

#### Report:

Survey on perception towards Japan tourism among Indian consumers in Metro cities

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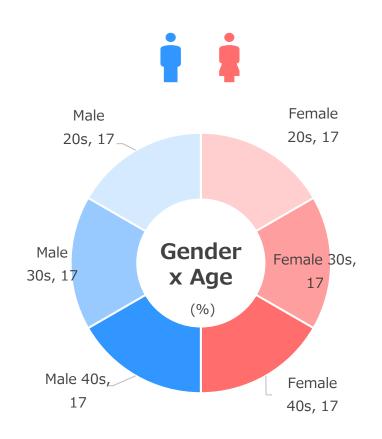
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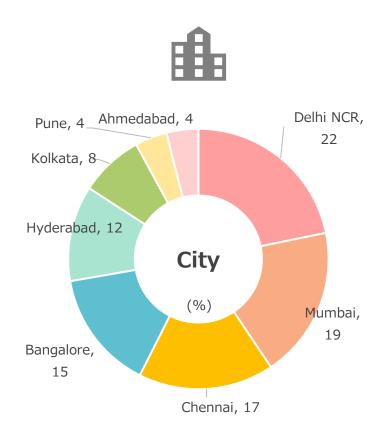
## **About the survey**

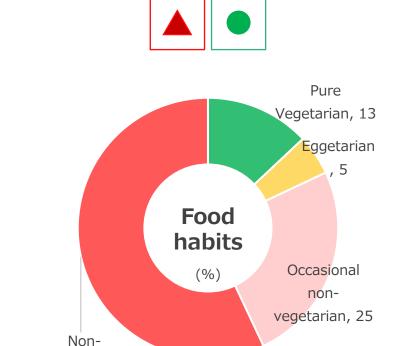
### Research design

Objectives	The main objectives of this study are as follows:  • To understand what kind of travel plans Indian consumers are making for the 2023 festival season.  • To gauge the awareness of Indian consumers regarding travel to Japan.  • To explore the allure of visiting Japan for Indian travelers.		
Methodology	Online survey (Asian panel)		
Period of survey	September 2023		
Respondent criteria	<ul> <li>Male and female aged 20 to 49 years old</li> <li>Those lives in 8 Metro cities: Delhi NCR, Mumbai, Ahmedabad, Pune, Kolkata, Bangalore, Chennai, Hyderabad</li> </ul>		
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#### **Demographics of the respondents**









**Average Monthly Personal Income** 

**Average Monthly Household Income** 

96,108 INR

vegetarian, 57

125,817 INR

# **Key findings**

#### **Intention to visit Japan among Indian consumers**

Indian consumers have limited experience visiting Japan, however, there is an anticipated increase in the number of potential visitors to Japan over the next two to three years."



<sup>\* %</sup> of Top Box out of 11-point scale

#### The reason for visiting Japan among Indian consumers (Top 5)









Indian tourists are thinking of visiting Japan in search of places and experiences that can only be found in Japan, such as its nature, historical place, culture, and cuisine.

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46%

To have exciting experiences in Japan

40%

I love Japanese culture and entertainment

40%

To enjoy Japanese cuisine

37%

To visit specific places or spots in Japan

36%

#### The barriers/ concerns for visiting Japan among Indian consumers (Top 5)



For Indian consumers, language is a significant concern when traveling to Japan. In addition, they also have worries about aspects of daily life such as foods, payment methods, customs.

? 1	Language Barrier	46%
1012	Difficulty Finding Food that Matches Dietary Preferences; (Vegetarian or Vegan)	33%
<b>3</b>	Differences in Payment Methods (e.g., Card Usage Restrictions)	32%
<b>(4)</b>	Visa and Entry Requirements	32%
5	Limited Availability of English Signage	30%

#### **Activities Indian consumer are willing to experience in Japan (Top 5)**



In addition to shopping, Indian consumers are willing to travel across Japan actively to see sightseeing spots.



1 Shopping
Explore local markets and shops for unique finds

49%

2 Historical Landmarks
Explore famous historical sites and architecture

48%



Scenic Views
Take in the beauty of nature and landscapes.

44%

Train Travel
Ride on trains and local transportation

44%

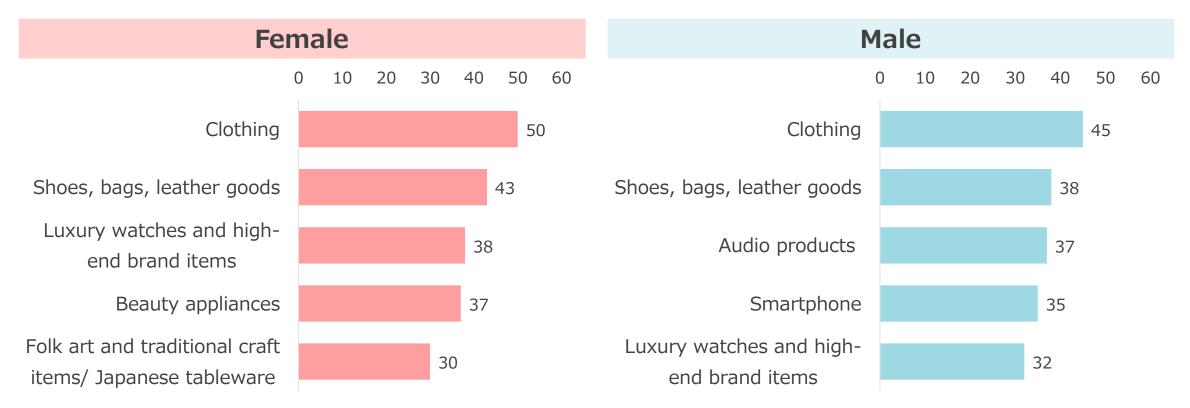


Relaxation
Take some time to unwind and relax

42%

#### **Products Indian consumer are willing to buy in Japan (Top 5)**

Shopping is the one of motivation for visiting Japan. Both female and male have a high intention to purchase clothing and fashion accessories. Women are considering the purchase of beauty appliances, while men are contemplating the purchase of gadgets.



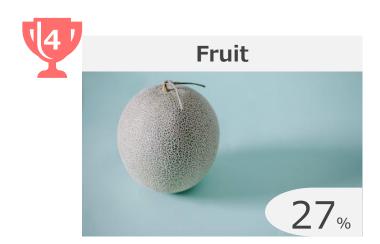
(Base: Total (Female/ Male=300 each))

#### Foods/Beverages Indian consumer are willing to have in Japan (TOP 5)





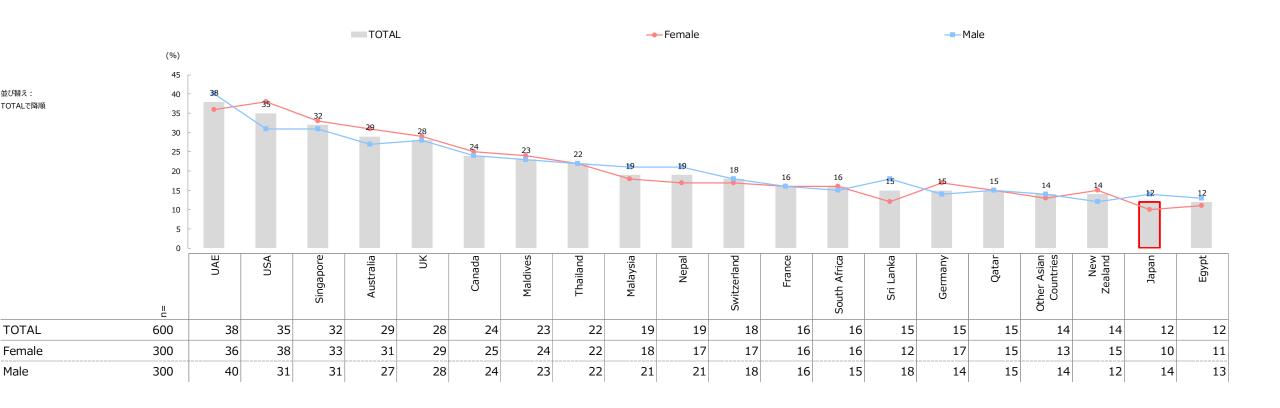




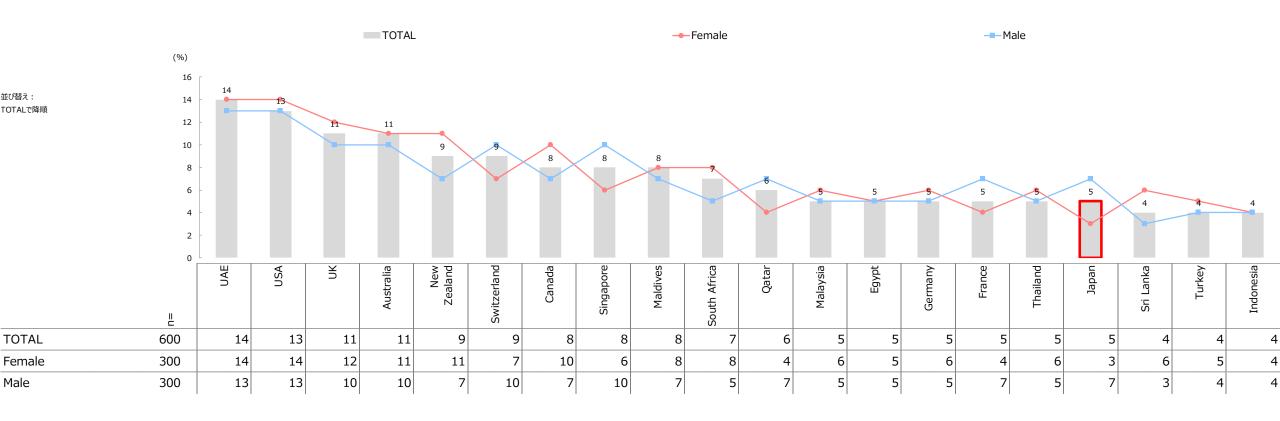


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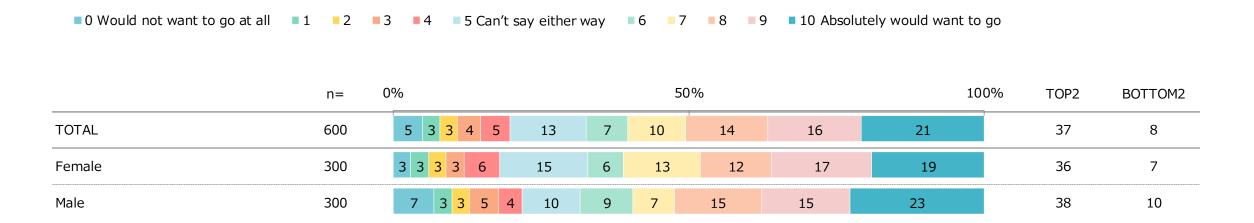
#### Q6\_1 Locations have visited (TOP 20)



## Q6\_2 Location will visit or consider to visit during this festival season in 2023 (TOP 20)



#### Q10 Intention to visit the following countries in next 2-3 years: Japan

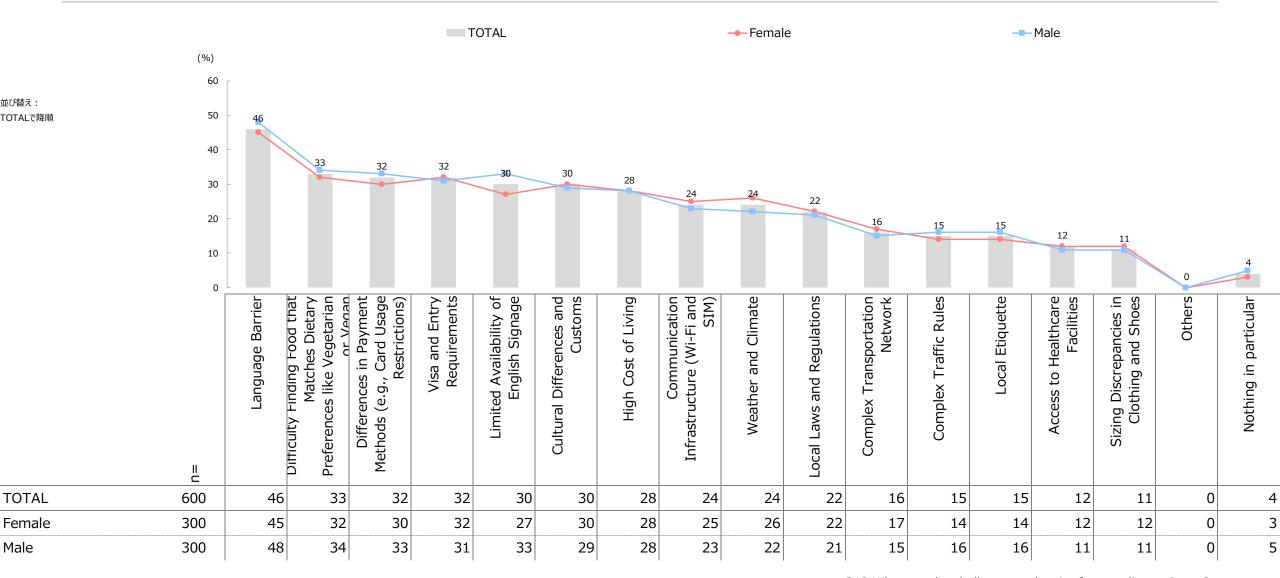


#### Q11 Attractive points or reasons of traveling to Japan



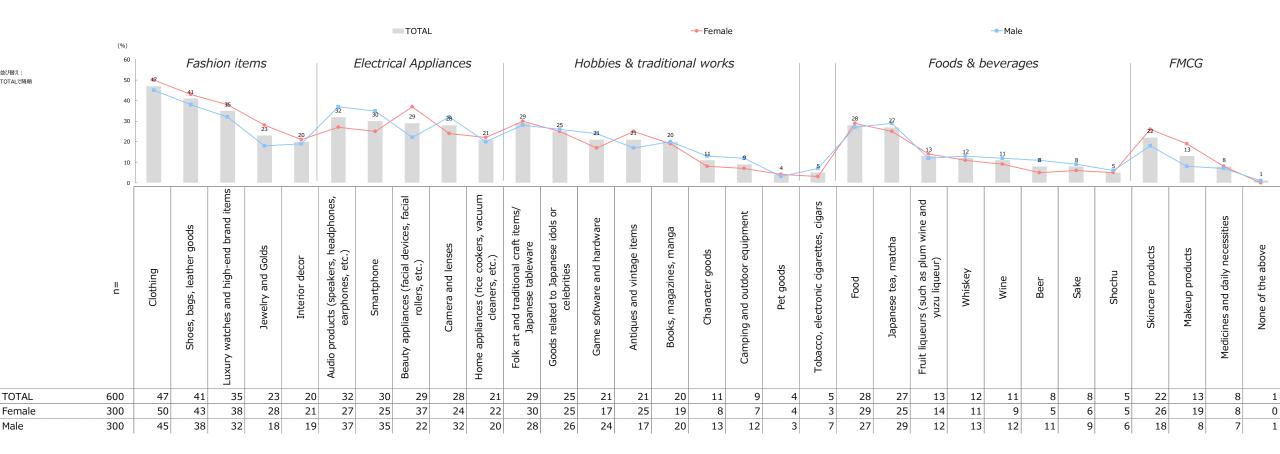
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#### Q12 Challenges or barrier for traveling to Japan

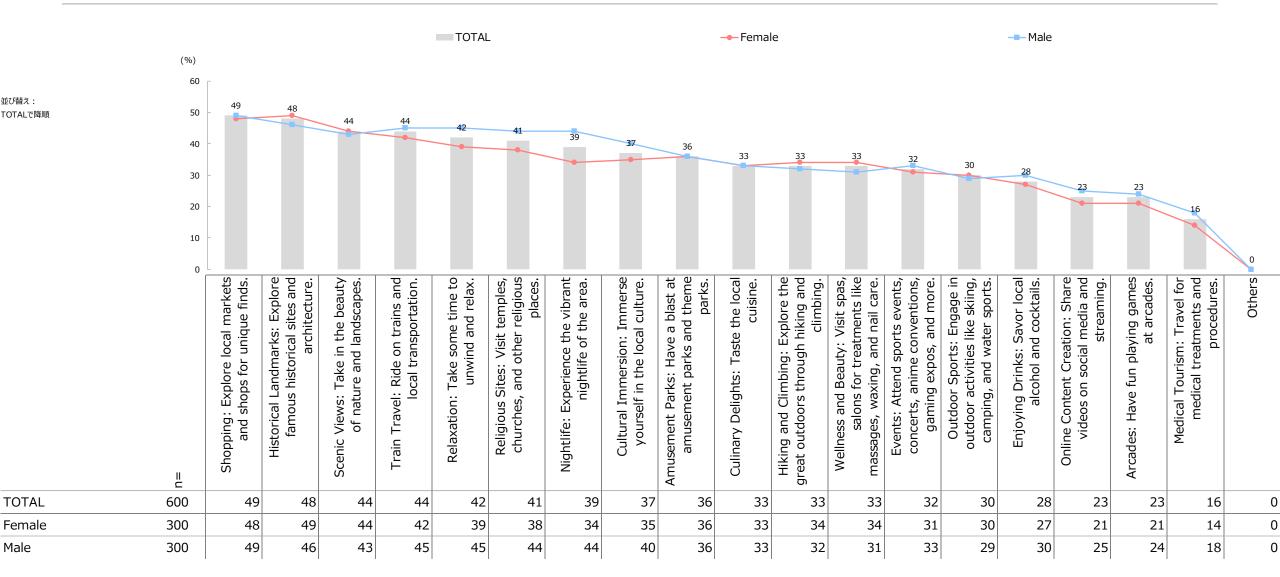


Q12 What are the challenges or barrier for traveling to Japan?

#### Q13 Products would like to buy if you would visit to Japan

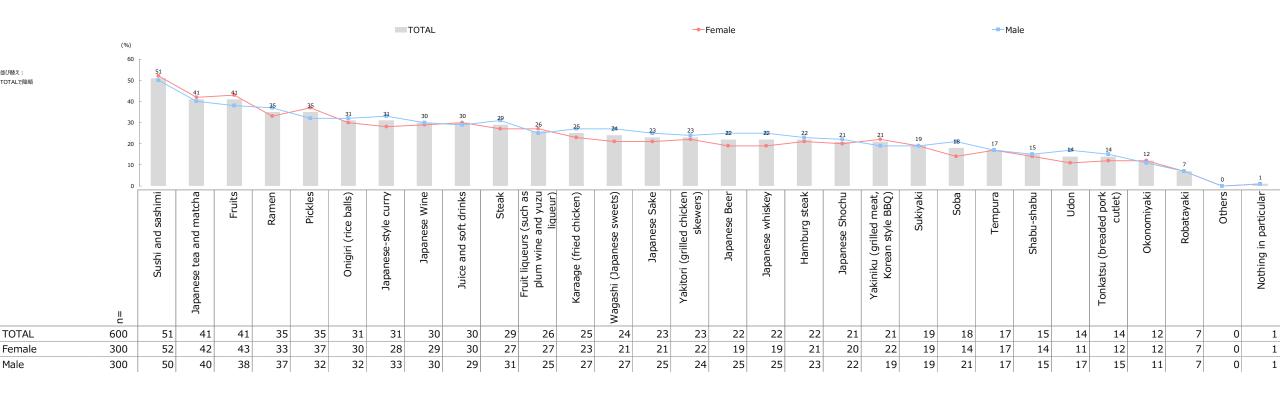


#### Q14 Activities you would like to do if you would visit to Japan

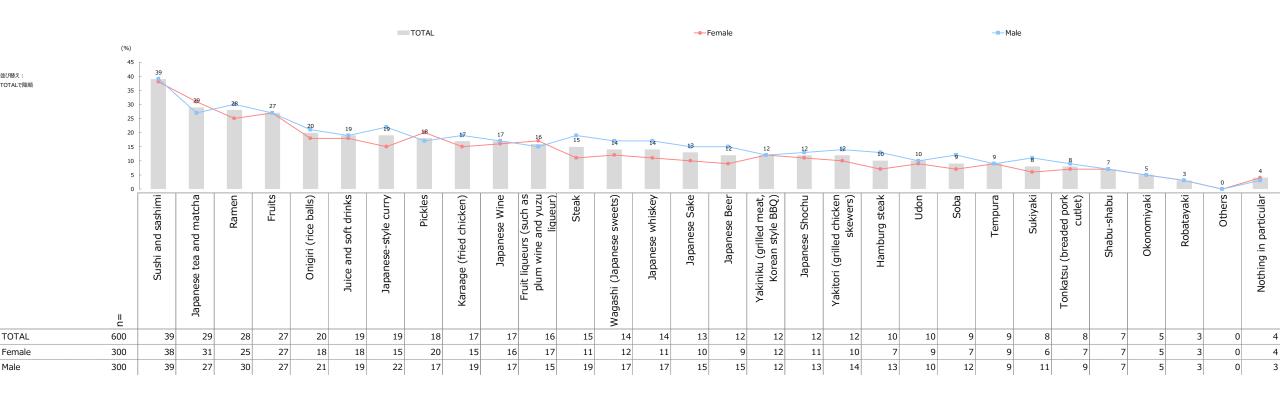


Q14 Please tell me what activities you would like to do if you would visit to Japan

#### **Q15** Japanese foods heard about



#### Q16 Japanese foods you'd like to have in Japan



# **About Intage**

#### **INTAGE** Group

**INTAGE Group is the Asia leading provider** of market information and consumers' understanding, which has global capabilities with market access practice across 10+ countries that enables us to provide clients with the most complete and comprehensive view of market & consumers.









#### **INTAGE INDIA – Snapshot**

**Established** 

August 2012

**Head Office** 

New Delhi

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Bangalore

**Capital** 

INR 32.2 crores (INR 322 million)

**Employees** 

Over 20 full-time staffs across India

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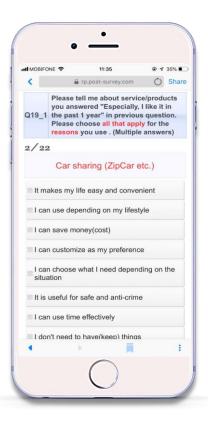


#### Asian Panel (AP): INTAGE's Online Research Panel (Online Survey)

### **Asian Panel**

Quick and Decisive Insights







Strong community with more than 9 millions users+ in Asia.



User-friendly interface. Quick access to the survey anywhere at anytime.



Fast & reasonable price for all processes



Various types of information can be collected (photo, video, etc.)



### **COVERAGE**

Extensive coverage and detailed profiling for your Asian research needs.

Our panels are always growing!

MARKET	PANEL SIZE
JAPAN	3,460,177
CHINA	3,119,243
KOREA	394,938
SINGAPORE	117,791
INDONESIA	2,344,717
THAILAND	1,624,036

MARKET	PANEL SIZE
VIETNAM	845,380
TAIWAN	337,877
HONG KONG	43,391
MALAYSIA	218,571
PHILIPPINES	688,387
INDIA	332,694

#### QUALITY CONTROL (1/2)

INTAGE applies the following standards to ensure quality data:



## Recruitment and Registration

- Various channels
- Panel partner and media partner
- Double-opt-in process
- Human data checking
- Blacklist
- Filter vendors based on project run in the past and narrow them down



### Feedback and Retention

- Engaging posts and discussions for respondents
- Variety of incentives per LOI and IR
- Periodic panel events to boost retention and engagement



## Quality Check and Digital Fingerprinting

- Quality check surveys check response rate, quality score resulted by trap questions, and straight liners
- The digital fingerprint is automatically embedded on the respondent's browser to prevent them from joining the same survey

#### QUALITY CONTROL (2/2)



### Panel Recruitment Management

- Maintain a representative online population by recruiting panelists through diverse routes: online advertising on local websites such as search engines, social networks, and online shopping sites
- Verify user's mobile phone and email address verification at the sign-up stage
- Analyze the access/usage log within one month after signing up

### Detailed Panel Profiles

- 47 detailed profile questions at one-month/six-month/12month intervals
- Profiles are updated with the latest information every month, like smartphone model details

#### Panel Activity Management

- Increase loyalty to panel website/mobile app access and activities through Daily Quickpoll
- Increase activity by rewarding panelists who complete surveys
- Open monthly event for all panels and specific ages

#### Data Quality Management

- Conduct a Tutorial Survey which educates panelist on precautions in online survey responses
- Minimize bad samples by reviewing the survey logic
- Send the notice/alert email to bad samples. Eliminate the panelists after three flags

### Thank you!

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