



Summary of 2015

Main Trends In The Israel Consumer Products Market



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The data is based on 2,150 stores

in the organized market (Shufersal, Mega Retail, Co-Op Israel)

and the private market (private chains, minimarkets, grocery stores and convenience stores)

Which transmit real-time sales data from cash registers to Storenext

and which represent 80% of total sales in the barcoded FMCG market.

The data does not include Pharmacies, Kiosks and the Arab sector.

On the basis of this data and using an advanced statistic model

A statistic extrapolation is made for 100%

of the organized and private market in Israel.

Main Trends

Two Years of stagnancy: After 2014 has declined in sales, 2015 presents a moderate increase and the market returns to the sales level marked in 2013



The Price Index decreases: StoreNext's Price Index marks two consecutive years of decrease, completing a drop of 2.1% compared to 2013



* The stagnancy is composed of different trends: Leading suppliers continue to weaken, the



P.L strengthens and enters new categories, and the new items' contribution to sales rises



Change in Sales and Price Indices

FMGC - 2015 compared to 2014

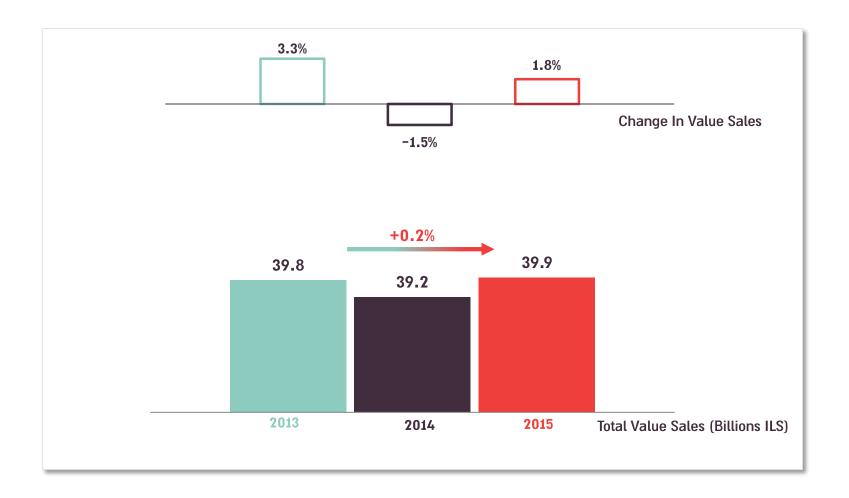


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FMCG Market Size 2013-2015

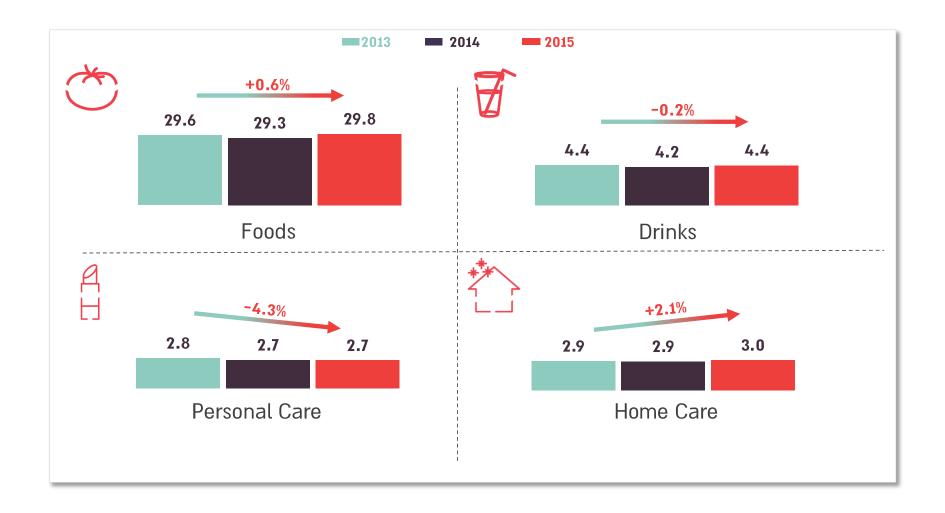
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Market Size by Fields 2013-2015

Total Value Sales (Billions ILS)

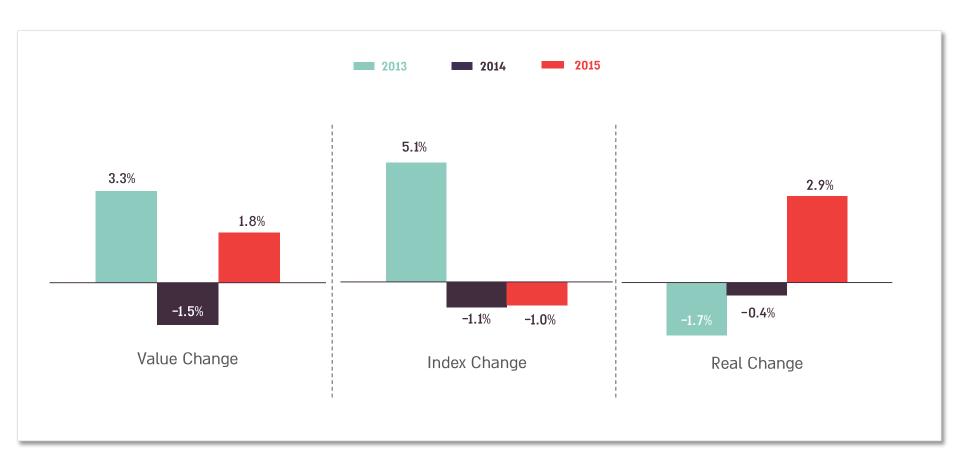




FMCG Annual Change 2013-2015



The last two years mark a decrease in the StoreNext Price Index In 2015, unlike 2014, the Index decline was accompanied with Real Growth and Value Sales incline



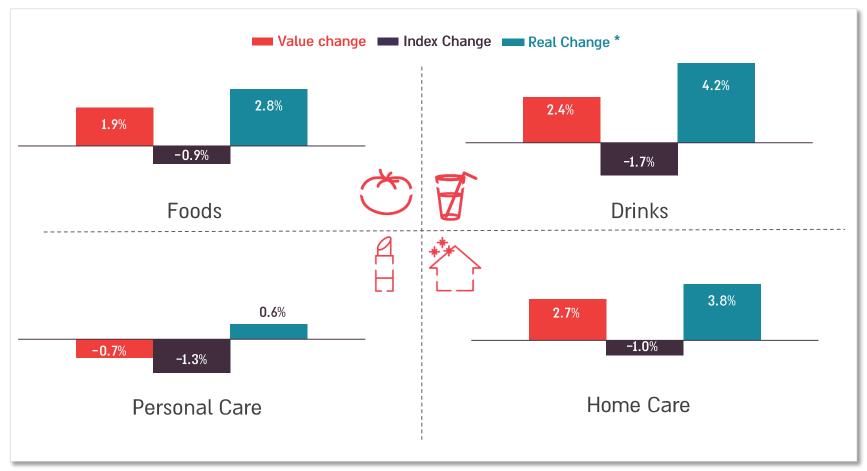
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Annual Change by Fields 2015

2015 Vs 2014

In 2015 All fields rise in value sales except for Personal Care All fields mark a decline in Price Index and a Real Increase



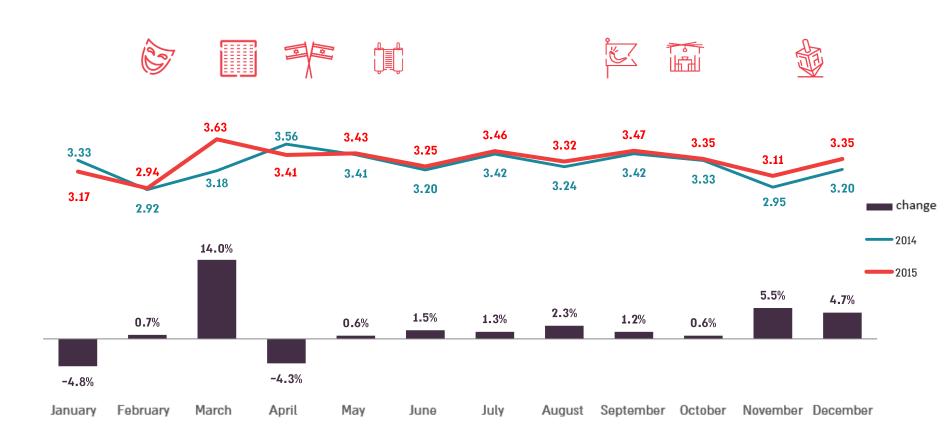
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Monthly Sales Trend

FMCG Value Sales, NIS billion

The growth in November-December derives partially from low volume sales in 2014 and a different amount of sale-days, thus completing a year of moderate growth





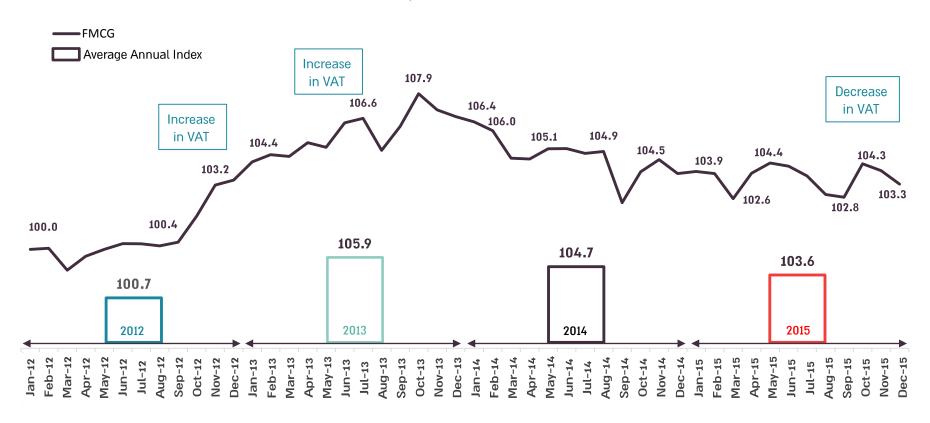
StoreNext's Price Index



StoreNext's price index measures the change in product prices neutralized of changes in the sales mix

December marks an additional decline in the FMCG Price Index driven by end of the year sales and the VAT decrease

The 2015 cumulative index stands at 103.6 - 1.1 points lower than the cumulative index of 2014



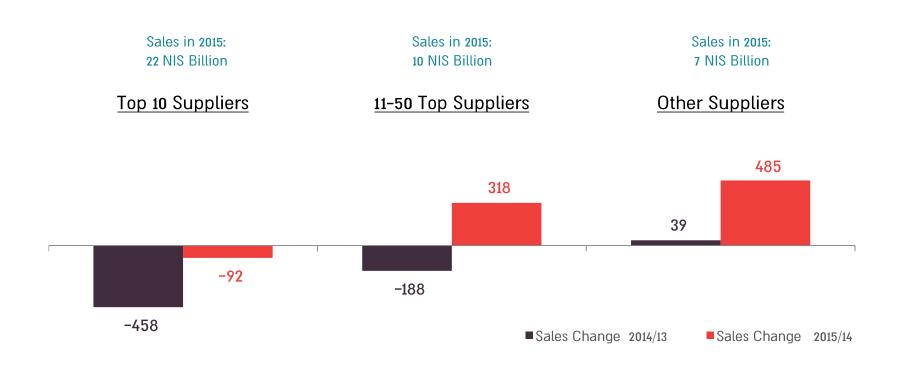


Change in Suppliers' Sales 2013-2015

Suppliers' FMCG Value Sales, NIS Million



The sales of the Top 10 suppliers decline, along with the trend of 2014 only more moderately The rise in sales of Medium-sized and Small-sized suplliers lead to the market's moderate growth

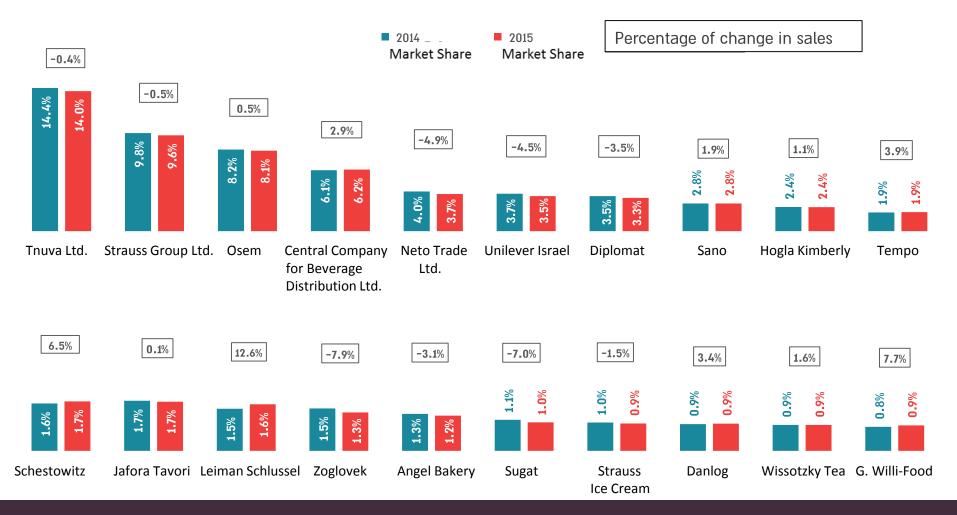




Market Share and Suppliers' Growth 2015

Value market share of total FMCG

The market share of the 10 leading suppliers is 1.2 points lower year-over-year at 55.5% The erosion of the leading suppliers' market share is consistent with the trend in 2014

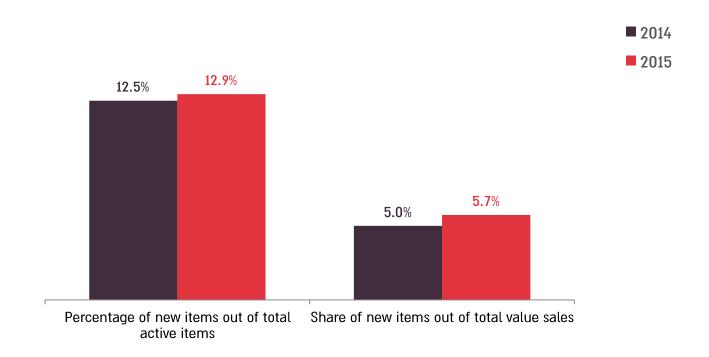


Innovation in 2015

Share of new items in total Value Sales in 2015 compared to 2014



One of the factors that supported the growth in 2015 is a rise in the amount of new items and their contribution to the FMCG sales



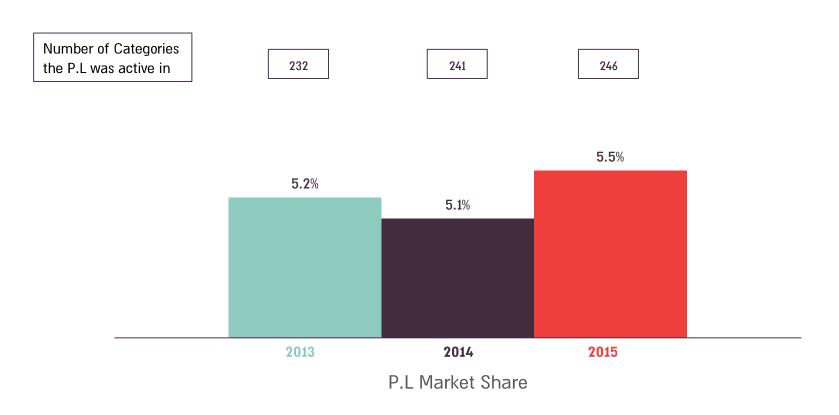
^{*} Active items – items that sold in excess of NIS 10,000 in the entire market



Private Label's Share of Total FMCG

Annual Value Market Share

The Private Label's Value Sales are 2.2 NIS Billion in 2015, rising 11% compared to last year The P.L Market Share increases again, following a trend that began in Q4 of 2014 During this period the P.L entered new categories, including fresh and refrigerated products



^{*} Categories in which the Private Label had sold over 20,000 NIS annually



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Monthly Value Market Share

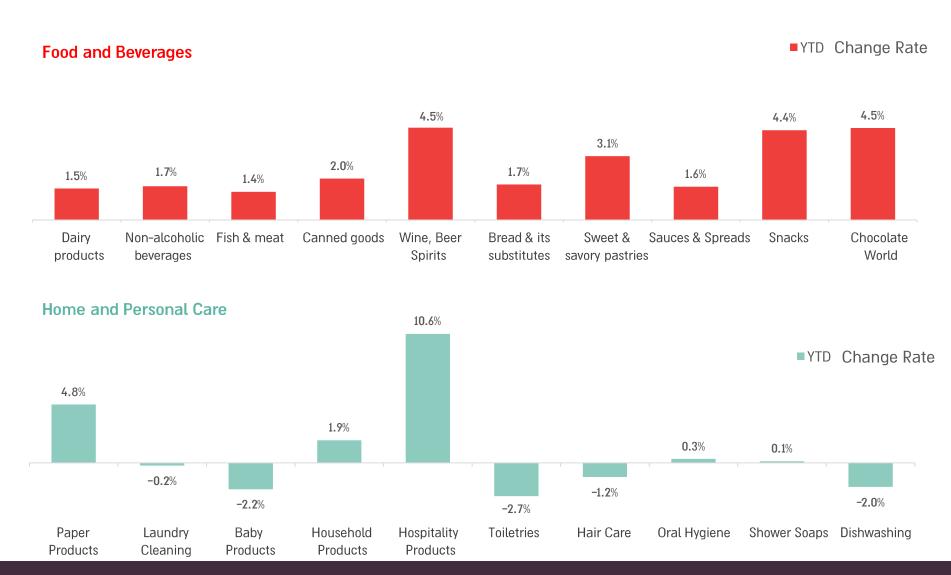
The Private Label reaches 5.7% market share in December, its highest share since January 2015





Value Change in Key Classes 2015

Change in 2015 compared to 2014



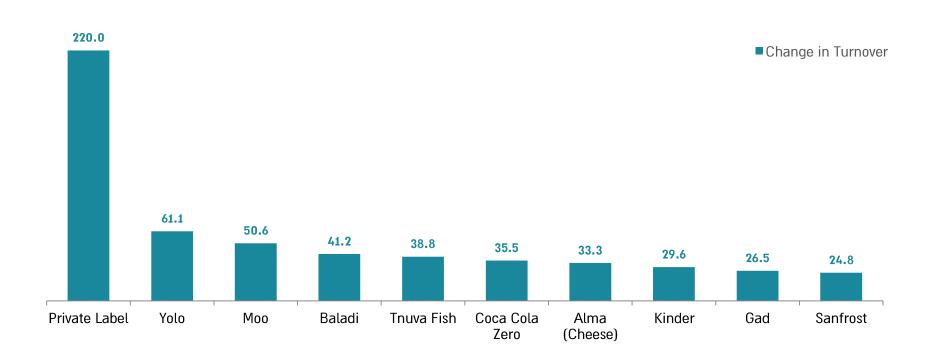


Growing Brands 2015



Change in turnover in 2015 compared to 2014, NIS million

Four of the most growing brands come from the Diary Products World, that went through several changes: Launches, penetration of the Private Label and the broadening of import quotas



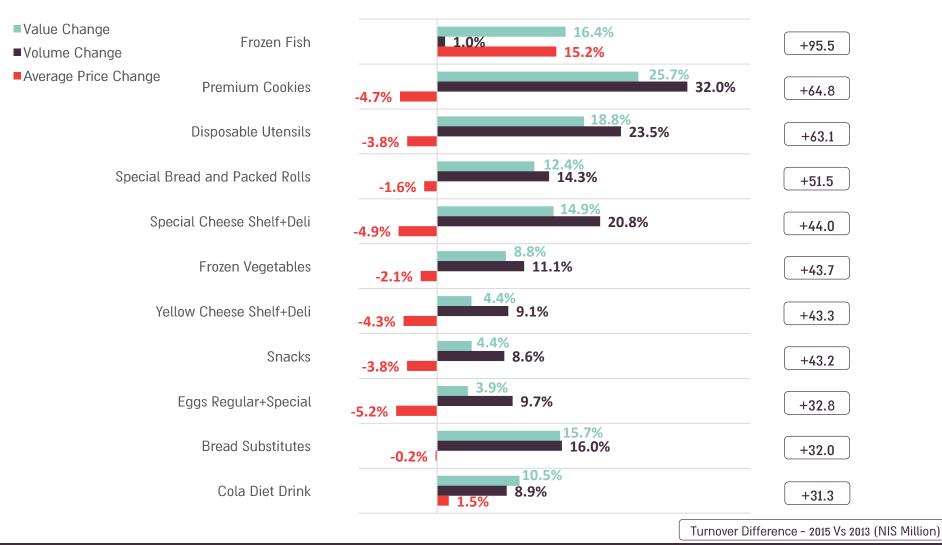


Growing Categories 2013-2015

Two years change - 2015 compared to 2013



In most categories the Value growth was accompanied with volume growth and price decline



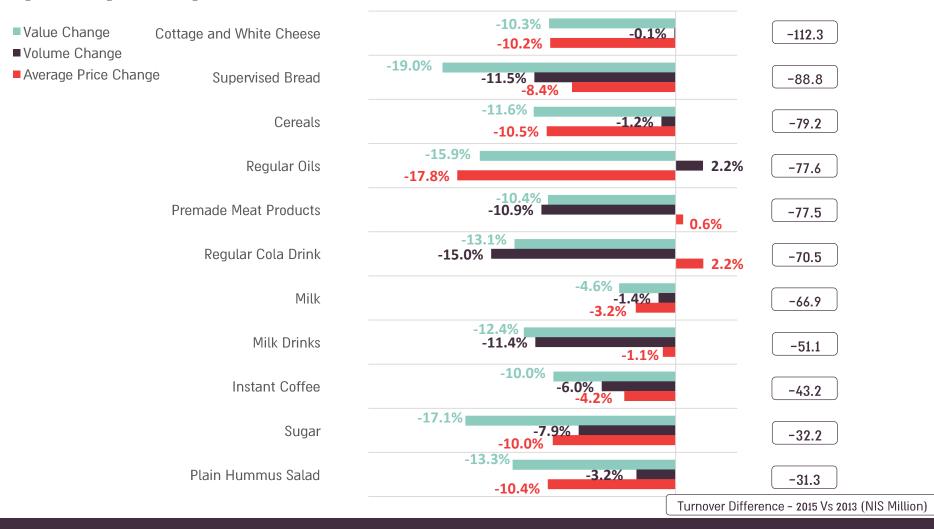


Declining Categories 2013-2015





In Basic categories the drop is driven by price decline, while categories perceived as less healthy it goes along with a significant volume decline

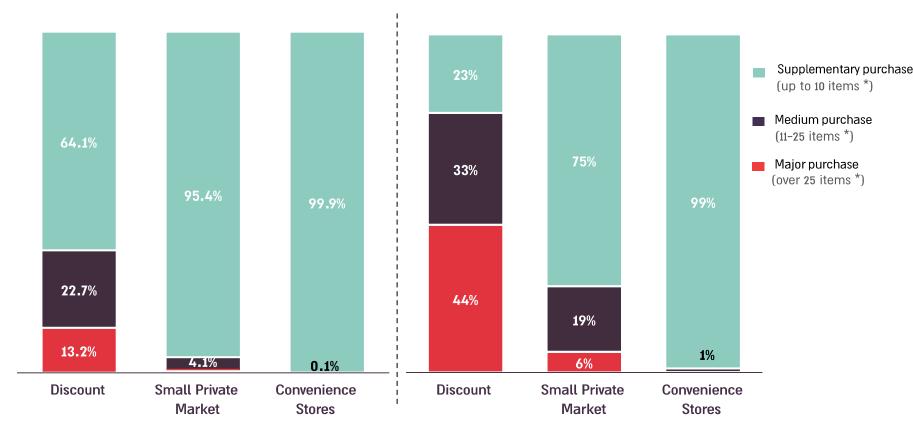




Breakdown of Shopping Carts in Formats - 2015



Shopping Carts in 2015 did not mark significant changes compared to 2014
Only 13% of the Shopping carts in Discount Format are of Major Purchase but they account for 44% of sales



Carts Breakdown

Sales Breakdown

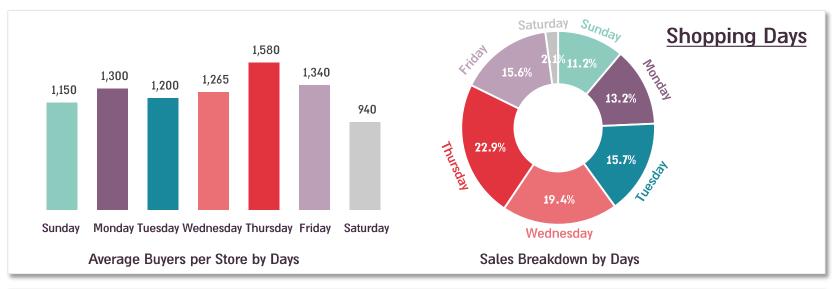
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Shopping Carts Data – Discount Stores



Wednesday marks a relatively low average of buyers but its contribution to sales is high due to high rate of Major Purchases



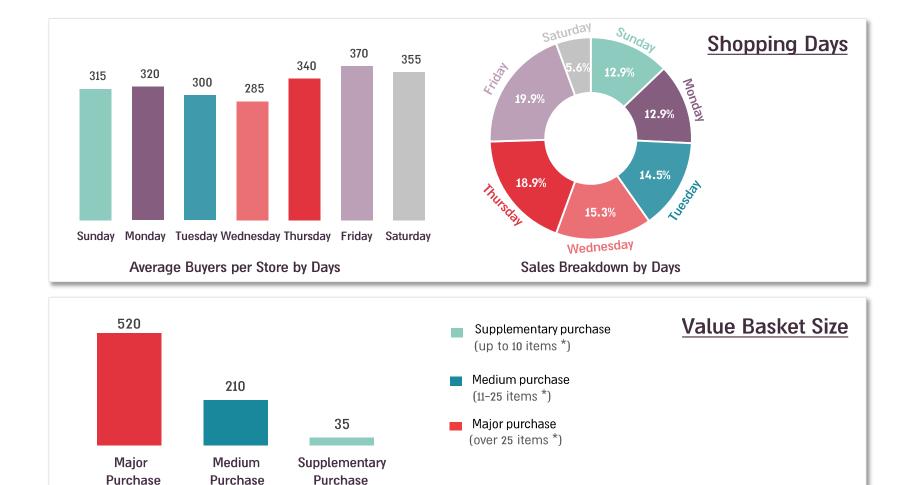




Shopping Carts Data – Small Private Market



The average number of buyers in the weekend is higher than the rest of the weekdays





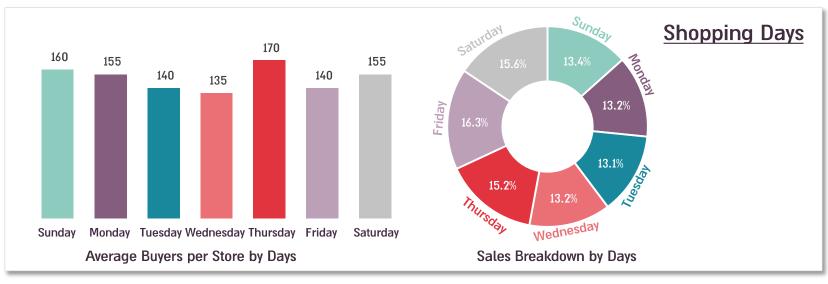
Average Basket Size

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Shopping Carts Data – Convenience Stores



Despite a rather low average of buyers, Friday is the day with the largest contribution to sales







Looking Forward: 2016



In the last two years few processes have begun that are set to influence 2016 as well:

- The Private Label will broaden into new categories and most likely more retailers and will continue to grow in share
- Decreasing import taxes and easing the process might enlarge the imports volume thus increasing the competition
- The decline in V.A.T in Q4 2015 along with the estimation that suppliers will not raise the prices is expected to preserve the current trend in StoreNext Price Index
- The growth is expected to be driven by Innovation and more precise conduct of the offer to the consumer (Value/Cost)

These trends will all take place against the backdrop of the changes in the retail market structure

We Estimate that the upcoming year will resemble 2015 and will present moderate growth along with continuous decline in the price index



