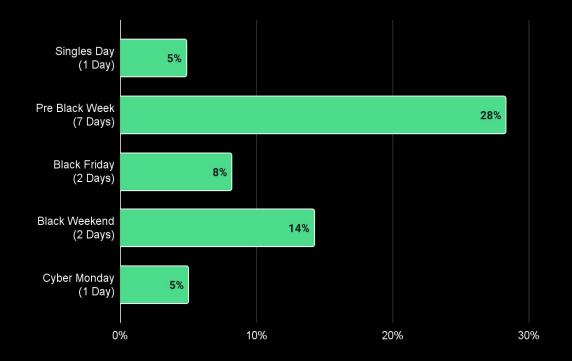
YoY revenue growth during Black Friday with SCAYLE marketing services

#### Winning shoppers across 3 phases:



#### **Several peak times across November**

Top shopping days in November by % of monthly revenue (Fashion)



### Take the challenge and outperform your competition





## Black Friday season starts early

A demand uplift can be seen from the beginning of November and an increasing number of advertisers starts to offer early discounts before the Black Weekend.

Build a smart campaign plan for the whole month, exploiting increased demand from the beginning



### Loyalty needs to be earned

70% of consumers switch retailers or brands when facing out-of-stock products or technical issues during Black Friday.

- **▼** Test your online shop
- Build a smart eCRM strategy
- Prepare emergency protocols



## High media costs can limit your impact

Competition and demand increase result in high media costs over the Black Week. Ensure to only enter the battle if you run a convincing offer.

Ensure to plan media budgets in line with the attractiveness of your offer, to avoid a low marketing ROI due to high media pricing at a low conversion rate

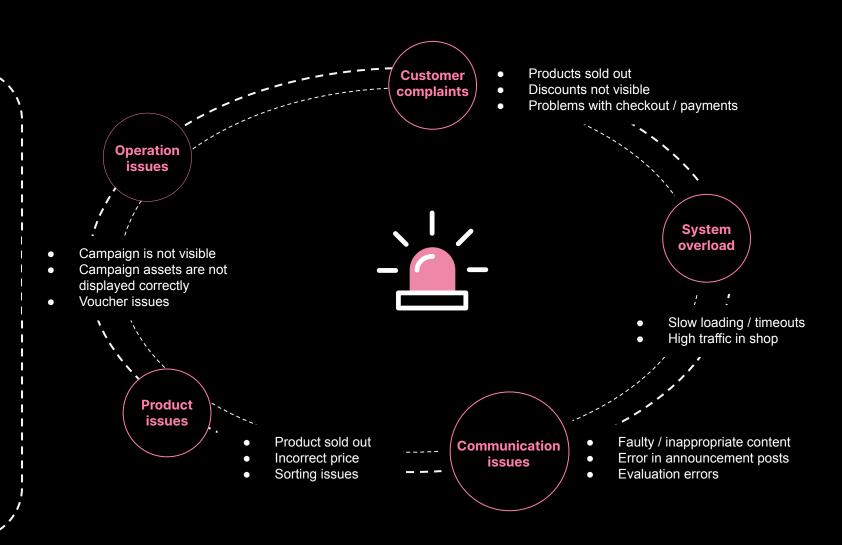
### Minimize your risk and be prepared for the volume boost



### Be aware of your risk areas and potential bugs

We advise to have an emergency protocol ready for critical situations:

- Define clear responsibilities and points of contact for each risk area
- Document contact details and availabilities over the weekend
- Define activity protocol in case of typical incidents
- Distribute list to all relevant internal and external partners



### Don't get lost but focus on these 5 things that really matter



- 1 Monthly campaign plan
  - Plan various campaigns across November to exploit the full potential
  - Include specific campaign days to push high engagement platforms or audiences (e.g. app-only promotion, VIP customer discount,..)
- 2 CRM and media strategy
  - Keep loyal user-base informed about attractive upcoming sales in advance and build a time-optimized send out schedule
  - Increase your newsletter audience with a lead generation campaign upfront Black Friday
  - Consider ATL media to boost your new customer acquisition if you are offering a competitive promotion
- 3 Smart reduction approach
  - Communicate high discounts with an "up to" messaging
  - Build a profit optimized discount mix on your whole assortment
  - Ensure to include some best sellers at higher discount levels and feature them in marketing communication
- 4 Scalability of shop infrastructure
  - Consider potential traffic and checkout peaks to ensure decent loading times at increased demand
  - Execute a "stress-test" upfront to simulate the impact
- 5 Logistic and warehouse capabilities
  - Increase your capabilities in delivering products and handling returns in accordance with your planning.
  - Adjust delivery timeline communication in advance, to avoid customer dissatisfaction
  - Prepare backlog scenarios in case the order volume exceeds your expectations

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