CaffeineClicks

E Commerce Website Planning Document

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Project Overview



Caffeineclicks is a modern and stylish e-commerce platform designed for coffee enthusiasts to discover, shop, and subscribe to premium coffee blends. The platform aims to combine a sleek, user-friendly interface with curated recommendations to create a personalized coffee-shopping experience.

Target Audience - Demographics

Coffee consumption by age group

Ages 18-24:

• Approximately 47% of individuals in this age group consume coffee daily.

Ages 25-39:

 Around 70% report drinking coffee daily, reflecting a 4.5% increase from previous data.

Ages 40-59:

• Approximately 69% consume coffee daily, also marking a 4.5% rise.

Ages 60 and above:

• About 73% of individuals in this group drink coffee daily, showing a notable 9% increase.

Source Link

Target Audience - Demographics

Important Observations

Millennials (25–39 years old): This group is a significant driver of online coffee purchases, valuing specialty brews and unique flavors.

Generation Z (18–24 years old): While their overall coffee consumption is steady at 47%, their interest in innovative and specialty coffee products is growing.

Older Adults (60+ years old): This demographic has seen a notable increase in coffee consumption, with past-day consumption rising from 67% to 73%.

Consumption Habits:

- Approximately 66% of Americans drink coffee daily, with 43% preferring specialty coffee—a 20% increase since January 2021.
- Specialty coffee consumption has risen, with 57% of adults enjoying a specialty coffee in the past week.

Project Objectives

Business Objectives:

Increase Sales: Drive online purchases of coffee beans and merchandise with a seamless and intuitive checkout process.

Expand Customer Base: Attract coffee enthusiasts from diverse age groups, focusing on tech-savvy millennials and Gen Z.

Build Brand Loyalty: Implement product recommendations, brewing strategies, and a coffee subscription service.

Promote Brand Identity: Position the brand as modern, hip, and community-driven through vibrant design and engaging content.

Project Objectives

UX/UI Objectives:

Ensure Seamless Navigation: Design an intuitive user interface with easy filtering and sort through (roast levels, origin, bean type).

Create Visual Appeal: Use a modern aesthetic with a warm, earthy palette, high-quality images, and playful micro-interactions.

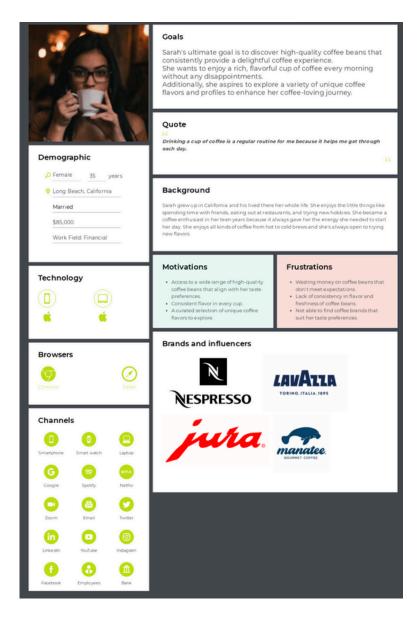
Optimize for Mobile: Deliver a fully responsive experience, ensuring fast loading and smooth shopping on mobile devices.

Enhance Accessibility: Ensure ADA compliance with proper alt texts, legible fonts, and clear color contrasts.

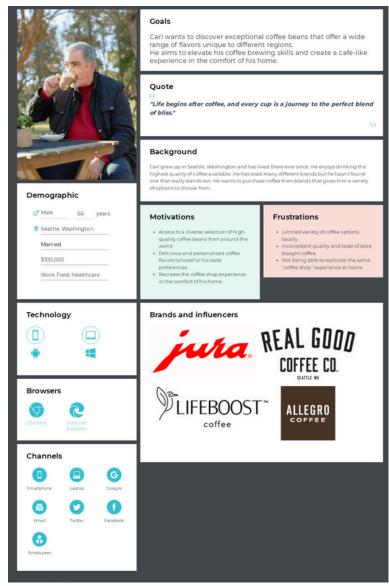
Interactivity: Implement interactions that increase user engagement and ease the online product shopping process.

User Research & Insights: Personas

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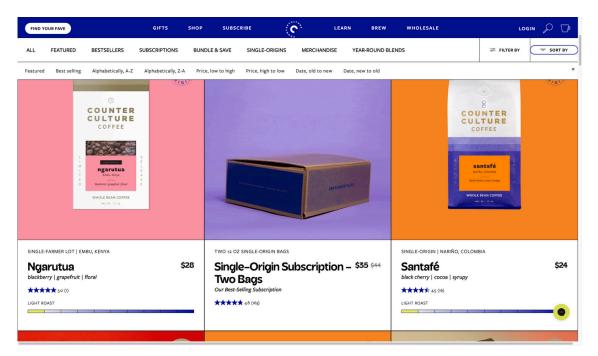


Carl Clark:



User Research & Insights: Competitor Analysis

Competitor 1: Counter Culture Coffee



Mobile Responsive: Offers a fully responsive experience for smartphone and tablet devices.

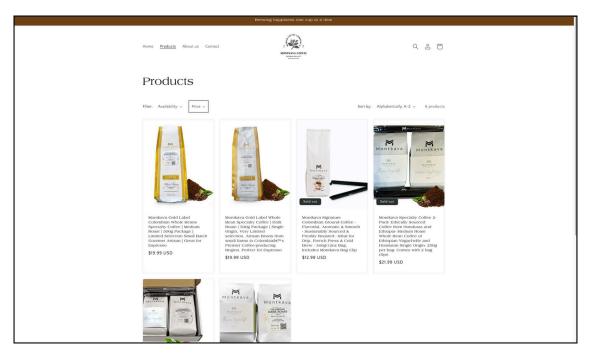
Visual Appeal: Modern & fun brand aesthetic and component styles used for the website.

Subscription Service: Well designed subscription page showing different product packages.

Curated Quiz: Curated coffee quiz for users to find specific products that they would enjoy.

User Research & Insights: Competitor Analysis

Competitor 2: Montkava Coffee



Mobile Responsive: Offers a fully responsive experience for smartphone and tablet devices.

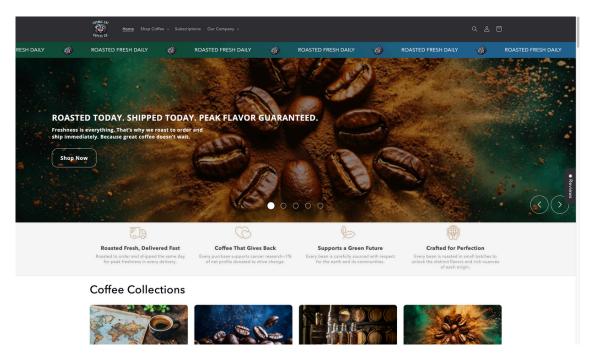
Visual Appeal: Modern & simplistic brand aesthetic used for the website. Images are high quality.

Best Selling Products: Featured products are displayed on the home page for users to discover and purchase.

User Account: Allows users to create personal user accounts for easy purchase tracking & personalized recommendations.

User Research & Insights: Competitor Analysis

Competitor 3: Cosmic Cat Coffee



Mobile Responsive: Offers a fully responsive experience for smartphone and tablet devices.

Visual Appeal: Modern & bold brand aesthetic used for the website. Images are high quality, brand icons and components remain consistent.

Product Categories: Sectioned and organized by collections, best sellers, premium blends, origin type, & subscriptions.

Interactivity: Image slider, sub nav links included.

User Journey and Flow











Awareness

- Clicks on an ad, blog post, or social media link.
- Lands on the homepage or a product page.
- Scrolls to explore featured products and brand story.

Consideration

- Uses filters to explore light, medium, and dark roasts.
- Reads reviews and customer feedback.
- Takes the "Find Your Perfect Coffee" quiz.
- Adds products to the cart but might not purchase yet.

Purchase

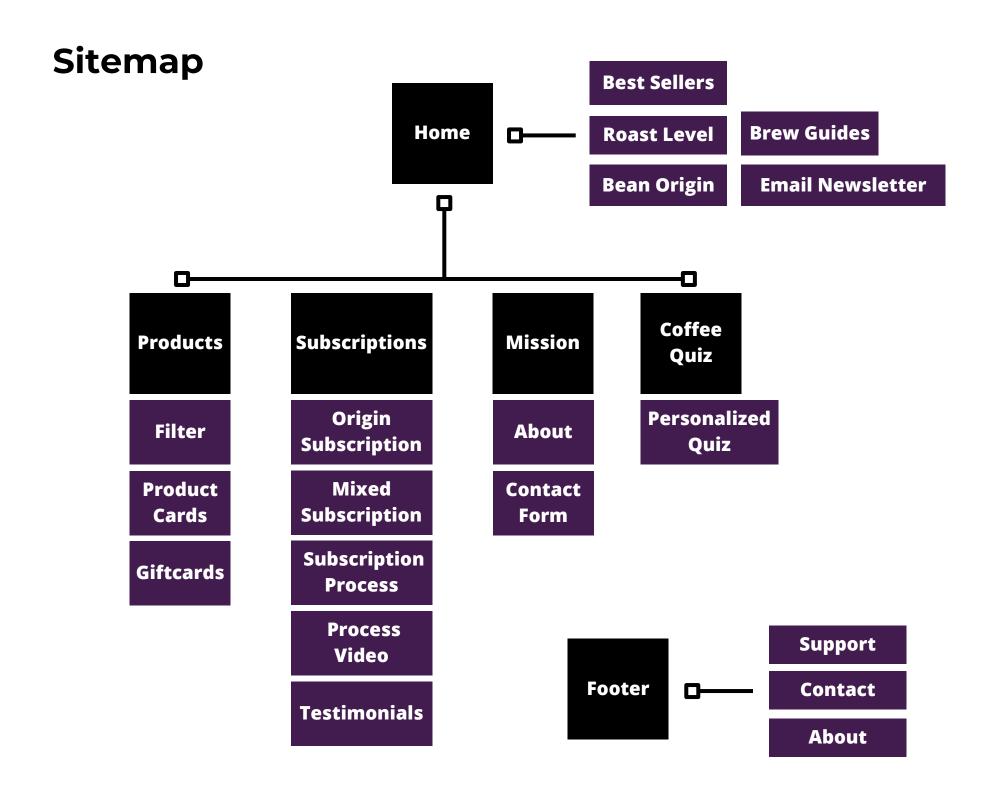
- Adds coffee bags or subscriptions to the cart.
- Completes the checkout process quickly and smoothly.
- Receives a confirmation email with tracking details.

Engagement

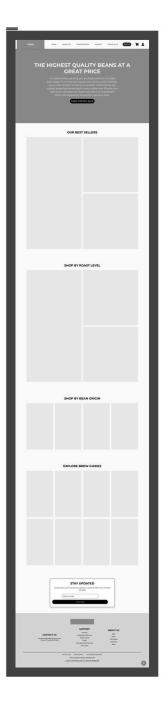
- Shares a review or posts about their coffee on social media.
- Engages with the brand through email newsletters and social media.
- Joins a referral program to earn rewards.

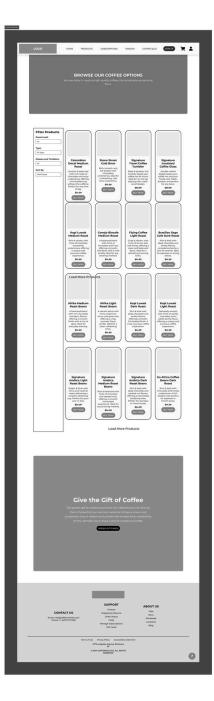
Renewal

- Renews or upgrades their coffee subscription.
- Tries a new blend or limited-edition product.
- Becomes a long-term customer and brand advocate.

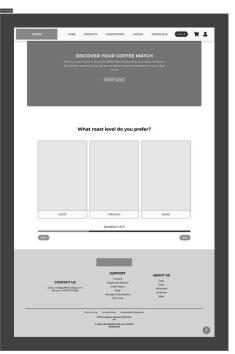


Wireframes





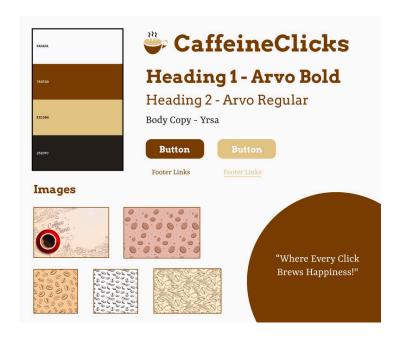






Brand Element Ideas







Final Brand Elements

