

Email Marketing Toolkit

Hi there,

Thank you for downloading Galactic Fed's Guide to Email Marketing.

We've prepared it with 4 key goals in mind:



Help you better **understand why email marketing** is one of the most valuable channels (and how it works)



Help you **grow your subscriber list** and improve key metrics



Help you **get started with** various types of email campaigns that drive results, click-throughs, and conversions



Help you find a trusted Email Marketing partner to **achieve new business heights**

Here's what you'll find here:



Email Marketing Overview to introduce you to this crucially important customer channel



Email Marketing Guide to show you how to get more from your current and future campaigns



Email Marketing Sequence Templates to show how you can leverage the capabilities of automated emails



Email Marketing ChatGPT Prompts to help you employ Al's capabilities and 10x your growth



Email Marketing Glossary to ensure you speak the same language as your email marketing partner and/or resources you find online



List with Email Marketing resources to take your efforts one step further



Alright, let's take your open rate up and to the right.

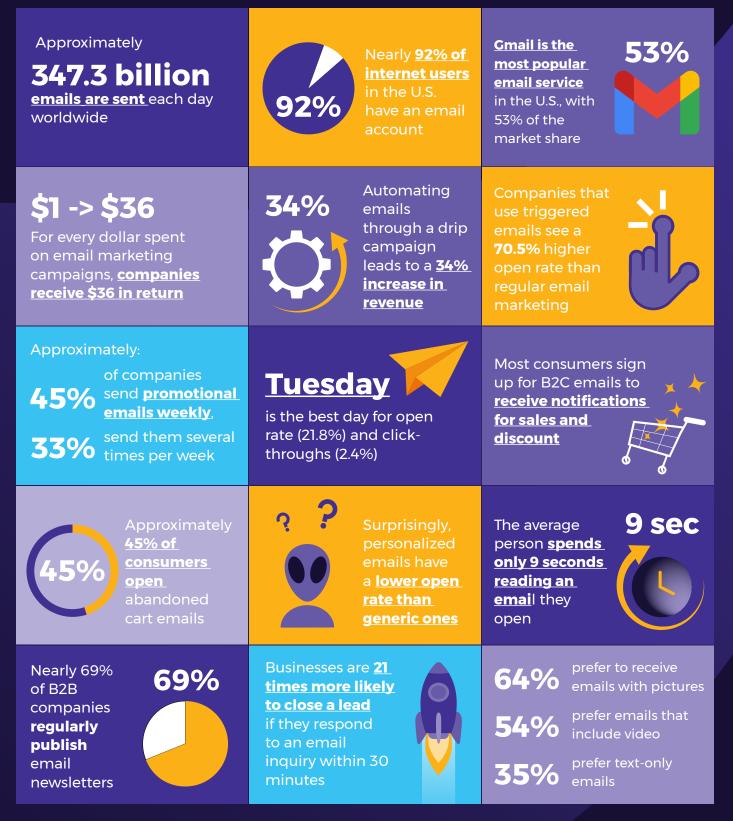
BUCKLE UP!



★ Email Marketing Overview

We love email marketing. It's such a brilliant channel for nurturing your audience and promoting your products and services seamlessly.

If you still have your reservations, here are a few email marketing stats that will make you wish you'd started earlier:



Want to learn more? Read on to see why everyone is obsessed with email marketing.

★ Email Marketing Guide

The art of successful email marketing is in the details - here are 6 quick guides covering its essential aspects.



5 Tips for Optimizing Subject Lines

- Keep it simple and focused on the key topic
- Incentivize the open by emphasizing the value of it
- ★ Keep it to 10 words or 60 characters
- Say something shocking or share a controversial opinion
- Avoid spammy words like "bonus," "buy," and "sale"



5 Tips For Optimizing CTAs

- Be original go beyond "Learn more" or "Shop now"
- Ensure a prospect is aware of the action you want them to take
- Make them visually distinctive and attractive
- ★ Keep them above the fold
- ★ Don't overuse them one CTA per copy block (=story) is considered best-practice



5 Personalization Tips

- Personalize greeting by adding the recipient's name
- Segment your subscriber list to send more relevant emails
- Set up automatic emails triggered by a specific action (e.g., an abandoned cart)
- Mention products/services/pages the recipient interacted with on your website
- If interacted before, include details to emphasize on the long-standing relationship



5 Tips for Growing an Email List

- Use Al automation and analytics tools to keep track of performance and optimize delivery.
- * Promote it in all other available channels
- ★ Make it easy to opt-in to minimize friction
- Incentivize to subscribe by offering a discount or a freebie
- Share valuable, unique, and shareable content





s Tools to Boost Your Performance

- <u>Seventh Sense</u> improves the deliverability of your emails with smart send-out time and reduced risk of being marked as spam
- * **<u>Smartwriter.ai</u>** drafts personalized emails by searching for information about a potential customer or business
- Phrasee draws upon its computational abilities to create content that resonates with your audience
- Rasa.io personalizes the content that each subscriber receives by analyze what recipients spend the most time interacting with
- Personalize creates personalized campaigns tailored to a user's preferences by ranking the top interests of each contact in your database





s Important Rules of Thumb:

- ★ Implement Double Opt-In to avoid the spam folder and gain better deliverability
- Always A/B test sequences and emails you'll be sending more than once
- ★ Focus on the value you provide to your subscribers not your product/service
- All links throughout the email to increase Clickthrough rate
- Have at least weekly touch-bases with your subscribers to remind them about your business

\star Email Sequence Templates

When it comes to email marketing, one of the most common mistakes brands make is they view it as a standalone strategy rather than a 360-degree strategy.

If you want to fully leverage its capabilities, consider setting up email sequences - a series of emails automatically sent to a portion of your audience at a specified interval. These are commonly referred to as drip campaigns.

Depending on your product or service, you might opt for different email sequence types. Here are 5 the most common:



The welcome sequence is arguably the most important one as you've got an opportunity to forge relationships with new customers.

Onboarding Sequence

The main purpose of this sequence is to guide new customers and help them use your product/service in the most effective way.

Abandoned Cart Sequence

This sequence only targets customers that have added items to their cart but haven't completed the checkout process.

Lead Nurturing Sequence

Encourage a purchase with a dedicated sequence aimed to engage with prospects that have shown interest in your product or service - for instance, left their contact information or downloaded a resource - just like you did!).

Re-engagement Sequence

An attempt to win back dormant customers, this sequence addresses lack of activity by offering incentives to re-engage.

We've prepared a file with 5 templates that the Galactic Fed email marketing experts use. These will give you an idea what to include in each sequence, and the timing for sending out your emails.

You can duplicate and begin using it <u>here</u>.



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★ Email Marketing ChatGPT Prompts

"You get what you asked for" is very much the case with ChatGPT prompts. As advanced as it is, it can't yet read minds, so you must feed it everything it needs to know to provide a satisfying response. We gathered some prompt ideas that we found extremely useful in fine-tuning ChatGPT. It's best-practice to begin a new conversation with a detailed overview of an identity you want AI to assume. So, in our case, it would look like:

You're a marketing expert working for a digital marketing agency Galactic Fed (https://www.galacticfed.com). You're now working on an email marketing strategy for the agency. Your main audience is business owners, marketing directors, marketing professionals, and decision makers. You're a friendly expert who always sounds professional but not boring, with just the right amount of wits to keep the audience engaged. You also love to wordplay with cosmic terms.

Your current goal is: Your previous results are: Ideas you have in mind: Guidelines to consider:

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Now that ChatGPT knows something about you, it's time to make it work for you. Take inspiration from our prompts but remember to **always add relevant details** and adjust wording according to the desired response.

Generate Subject Lines

Generate subject lines for an upcoming [product launch/ promotion] for [brand name], keeping in mind our [tone of voice] and [specific goals]. Include at least 5 different subject line ideas.

Create Segmentation Strategies

Suggest email segmentation strategies for our [*brand name*] email list based on [*previous examples* or data]. Provide 3-5 segmentation ideas to help us target our audience better.

Explore Tools

List 5 email marketing tools that would help [*brand name*] automate and optimize our email campaigns. Include a brief description of each tool's main features and benefits.

Generate CTAs

Create CTA button text variations for our [*brand name*] newsletter, focusing on [*goal:* e.g., *increasing engagement*, *driving sales*, *etc.*]. Provide at least 4 different CTA button text ideas.

Develop Email Sequences

Propose email sequence ideas for [brand name] to achieve [specific goals, e.g., nurturing leads, re-engaging customers, etc.]. Describe 3 email sequences and the key messages they should convey.

Build Specific Campaigns

Develop a series of 5 subject lines for a [*brand name*] re-engagement campaign, keeping our [*tone of voice*] in mind. Consider different approaches to rekindle interest and encourage action.

Brainstorm Content Ideas

Brainstorm content ideas for our [brand name] email campaign that targets [customer segment]. Consider their preferences and pain points, and list at least 5 content ideas that would resonate with them.

Explore Guidelines

Recommend email size guidelines for [*brand name*] to ensure optimal deliverability and user experience. Include suggestions for the maximum file size, image size, and text length.

Develop A/B Campaigns

Come up with A/B testing ideas for [*brand name*] to optimize our email campaigns. Suggest at least 3 tests we could run, focusing on different aspects like subject lines, CTA buttons, and email layout.

Ask for Strategic Advice

Create a list of 5 potential incentives [*brand name*] could offer in our emails to increase signups, engagement, and conversions. Describe each incentive and how it ties into our existing strategy.

Develop Content Outlines

Create an outline for a [brand name] newsletter targeting [specific niche/ audience]. Include sections such as introduction, main content, featured products or services, and any additional elements that would engage the audience.

Develop a Strategy

Develop a comprehensive email marketing strategy for [*brand name*] focusing on [*specific niche*/ *goals*]. Include objectives, target audience, content themes, campaign types, and a timeline for implementation.

Explore Best Practices

Recommend best design

practices for a newsletter in the [specific niche] targeting

[specific audience]. Include tips on layout, typography, color schemes, images, and any other design elements

that appeal to the audience.

Ask for Recommendations

Review and provide suggestions to improve an existing email for [*brand name*]. Consider subject lines, CTA buttons, content, and layout. Offer actionable feedback to enhance the email's effectiveness in achieving its [specific goals].

Optimize Growth

Suggest strategies for growing an email list for [*brand name*] within the [*specific niche*]. Provide at least 5 tactics that could help us expand our reach and attract more subscribers.

Evaluate Ideas

Evaluate the proposed idea for [*brand name*]'s email marketing campaign: [*describe the idea*]. Provide a balanced analysis, listing the pros and cons of implementing this idea and its potential impact on the campaign's success.

Analyze Previous Results

Analyze previous A/B testing results for [*brand name*] and suggest new tests based on the findings. Provide at least 3 new testing ideas to help us further optimize our email campaigns.

Explore Legal Requirements

List key legal considerations for [*brand name*] to be aware of before launching a newsletter or email campaign. Include topics such as compliance with privacy laws, anti-spam regulations, and any industry-specific regulations that may apply.

★ Email Marketing Glossary

Duplicate it <u>here</u>

Instructions:

In this glossary, we've compiled all the key terms you're likely to come across while setting up email marketing campaigns. For instance - do you know the difference between Soft Bounce and Hard Bounce? Or, what's a CAN-SPAM? These terms may puzzle you now, but understanding them is crucial to ensure you're getting the most out of your email marketing.

Feel free to add your own entries as you expand your email marketing expertise - this is your personal glossary copy.

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Term	Definition
A/B Testing	A method of testing different email elements (subject line, content, layout) to optimize email performance.
Above the Fold	The portion of an email that is visible without scrolling, often containing the most important information.
Autoresponder	An automated email sent in response to a specific action, such as a subscription or purchase.
Bounce Rate	The percentage of sent emails that are returned by the recipient's email server due to an invalid address.
Call-to-Action (CTA)	A prompt or button within an email encouraging recipients to take a specific action, such as making a purchase.
CAN-SPAM	A U.S. law that sets rules for commercial emails, giving recipients the right to opt-out and establishing penalties for violations.
Click-Through Rate (CTR)	The percentage of recipients who click on one or more links within an email.
Conversion Rate	The percentage of email recipients who complete a desired action, such as making a purchase.
Deliverability	The ability of an email to reach the intended recipient's inbox without being blocked or filtered.
Double Opt-In	A subscription process that requires users to confirm their email address after signing up to receive emails.
Drip Campaign	A series of pre-written emails sent to subscribers at specific intervals or based on specific triggers.

🛧 Email Marketing Resources

The Galactic Fed Guide to Email Marketing That Converts 4 Must-Have AI Tools for Email Marketing Email Marketing Services: 8 Key Things to Look For KPIs for Email Marketing: 6 Figures You Should Be Tracking Email Marketing Statistics You Should Know About in 2023 5 Best Email Marketing Software for Small Businesses Email Marketing for Non-Profit: 7 Winning Strategies 8 Effective E-Commerce Email Marketing Strategies and Why They Work How to Craft Effective Emails + 4 Email Samples Free Email Marketing Templates from Galactic Fed How To Boost Your Email List Using These Seven Marketing Hacks The Galactic Fed Guide to High-Converting Calls to Action

> We hope this guide helps you to understand the importance of having a well-developed Email Marketing Strategy and kickstart your campaigns. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to reach out.

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You can also start by getting a <u>free Email</u> <u>Marketing plan</u> from us - no strings attached!

Good luck!

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