

### Today's Speakers



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Unrivalled coverage of

On Premise Data and

Research



Bartender Research

Qualitative Research on what Bartenders are seeing in the channel



**Outlet Index** 

Shape and Size of the On Premise



**OPUS** 

On Premise User Survey
Consumer Insights

BeverageTrak

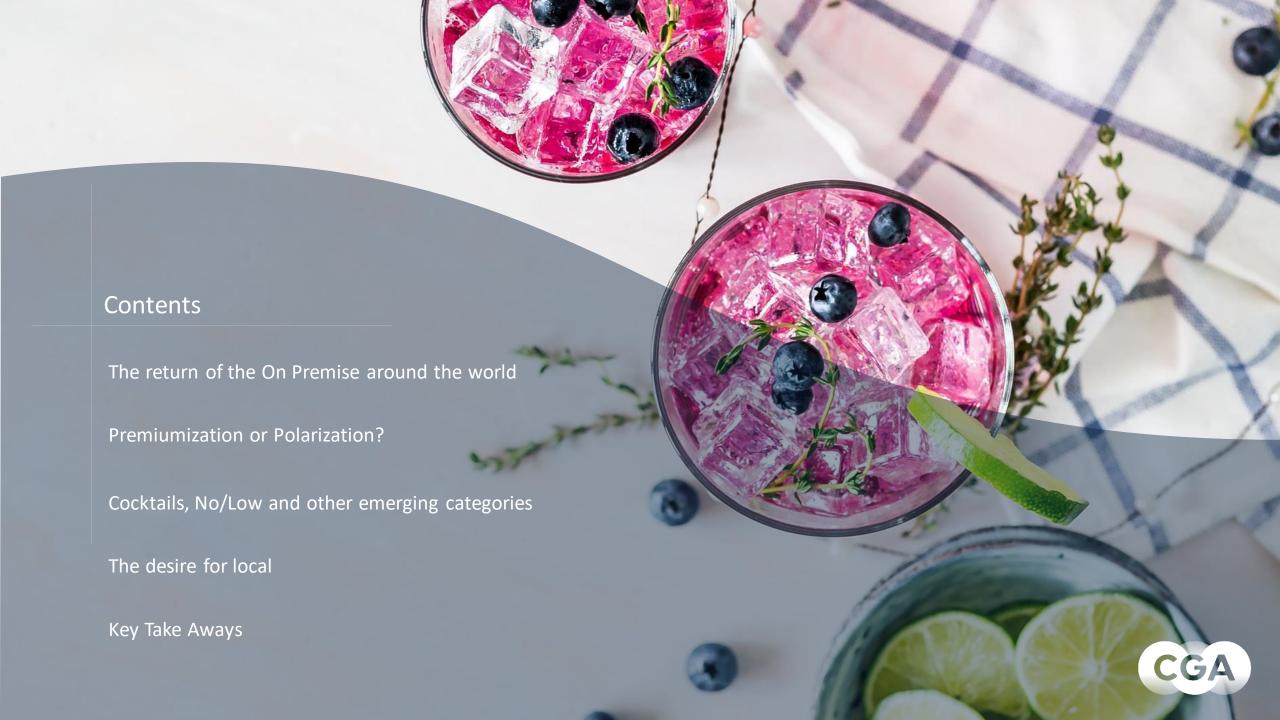
New POS data tracking sales in outlets across Australia



REACH

Global Insights from 25,000 consumers in 27 markets







#### Firstly, why is this channel important?



#### **Consumption & penetration**



On average, consumers estimate they drink

40%

of their **total alcohol** consumption in the **On Premise** 

#### **Emotional relationships**



3 in 5

Consumers state that experiences in the **On Premise** have prompted them to purchase drinks in the **Off Premise** 

Trial, trade up & exploration



36%

Of consumers typically try
new drinks in the On
Premise, compared to 31%
who "stick to what they
know"

**27%** 

Have paid more for **better quality** drinks



Source: CGA Reach, Sample size: 17664-21327

# 84%

Of global consumers typically visit the On Premise

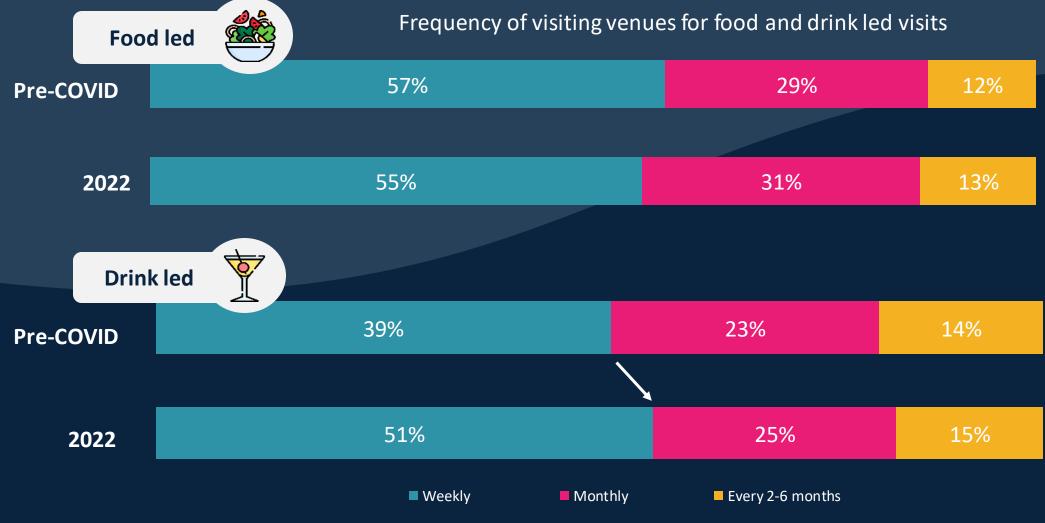
+3pp vs 1YA





## Across the globe, we are broadly at pre-COVID levels of visitation, with the weekly frequency of Drink-led visits being the real winner







### This consumer demand is being met via a reduced Supply, meaning lower distribution and higher competition for most beverage suppliers.



'High quality', brand-relevant distribution has never been more important

Market reduction since pre-COVID

US

14,222

-4.7%
Of total universe

GB

9,200

-8.0%

Of total universe

**France** 

10,455\*

-6.3%

Of total universe



## Overall, consumer demand is not expected to significantly decline

47%

of global consumers plan to visit hospitality venues **more often** this year than they did in 2021

39% as often 14% less often

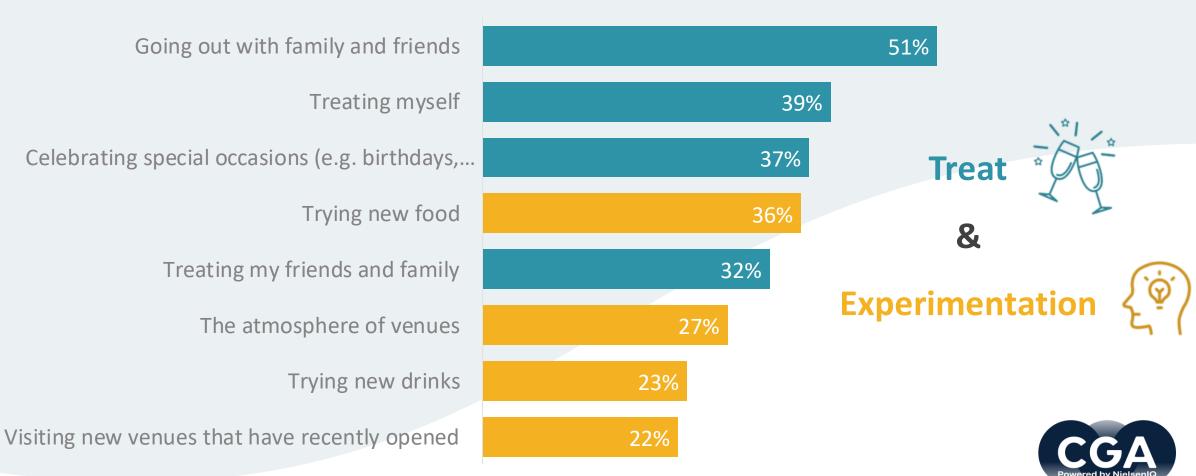




#### Consumers have a real desire to make up for lost time, visiting the channel with a Treat and Experimentation mindset



Which of the below are you most looking forward to doing this year when eating and drinking out?























#### Big events can drive higher category sales



Beer vs Wine vs Spirits – Weekly Sales Velocity

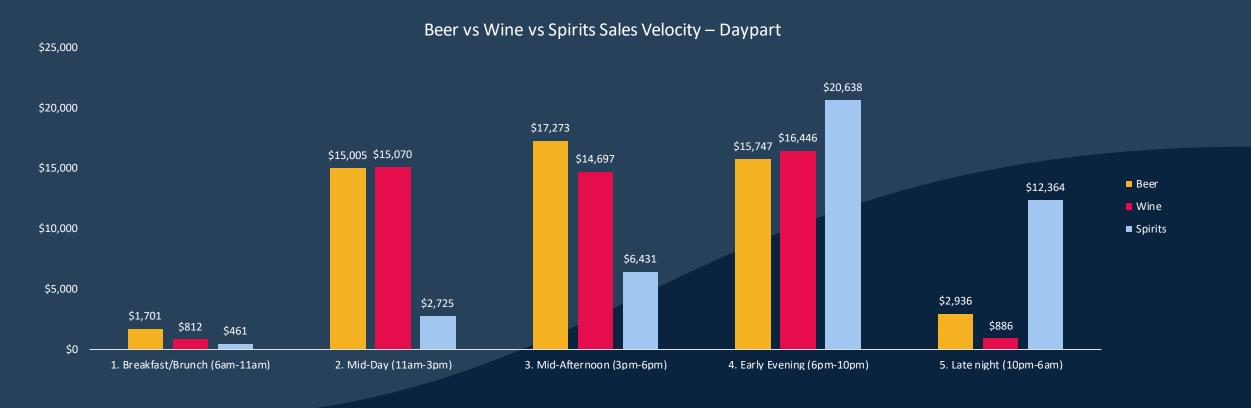






#### **Daypart preference can focus activation**





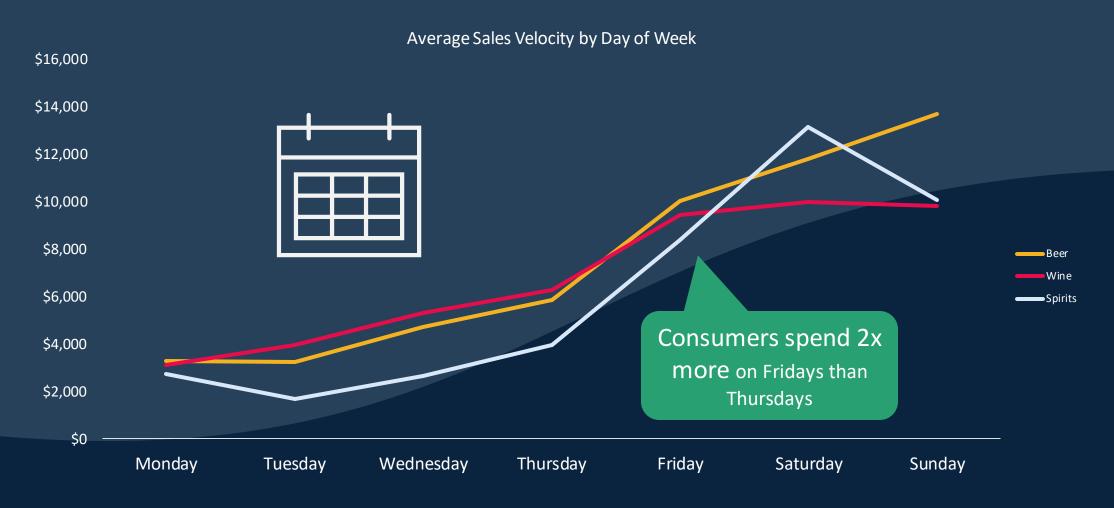






#### Thursday did not become the new Friday....



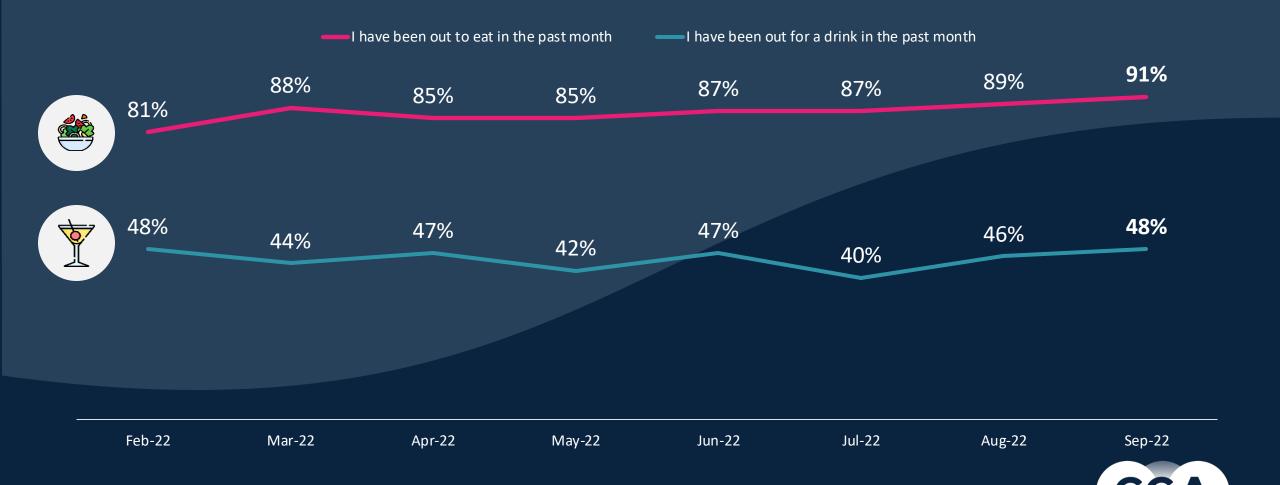






#### Translating to increased channel penetration in Australia



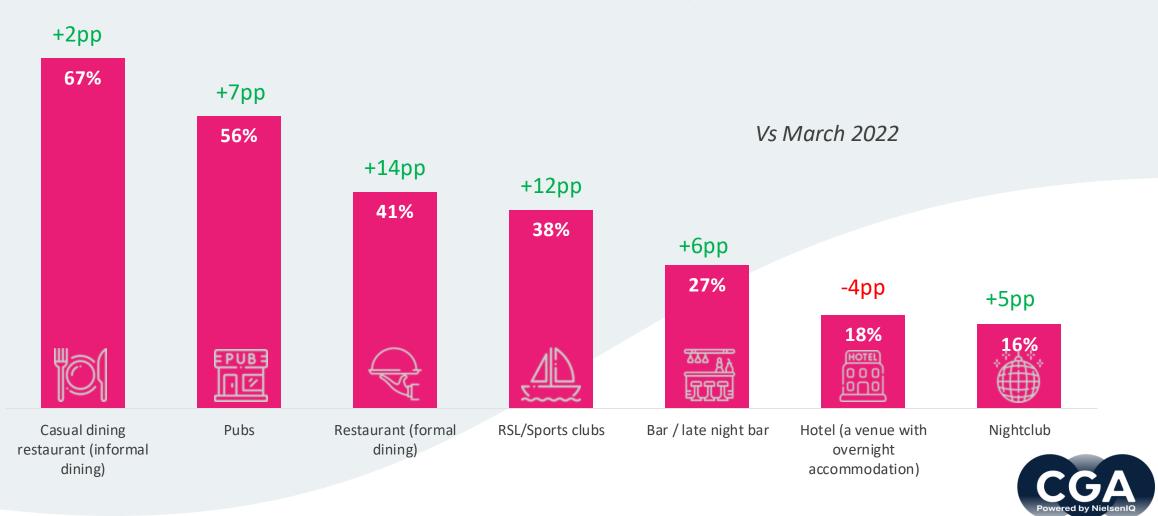


Source: CGA monthly On Premise Consumer Pulse Report - Sample: 751

#### With penetration growth across most channels in the past 6 months



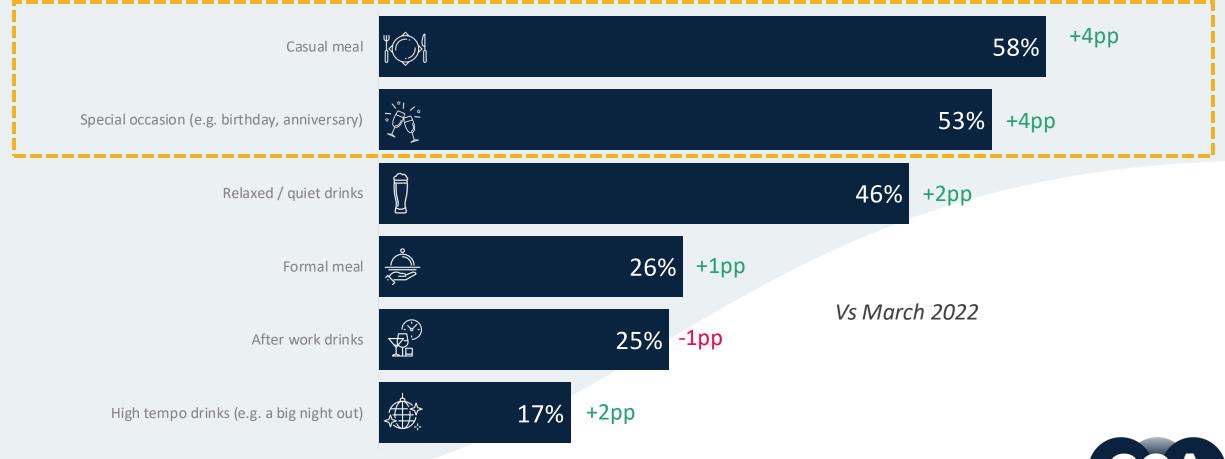
Primary channels typically visited in a 3 month period



#### ...as did occasions, suggesting opportunities across drink categories



Primary occasions typically visited in a 3 month period





#### Despite positive penetration gains, in the short term net visit frequency is down





I am going out less often

I am going out as often

I am going out more often

36%

46%

18%



### Australians are less concerned than many global On Premise visitors by the growing cost of living



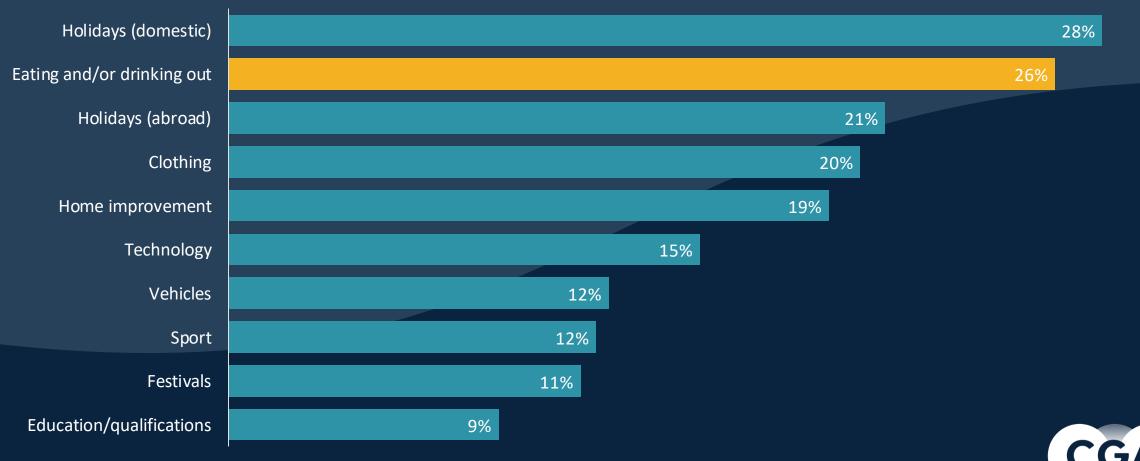
Proportion of consumers who say that the increased cost of living has "severely impacted" their financial hardship



#### Locally, eating and drinking out remains an affordable luxury



Are you planning to spend more than you usually would on any of the following things over the next 12 months?





#### Average spend rises echoes consumer confidence in channel



Average spend per month on eating/drinking out

Autumn 2022: \$203

+13.4%

+\$27.00

**Spring 2022:** 

\$230





Of consumers feel confident that they will be able to afford to visit the On Premise as frequently in the next 12 months

28%

**12%** 

Feel **neither less nor more** confident

Feel **less** confident

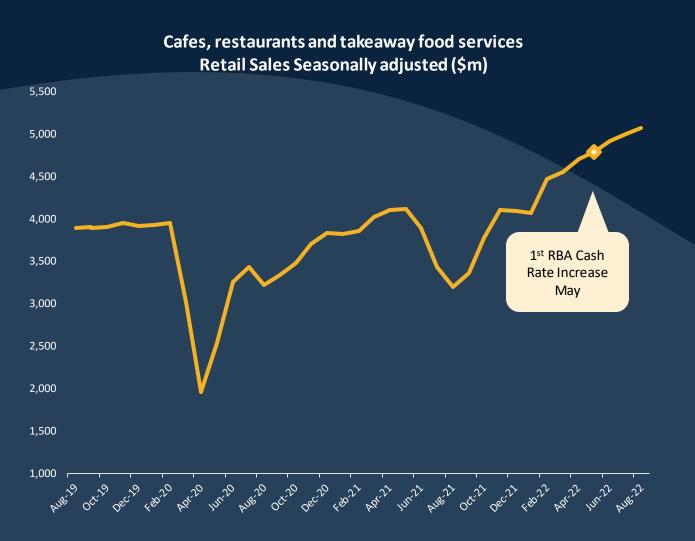




Resilience remains in consumers' perceived ability to spend in the On Premise

### The On Premise is a source of economic resilience in Australian retail consumption







Australian retail sales keep defying gravity with August jump



Inflation had already surged to a 21-year peak of 6.1% in the June quarter, led by energy, construction and food costs, though petrol prices...

2 weeks ago

"The rise [August] was driven by the combined increase in food related industries, with cafes, restaurants and takeaway food services up"

Ben Dorber, Australian Bureau of Statistics Head of Retail



#### Consumers see the On Premise as an important part of their lives



#### How much of a priority is eating/drinking out in your life

I absolutely love eating/drinking out and would be lost without it

I enjoy eating/drinking out and would feel disappointed if I could no longer do it

I like eating/drinking out but could easily not do it I could very easily stop eating/drinking out and it would have no impact on my life

22%

51%

21%

5%





#### The post-COVID On Premise visitor is lookingfor what they perceive to highquality AND good value, which is highly subjective.

Proportion of consumers who state it is now more **important** than it was pre-COVID-19 that their drinks are...

15% 35% 37%

Premium

High quality

Good value

= vs 2021

+2pp vs 2021

+4pp vs 2021





### When only looking at Price Tier, premiumisation and polarisation is evident in spirit sales across the US. The mid-tier is getting squeezed the most.



Spirits Price Tier On Premise \$ Sales

	Value	Mid	Premium	Super Premium	Ultra
\$ Share	14.1%	22.8%	33.5%	23.6%	4.8%
L52 \$ Share chg vs 2YA	-0.4pp	-1.1pp	-0.2pp	+1.3pp	+0.5pp



# Casamigos shows the potential of premium brands when they get it right in the On Premise

	Casamigos Reposado Tequila	Casamigos Blanco Tequila
Volume (9L EQ)	107,703	231,518
%chg vs 1YA	+431.01%	+320.14%
	#1 highest growing spirit brand vs 1YA	#4 highest growing spirit brand vs 1YA













### The growth of premium brands in times of 'hardship' is a long running trend



During the recession of 2008, challenger brands were able to play on premium credentials On Premise success

MAT Volume Change July 2009 vs. 2008 (UK On Premise volume sales)

	Peroni Draught	Peroni Packaged	Hendrick's	Jack Daniel's
MAT Volume Change	+13.4%	+27.4%	+51.6%	-6.6%







#### Quality and value for money are prioritised when consumers are choosing drinks

Proportion of consumers who state it is now more **important** than it was pre-COVID-19 that their drinks are...

11% 15% 25% 38%

Premium Local

Good value High quality





#### Affordable Craft Beer launches across the Pandemic as consumers switched to value



Otherside Brewing Co. and Ballistic Beer Co





### delicious.

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\$10 for a schooner?! Why Australian beer prices are about to rise



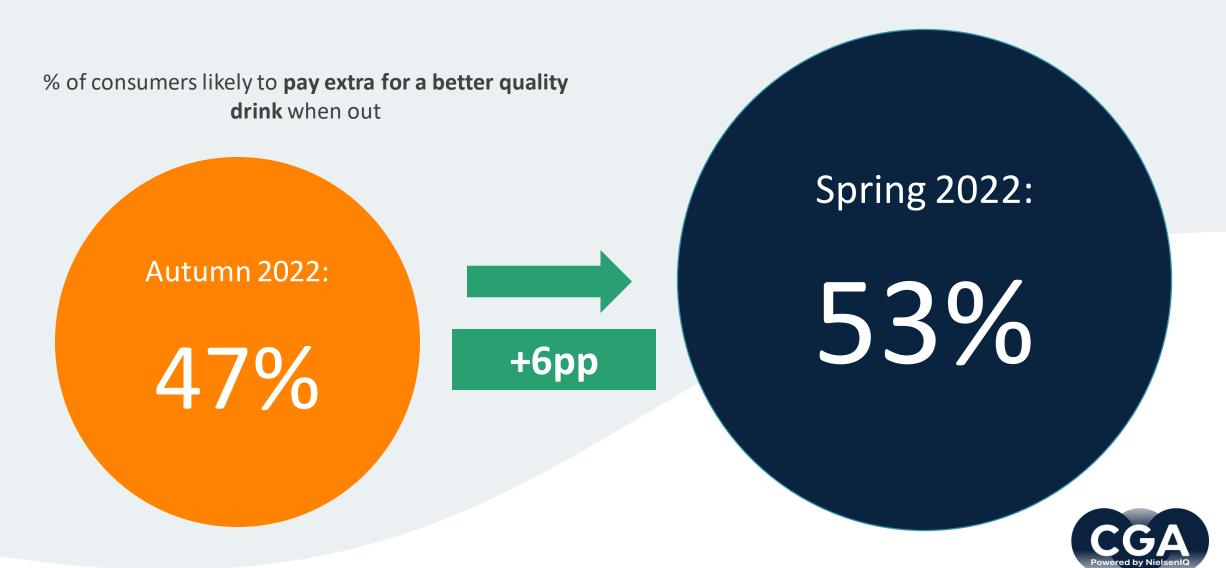






### The average consumer is now more willing to trade up in the On Premise





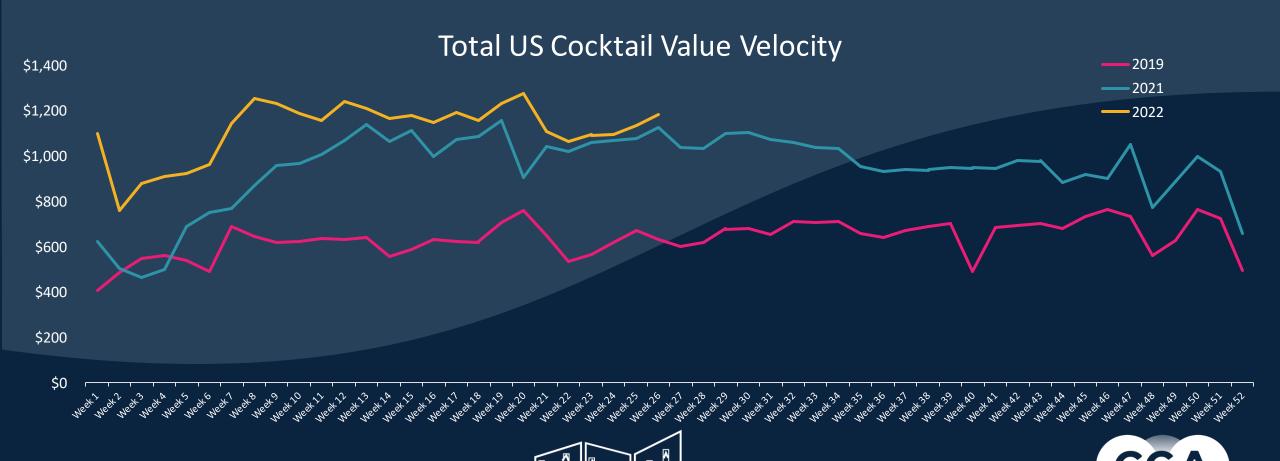




Cocktails have seen a huge resurgence around the world – none more than in the USA.

Post-lockdown, consumers devoured the category and led to a 50%+ increase in rate of sale vs 2019. That trend is continuing in 2022.

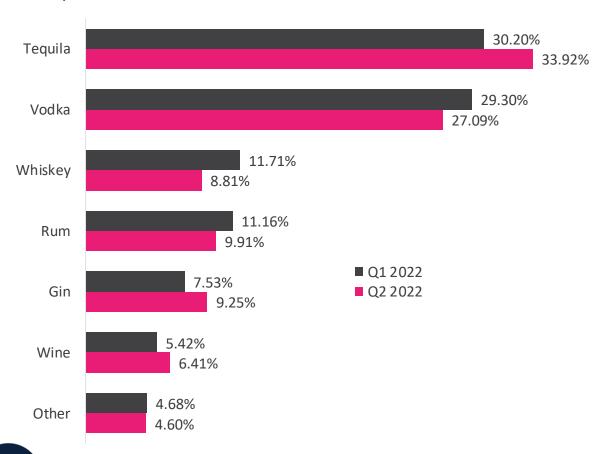




BeverageTrak

Driven by Margaritas, Tequila based cocktails hold the largest share of the category. Increasing share over the L12 weeks

Top Cocktail Bases Value Share







Cocktails were tipped to be the biggest trend in 2022 by bartenders...



59%

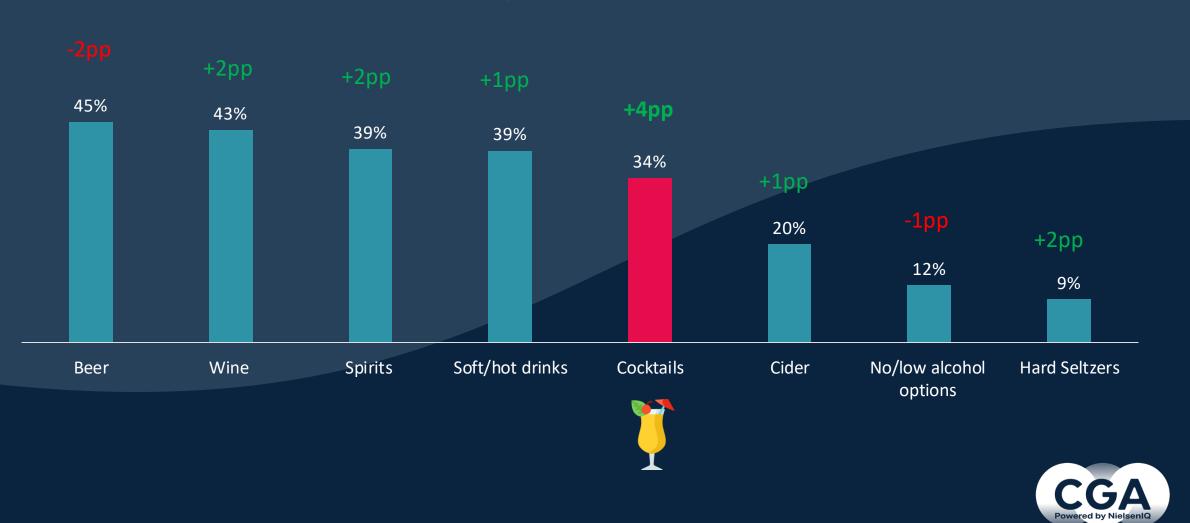
Of bartenders think that cocktails are in the best position to thrive in 2022



## This is evident in the recent increase in cocktail penetration over the past 6 months in the On premise

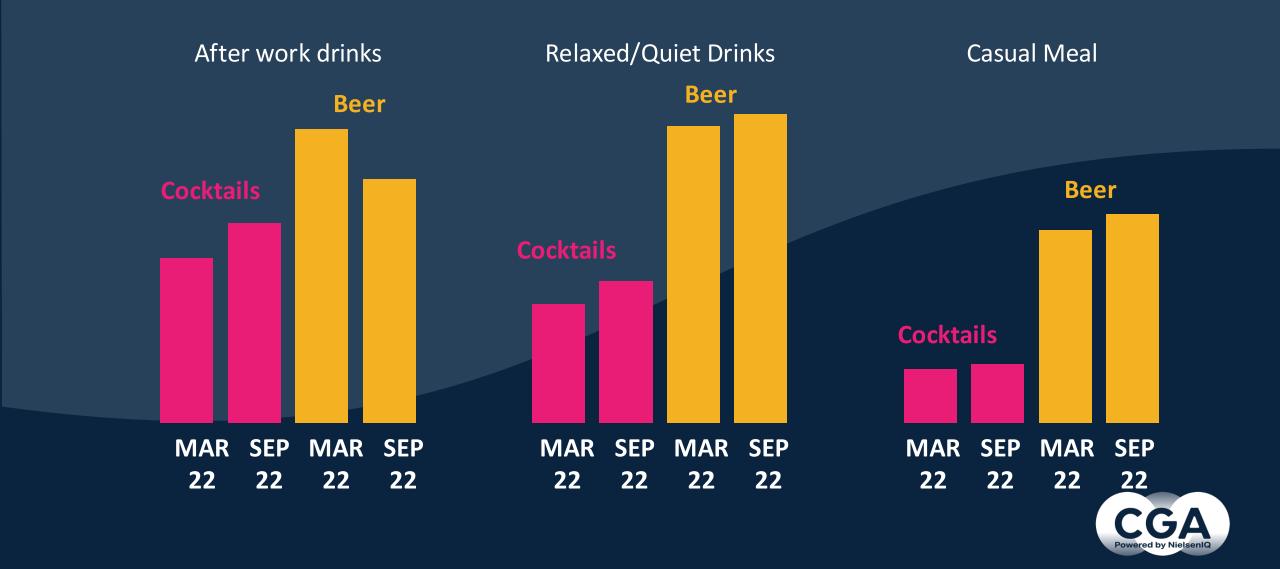


Metacategories consumed out of home



## Long term this year cocktails are increasing in penetration across more casual, typically "beer occasions"





### Mr Stubbs – Australian Vintage











## Spirits continue to target Beer occasions through communications and format





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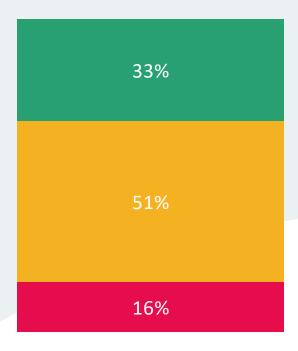




## Cocktail consumption has increased over the past year, with 1 in 3 consumers drinking it more frequently







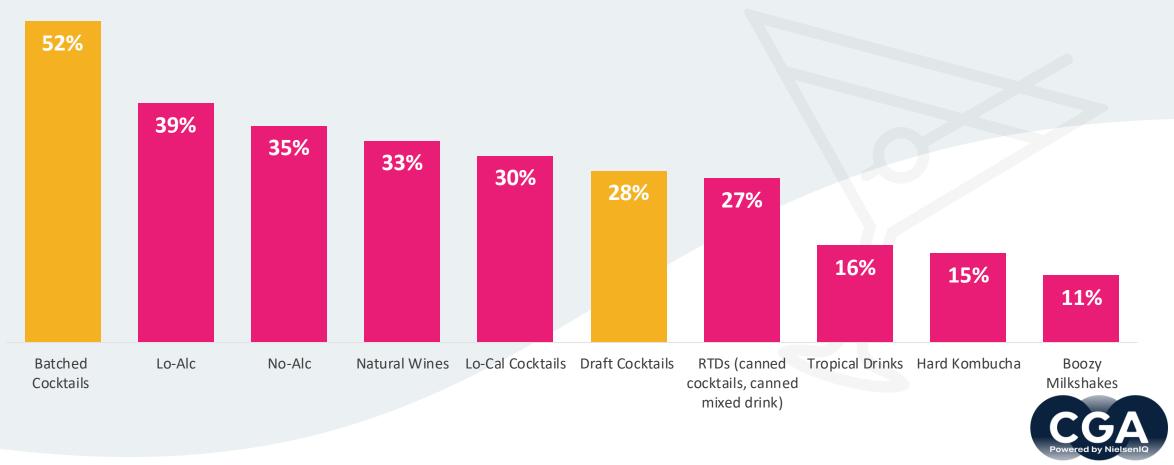
- Less frequently than a year ago
- About the same as a year ago
- More frequenly than a year ago



## With operational concerns around staffing, could new processes help to alleviate these stressors?



Which trends do you think will affect the alcoholic drinks industry, in the next 12 months?







# Bartenders say staff training is very important for relationships with suppliers



How important are the following when it comes to having a good relationship with a drinks supplier?

	■ Very important	■ Important	
A range of quality products	51%	44%	
A passion / understanding of your venue	49%	44%	
Bar staff training / perfect serve training	48%	50%	\   
Competitive prices	39%	55%	
A range of innovative products	37%	54%	
Relationship with sales rep/brand ambassador	35%	52%	
Suitable recommendations	35%	57%	



## Social Media drives decision making in the On Premise

When looking through my friends' social media I often **get ideas of where to go to eat or drink** 

41%

I often **order new and exciting drinks** that I see on social media

31%

















## Classic cocktails showing penetration growth with Margarita #1 cocktail in the On Premise



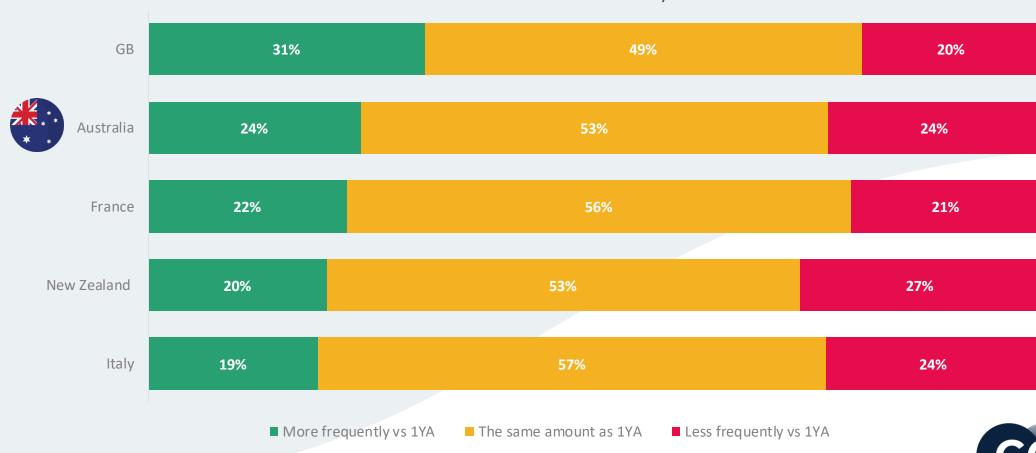




### Differing experiences with No/Low alcohol alternatives across the globe



Frequency drinking vs one year ago - No or low alcohol alternatives (e.g. non-alcoholic beer)





Pergola x Corona, London











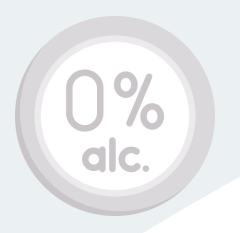
### US seeing large penetration declines in No/Low alternatives



% drinking no/low alternatives when out

**Spring 2021** 

26%



Spring 2022

21%

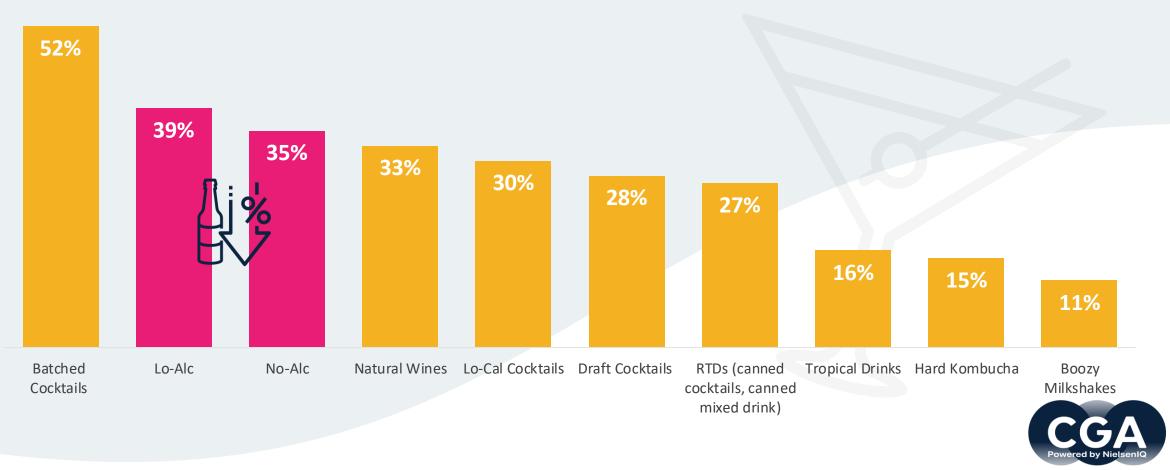


## Bartenders predicted that No / Low alcohol will be a popular trend in 2022 in Australia





Which trends do you think will affect the alcoholic drinks industry, in the next 12 months?



## This has not quite translated with consumer adoption, with penetration down versus 6 months ago...



% drinking no/low alternatives when out

Autumn 2022

13%



Spring 2022

12%



## Despite a decrease in penetration of no/low drinks, loyal consumers are drinking more often





## 0.0 Beer sub-brands showing similar signs in the Off Trade



#### **Purchase Drivers**

#### **SUM OF SELECTION**



Period (6 Latest 12 Weeks)

12 WE 11/09/22 vs 12 WE 18/07/21





Less overall buyers

in 0.0 Beer

## Health and Wellbeing is more than abstaining with other ways to moderate or drink healthier



Thinking about your visits to pubs, bars, restaurants and similar venues over the past 12 months, which of the following statements apply to you?



I have cut down on the amount of alcohol I drink in a session

23%



I have cut down on the amount of alcohol I drink in a week

23%



I have tried a **low or no alcohol** drink

21%



I have made a drink choice based on the calorie content

14%





The growth of the Hard Seltzers and RTDs has been notable

# Hard Seltzers Expected To Keep Growing In 2022.

Published by H. Lindenberger, 11.05.21

## Canned Alcoholic Drinks Market is Booming Worldwide | Diageo, Anheuser-Busch Inbev, Heineken

Published by Newsmantraa, 02.03.22





# Huge success has led to a surprising variety of serve styles for Hard Seltzers in the US in the On Premise



### % drinking hard seltzer serve

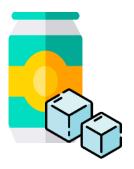
On its own

On its own with ice

As a mixer with a cocktail

As a mixer with a spirit









56%

35%

26%

23%

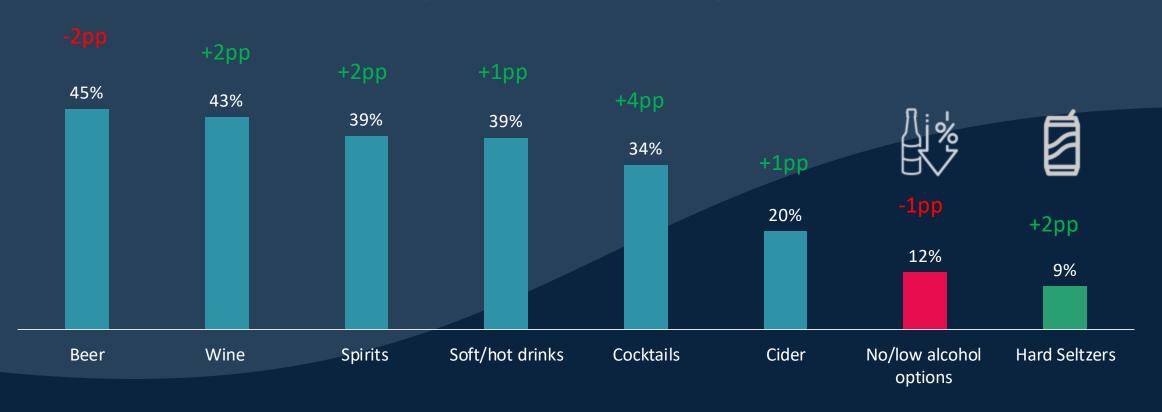


Source: CGA On Premise User Survey (Fall 2021) – Sample Size: 2455

# Hard seltzers rise in the On Premise could in part be due to the desire to live a healthier lifestyle



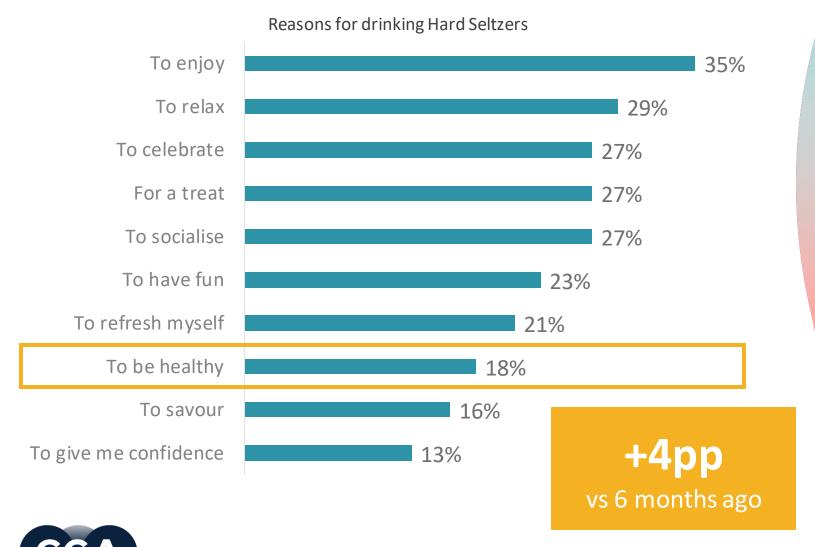
Categories consumed out of home vs Spring 2022





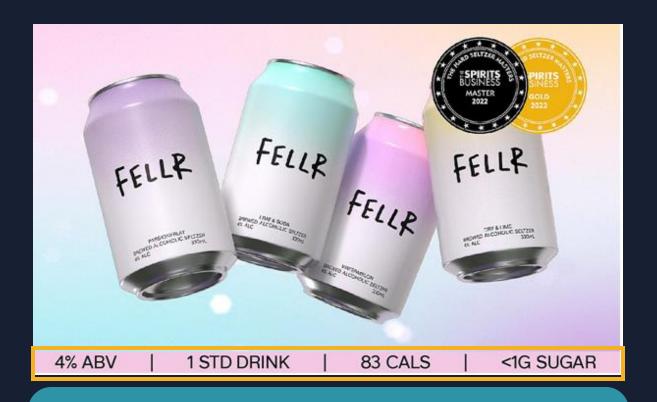
## Consumers are now making more health conscious decisions Hard Seltzers







### Hard Seltzer brands are finding different ways to innovate and appeal to different needs





Health and Wellness Benefits Formats in the On Premise - On Tap



## American legislation on cannabis seems to full 1/3 of consumers being open to trying CBD drinks



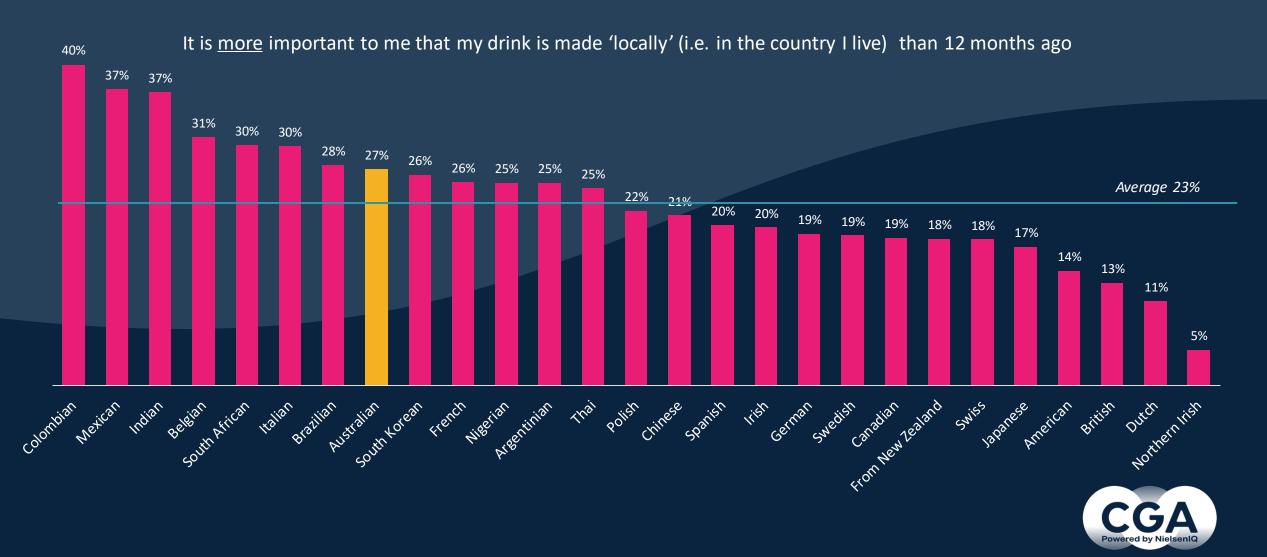
Trend	Have tried	Would try	Wouldn't try
Hard tea/coffee/kombucha	30%	25%	35%
Non-alcoholic drinks (i.e. 0% ABV alcoholic drinks)	28%	22%	42%
Low calorie drinks (e.g. skinny cocktails)	25%	31%	36%
Low/non-alcoholic spirits	24%	26%	41%
Low carb drinks (e.g. 0% carb beer)	24%	26%	41%
CBD infused drinks	14%	31%	41%





### Across the global markets there is a strong and growing desire for 'local' since COVID





# Example: Texas-grown Tito's tapped in to craft and 'local' to rise to the top of the biggest category in one of the biggest spirit markets



9L EQ 9L EQ % Chg YA

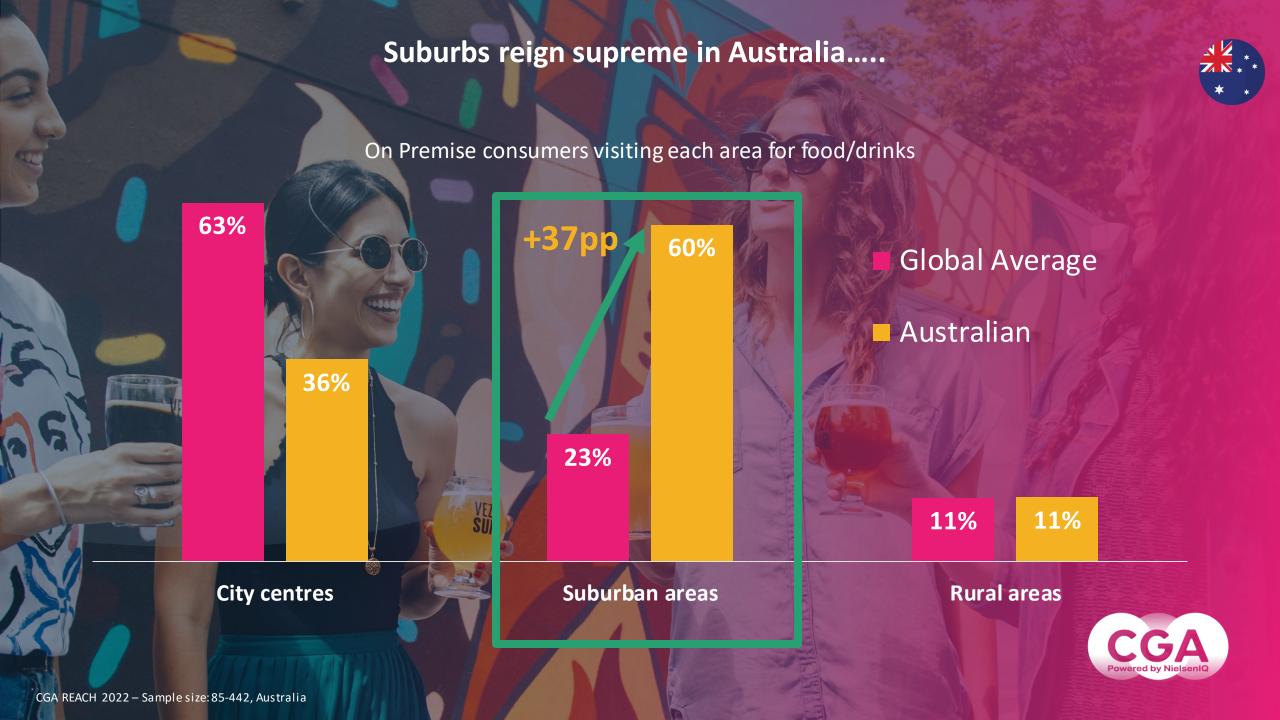


\$
\$ % Chg YA

Tito's Handmade Vodka	Grey Goose Reg Vodka	Ketel One Reg Vodka	Absolut Reg Vodka	Smirnoff Reg Vodka
1.6m	688k	558k	487k	443k
+26.2%	-4.5%	-5.2%	-9.6%	-2.5%
Tito's		Rived One	ABSOLUT	SMIRNOFF SPACEDAMENT VODERA Manual SPACE SPACEDAMENT
Handmadi 10082	GEY GOOK		and the second s	
2.0b	1.0b	777.8m	592.0m	494.7m
+27.1%	-4.2%	-4.7%	-9.0%	-1.9%

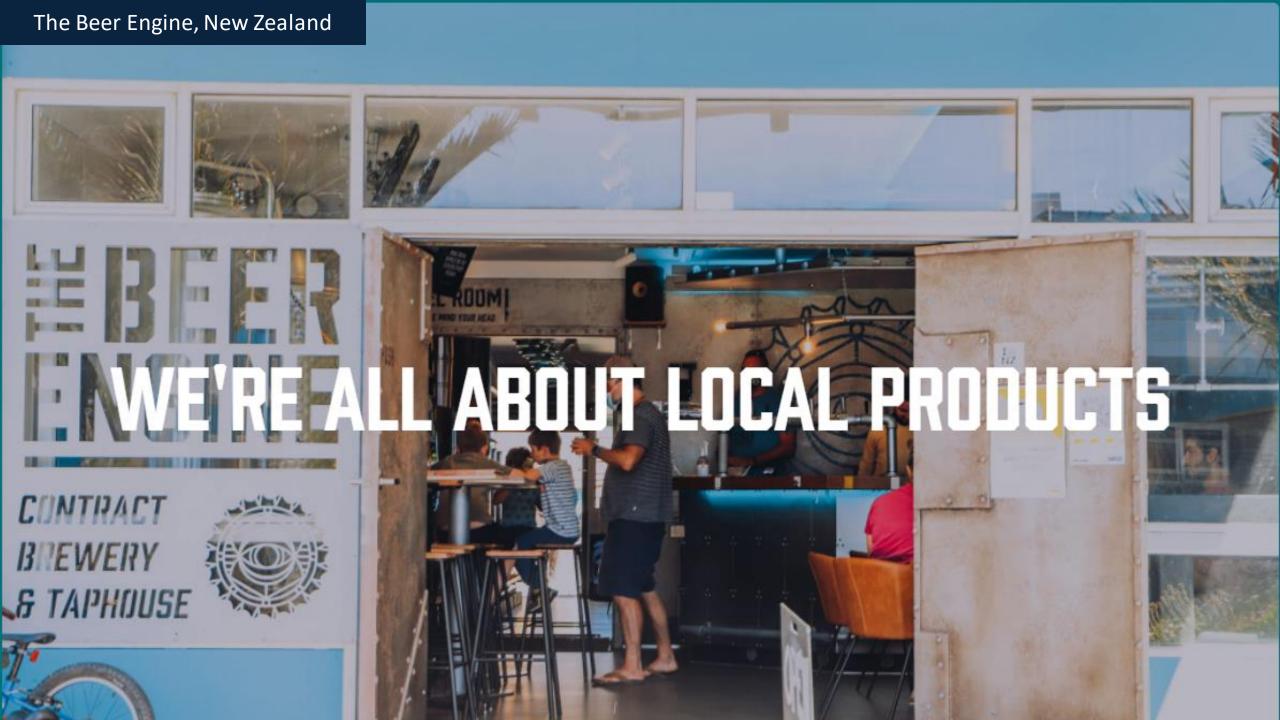
# ...small and local still drives the brand message (for what is now a HUGE national/global brand)













Proven learnings from around the world



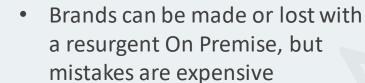
### **SOME KEY TAKEAWAYS**



## A CLEAR CHANNEL STRATEGY IS KEY

- Clarity is absolutely essential.
- Value or Quality? Locational bias? Occasions to defend and win? Sub-channel nuances?
- Are your brand strategies
   <u>coherent</u> with your customer
   segmentation, commercial
   planning and sales function?
- Do local sales KPI's for brands and portfolios dovetail with central brand development goals?
- Are local sales KPI's owned at the highest level to ensure support and accountability?

### **INVEST...BUT CHOOSE WISELY**



- You can't invest in everything...test the most important levers for your brands and invest narrowly
- Support your customers to help drive footfall and rate of sale/average spend per visit
- Cleaning and re-segmenting your On Premise CRM now will pay dividends

#### **EARN TRIAL AND ADVOCACY**



- Re-assess your category and brand strength for the On Premise consumer. Do consumers like your brands as much as you think they do.
- Who is advocating for your brands in-venue?
- What else is influencing their decisions in-venue?
- Bartender training and activations work well when delivered well.
   They must form part of a coherent, long term, advocacy program though.



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