Food for thought



A 360° analysis of the present and future potential of airport food & beverage

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We are fortunate to be in the travel F&B sector

Travel F&B

- + Pax growth
- + Modern infrastructure
- + Indulgent spending
- + Favourable customer trends

Traditional downtown

- + Declining footfall
- + Downtown real estate, over-spaced
- + Price deflation
- + Unfavourable consumer trends



Our challenge: How do we effectively manage our growth opportunities?





We can learn a lot from downtown



- ✓ Deep customer insight
- ✓ Robust SKU-level data
- ✓ Supplier collaboration
- ✓ Squeezing the most out of limited space
- ✓ Agile test, learn, adapt processes



The travel F&B sector enjoys significant, favourable customer trends

Top 10 categories by consumers' planned increase in spending next year





And this should be a space for digital innovation



+ Very digitally literate consumers

+ A very digitally originated market

+ Multiple B2C digital innovations in travel



Yet there is limited digital penetration in the sector





But we face a dilemma

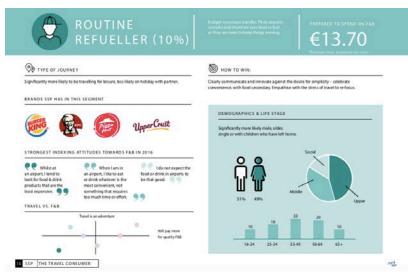


- + World-leading innovation in format development
- + World-leading operation of complex, peak-load units
- + World-leading management of waste and costs



My three priorities at SSP

Actionable customer insights





Digital innovation



Drive win-win growth



