



The changing face of the UK grocery market and shopper



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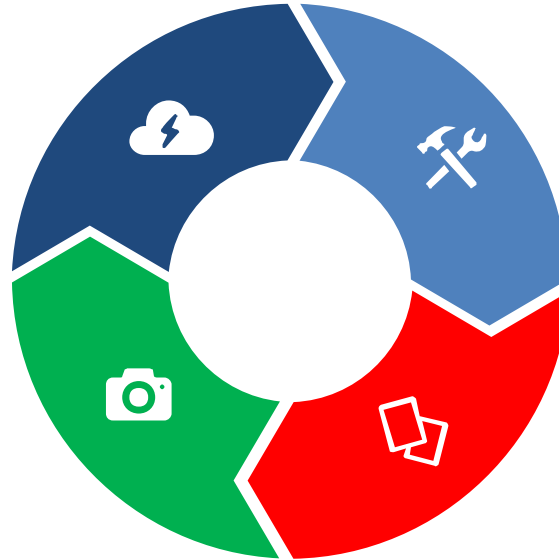
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Key macro-level trends driving change

RESOURCE RESILIENCE

Skills gap and demand planning



SOCIETAL SHIFTS

Urbanisation and personalisation

ALTERING AUTHORITIES

De-globalization and anti-establishment

TRANSFORMATIVE TECHNOLOGY

Automation and connectivity



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Significant lifestyle changes are underway

More **single** person households

People will be **working longer** as retirement age rises

Life expectancy will continue to rise

Health consciousness will rise

Cities will expand as population increases

Living space will become more of a premium

More **dual income** households

Technology will continue to impact the everyday



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We're entering an age of interconnectivity

Vehicles

Including vehicle to vehicle and vehicle to network communications

Home

Smart locks, energy management, connected appliances

Cities

Access to information and services, and predictive alerts



Health

Wearables, smart sleep, diagnostic tools & services

Living

Ecommerce, robotics, AR, baby and kids, education and training

Leisure

Gaming, sports and play

However, fundamental shopper truths will remain

VALUE



Help me
save money

TIME



Help me
save time

QUALITY



Help me get the
best quality

HEALTH



Help me make
healthy choices



'Help me save money'

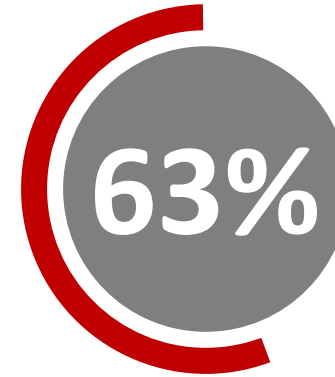
EDLP over special offers



"There should be fewer offers and have EDLP instead"



Price reductions over multi-buys

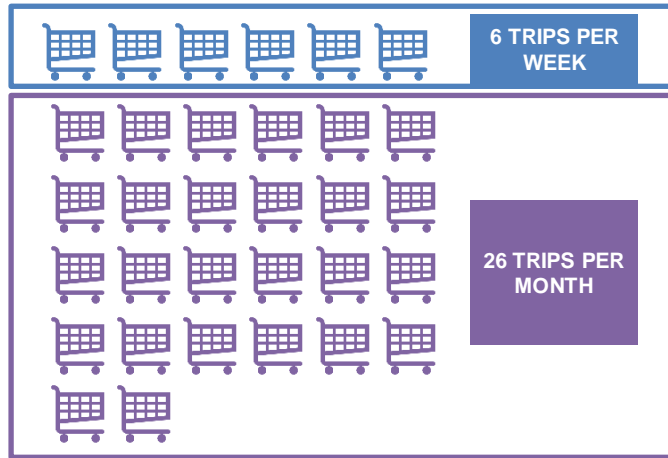


"I prefer price reductions over multi-buys"

Simpler and clearer value communication



'Help me save time'



Pay-and-go technology in action to speed up shopping



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'Help me get the best quality'

Better appearance

British / local products

Better flavour products

More environmentally friendly

Freshly prepared products

Healthier products

Better ingredients

Ethical products

Brand name



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Be more local...sell products that tell stories



...and ethical can translate to better quality

Increased ethical concerns

Importance in choosing food and groceries (% extremely or very important):

53%



Animal welfare

↑ up 5% from
Jan 2017

40%



Support local/
British farmers

↑ up 6% from
Jan 2017

36%



Impact on
environment

↑ up 9% from
Jan 2017

35%



Amount of
packaging

↑ up 8% from
Jan 2017

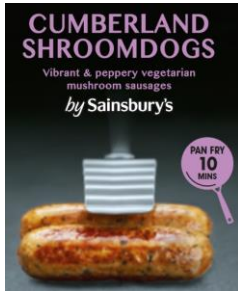


'Help me make healthier choices'

Solutions

Advice

Incentives?



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Signs of weakness in the UK economy



Overall economic growth slow



Inflation returning to normal



Real pay falling, esp in pub sector



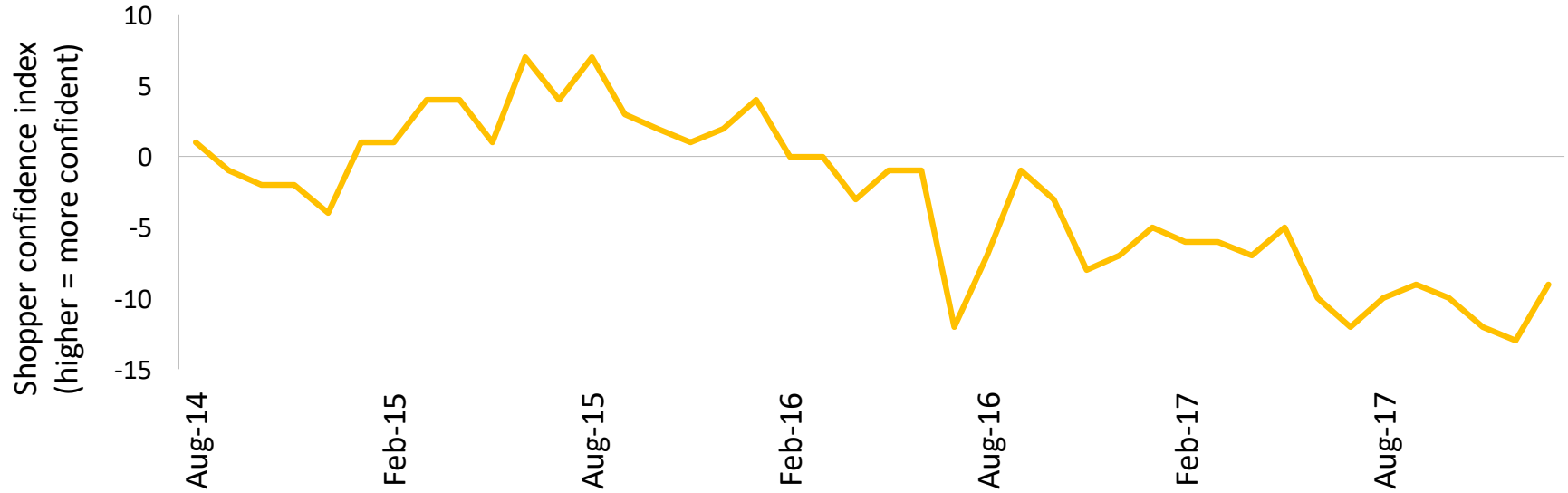
Concerns over household debt



Shopper confidence weakening
Car sales slowing, house prices sluggish



UK shopper confidence is challenging...



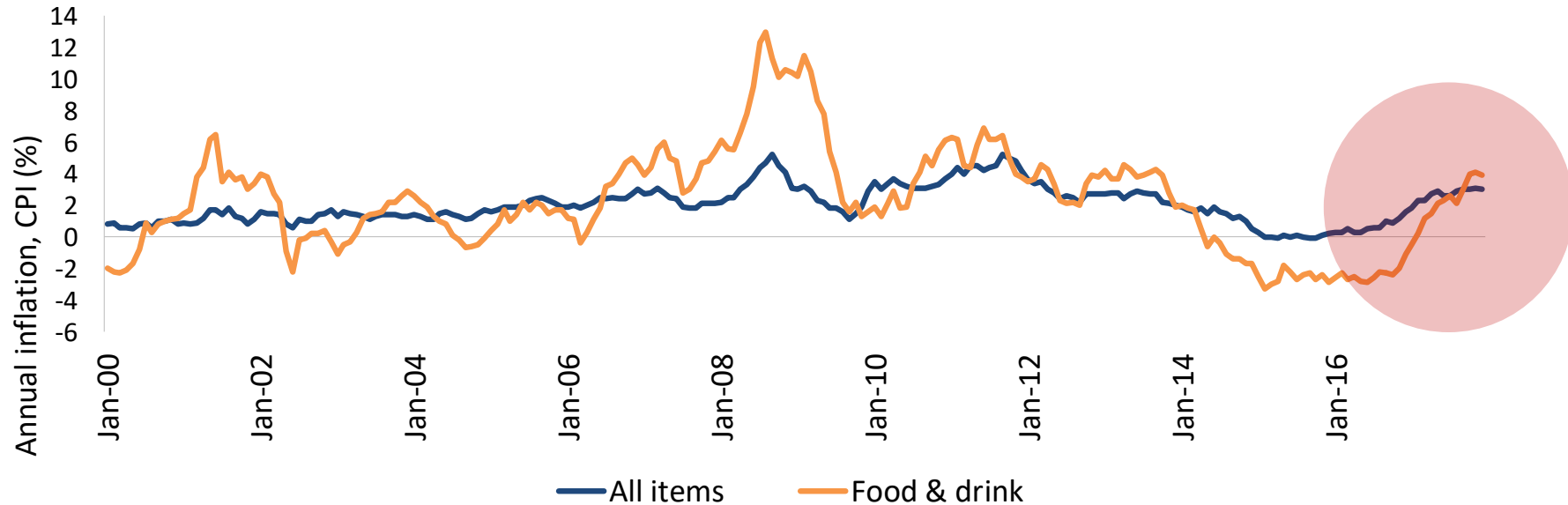
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Inflation has returned to the UK economy



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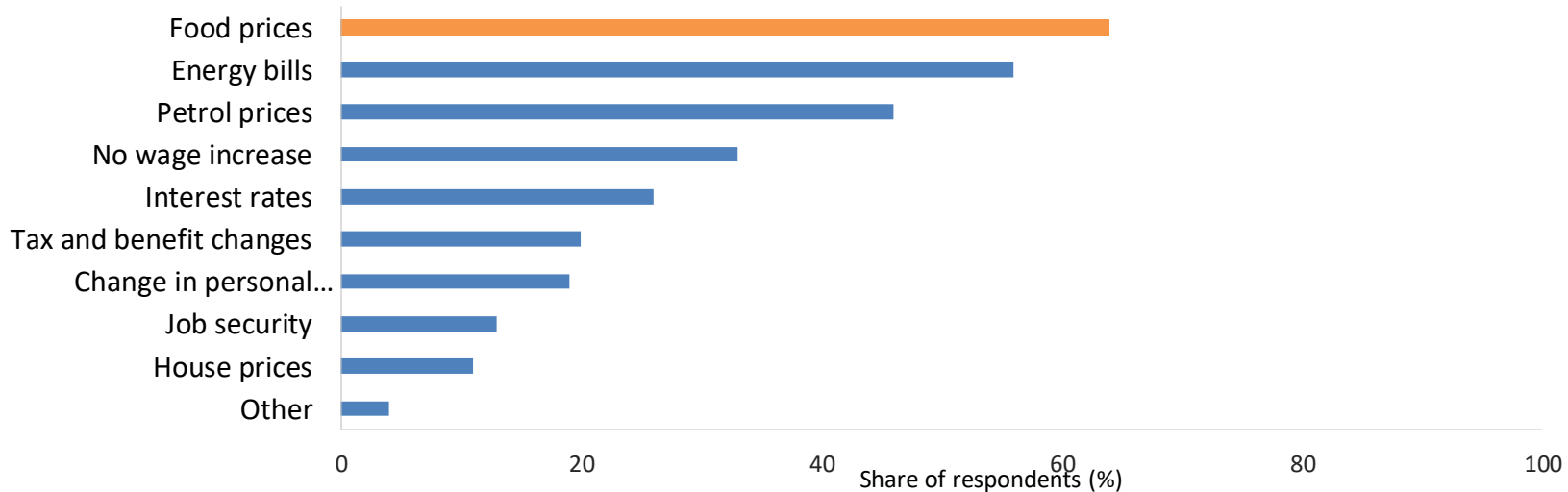


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Shoppers are sensitised to inflation

Top personal economic concerns for the year ahead



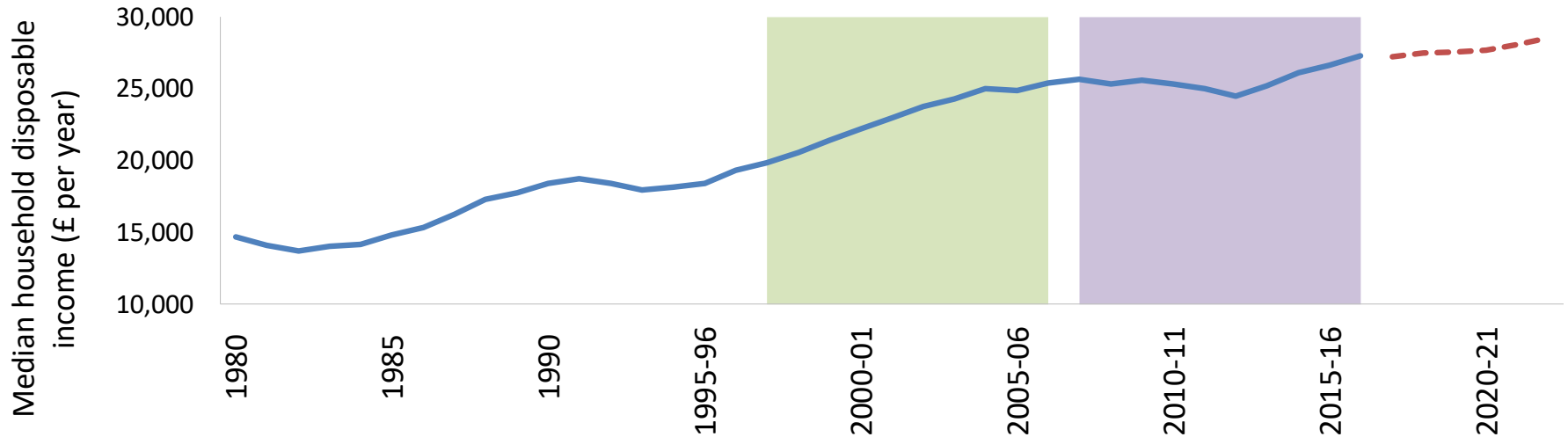
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Household income growth has slowed



Previous 10 yrs

Latest 10 yrs



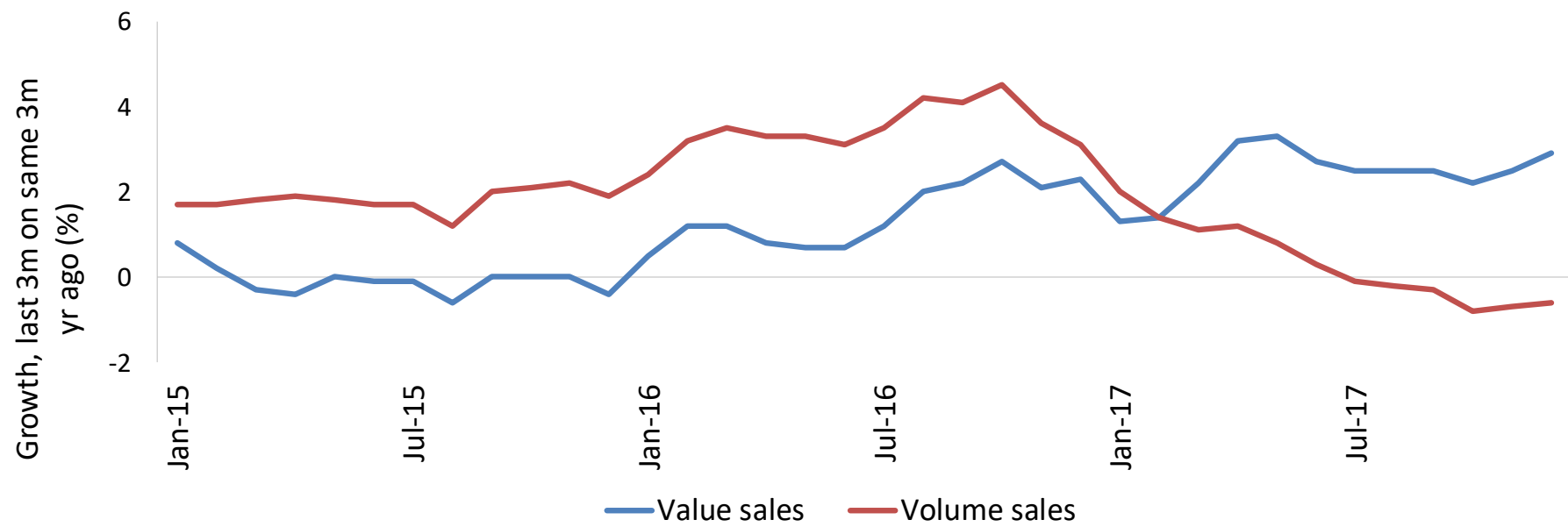
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Grocery retail volumes were static in 2017



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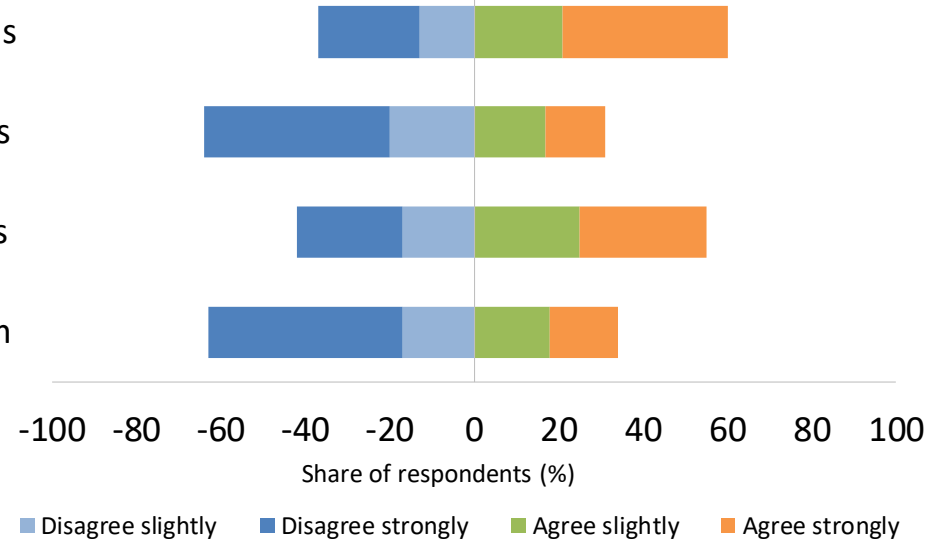
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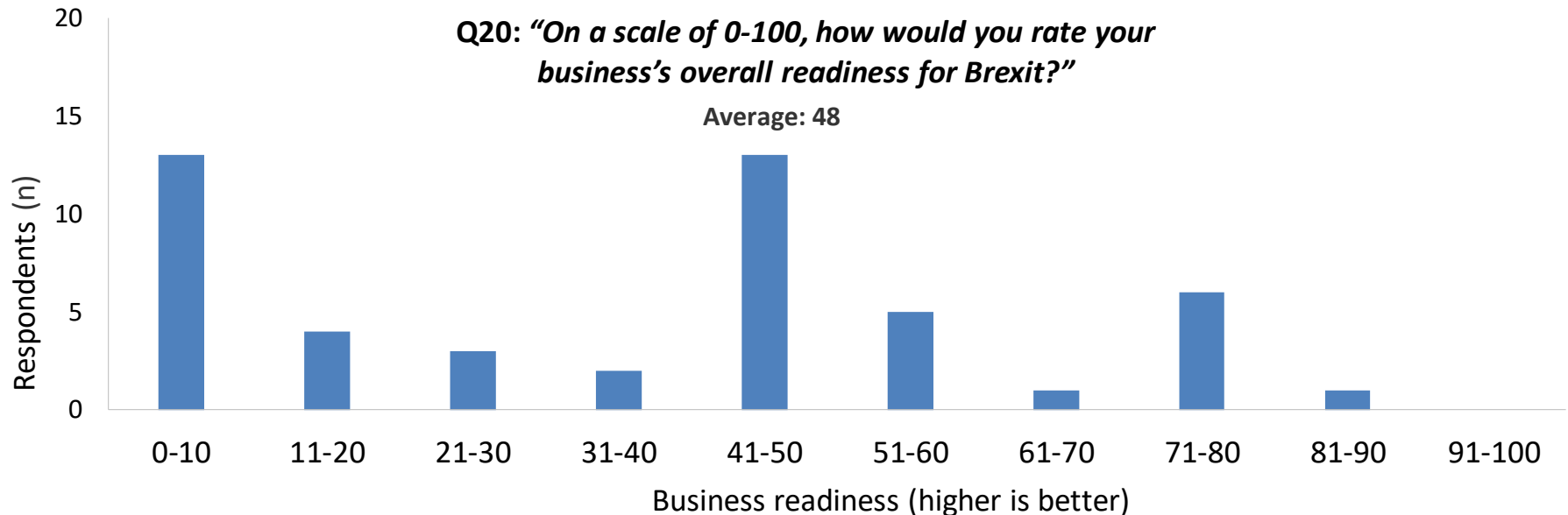
Some shoppers feeling the 'Brexit Blues'

Shopper opinions of BREXIT impacts, all shoppers

- I worry about the UK economy as BREXIT proceeds
- I worry about my job security as BREXIT proceeds
- I worry about my finances as BREXIT proceeds
- I spend more carefully since the EU referendum

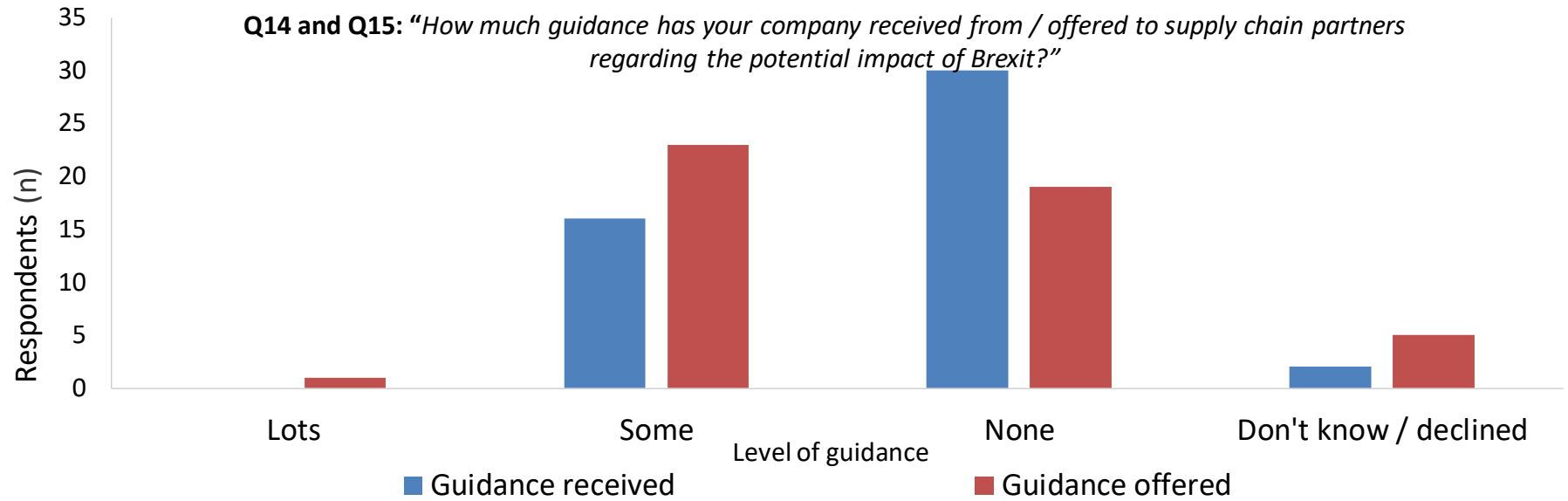


Brexit preparation appears patchy

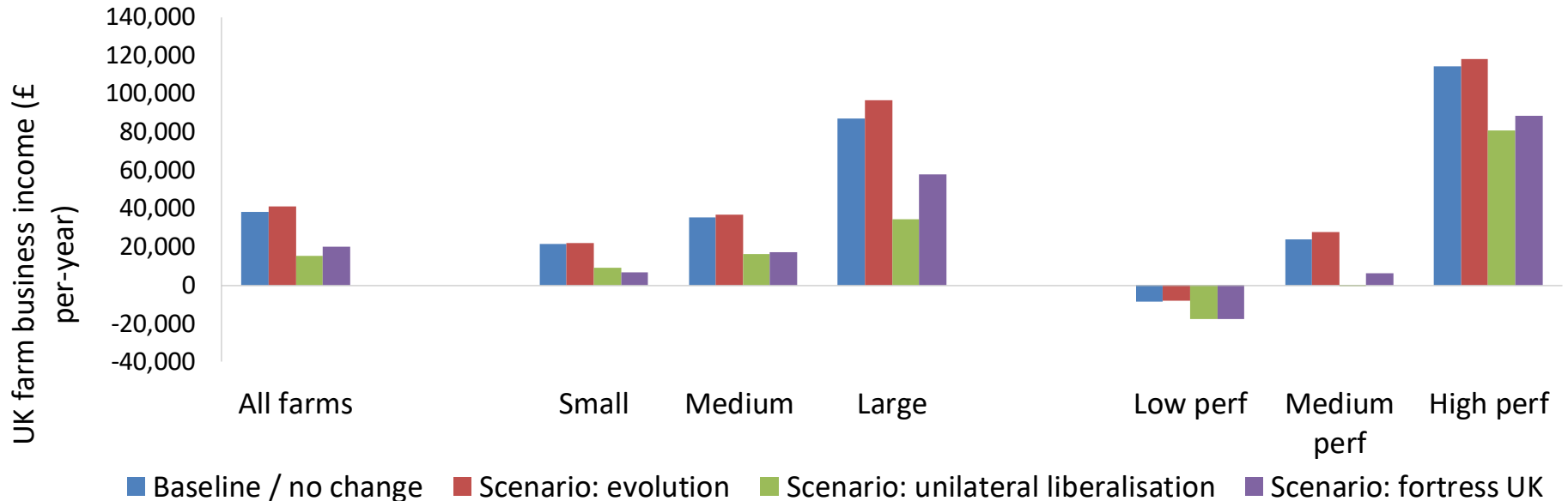


Few businesses seem to be talking about Brexit

Q14 and Q15: "How much guidance has your company received from / offered to supply chain partners regarding the potential impact of Brexit?"



Leaving the UK could shock UK farming



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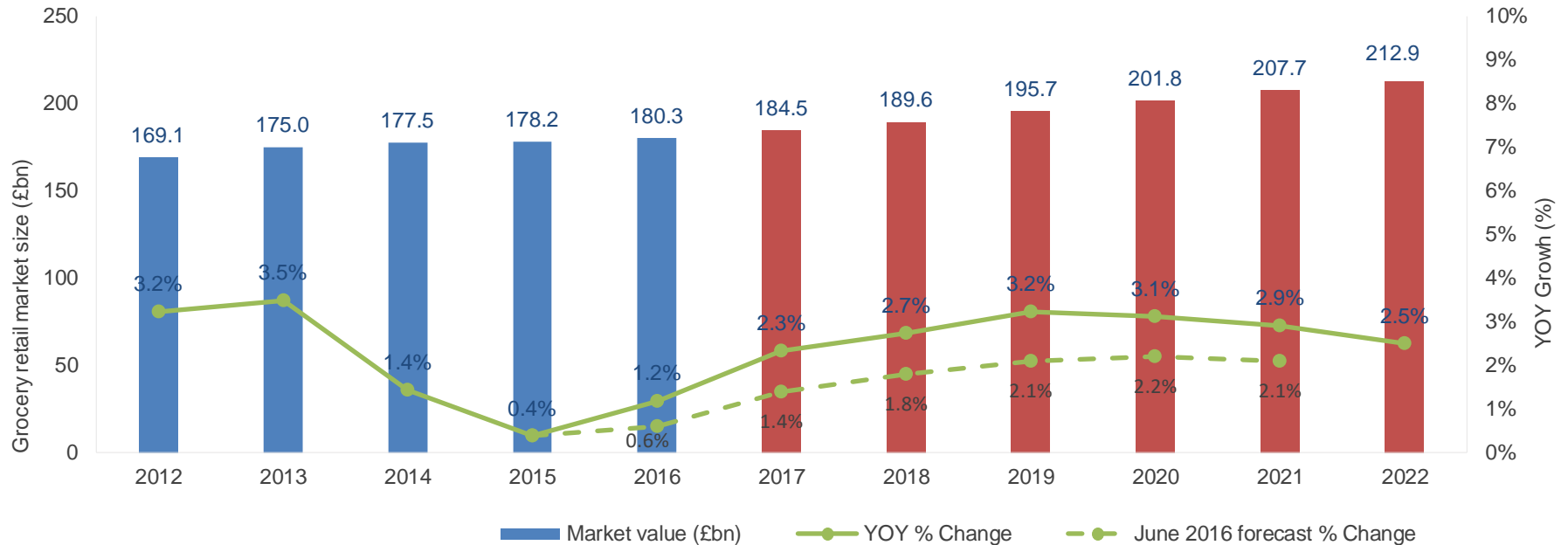
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Inflation will drive growth in UK grocery

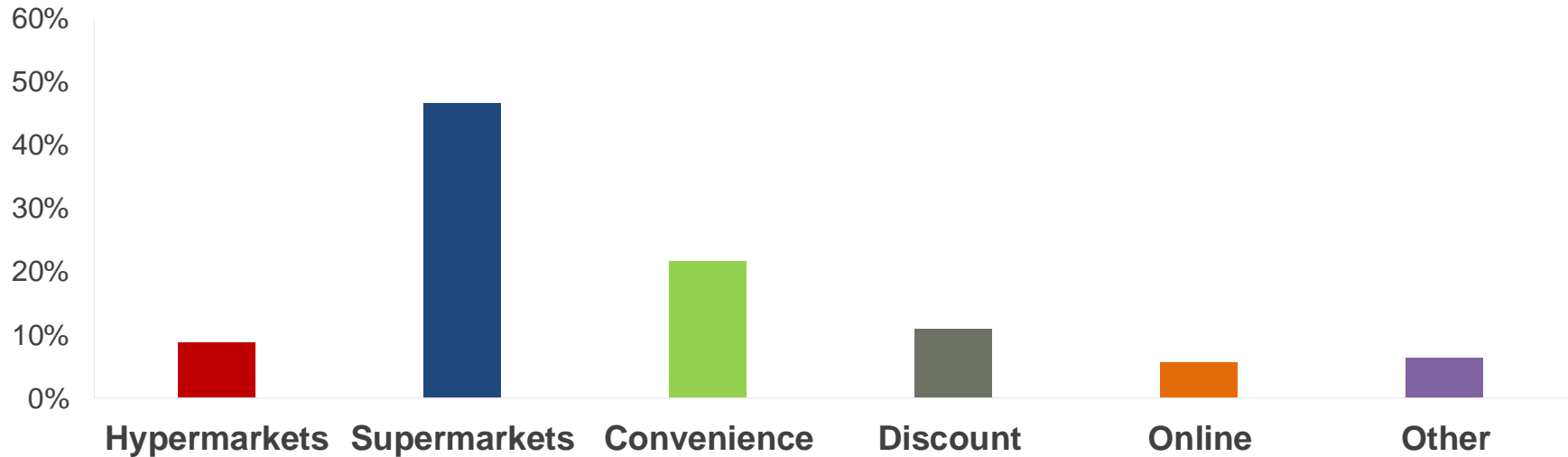


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Large stores account for 50p in each £1 today...



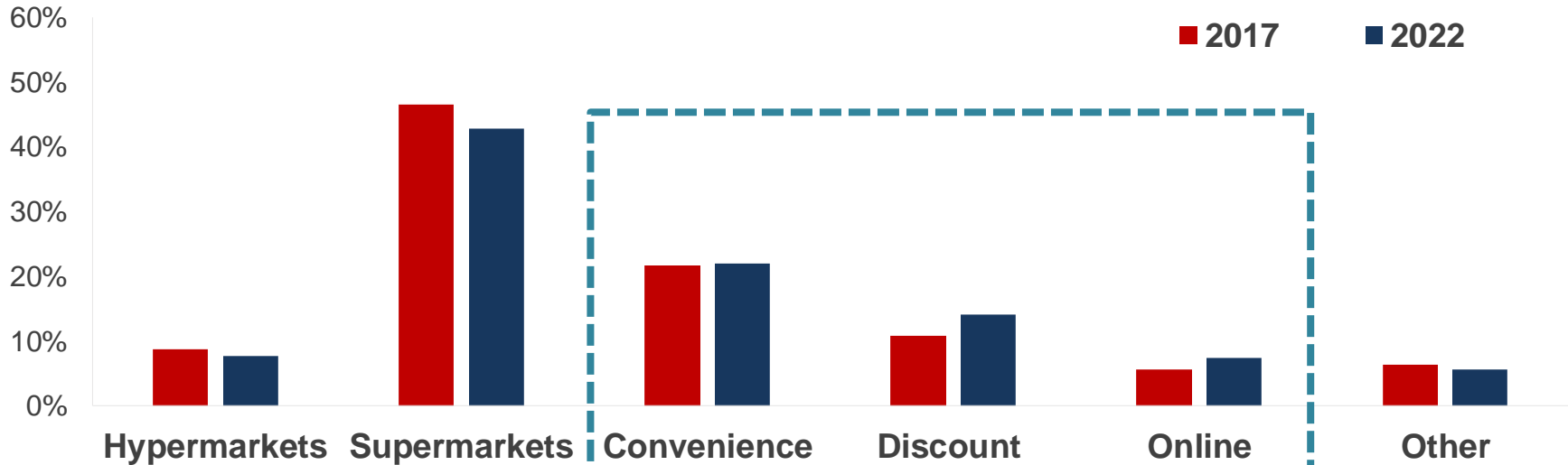
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...but they'll be challenged by other channels in the next few years



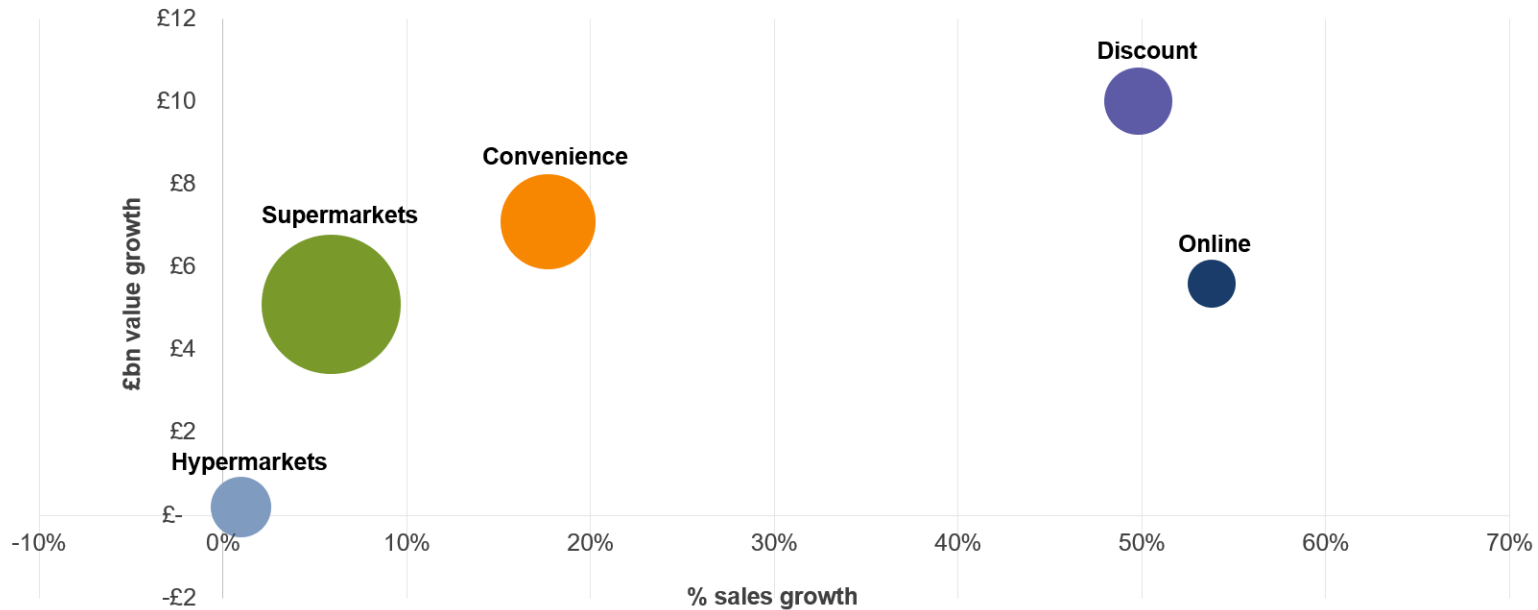
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Top three growth channels to deliver +£23bn sales



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Online set to continue to drive appeal

43%

...of all British grocery shoppers say they've shopped online for some part of their groceries in the last 4 weeks

60%

...say it's likely they will be shopping online and getting their groceries delivered to their home in the next 2-3 years



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New stores and quality driving food discounters



Expanding store networks



Improving in quality, staying low on price



Differentiating their offer



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Convenience retailing at a glance



Worth £39.2bn – growth of 3.3% in 2017*



45,652 stores - limited increase in numbers, but sales/store rising



Multiples sales +7.9% – the fastest growing retailer segment



Symbol share 38.1% - still significantly the largest retailer segment



BWS top growing category – reaching 14.5% participation over five years



Forecast growth of £6.9bn – by 2022 reaching £46.2bn



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C-stores appealing to shopper needs



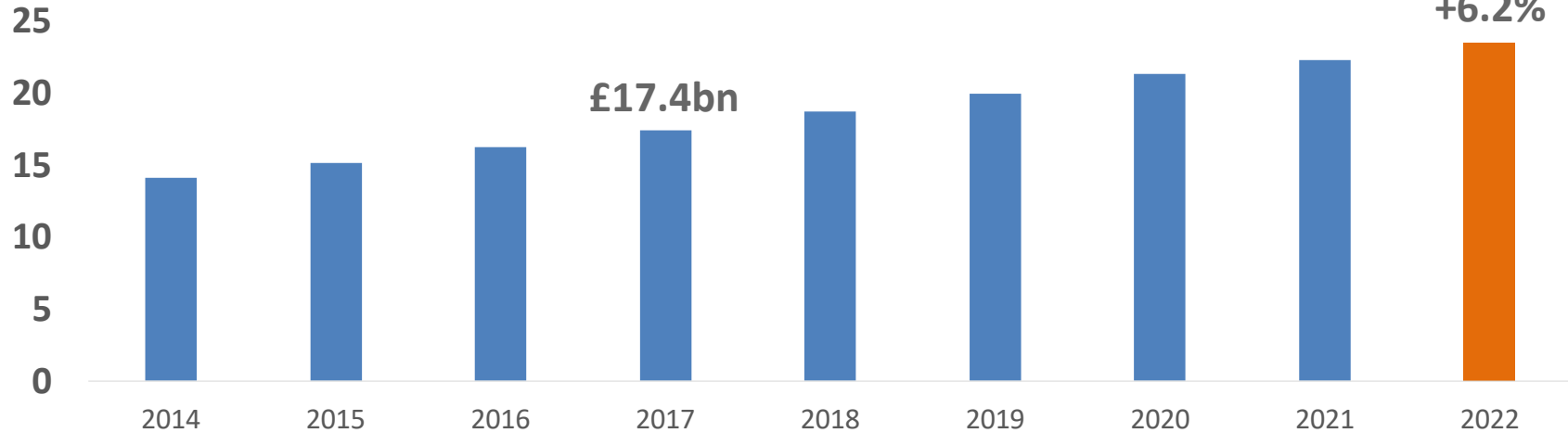
Increasing participation from new generations of shoppers

Speed of in-store experience

Targeting more missions, more effectively

Food-for-now: a massive growth opportunity

UK Food-to-go market size - £bn



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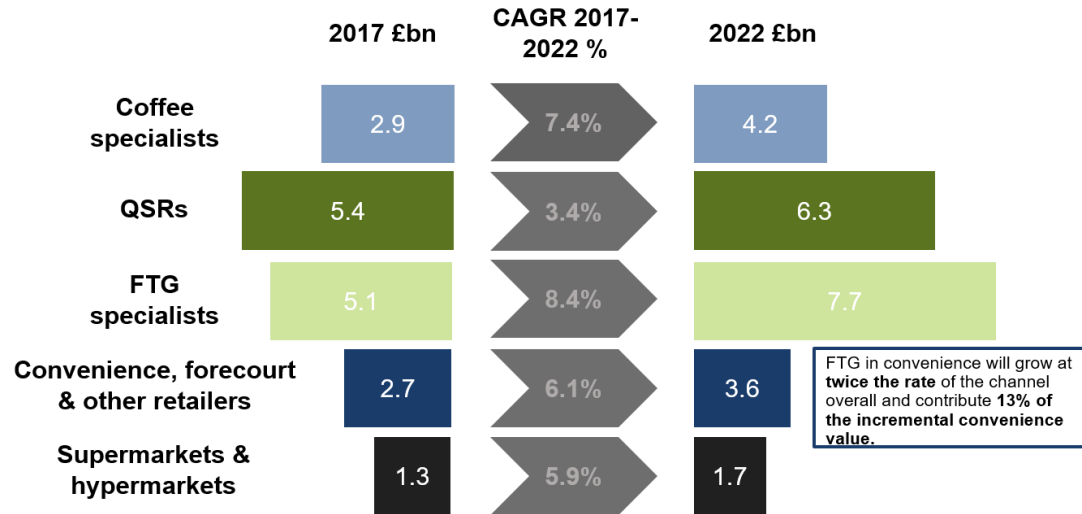


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...and it will be a significant c-store growth driver

FTG is forecast to grow to £23.5bn in 2020: +35% (+6.2% CAGR)



Large stores are having to evolve their offer



Re-thinking space



Getting the range right

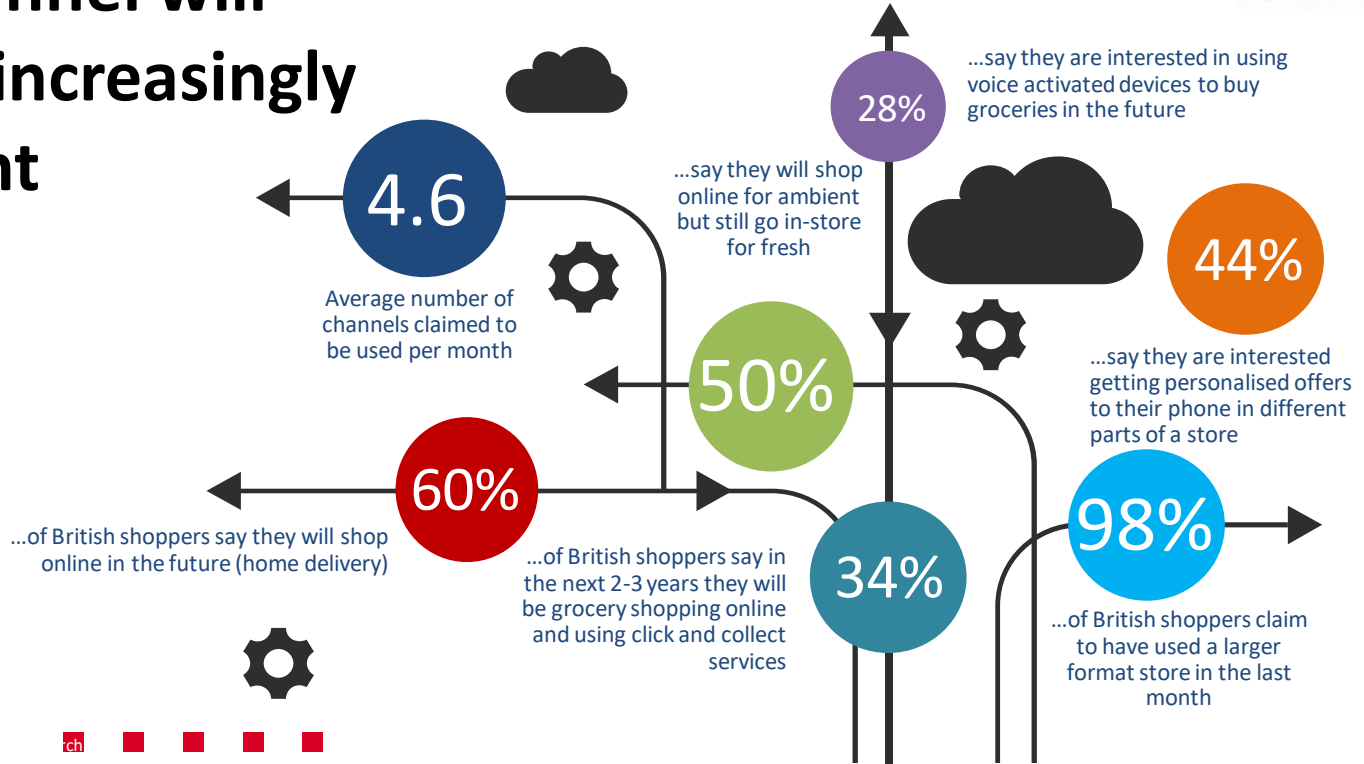


Focus on fresh food: for now and for later

Additional market developments



Omnichannel will become increasingly important



In summary...

- **Forces of change** are in motion, shaping how we live, and how we shop
- But **fundamental shopper truths** remain: saving time and helping save money are particularly poignant
- **Attracting** and **retaining** shoppers is even more vital while volume growth remains challenging
- Aligning with customer **missions** and **values** will help retailers lead, rather than follow trends
- **Discount, online** and **convenience** are driving growth
- But remember – **larger formats** will still account for 50p in every £1

Checklist to engage your shoppers

1. Be more than just a store

2. Think 'missions' to build baskets

3. Engage with the health trend

4. There's more than one way to do 'fresh'

5. Give shoppers back time

6. Exceed expectations

7. Engage with and reward your shoppers

8. Be local – sell products that tell stories

9. Be famous for something

10. Add personality to everything you do



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