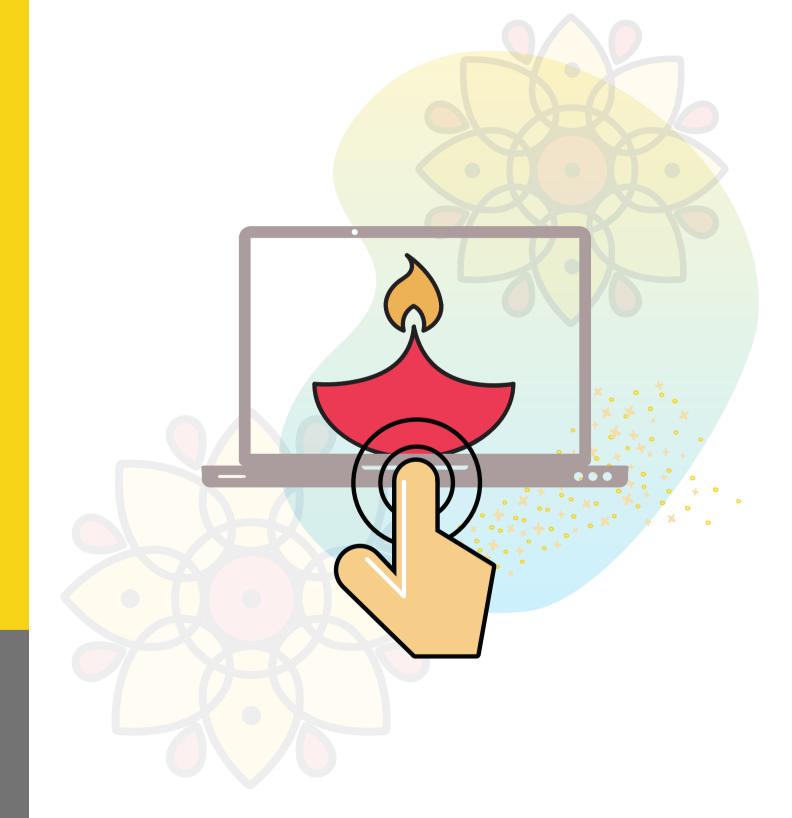
### REVENGE, CAUTIOUS, DISGUISE AND IN PANDEMIC DENIAL

MEET THE GIPSI CELEBRATION PROFILES OF DIWALI 2020

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On the cusp of Diwali 2020, we've witnessed and mastered the Digital wave, by appealing to and facilitating the co-existence of newbies and natives.

Whether you're a marketer or a consumer, GIPSI will introduce you to four types of Diwali 2020 celebration profiles! Read on and enjoy.

This time GIPSI, the HI+AI insights division of Tonic Worldwide, decided to use its 'Deep Listening' methodology to share interesting insights.

This data compares pre-Diwali 2020 to pre-Diwali 2019.



## MEET GIPSI'S DIWALI 2020 CELEBRATION PROFILES









**REVENGE** 

**CAUTIOUS** 

DISGUISE

IN PANDEMIC DENIAL



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REVENGE
DIWALI
CELEBRATION

Revenge consumers are the ones who want to live the old normal, and are ready to pay the premium in the new normal to experience the same and more!

#### SPLURGE THERAPY IS THE NEW RETAIL THERAPY

Staycation

**Luxury Escapades** 

Itching to spend after months of savings

**Extra for Experience** 





#### INSIGHT

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**REVENGE DIWALI CELEBRATION** 

# The revenge consumer wants to spend, not save.

Their Heavy Wallets need a breather.

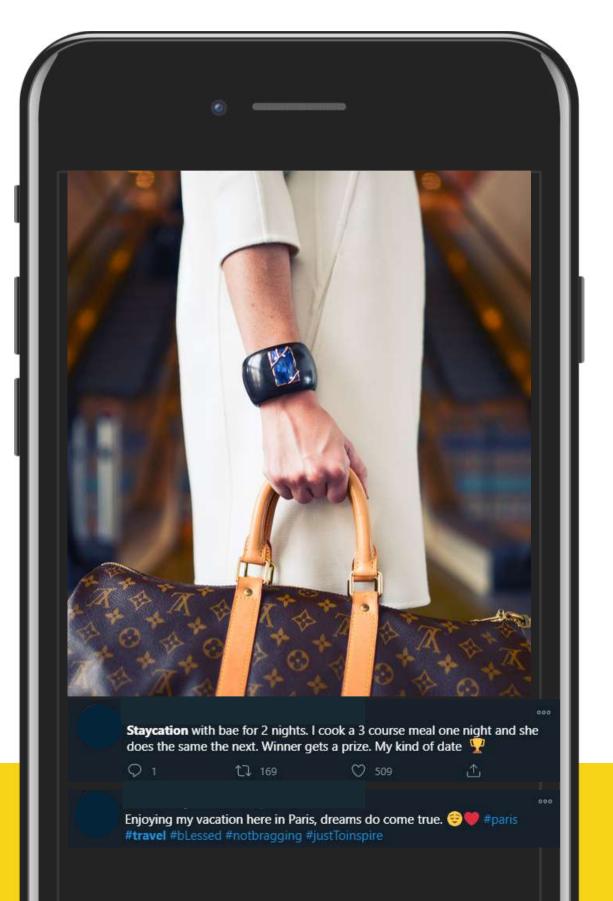


# FATTER THE CHEQUE, GREATER THE SATISFACTION



#### REVENGE DIWALI CELEBRATION

- The Staycation Syndrome: 289% increase in conversations, and 179% increase in intent this pre-Diwali.
- International travel sees 171% increase in conversation, and
   650% increase in searches for pre-Diwali
- 94% increase in "Online Gold", conversations and "Buy Gold Online" has shot up by 125% in searches
- 433% increase in interest in "Premium" trends across categories.



#### **IMPLICATION**

#### REVENGE DIWALI CELEBRATION

#### GIPSI says,

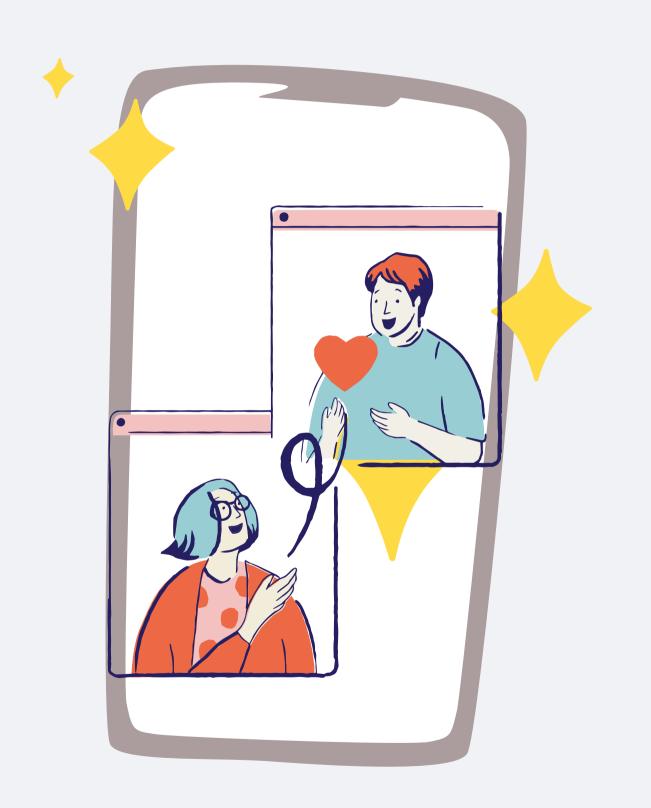
- This profile will be attracted to brands which offer premium services
- Is anyone offering an 'Exclusive luxury sale'?
- Leisure or an experience as a value add would be more attractive than discounts!

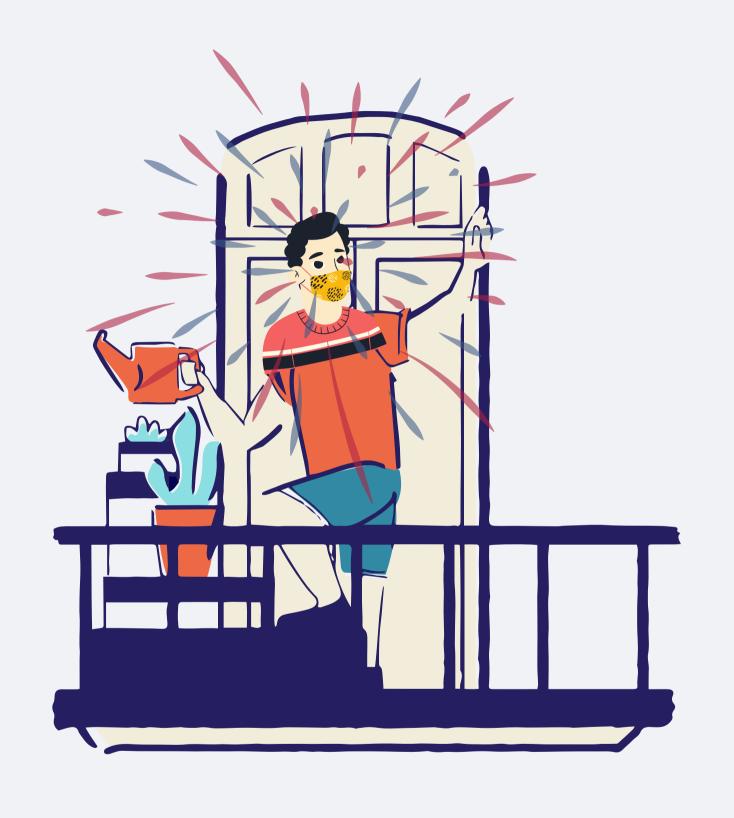
## Brands, are you Premium-worthy for the Revenge Celebration?





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## Non-risk takers who are ready to play by the book



#### **CAUTION IS THE MOTHER OF TECH ADOPTION**

Online celebrations

High on Hygge

Innovative behaviour

Brand loyal and selective

Video-first approach

#### INSIGHT

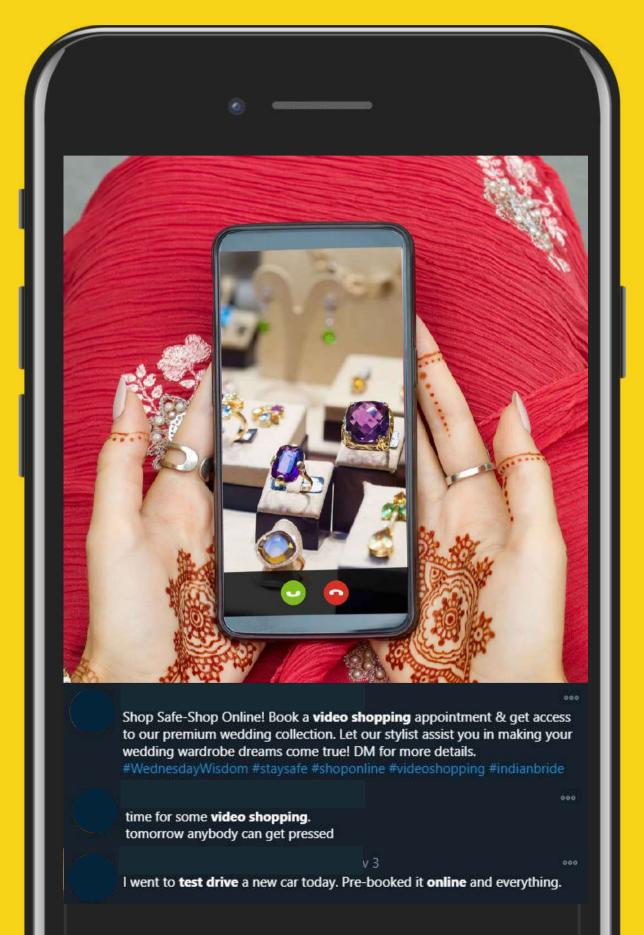


**CAUTIOUS DIWALI CELEBRATION** 

# Screen is the safest window for the cautious!

Buying, experiencing, meeting, celebrating... all via mobile screen





# CELEBRATIONS FULL SWING WITH 'SAFETY' FILTER



#### **CAUTIOUS DIWALI CELEBRATION**

Preference of personal vehicles to avoid public transport. -

- 40% interest surge in "Car Purchase", and 14.6% rise in passenger vehicles, marketing the highest figures since January 2019.
- 105% Increase in interest trends in Test drive booking in Oct 2020

#### Video shopping boom -

- Massive 600% growth in "Live Shopping"!
- 48% increase in intent towards "WhatsApp Shopping".
- 164% increase in conversations, and 129% increase in search volumes
   WRT Video shopping. "30% growth in Interest towards "Virtual shopping"

Video parties are big for this profile.

#### **IMPLICATION**



CAUTIOUS DIWALI CELEBRATION

GIPSI is asking big brands, can you match the live shopping experience offered by traditional brands?

Put the 'screen mask on' to enable the cautious celebrations.





O3.
DIWALI IN
DISGUISE
CELEBRATION





Diwali without peer pressure, social calendar and social expectations, leading to celebrating Diwali in the most authentic way.

#### #DIY MEETS #CIY

**Diwali of Firsts** 

Family time

**Nostalgic about Tradition** 

**Authentic Diwali** 

DIWALI @ home



#### **INSIGHT**

DIWALI IN DISGUISE CELEBRATION

# Why step out when you can Celebrate it yourself - CIY

2 Cs of Diwali in Disguise −
Create → Celebrate





#### **DIWALI IN DISGUISE CELEBRATION**

- DIY influences festivities now 800% increase in DIY Outfit searches, and 247% increase in DIY Home Decor searches.
- Over 90% increase in searches related to "Diwali at Home"
- Hi-tech DIY Diwali with 300% increase in searches for "vacuum robots".
- 190% growth in search volumes for Homemade snacks in October 2020.









#### IMPLICATION

**DIWALI IN DISGUISE CELEBRATION** 

#### GIPSI says,

- Keep it authentic for the CIY
- Help them escape from otherwise packed social Diwali calendar under the disguise of the Pandemic

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# IN DENIAL OF PANDEMIC DIWALI CELEBRATION



The greed for Diwali celebrations has got the better of them –even the pandemic cannot come in the way of Diwali and them.

#### PANDEMIC OFF, PARTY ON!

**Festive crowd** 

**Grand celebrations** 

Care another Day

No more rules

Shop till you drop







#### **INSIGHT**

IN DENIAL OF PANDEMIC DIWALI CELEBRATION

# Diwali is a break from the pandemic.

Where flocking frenzy marries the desperation to revive the days gone by





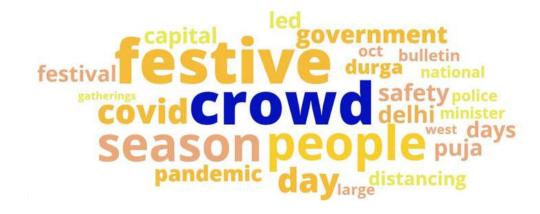


# CROWD, SALE AND PARTY MODE ON

#### IN DENIAL OF PANDEMIC DIWALI CELEBRATION

- Can't be tamed nearly 68% increase in searches for "Diwali party"
- 55% increase in searches for 'local sale'
- 50% increase in searches related to 'street shopping'
- 519% increase in searches related to 'street vendors'

26 times increase in Conversations related to 'FESTIVE CROWD' during pre-Diwali compared to the beginning of this festive season



#### **IMPLICATION**

IN DENIAL OF PANDEMIC DIWALI CELEBRATION

GIPSI always urges brands to listen to the consumers. But in this case, she is urging, brands not to listen.

Please take care of the consumers in this profile, when they're not taking care of themselves.

Up your safety factor, especially now.





# Thank you

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