Internships Reports Day Fall 2014



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What does IDXP do?



IDXP Overview

- Leverage Wifi Technology
- Monitor Real Time Consumer Behavior
- Combine with Point of Sales (POS) Data
- Provide Performance Metrics
- Actionable Insights
- Promotional Power

Consumer Behavior



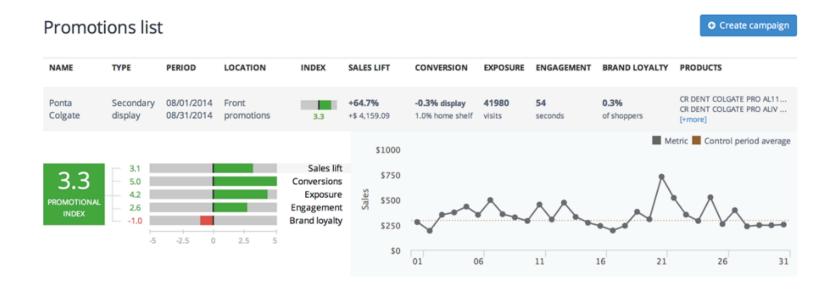
- Shopper Loyalty
- Shopping Trip Length
- Path Analysis
- Product Placement
- Promotions
- Merchandising Mix
- Checkout

IDXP Promotion Power

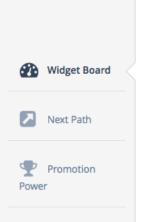
Introducing IDXP Promotion Power (TM)

A Ground-breaking Analytics Solution that Provides CPG Brand and Shopper Marketing Managers with Real-time ROI Measurement of In-Store Promotions.

Learn More



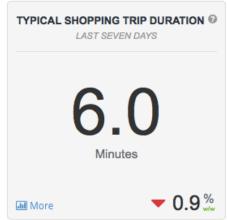
IDXP Path Platform



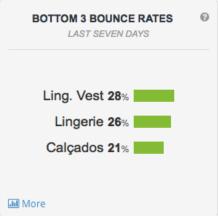












How I Got the Internship.

• Fall 2013: Business 193 - Data Mining

Classmate introduced me to a relative that worked at IDXP

 Dozens of e-mails, multiple interviews, and some time later!

Data Science Team

Chief Data Scientist

- Professor of Computer Science at SJSU
- NASA: Mars Rover
- IBM: SPLASH

Senior Data Scientist

- PhD Statistician
- Former Professor at Illinois Institute of Technology
- Financial and Stock Market

Data Analyst Intern

– Me

Data Science Team

- 1. Improve Location Algorithms
- Create metrics and combine to form a Promotional Index
- 3. Representative Sampling
- 4. Market Basket Analysis for Insights
- 5. Quality Assurance
- ... and others:
 - Days Open / Closed
 - Shopper Segmentation
 - Promotional Display vs. Home Shelf

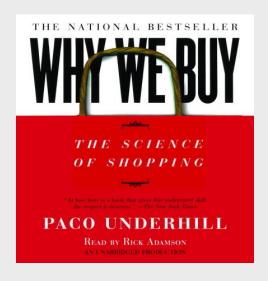
New Techniques and Tools

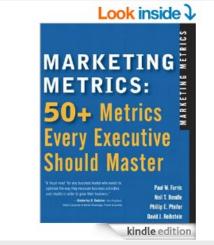
- Statistics / Analytics :
 - K Nearest Neighbors
 - Boosting
 - Pareto Distribution
 - OLAP Database
- Software:
 - -R
 - SQL
 - Sococo / Blossom / GoogleDocs / ProdPad

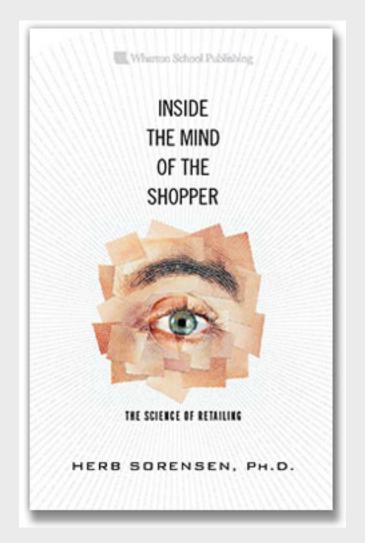
...But it wasn't all statistics!

- Learned a lot about:
 - Retail Marketing and Business Strategy
 - Electrical Engineering and WiFi Technology
 - Database Structure
- Read A Lot:
 - Herb Sorensen, Paco Underhill
 - Journal Articles or Research Papers

Questions?







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