Revolutionizing
Customer
Experience with
Gen AI & IoT

**Opportunities & Risks** 

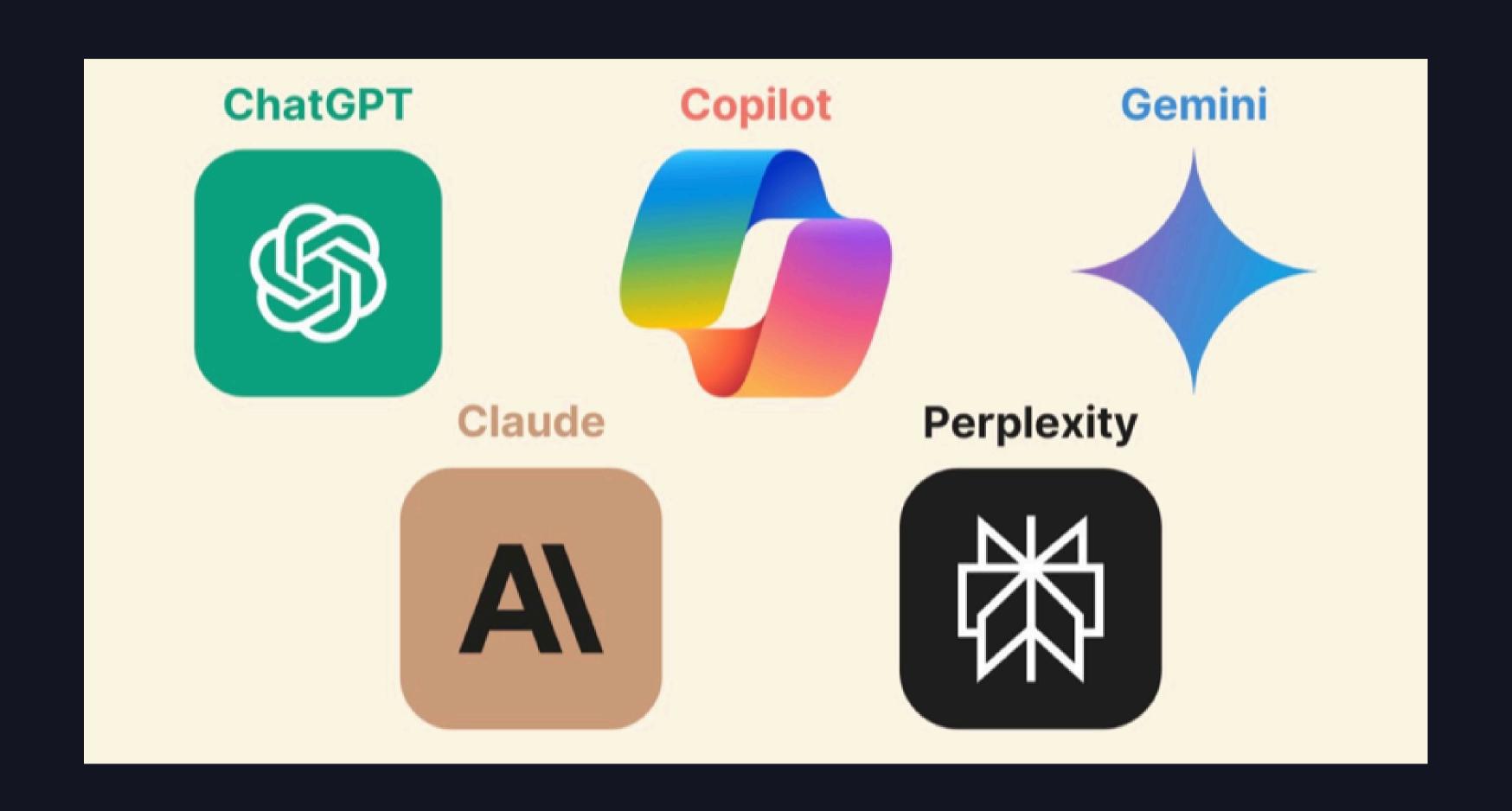
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Tops Enhances Customer Service with Generative Al-Powered

## Tops CHEF BOT

CENTRAL Food Retail Group

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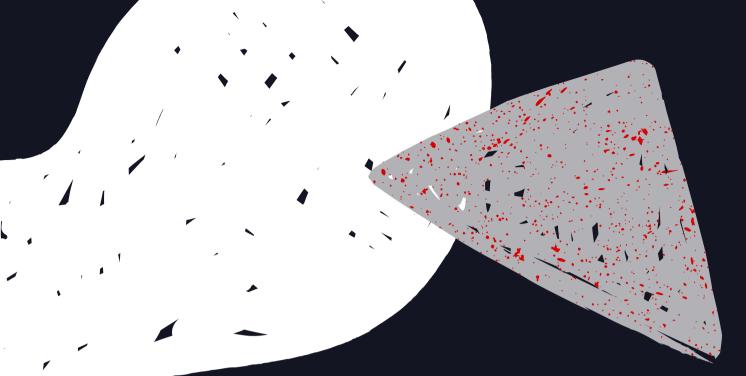
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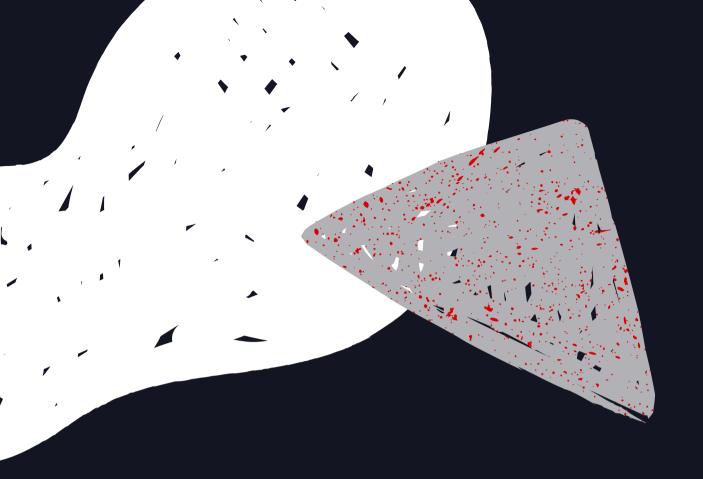


#### CENTRALRETAIL





Al-driven recommendation engines, like Amazon's, are cited to generate over 35% conversion by creating unique, hyperpersonalized experiences



80% of customers are more likely to shop with brands offering personalized experiences (Epsilon, 2024)

IoT can reduce retail operational costs by 15-20% (Gartner, 2023)

Real-World Impact

GenAl-powered chatbots can handle 70% of customer queries (Forrester, 2024)

# Risks & Challenges

### **Data Privacy & Security**

- IoT devices collect sensitive customer data (e.g., location, behavior)
- GenAl can inadvertently expose proprietary data if not secured
- Risk: Data breaches,
   GDPR/CCPA violations

### **Customer Trust**

- Over-reliance on AI can feel impersonal; 60% of consumers distrust AI-generated content (Edelman, 2024)
- IoT tracking may raise privacy concerns

### **Implementation Costs**

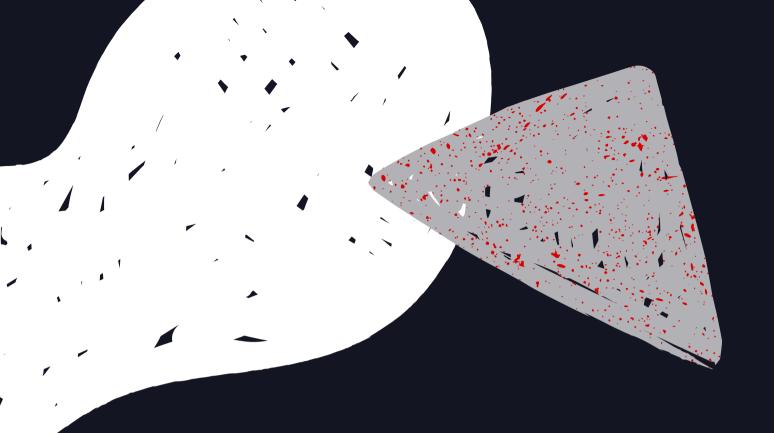
- High upfront investment for loT infrastructure and Al training
- Small retailers may struggle to scale

### **Technical Challenges**

- Integration with legacy systems
- Al biases or errors in generated content







## CASE STUDY







## Strategies for Success

#### **Start Small**

 Pilot IoT in one store or use GenAl for specific campaigns (e.g., email personalization)

### **Prioritize Data Security**

 Encrypt IoT data, comply with regulations, and be transparent with customers

### **Blend Human & Al Touch**

 Use GenAl for efficiency but maintain human oversight for trust

### **Monitor & Iterate**

 Use A/B testing for AI campaigns and IoT deployments to optimize performance





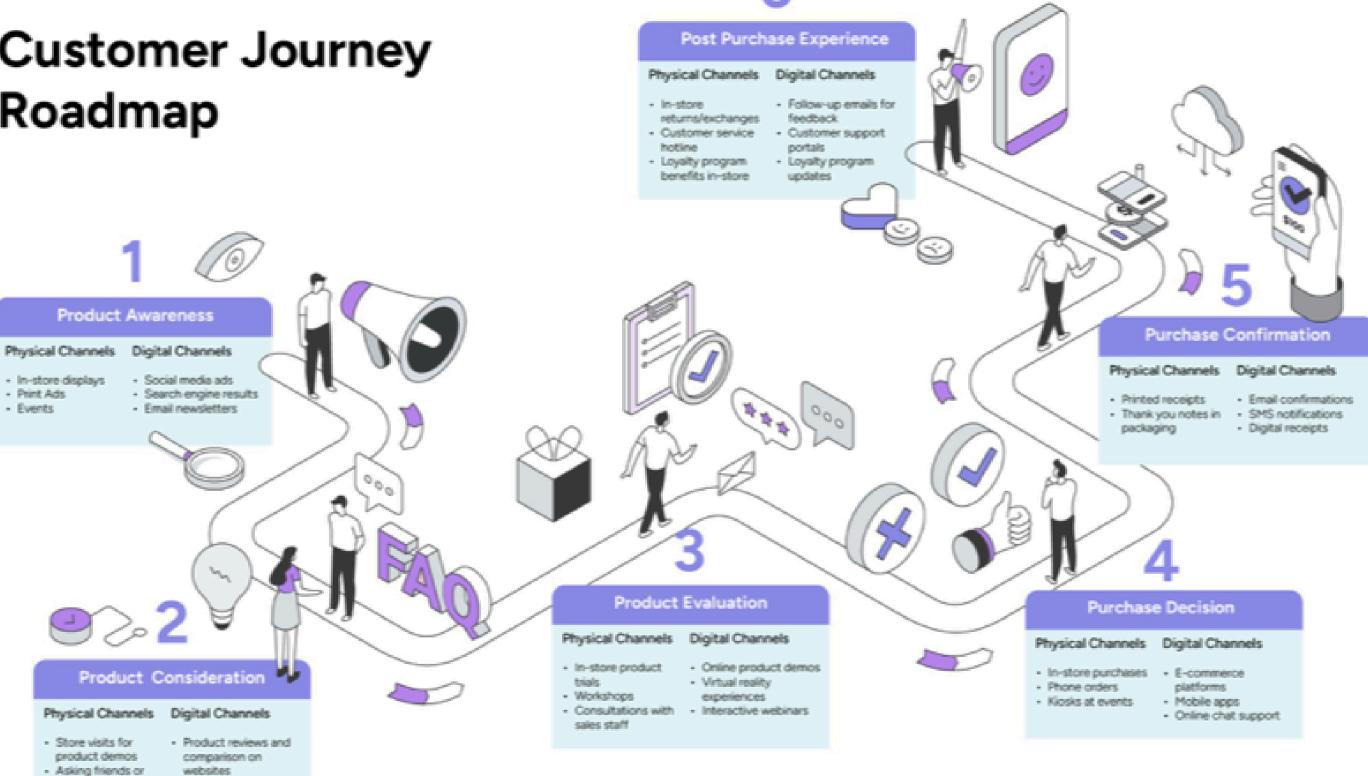
### **Customer Journey** Roadmap

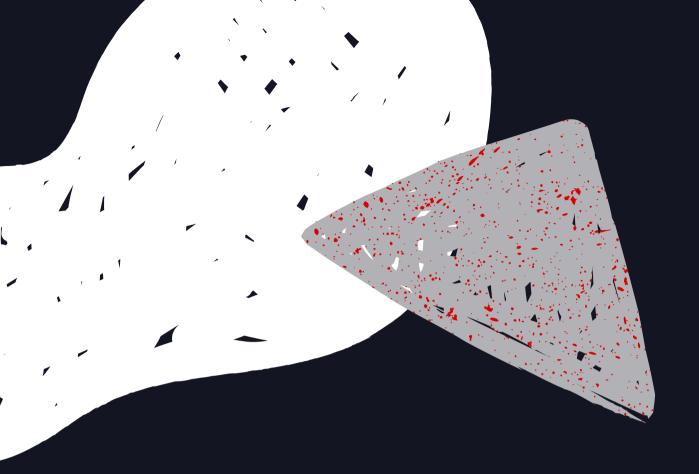
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Garbage In, Garbage Out

Generative AI and IoT unlock personalized, efficient retail experiences

Risks like privacy and costs must be managed strategically

Start small, prioritize security, and blend human-Al interactions

Key Takeaways



### Thank You