



# Getting Started with Conversion Research

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- 11 years Marketing Experience
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- Hundreds of GA setups carried out
- Google Data Studio Ambassador
- Proficient in gathering user insights from GA
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Examples of the  
*brands we work with*

experian. PALLEX Making the difference DOMINO DEICHMANN

USB2U The Branded Tech Experts COBA TRIFIBRE COMPLETE CASING SOLUTIONS Cambridge & Counties Bank Growing business together East Midlands Chamber

Hockey Factory Shop EVAC+CHAIR The World's No.1 Stairway Evacuation Chair Sturgess of LEICESTER aa labels all about labels GSI UK

BANG+STRIKE PERFORMANCE HEALTH Evergreens UK Brammer Buck & Hickman

FLO GAS MEPC BENTLEY A UK COMPANY wattbike TMF GROUP

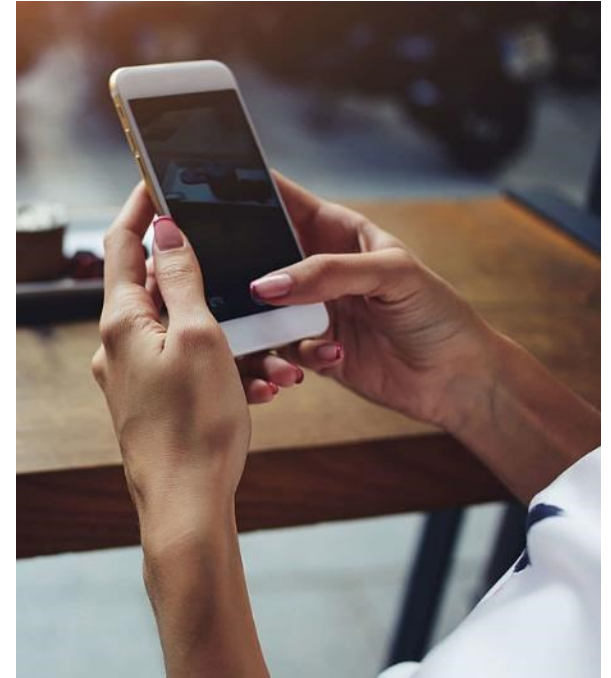
# What is Conversion Rate Optimisation?

**Conversion rate optimisation (CRO) is the systematic process of increasing the percentage of website visitors who take a desired action on your website**

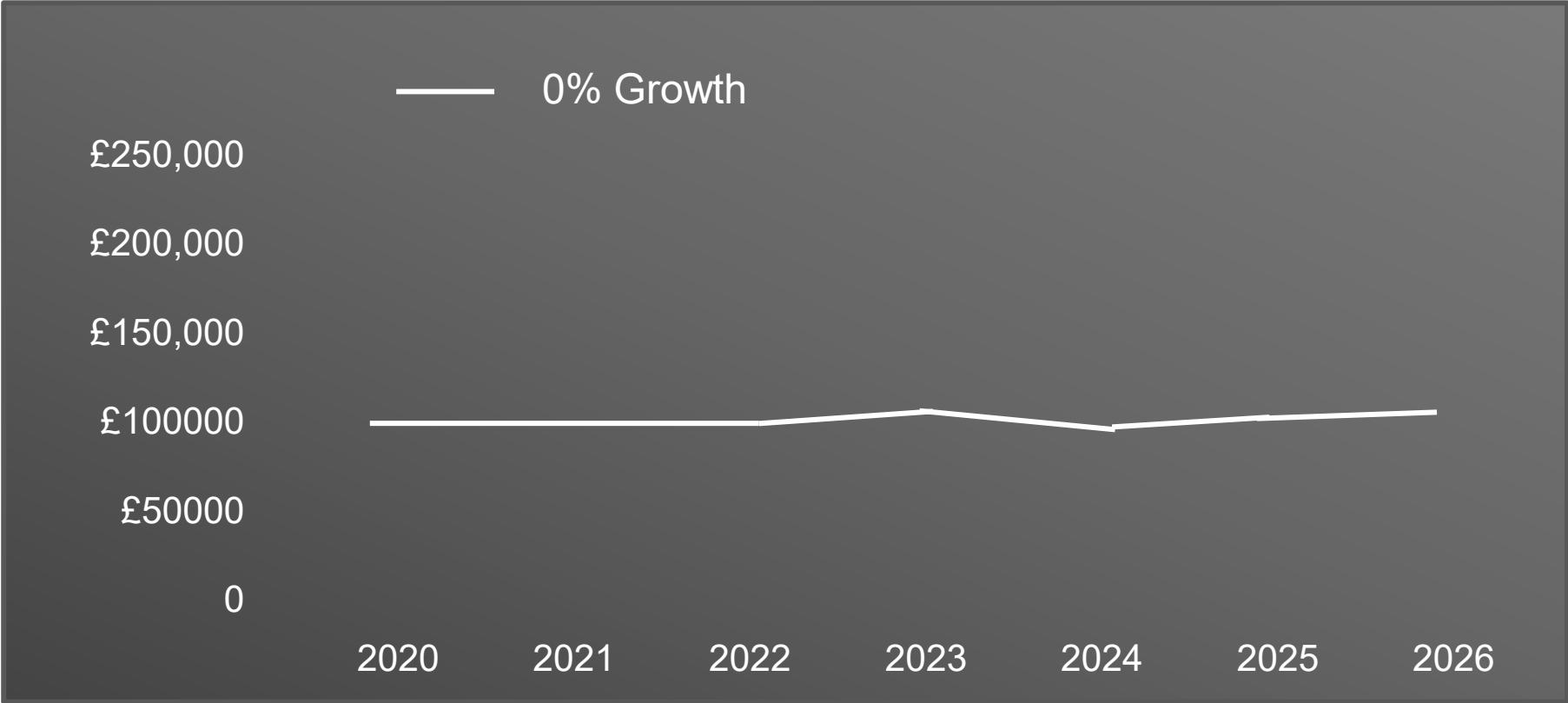
*It's basically about understanding what makes people who are relevant to your business buy or not buy so that you can take action to make improvements!*

# Reasons to do it

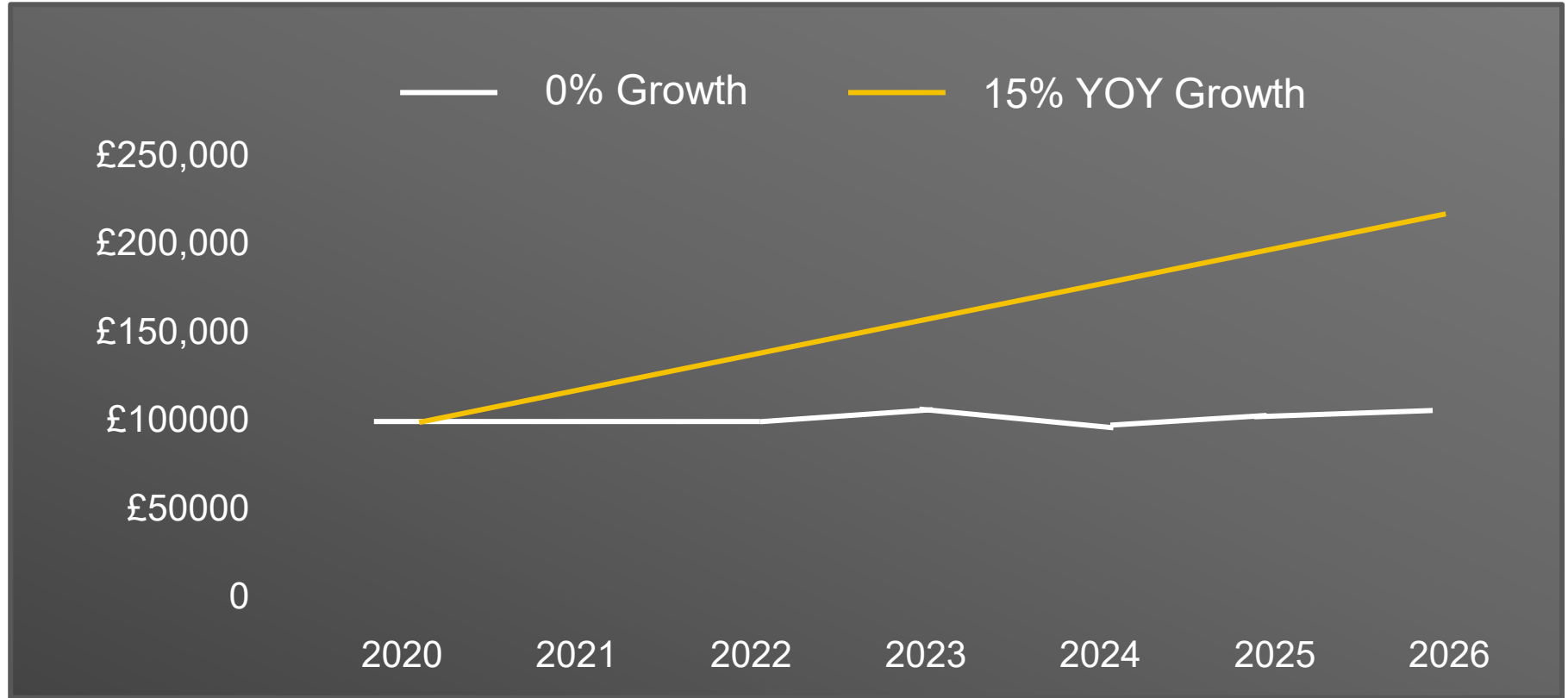
- Solve Visitor Pain Points
- Make More Money
- Get Better ROI from Existing Traffic
- Reduce Abandonment Rates
- Take out the guess work
- Achieve Statistically Significant Improvements
- Profitably Redesign your Website



# The Impacts of Conversion Rate Program on Revenue



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# How do we improve this website by 10%?

**AUTOGLASS**

Book appointment | Glass repair and replacement | What will it cost? | Existing appointment? | About us | Contact us

**Your safety**

- Our service is now contactless and fully socially distanced to protect you and us.
- Our technician will disinfect door handles, the steering wheel and other frequently-touched areas of your vehicle both before and after the work.
- Please refer to [the latest safety information](#) in our FAQs before attending an appointment with us.

**Book online now >>**

**In safe hands**

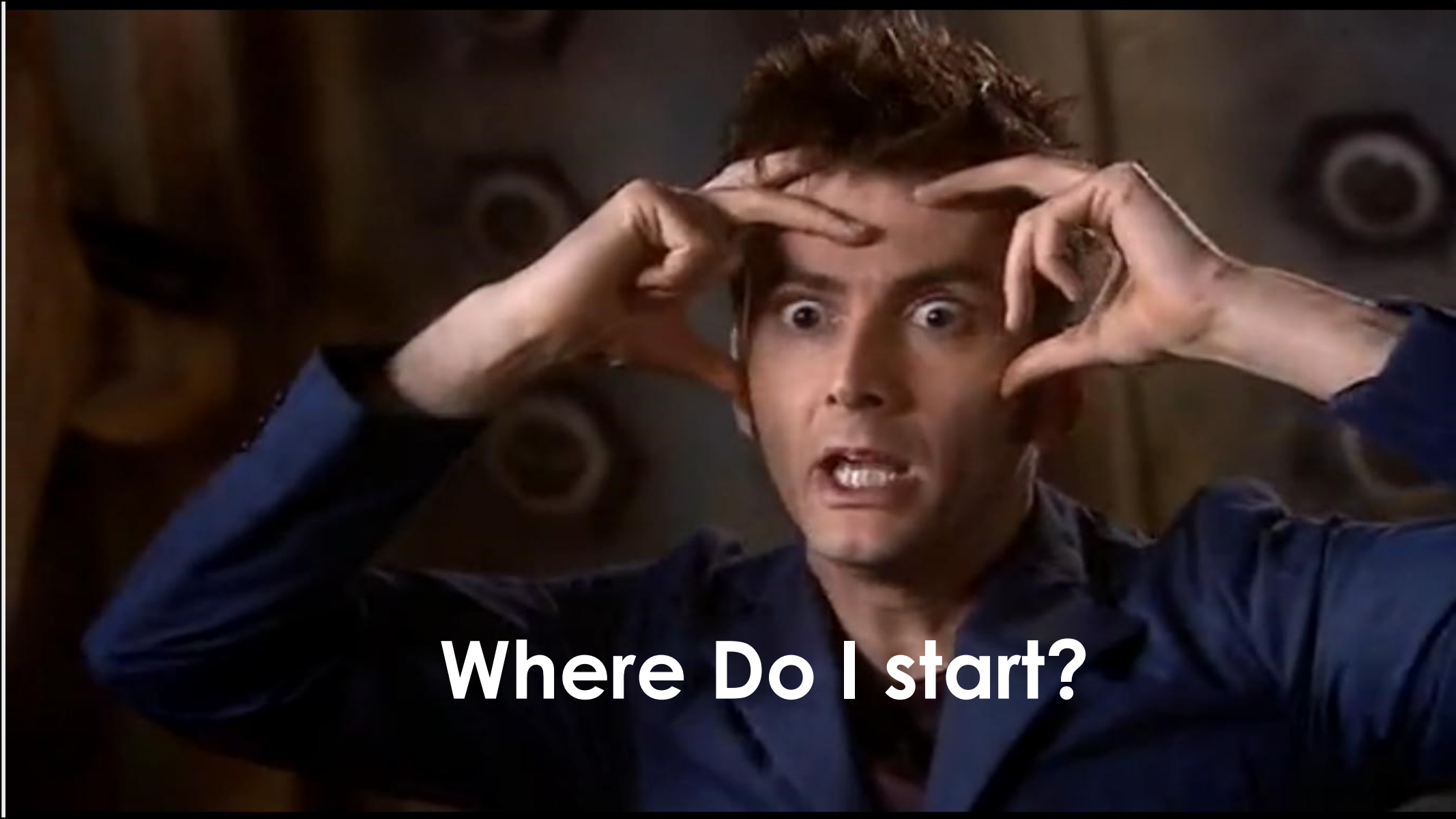
We'll repair or replace your windscreen at a time and place that suits you - and we'll handle the paperwork too.

Scratch or dent on your car? Autoglass® BodyRepair makes repairs easy. Just send a photo of your damage, get a quote and they'll come to you.

**<< Glass Repair** | **Body Repair >>**

**Across the UK** | **What will it cost?** | **What our customers are saying** | **The experts**





**Where Do I start?**

# It All Starts with Research!

## We need to know what matters!


- Which parts of website help conversion rate
- Which parts don't
- Understand what matters to your target audience
- How do they buy / How do they want to buy
  
- What?
- Where?
- Why?



# Ask the right questions

- Whose problem are we solving?
- What do they need?
- What do they think they want?
- Why?
- How do they choose or decide?
- What are they thinking when they see our offer?
- How is what we sell different?
- Where is the site leaking money?
- What are they doing or not doing on the website?
- What leads more people to do X?





**We Need A Systematic Process  
To Gathering Data**

# Research XL Framework

A Method and process for gathering data, analysing data, establishing needs



**ConversionXL**  
institute

<https://cxl.com/>

# The Conversion Research Process

## Step 1. Technical analysis

- Cross-browser testing
- Cross-device testing
- Conversion rate per device / browser
- Speed analysis

## Step 2. Web analytics analysis

- Analytics health check: is everything being measured, is everything accurate
- Set up measurement for KPIs
- Identify leaks

## Step 3. Heuristic analysis

- Identify “areas of interest”
- Check key pages for relevancy, motivation, friction issues

## Step 4. Mouse tracking analysis

- Heat maps & click maps
- Scroll maps
- User session video replays

## Step 5. Qualitative research / surveys

- Customer surveys
- Web traffic surveys
- Chat logs
- Interviews

## Step 6. User testing

- Identify usability & clarity issues, sources of friction



# 1. Technical Analysis

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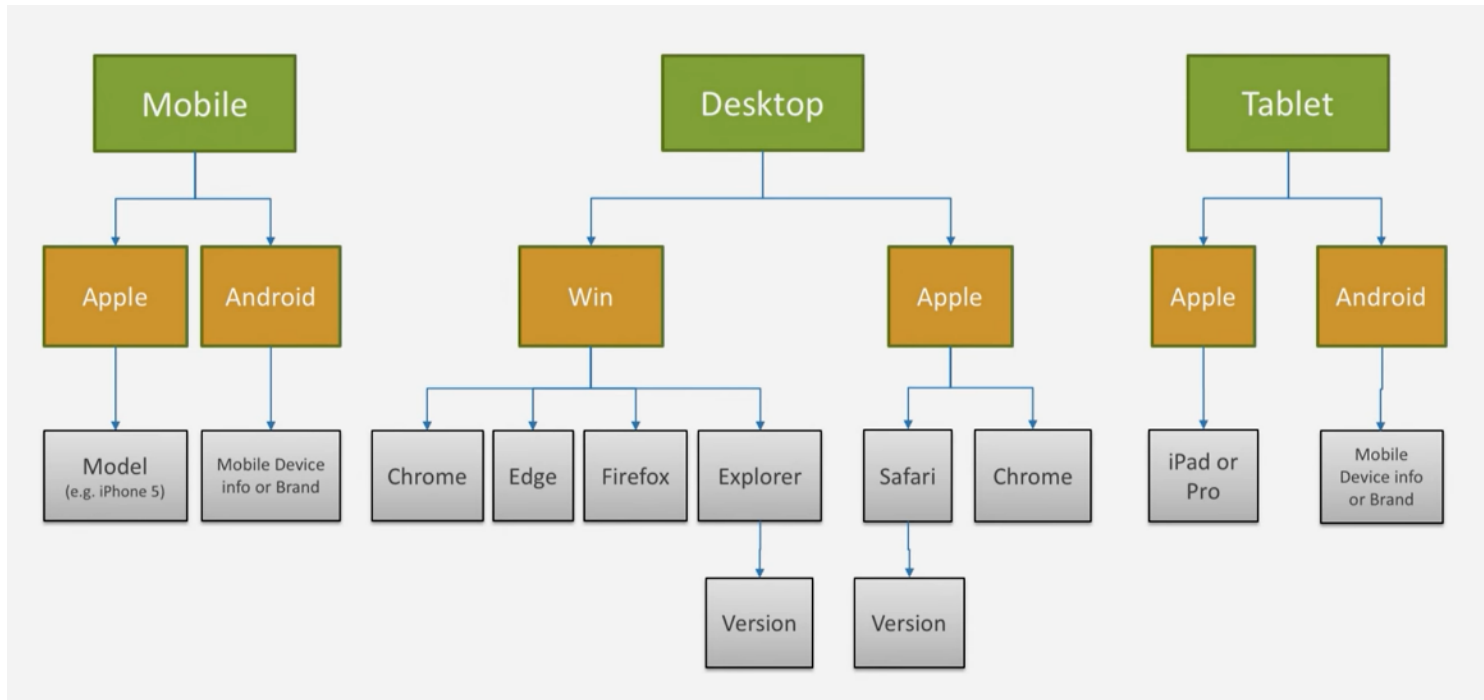
1. Is anything broken?
2. Where
3. Which Browsers
4. Which Devices
5. Which pages are slow





# Devices, Operating Systems, & Browser Analysis

Take Your Goal Metrics and assess Engagement & Conversion rates across all of these



*Device Experience Model – by Craig Sullivan*

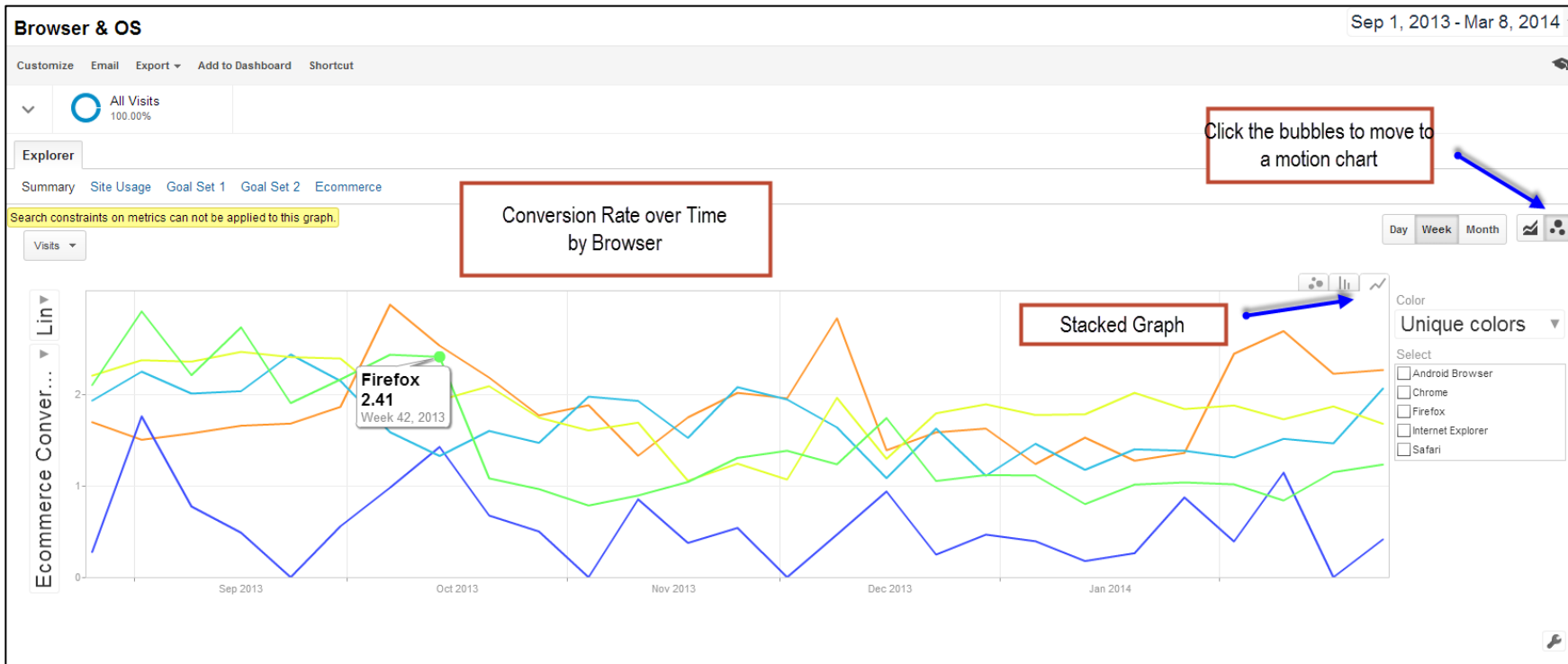
# Use This Free GA Report <http://bit.ly/2vYPxhB>

<input type="checkbox"/>	Device Category ?	Users ?	New Users ?	Sessions ?	Bounce Rate ?	Pages / Session ?	Avg. Session Duration ?	Transactions ?	Revenue ?	Ecommerce Conversion Rate ?	Goal Conversion Rate ?
		2,019,034 % of Total: 100.00% (2,019,034)	1,977,391 % of Total: 100.00% (1,977,391)	2,493,351 % of Total: 100.00% (2,493,351)	65.40% Avg for View: 65.40% (0.00%)	2.43 Avg for View: 2.43 (0.00%)	00:01:07 Avg for View: 00:01:07 (0.00%)	33,945 % of Total: 100.00% (33,945)	£640,115.00 % of Total: 100.00% (£640,115.00)	1.36% Avg for View: 1.36% (0.00%)	27.97% Avg for View: 27.97% (0.00%)
<input type="checkbox"/>	1. mobile	1,402,593 (70.03%)	1,386,048 (70.09%)	1,768,385 (70.92%)	65.95%	2.37	00:00:56	19,633 (57.84%)	£383,112.00 (59.85%)	1.11%	26.96%
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. desktop	376,098 (18.78%)	369,427 (18.68%)	449,425 (18.02%)	61.82%	2.86	00:01:54	11,335 (33.39%)	£199,171.00 (31.11%)	2.52%	35.67%
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. tablet	224,040 (11.19%)	221,916 (11.22%)	275,541 (11.05%)	67.65%	2.14	00:01:03	2,977 (8.77%)	£57,832.00 (9.03%)	1.08%	21.85%

<input type="checkbox"/>	Operating System ?	Users ?	New Users ?	Sessions ?	Bounce Rate ?	Pages / Session ?	Avg. Session Duration ?	Transactions ?	Revenue ?	Ecommerce Conversion Rate ?	Goal Conversion Rate ?
		3,823 % of Total: 57.89% (6,604)	3,674 % of Total: 57.91% (6,344)	4,873 % of Total: 60.33% (8,074)	74.94% Avg for View: 78.47% (-4.30%)	1.79 Avg for View: 1.59 (12.43%)	00:01:40 Avg for View: 00:01:13 (37.88%)	0 % of Total: 0.00% (0)	£0.00 % of Total: 0.00% (£0.00)	0.00% Avg for View: 0.00% (0.00%)	68.11% Avg for View: 52.08% (30.78%)
	1. Windows	2,276 (59.52%)	2,168 (59.01%)	3,090 (63.41%)	72.52%	1.89	00:02:03	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)	0.00%	71.88%
	2. Macintosh	1,168 (30.54%)	1,129 (30.73%)	1,367 (28.05%)	75.64%	1.74	00:01:13	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)	0.00%	73.52%
	3. (not set)	231 (6.04%)	231 (6.29%)	231 (4.74%)	94.81%	0.96	<00:00:01	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)	0.00%	9.09%
	4. Linux	98 (2.56%)	98 (2.67%)	103 (2.11%)	86.41%	1.53	00:01:02	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)	0.00%	36.89%
	5. Chrome OS	46 (1.20%)	43 (1.17%)	77 (1.58%)	83.12%	1.22	00:00:41	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)	0.00%	44.16%
	6. Android	4 (0.10%)	4 (0.11%)	4 (0.08%)	100.00%	1.00	00:00:00	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)	0.00%	0.00%
	7. iOS	1 (0.03%)	1 (0.03%)	1 (0.02%)	100.00%	1.00	00:00:00	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)	0.00%	0.00%

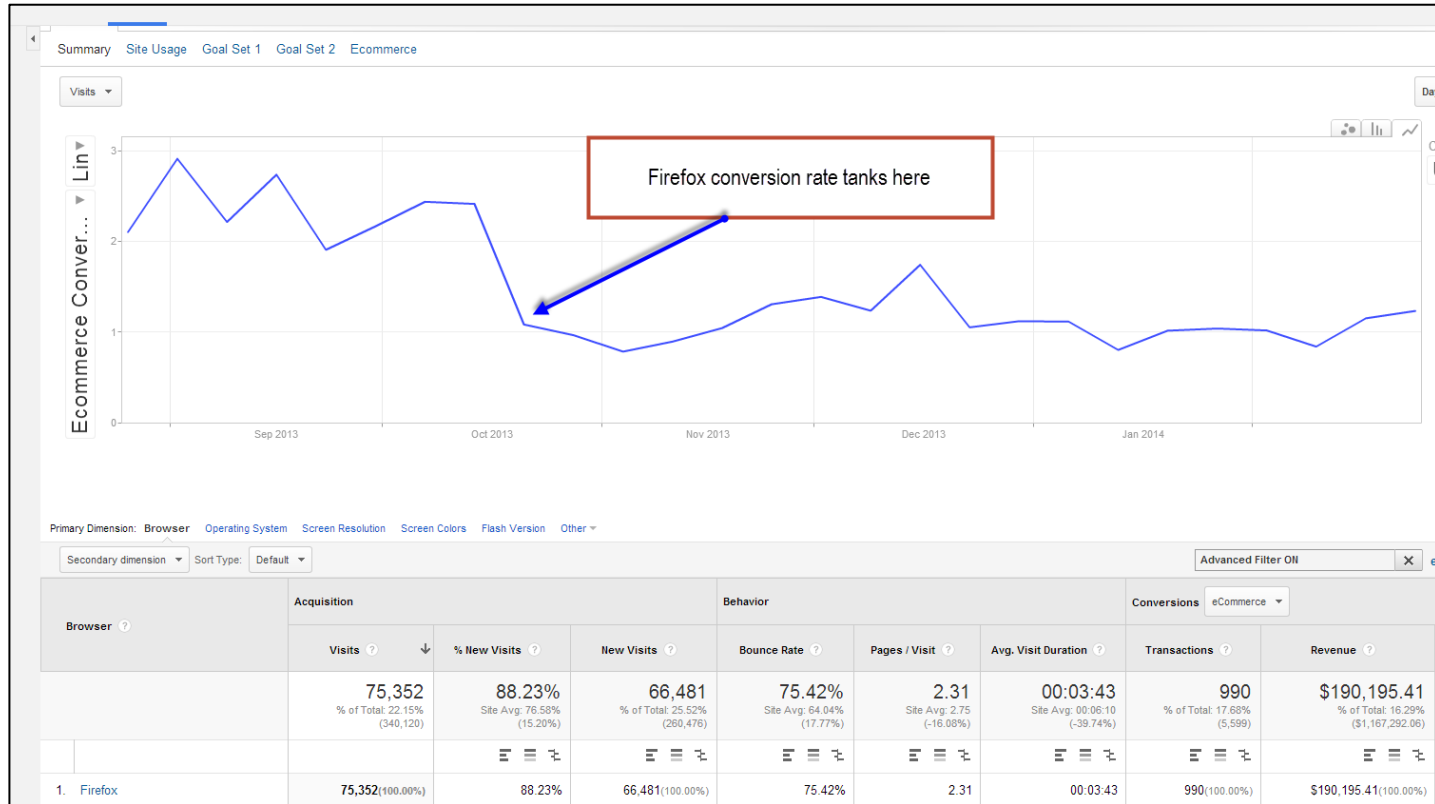
# Conversion Rate by Browser Type

- View conversion rates of different browsers over time
- [Go to Audiences >Technology>Browser & OS](#)



# Conversion Rate by Browser Type

- Right away, I noticed that Firefox took a big dip in October 2013. By applying an advanced filter this to this report, I was very able to quickly isolate the conversion rate in Firefox.



## Device Category

Category	Segment	Version	Users	Sessions	% of this section	Sales	Revenue	RPU	User Ecom CR	What if?
Desktop	All	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	
Mobile	All	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!
Tablet	All	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

## Mobile

Category	Segment	Version	Users	Sessions	% of this section	Sales	Revenue	RPU	User Ecom CR	What if?
Mobile	iPhones (iOS)	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	
Mobile	Android	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!
Mobile	Windows	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

## Tablet

Category	Segment	Version	Users	Sessions	% of this section	Sales	Revenue	RPU	User Ecom CR	What if?
Tablet	iPad (iOS)	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	
Tablet	Android	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!
Tablet	(other)	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

## Desktop

Category	Segment	Version	Users	Sessions	% of this section	Sales	Revenue	RPU	User Ecom CR	What if?
Desktop	Chrome	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	
Desktop	Internet Explorer	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!
Desktop	Edge	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!
Desktop	Safari	All	0	0	0%	0	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

<https://bit.ly/30u7L7U>

# Identifying Slow Loading Pages in GA

- Go to [Behaviour > Site Speed > Page Timings](#)
- View site speed for different **devices**, **browsers**, and **geographic** areas to find where improvement opportunities exist
- TIP: Use **Avg. Document Interactive Time** to give you an accurate reflection of how long it takes before the user can see and interact with the page.

Site Usage Technical DOM Timings

Page ?	Device Category ?	Pageviews ?	Avg. Document Interactive Time (sec) ?	Avg. Document Content Loaded Time (sec) ?	Avg. Page Load Time (sec) ?
1. /	desktop	3,555 (3.27%)	3.34	3.35	9.08
2. /	mobile	2,278 (2.09%)	20.05	20.05	22.20
3. /slimming-sportswear/slimming-sportswear-bottoms.html	mobile	1,394 (1.28%)	10.14	10.14	12.51
4. /slimming-sportswear.html	mobile	1,383 (1.27%)	9.64	9.64	13.48
5. /slimming-sportswear/slimming-sportswear-bottoms.html	desktop	1,256 (1.15%)	7.94	8.08	14.42
6. /	tablet	1,205 (1.11%)	1.85	1.85	3.96
7. /tummy-control-legging-high-black.html	mobile	999 (0.92%)	17.36	17.36	23.58
8. /sports-bottoms.html	desktop	900 (0.83%)	5.64	5.64	8.19
9. /footwear.html	desktop	846 (0.78%)	6.49	6.49	11.40
10. /slimming-sportswear.html	desktop	830 (0.76%)	10.75	10.79	13.16



MOBILE



DESKTOP

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https://anicca.co.uk/

0-49 50-89 90-100 ⓘ

**Field Data** — The Chrome User Experience Report [does not have sufficient real-world speed data](#) for this page.

**Origin Summary** — Over the previous 28-day collection period, the aggregate experience of all pages served from this origin **does not pass** the [Core Web Vitals](#) assessment. To view suggestions tailored to each page, analyze individual page URLs.

■ First Contentful Paint (FCP)

2 s

● First Input Delay (FID) ⓘ

3 ms

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## 2. Heuristic Analysis



## Step 2 Heuristic Analysis

1. Relevance
2. Clarity
3. Motivation
4. Friction / Distraction



Walk through the customer journey to identify areas of interest

# Heuristic Analysis Example

## Distraction

Text in image too distracting and makes page feel busy. Reduce to icon and network logo.

## Clarity

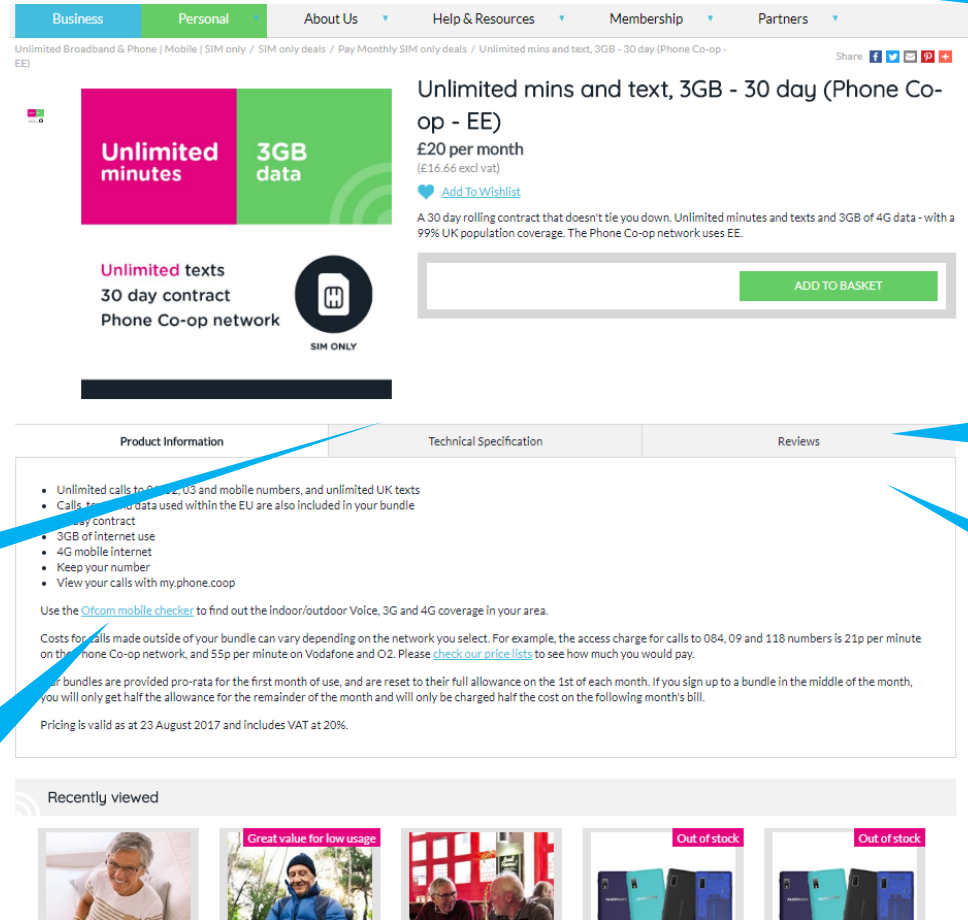
Small Text

## Clarity

Redundant Tabs

## Distraction

Outbound links acts a distraction and removes the person from the process of buying. Keep information on page or use popup.



## Motivation

No Visible Delivery & Returns info on page.

## Distraction

In consistent button colour. Was green now Pink. Also border around button is a distraction.

## Motivation

Hidden Reviews. Make Reviews more visible on page.

## Friction

Include an FAQ tab to address frequently asked questions

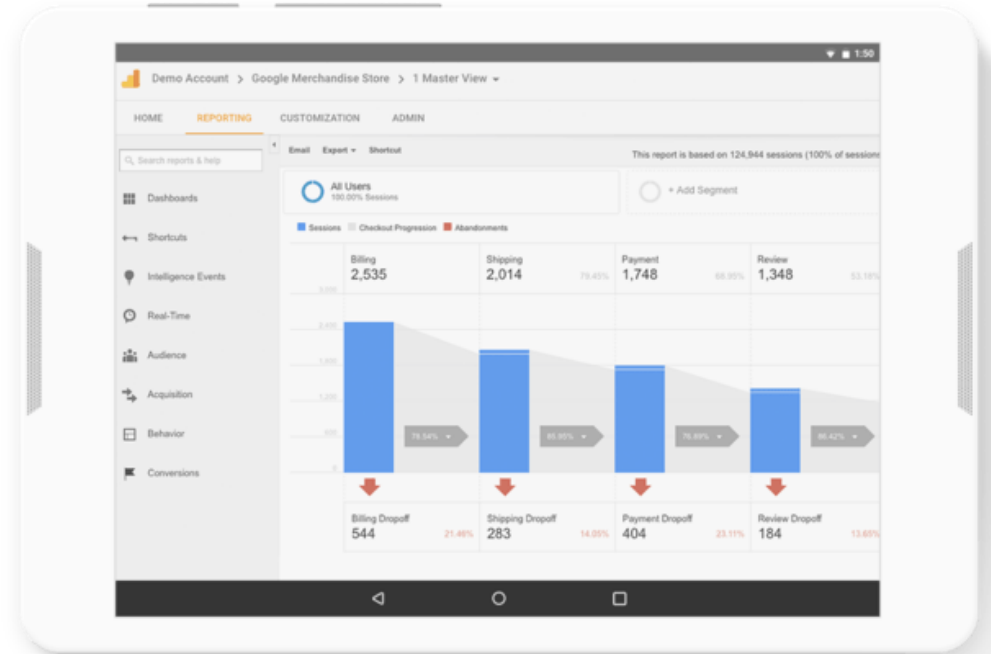
Would taking users directly to basket rather than the option to continue shopping work better?



# 3. Web Analytics Analysis

# Data Analytics

1. Where are the leaks?
2. Which segments?
3. What are users doing?
4. Which actions correlate with higher conversions?



# Track as much as you can – You might need it later

Interaction



I love you



Dwell time



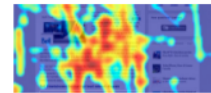
Short-term goals



Long-term goals



Qualitative



# Locate the pages and sections site where users Abandon

- Group your pages by page type to see the sections where users enter
- Review bounce rates & conversion rates for each section and drill down to individual pages

Page Type (Landing Content Group) ?	Acquisition			Behaviour			Conversions <span>E-commerce ▾</span>		
	Sessions ? ↓	% New Sessions ?	New Users ?	Bounce Rate ?	Pages/Session ?	Avg. Session Duration ?	Transactions ?	Revenue ?	E-commerce Conversion Rate ?
	42,649 <small>% of Total: 100.00% (42,649)</small>	75.48% <small>Avg for View: 75.47% (0.01%)</small>	32,190 <small>% of Total: 100.01% (32,186)</small>	74.54% <small>Avg for View: 74.54% (0.00%)</small>	1.93 <small>Avg for View: 1.93 (0.00%)</small>	00:01:13 <small>Avg for View: 00:01:13 (0.00%)</small>	674 <small>% of Total: 100.00% (674)</small>	£56,138.61 <small>% of Total: 100.00% (£56,138.61)</small>	1.58% <small>Avg for View: 1.58% (0.00%)</small>
1. <span>product</span>	37,650 (88.28%) ←	78.58%	29,585 (91.91%)	79.07%	1.69	00:00:59	424 (62.91%)	£29,241.60 (52.09%)	1.13%
2. <span>home</span>	2,720 (6.38%)	61.25%	1,666 (5.18%)	29.01%	4.41	00:03:31	132 (19.58%)	£14,781.31 (26.33%)	4.85%
3. <span>category</span>	1,248 (2.93%)	55.85%	697 (2.17%)	52.00%	2.81	00:02:04	25 (3.71%)	£3,026.13 (5.39%)	2.00%
4. <span>other</span>	675 (1.58%)	30.07%	203 (0.63%)	61.04%	2.78	00:02:17	20 (2.97%)	£1,910.64 (3.40%)	2.96%
5. <span>cart</span>	336 (0.79%)	61.25%	1,666 (5.18%)	29.01%	4.41	00:03:31	132 (19.58%)	£14,781.31 (26.33%)	4.85%
6. <span>(not set)</span>	15 (0.04%)	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	0.00%	1.40	00:00:28	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)	0.00%
7. <span>purchase</span>	5 (0.01%)	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	0.00%	1.40	00:00:05	5 (0.74%)	£474.95 (0.85%)	100.00%

Product pages is our top entrance section to the site!

# Where are the leaks



# Landing & Exit Page Analysis

Use the landing pages report with the secondary dimension of exit page to see the pages users abandon on

Primary Dimension: Landing Page Content Grouping: none Other

Plot Rows Secondary dimension: Exit Page Sort Type: Default


Advanced Filter ON edit

	Landing Page	Exit Page	Acquisition			Behavior			Conversions		
			Sessions	% New Sessions	New Users	Bounce Rate	Pages / Session	Avg. Session Duration	*All Form Enquiries (Url) (Goal 16 Conversion Rate)	*All Form Enquiries (Url) (Goal 16 Completions)	*All Form Enquiries (Url) (Goal 16 Value)
			1,551 % of Total: 27.65% (5,610)	61.70% Avg for View: 72.62% (-15.03%)	957 % of Total: 23.49% (4,074)	56.80% Avg for View: 72.94% (-22.13%)	2.37 Avg for View: 1.77 (33.93%)	00:02:08 Avg for View: 00:01:37 (31.48%)	0.71% Avg for View: 0.30% (134.04%)	11 % of Total: 64.71% (17)	£0.00 % of Total: 0.00% (£0.00)
<input type="checkbox"/>	1. /	/	1,064 (68.60%)	62.31%	663 (69.28%)	82.80%	1.47	00:00:52	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. /	/webinars-videos/	58 (3.74%)	39.66%	23 (2.40%)	0.00%	3.59	00:03:52	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. /	/contact/	48 (3.09%)	68.75%	33 (3.45%)	0.00%	3.19	00:03:18	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. /	/free-access-thankyou/	32 (2.06%)	75.00%	24 (2.51%)	0.00%	3.66	00:02:39	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. /	/meet-the-team/	26 (1.68%)	69.23%	18 (1.88%)	0.00%	4.73	00:05:06	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. /	/about-us/job-vacancies/	23 (1.48%)	86.96%	20 (2.09%)	0.00%	2.96	00:00:47	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. /	/request-free-access/	22 (1.42%)	63.64%	14 (1.46%)	0.00%	2.82	00:02:01	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)
<input type="checkbox"/>	8. /	/about-us/	16 (1.03%)	100.00%	16 (1.67%)	0.00%	2.75	00:02:14	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)
<input type="checkbox"/>	9. /	/privacy-policy/	16 (1.03%)	93.75%	15 (1.57%)	0.00%	3.25	00:04:32	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)
<input type="checkbox"/>	10. /	/small-businesses-and-traders/	11 (0.71%)	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	0.00%	5.64	00:21:13	0.00%	0 (0.00%)	£0.00 (0.00%)



# Identify High Bounce Landing Pages

- Understand which pages users enter on and whether they go to view other pages
- Do users who land on your page end up converting?
- **Check for high bounce rate and poor converting pages**



Landing Page ?	Sessions ? ↓	% New Sessions ?	New Users ?	Bounce Rate ?	Pages/Session ?	Avg. Session Duration ?	Transactions ?	Revenue ?	E-commerce Conversion Rate ?
1. /home	54,431 (56.91%)	72.13%	39,261 (55.8%)	55.40%	3.95	00:02:23	1,149 (57.22%)	US\$204,861.72 (53.89%)	2.11%
2. /google+redesign/shop+by+brand/you tube	18,166 (18.99%)	91.96%	16,706 (23.7%)	63.75%	2.28	00:00:58	16 (0.80%)	US\$1,920.04 (0.51%)	0.09%
3. /google+redesign/apparel/mens/mens +t+shirts	3,002 (3.14%)	79.98%	2,401 (3.4%)	43.34%	4.81	00:02:46	26 (1.29%)	US\$1,719.80 (0.45%)	0.87%
4. /google+redesign/nest/nest-usa	2,353 (2.46%)	47.00%	1,106 (1.5%)	28.05%	6.79	00:04:14	323 (16.09%)	US\$67,983.20 (17.88%)	13.73%
5. /signin.html	1,583 (1.66%)	30.39%	481 (0.6%)	36.45%	3.69	00:02:01	43 (2.14%)	US\$6,514.58 (1.71%)	2.72%
6. /google+redesign/shop+by+brand/waze/waze+pack+of+9+decal+set.axd	1,373 (1.44%)	92.57%	1,271 (1.8%)	87.40%	1.44	00:00:20	0 (0.00%)	US\$0.00 (0.00%)	0.00%
7. /google+redesign/apparel	1,052 (1.10%)	69.77%	734 (1.0%)	40.97%	4.85	00:03:00	11 (0.55%)	US\$454.46 (0.12%)	1.05%
8. /google+redesign/bags	919 (0.96%)	68.34%	628 (0.8%)	45.92%	4.40	00:02:24	8 (0.40%)	US\$505.00 (0.13%)	0.87%
9. /basket.html	853 (0.89%)	23.45%	200 (0.2%)	42.56%	6.99	00:04:45	140 (6.97%)	US\$33,474.25 (8.80%)	16.41%
10. /google+redesign/accessories/stickers/home	831 (0.87%)	87.85%	730 (1.0%)	51.99%	4.04	00:02:13	3 (0.15%)	US\$24.08 (0.01%)	0.36%



# 4. User Click Tracking

# Mouse Tracking and Form Analytics

- Where do they click
- How Far Down they Scroll
- Differences between devices
- Session Replays



# Session Replays

The screenshot shows a video player displaying a webpage for Hotjar's pricing. The webpage content includes a header with the Hotjar logo and navigation links, a main heading 'Complete and affordable insights for any organization size.', and three pricing plans: BUSINESS, PLUS, and BASIC. A 'TRY IT FOR FREE' button is highlighted in red. Red lines and boxes are drawn over the page to highlight specific features and pricing details. A video player interface is overlaid at the bottom, showing a progress bar at 1:46 / 12:16 and the current page URL: https://www.hotjar.com/compare-our-plans.

Plan	Price	Sample Size	Storage
BUSINESS	Starting from \$20,000 per month	Snapshot size of 5,000 visits for heatmaps, forms and recordings.	Data storage for 1 year.
PLUS	\$29 per month	Sample size of 10,000 page views per day.	Data storage for 6 months.
BASIC	FREE	Sample size of 2,000 page views per day.	Data storage for 3 months.

## Visitor Recordings

**See what your users see** – Eliminate guesswork with Recordings of real visitor behavior on your site. By seeing your visitor's clicks, taps and mouse movements you can identify usability issues on the fly and issues they encounter.

Replay sessions of real site visitors.

Tag Recordings

View user actions and take notes

Share Recordings with anyone

Easily filter your Recordings

Suppress keystrokes and text

[Learn more about suppressing keystrokes and text](#)

# Scroll Mapping Example

Getting detailed insights into where users click and scroll and key pages of the website

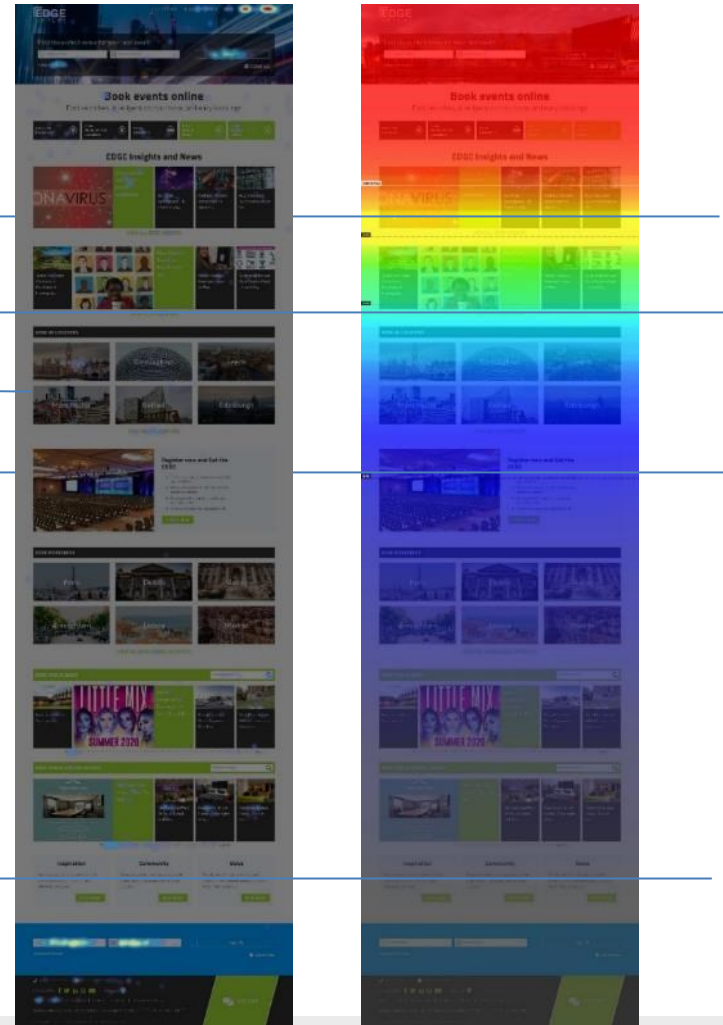
Average Fold

50% of users view below this

**Promote these locations further up the page**

25% of users view below this

15% of users reach this point  
More users search at bottom of page than Top



# Heatmaps

## Heatmaps

**Visualize behavior** – Understand what users want, care about and do on your site by visually representing their clicks, taps and scrolling behavior – which are the strongest indicators of visitor motivation and desire.

[Click Heatmaps](#)

[Move Heatmaps](#)

[Scroll Heatmaps](#)

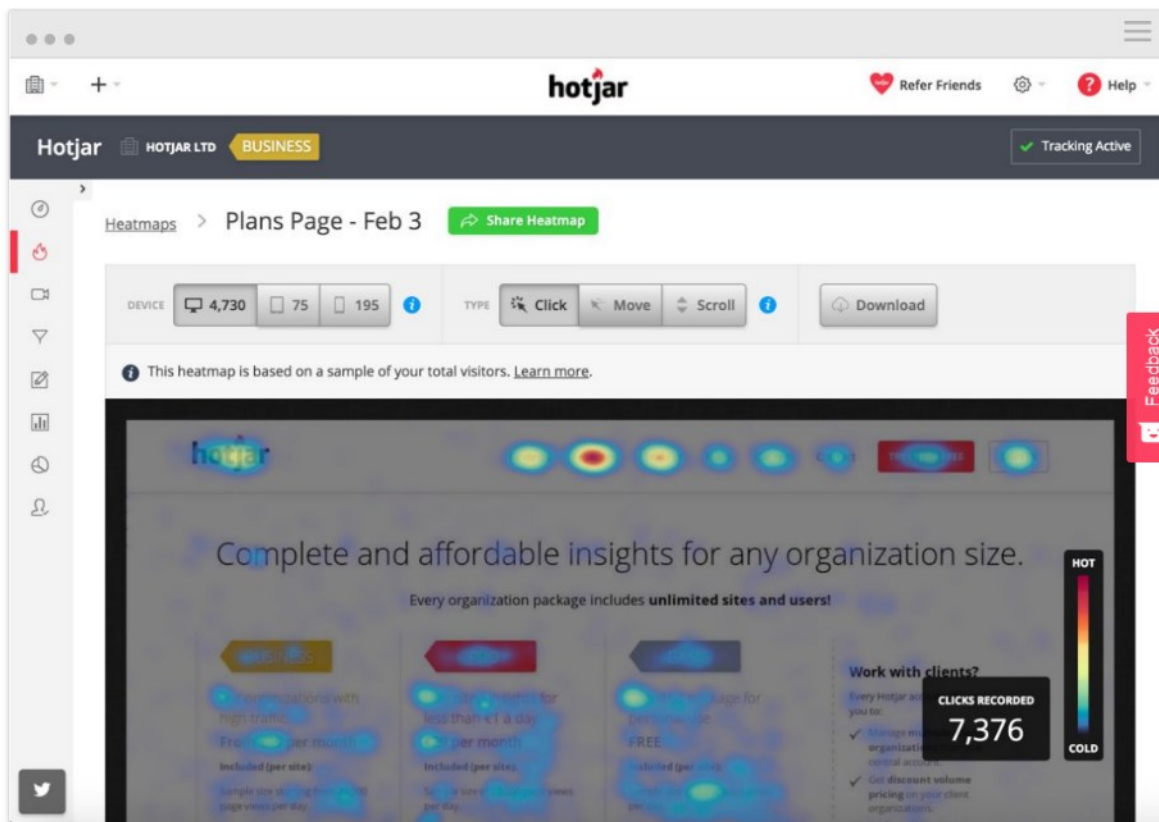
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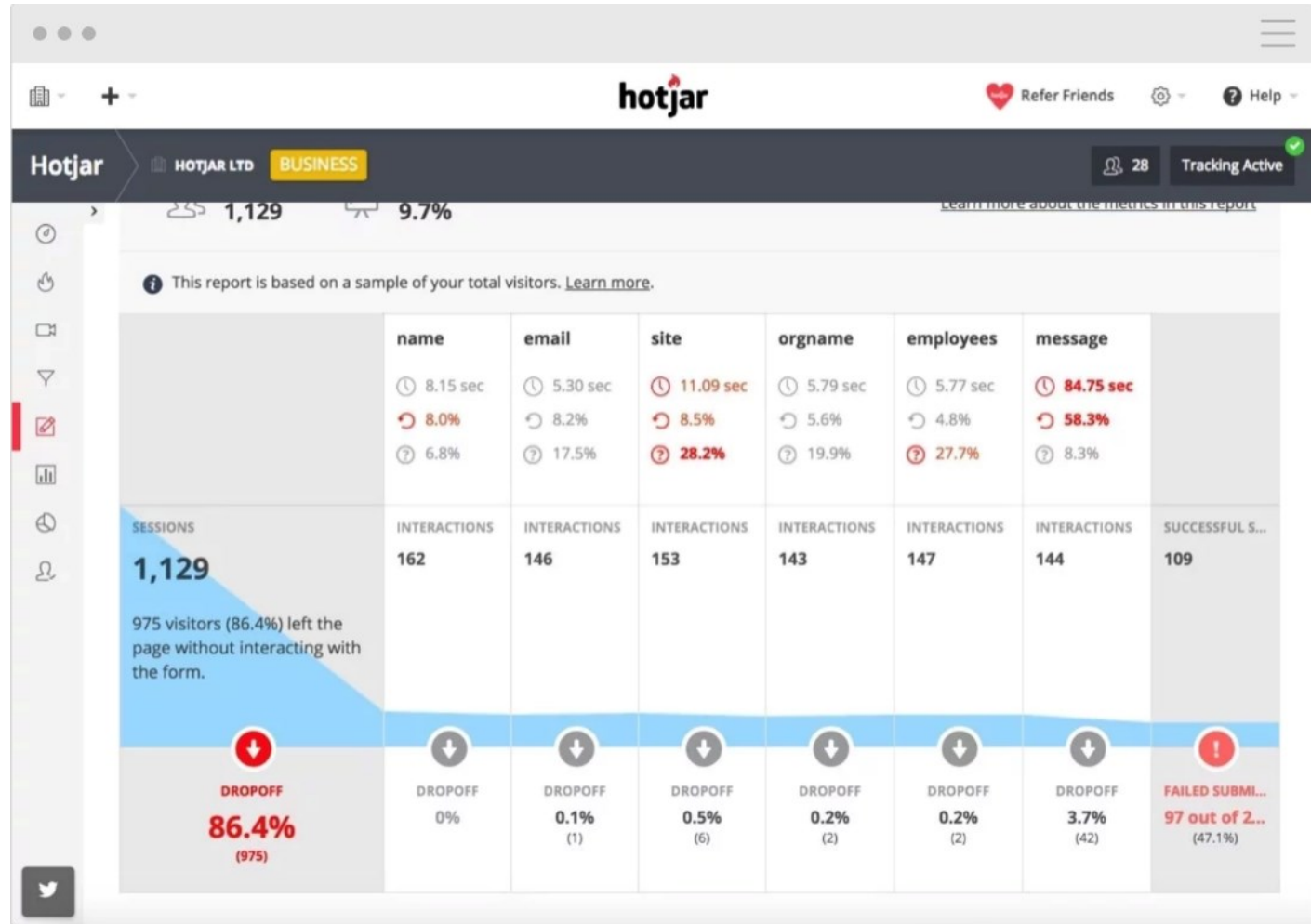
[Documentation](#)

[The Hotjar Heatmap guide](#)



# Form Analytics

Find where users are abandoning on forms





# 5. Qualitative Surveys



# Polls & Surveys Surveys

- Onsite Surveys (Prospects)
- Exit Surveys (Abandoners)
- Post Purchase Surveys (Customers)

Use a combination of closed and open ended questions



## BRIK Customer Survey

Answer the 11 questions below to enter your chance to win an iPad Mini with BRIK.

Please be **BLUNT** and **DIRECT** in your feedback - it's the only way we can improve BRIK further. It's also impossible to offend us!

Questions marked with an \* are required.

In one sentence describe yourself e.g. I am for watches. \*

Please type here...

Have you ever used similar services to BRIK

- No
- Yes (please specify...)

- what else do they

Help us improve our site and earn a \$20 Amazon Gift Voucher.

We are looking for visitors to participate in a usability test. To qualify simply fill in the short form below. If you are selected, you will be contacted by a member of our team.

Full name

Age

City

Email

Phone number

Male

Female

Not using Hotjar yet?

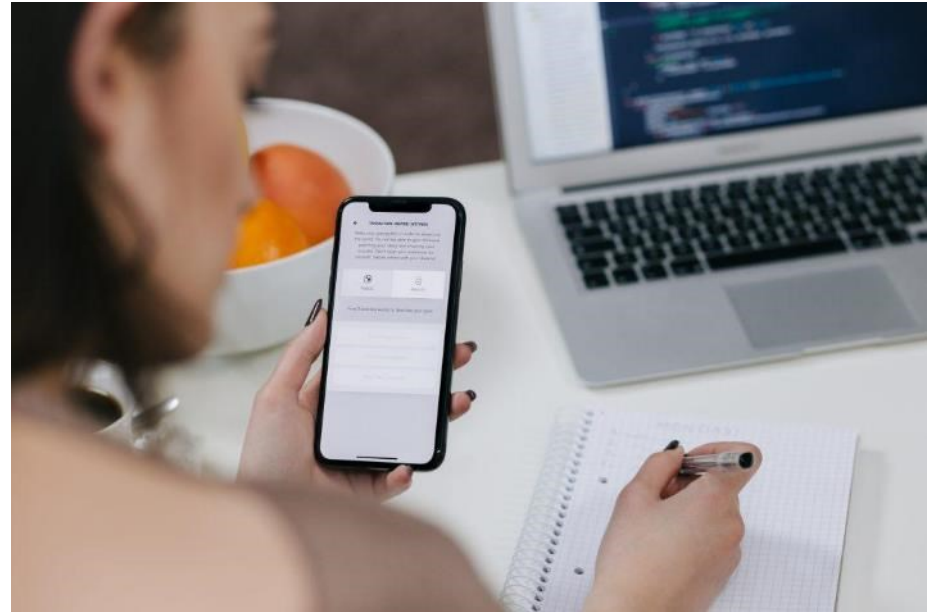
Send >



# 6. User Testing

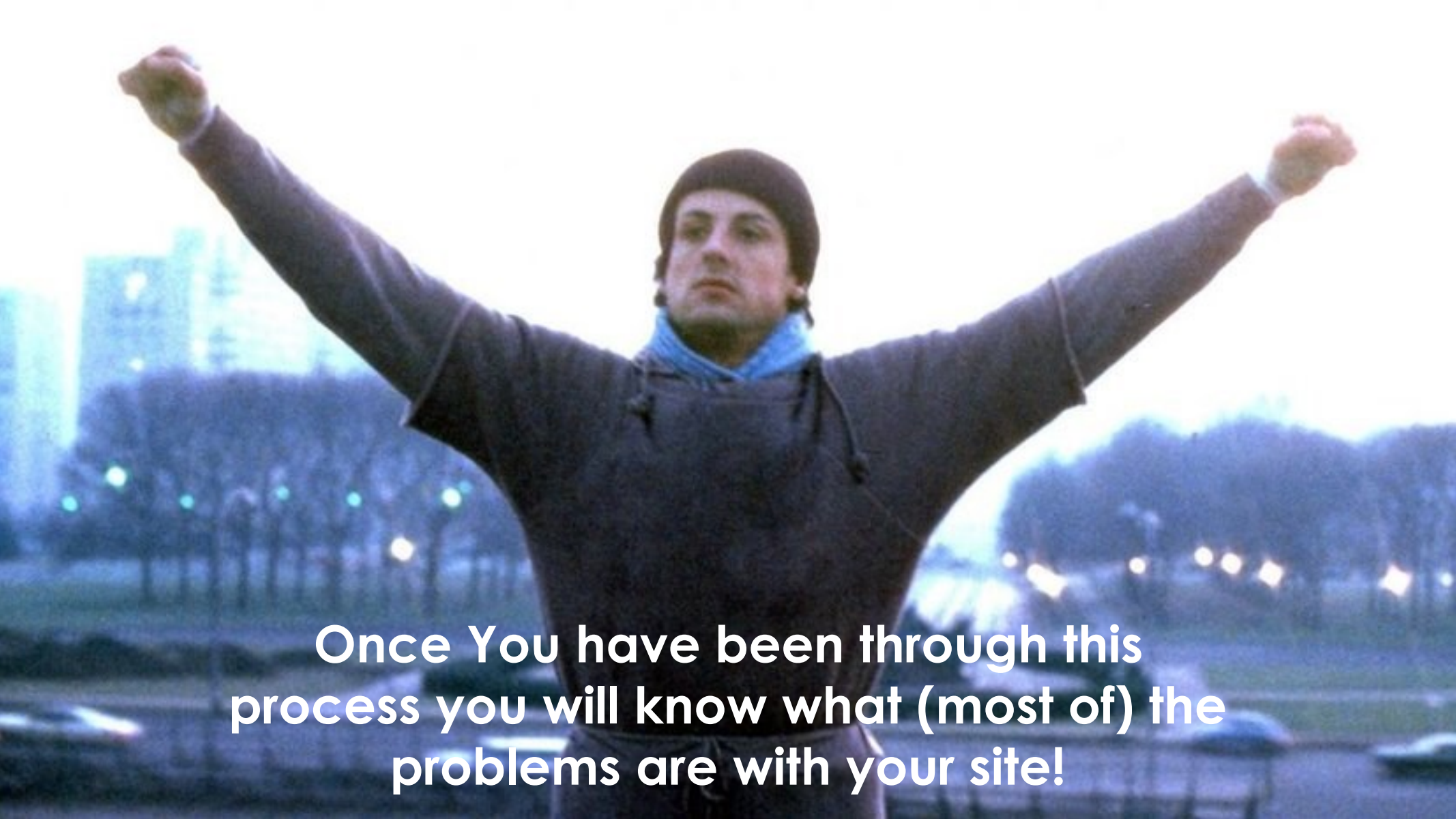
# User Testing

- What's difficult to understand
- What's difficult to do?
- What goes wrong?



- Interviews and Focus Groups
- In-Person or Remote





**Once You have been through this process you will know what (most of) the problems are with your site!**

# How Categorise Problems

- Test
- Instrument
- Hypothesise
- Just Do It
- Investigate



Issue	Bucket	Background	Action	Rating
Google Analytics bounce info is wrong	Instrument	Google Analytics script is loaded twice! Line 207 and 506 of the home page both contain GA code, as do all the other pages.	Remove the double entry	★★★★★
Conversions are low for IE9.	Investigate	Possible cross-browser issues.	Conduct cross-browser testing.	★★★
People don't know how to use category pages	Hypothesize	Too many options, unfamiliar information architecture & layout.	Re-think the category page layout	★★★★★
Missing value proposition on the home page	Test	Add a compelling value proposition in the header of your website that states what your website is about, what can they do here and why should they do it	Add prominent value proposition	★★★★★
Content is very hard to read	JFDI	Font size 11px is too small	Increase font size	★★★

# Plan Your Test Hypothesis



# Finding the Right Solutions

- Headlines and Sub-headlines
- Page Copy
- Design & Layout
- Call to Action
- Navigation
- Forms
- Value Proposition
- Page Length
- Testimonials & Reviews
- Photography
- Offers
- Live Chat

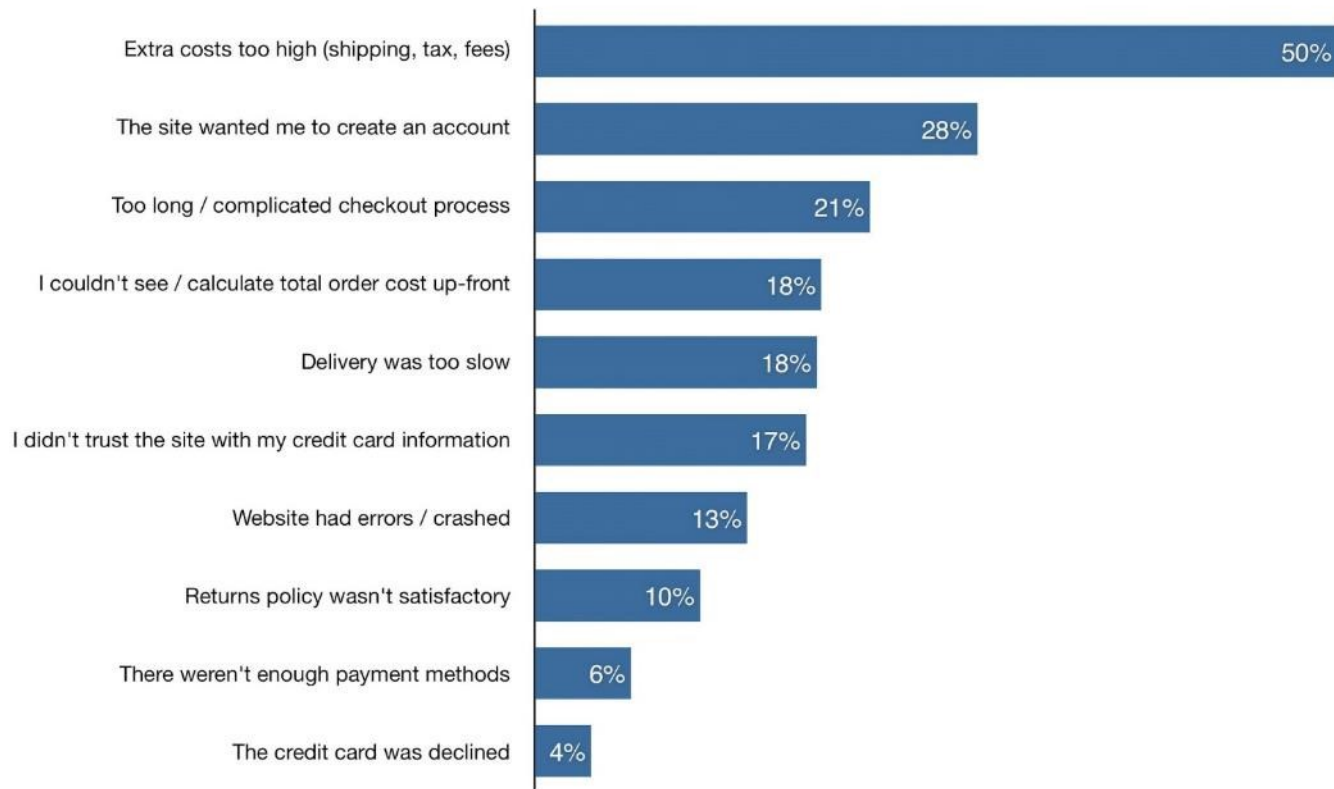




# Reasons for Abandonments During Checkout

4,560 responses · US adults · 2020 · © baymard.com/research

*"Have you abandoned any online purchases during the checkout process in the past 3 months? If so, for what reasons?"*  
Answers normalized without the 'I was just browsing' option

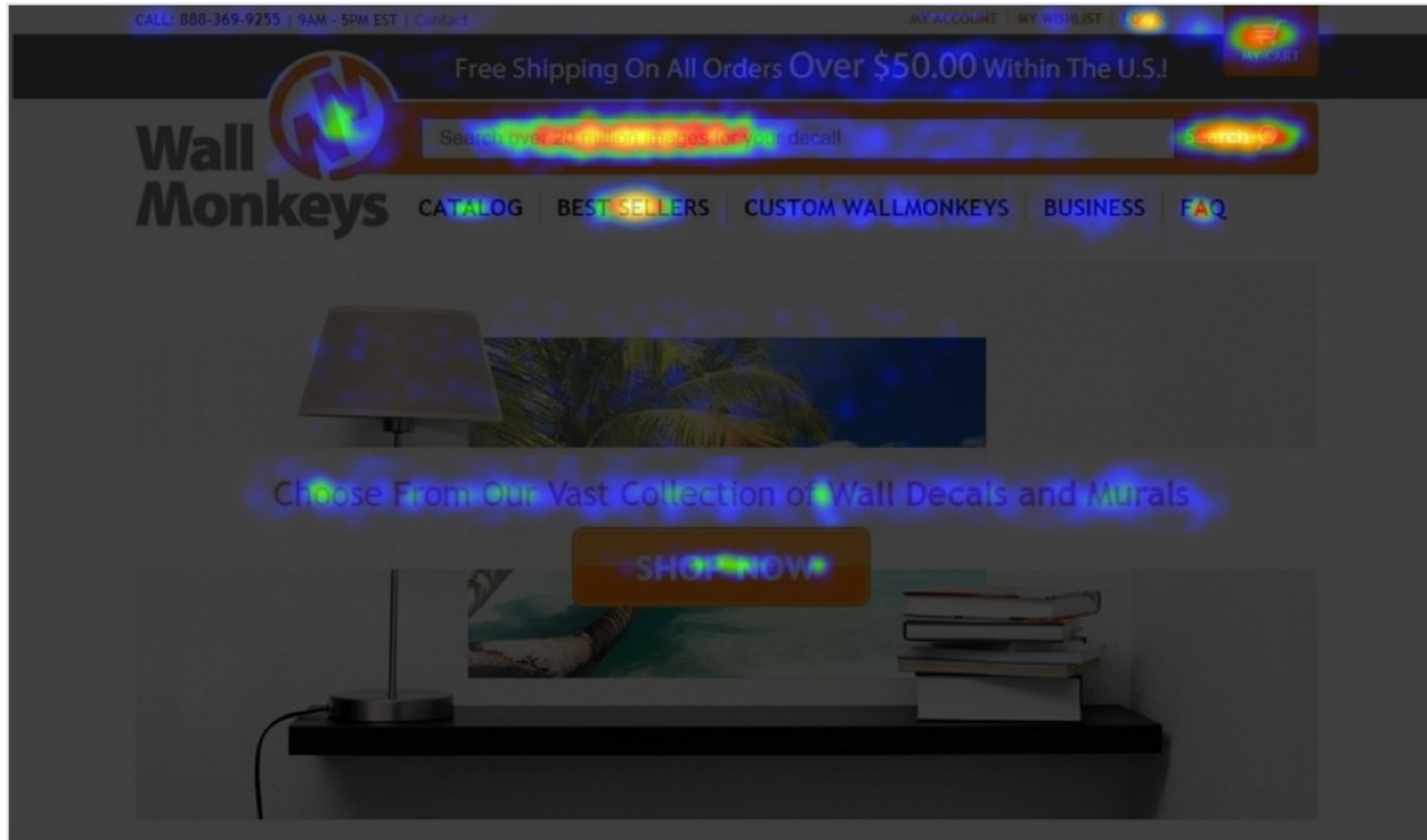


# AB Testing in Action



its original homepage, featuring a stock-style image with a headline overlay.

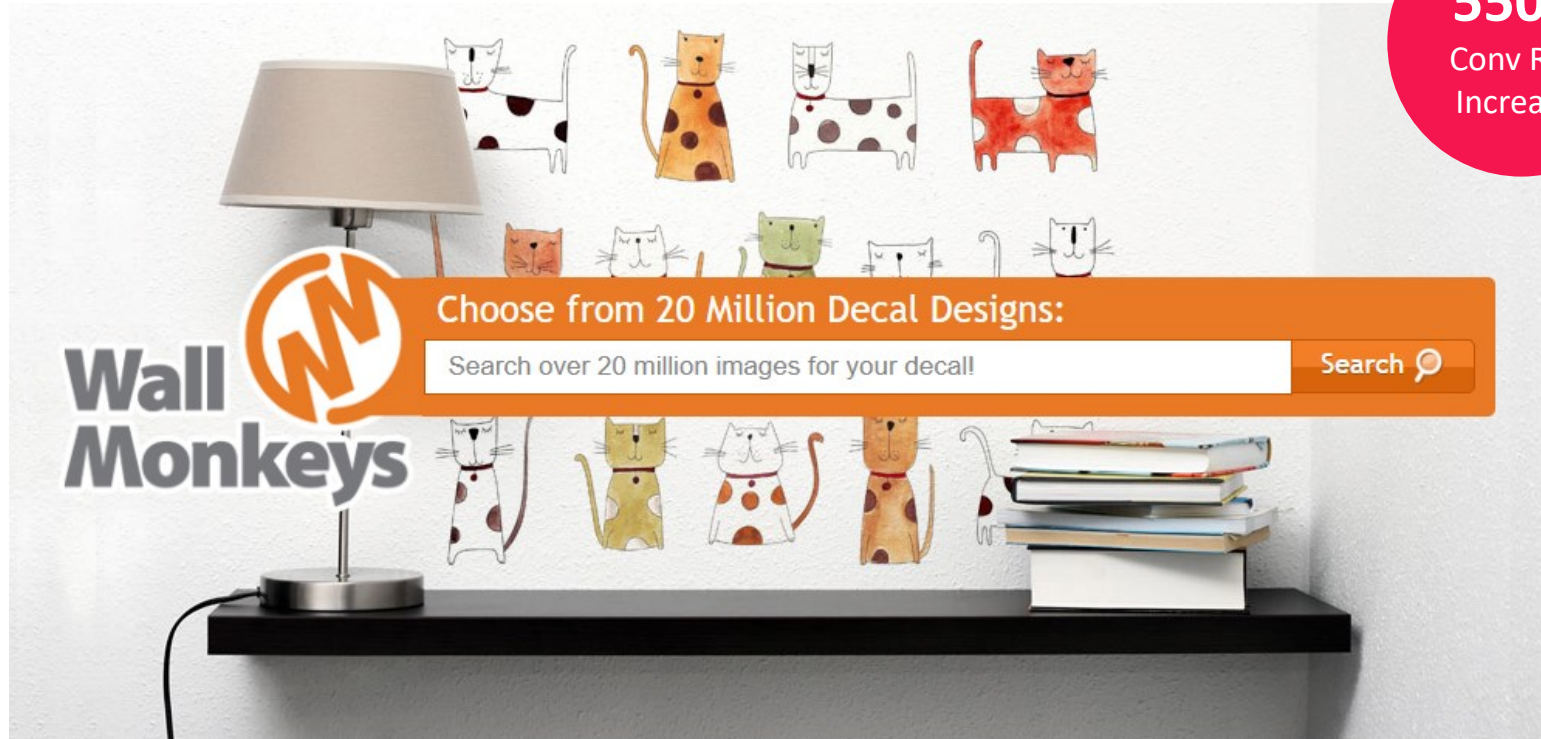
# Example Data Gathering



As you can see, there was lots of activity on the headline, CTA, logo, and search and navigation bar.

# Test Design

Main slider replaced with a prominent search bar



**550%**  
Conv Rate  
Increase!

# The CRO Process (In a Nutshell)



## Measure

Measure & Track  
Web Activity



## Conduct Research

Technical Analysis,  
User Insight  
Surveys, Heat  
Mapping, GA  
Analysis



## Plan & Design

Prioritise  
hypothesis  
according to  
potential impact  
changes may  
have



## Test

A/B Testing &  
Multivariate  
Feedback of  
Findings



## Analyses

Analysis of findings  
and results



***“Everybody  
wants a lift, but  
nobody wants to  
do the heavy  
ass conversion  
research”***

**Peep Laja**

# From Data to Customers:

1. Processes instead of tactics
2. The discovery of what matters is the basis for all
3. Start with questions, then seek data
4. Iterative testing ftw
5. Do the heavy ass lifting

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