### Course 22



**Email Marketing Course** 

### Knowledge is Power.

Stop Guessing. Start Knowing.



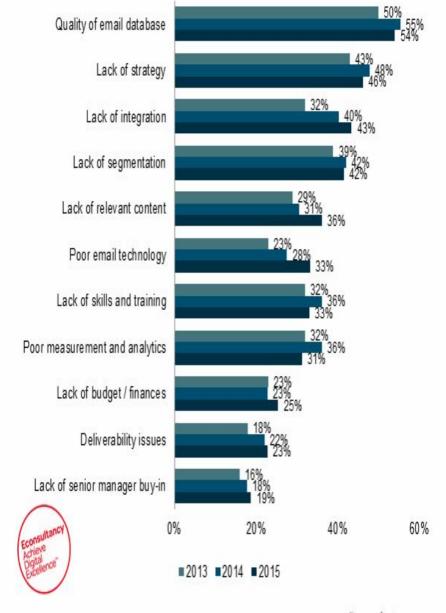
### This course will cover:

### **How to Create the Right Lists for Email Marketing**

- Why contacts and lists are important to email marketing?
- How to build a segmentation/list strategy?
- What does a good segmentation strategy look like?

# AND LISTS ARE IMPORTANT TO EMAIL MARKETING?

# COMMON BARRIERS TO EFFECTIVE EMAIL MARKETING



Respondents 2015: 495 Respondents 2014: 591 | 2013: 682

Note: Respondents could check up to three options.

### LIST SEGMENTATION IS ESSENTIAL TO CLOSING PROSPECTS AND DELIGHTING CUSTOMERS.

SEGMENTATION EMPOWERS MARKETERS TO DO RELATIONSHIP-DRIVEN MARKETING THAT DRIVES RESULTS.

### WHAT IS A LIST?

Lists are the different ways that you break up your contacts into smaller segments, based on their similarities.

## WHAT IS A CONTACT DATABASE?

Your contact database is a place to keep track of all the people and companies that have a relationship with your business.

### QUALITIES OF A GOOD CONTACT DATABASE

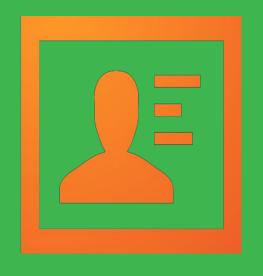
- See the whole picture of every contact
- Aligns Marketing and Sales
- Seamless integration with every tool you use



### THE CONTACT RECORD CONSOLIDATES TOUCHPOINTS



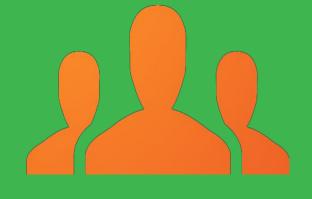
## HOW TO BUILD A SEGMENTATION STRATEGY



A CONTACT IS ANYBODY YOUR COMPANY COMMUNICATES WITH IN THE COURSE OF DOING BUSINESS.



### A CONTACT PROPERTY STORES INFORMATION ABOUT AN INDIVIDUAL CONTACT.



## A COMPANY PROPERTY STORES INFORMATION ABOUT A GROUP OF CONTACTS.

### KEEP YOUR CONTACT DATABASE UP-TO-DATE

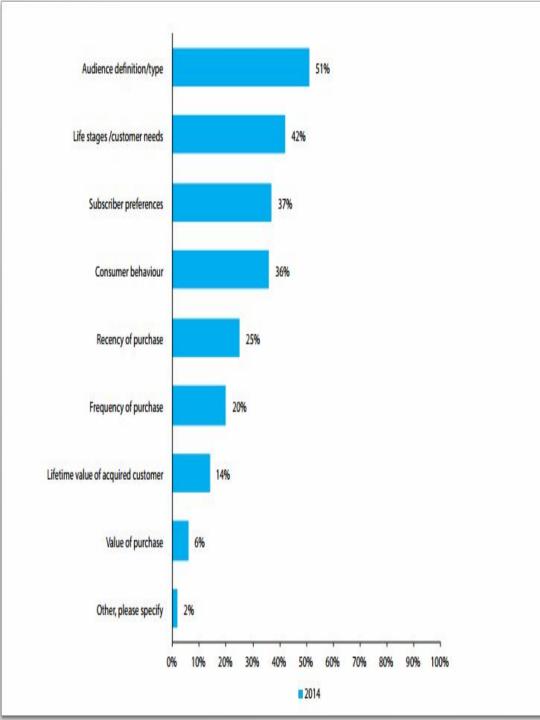
- Upload all current business contacts
- Track contacts as they move through the buyer's journey
- Setup and maintain integrations with other software
- Keep your data clean



### No two businesses are alike.

Each has their own custom contact properties.

YOUR ABILITY TO SEGMENT WILL BE A KEY INDICATOR OF YOUR SUCCESS AS AN EMAIL MARKETER.



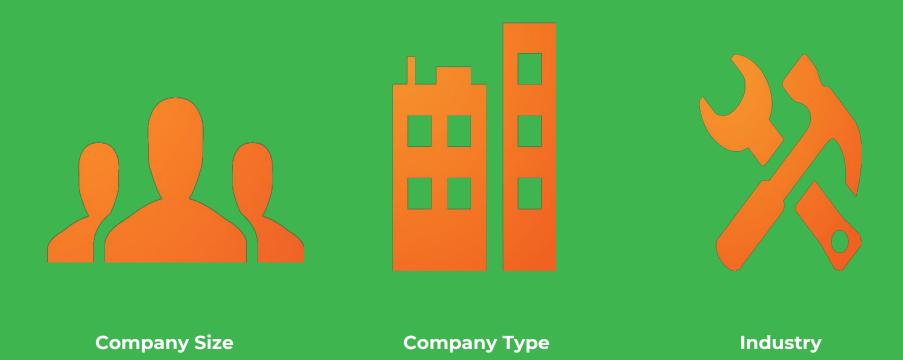
## HOW MARKETERS SEGMENT THEIR CONTACTS?

### PRIMARILY, YOU SEGMENT BY YOUR BUYER PERSONAS.

### BUYER PERSONAS

Semi-fictional representations of your ideal customer based on real data and some select educated speculation about customer demographics, behavior patterns, motivations, and goals.

## COMPANY-RELATED SEGMENTATION



### **ROLE-RELATED SEGMENTATION**



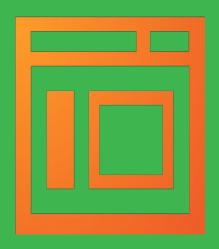
### BEHAVIOR-RELATED SEGMENTATION



**Conversion Events** 



**Email Opens** 

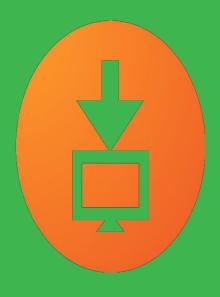


**Page Views** 

## MARKETING INTELLIGENCE RELATED SEGMENTATION



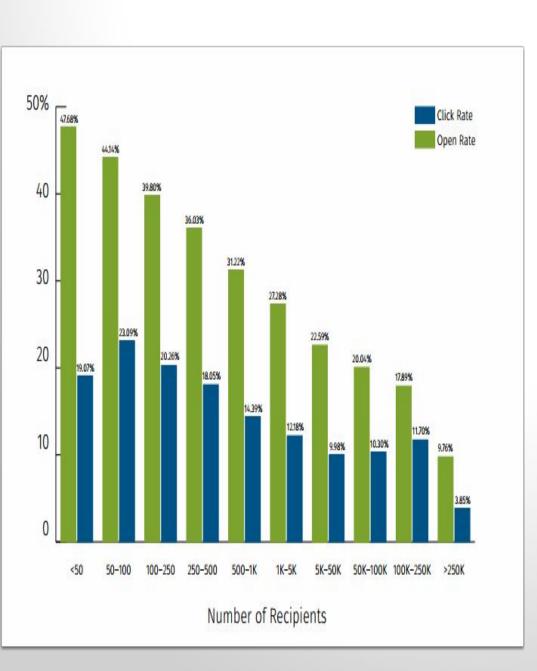
**Social Media Data** 



**Original Source** 



**Web Analytics** 

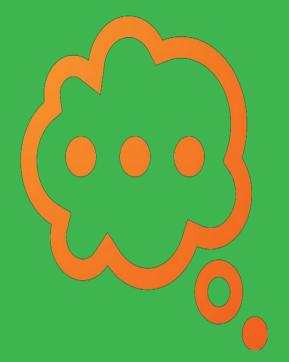


## ENGAGEMENT RATES DECREASE AS MAILING SIZE INCREASES



# EXPLICIT DATA IS INFORMATION THAT IS INTENTIONALLY SHARED BETWEEN A CONTACT AND A COMPANY.





### IMPLICIT DATA IS INFORMATION GATHERED FROM USER BEHAVIOR.

### **EXPLICIT AND IMPLICIT DATA**



### **Explicit Data**

- Contact information
- Company Information
- Form Submission
- Surveys



### **Implicit Data**

- Social media engagement
- Email engagement
- Web analytic history
- · Conversion data

### SUMMARY: BEST PRACTICES FOR SEGMENTING YOUR CONTACTS

- Make sure your database is accurate and up-to-date
- Determine your segmentation strategy
- Segment your contacts using implicit and explicit data



# WHAT DOES A GOOD SEGMENTATION STRATEGY LOOK LIKE?





Personas give you a clear picture of who will be receiving your email.

## BUILD LISTS THAT TRACK ENGAGEMENT WITH KEY OFFERS.

### CREATE LISTS BASED ON ENGAGEMENT

- Everyone who has visited your blog in the last 90 days
- All leads who have visited your pricing page
- All leads who have opened an email in the last 30 days
- All leads who found out about you through a specific source

### CREATE LISTS BASED ON PURCHASES

- Everyone who had purchased a product or service
- The type of product or service
- How many times have they purchased?
- When will they purchase next?

## CREATE LISTS THAT MEASURE EMAIL HEALTH

- Contacts who have unsubscribed
- Contacts who have bounced
- All ineligible contacts
- Contacts who have not opened an email in the last year

## THINK ABOUT BUSINESS-SPECIFIC LISTS YOUR COMPANY MIGHT NEED.



### Course 22 Completed. Now take the next course.

### **Getting Started Courses**

- 1. Why You Need to Update Your Online Marketing Strategies
- 2. What is Modern Online Marketing and How it Works
- 3. How to Create a Marketing Positioning Statement
- 4. How to Create Marketing Buying Personas
- 5. How to Perform a Content Audit by Buying Stage
- 6. How To Research and Find the Right Keywords

### Website Courses

- 7. How to Improve and Update your Current Website
- 8. How to Search Engine Optimize (SEO) your Web Pages Using Keywords
- 9. How to Deliver a Successful Website User Experience
- 10. How to Use A Call-to-Action, Landing Pages and Forms

### **Content Marketing Courses**

- 11. What Is and How to Use Content Marketing
- 12. How to Repurpose and Produce Marketing Content
- 13. How to Generate Content Marketing Ideas
- 14. How to Engage Buyers with Effective Writing Techniques
- 15. How to Use Storytelling to Resonate with Buyers
- 16. How to Measure and Analyze your Content Marketing

### **Content Promotion Courses**

- 17. How to Effectively Promote Your Content Marketing
- **18.** How to Create and Use a Blog to Drive Website Traffic
- 19. How to Use Social Media to Drive Website Traffic

### **Email Marketing Courses**

- 20. What is and How to Use Email Marketing Strategies
- 21. How to Use Email to Nurture and Grow Your Customers
- 22. How to Create the Right Lists for Email Marketing
- 23. How to Design Email Templates that Capture Interest
- 24. How to Create High Performing Emails that Convert Buyers
- 25. How to Optimize, Measure, and Track Email Marketing Success

### **Get Going Courses**

- **26.** How to Start Implementing Modern Marketing Strategies
- **27.** How to Set Marketing Metrics and Milestones
- 28. How to Use a CRM for Modern Marketing
- 29. What Software Tools are Needed for Modern Marketing

The End.

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