Define **Competitive Strategy**

- Plan product placement in context to competitors
- Consider layout, signage, and shelf talkers



Define Merchandising Plan

- Define layout per store
- Use planograms for shelf category

SUCCESSFUL PRODUCTS START AND END WITH YOUR

CUSTOMER





- 25% of the time, CPG companies work with outdated information
 - 60% of CPG companies say outdated information has led to delayed time to market

Develop **Product**

- **36%** of CPG development time is wasted on non-value added work, taking away from innovation
- 67% of CPG companies would like to use that non-value added time to improve product quality





Consider **Shopper Experience**

- Simulate the path to purchase
- Capture shopper mission
- Look at qualitative attractiveness and basket selection
- Collaboration with customers (retailers)



- Drive design inputs with shopper behavior
- Use insight to increase winning at FMOT

Obtain Actionable Insights

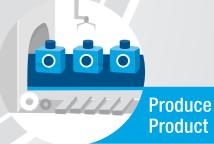


It is not easy competing in today's market.

CPG companies need to balance conflicting business drivers:

Manage Supply Chain

- 64% of CPG companies say communicating changes is a top challenge when working with 3rd parties
- **71%** of CPG companies say it takes a few days or more for 3rd parties to send design data after making changes
- Lots of risk information is outdated



- 56% report it takes more than 2 days to get updated data to the entire team
- **45%** say outdated information results in rework

81% 57% 55% Higher Quality Higher Performance Lower Prices Faster to Market Greater Innovation

*Percent of CPG companies who report this is a requirement for competitive differentiation

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