50% of global consumers say the pandemic made them TOTALLY REVISE their personal purpose and what is important for them in life. We call them Reimagined consumers.

Who are they?

Across ages, genders, locations, employment status, income levels and other demographics—the Reimagined consumers are a surprisingly heterogenous group. Their demographic makeup indicates that purchasing influences that were once peripheral and confined to demographic subsets have been mainstreamed.

What motivates Reimagined consumers to switch, stay or pay?

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- **Service & personal care**
- **Ease & convenience**
- **Product origin**
- **Trust & reputation**

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