

SNAPSHOT OF TODAY'S

New England Banking Landscape

October 2019

Banking industry challenges



Rate of growth in deposits has slowed



Deposits are shifting to large banks



Robust loan
demand is creating
pressure to grow
deposits



Consumer expectations are changing

Research methodology



487 consumers took part in our online survey



All respondents:

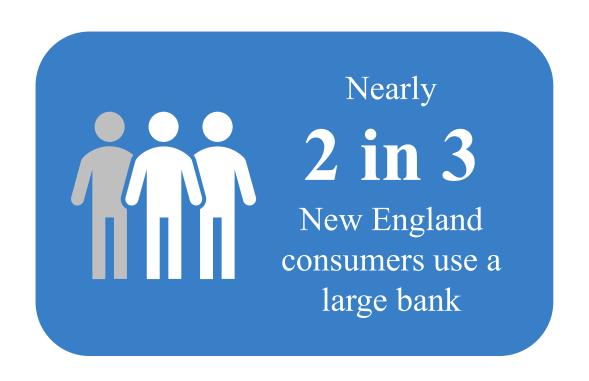
- Live in New England
- Are a banking customer and decision maker
- Are age 18 or older
- Don't work in banking



Data was collected from October 10-15, 2019



Market Share Highlights



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65%

of New England big bank customers use 1 of 4 banks



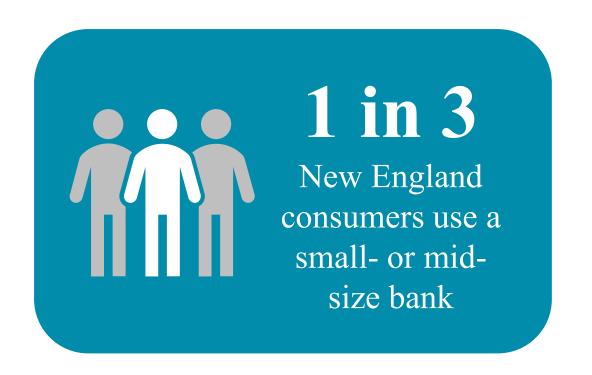






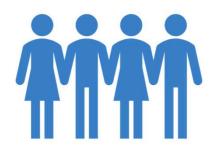


Market Share Highlights



The proportion of consumers who prefer small- or mid-size banks is remaining steady.

Who is changing banks?





All consumers





Under 40





New to area

*This rate of switching is consistent with the findings of J.D. Power's 2019 U.S. Retail Banking Satisfaction Study, April 2019

Source: MSR New England Banking consumer survey 2019

Why are they changing banks?

37%

37% set up their first account

32%

32% had a life event

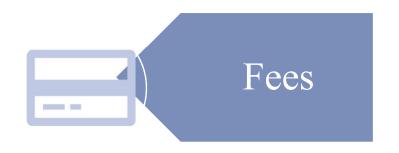


85% of those moved

31%

31% were unhappy with their old bank or attracted by something at the new bank

What is driving consumers today?











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Consumers have different priorities at different stages

CONSIDERATION

- Fees
- Convenient branches
- ATM network

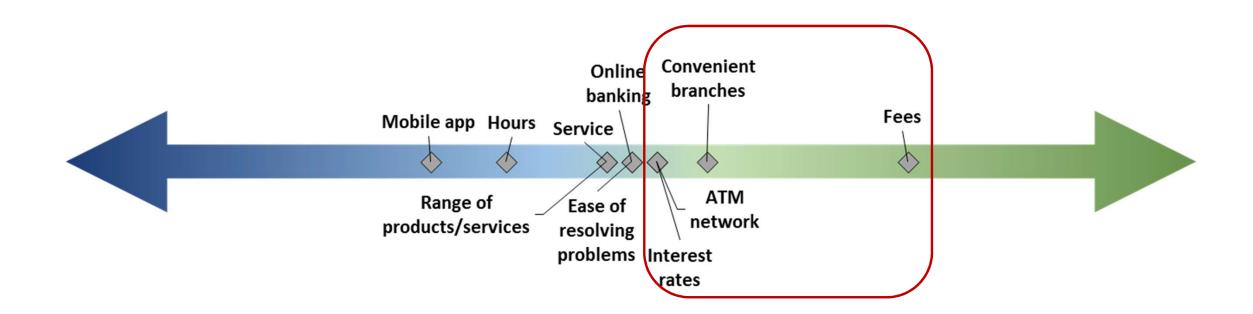
BRAND IMAGE

- Service
- Online banking
- Fees

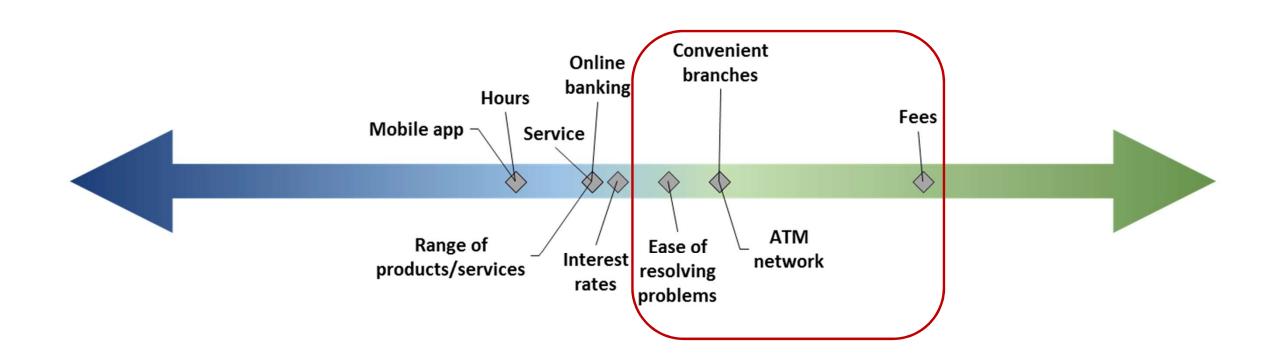
ADVOCACY

- Service
- Convenient branches
- Online banking
- Fees

What drives consideration?



What drives consideration among younger people?



How do consumers view banks on these factors?

Younger consumers

	Small- to mid- size banks	Large Banks	
Branch convenience	27%	40%	
Fees	33%	21%	
ATM network	9%	36%	
Service	61%	20%	
Online banking	8%	28%	

Newer residents

	Small- to mid- size banks	Large Banks
Branch convenience	31%	36%
Fees	28%	30%
ATM network	11%	49%
Service	49%	26%
Online banking	10%	18%

CONSIDERATION RECAP

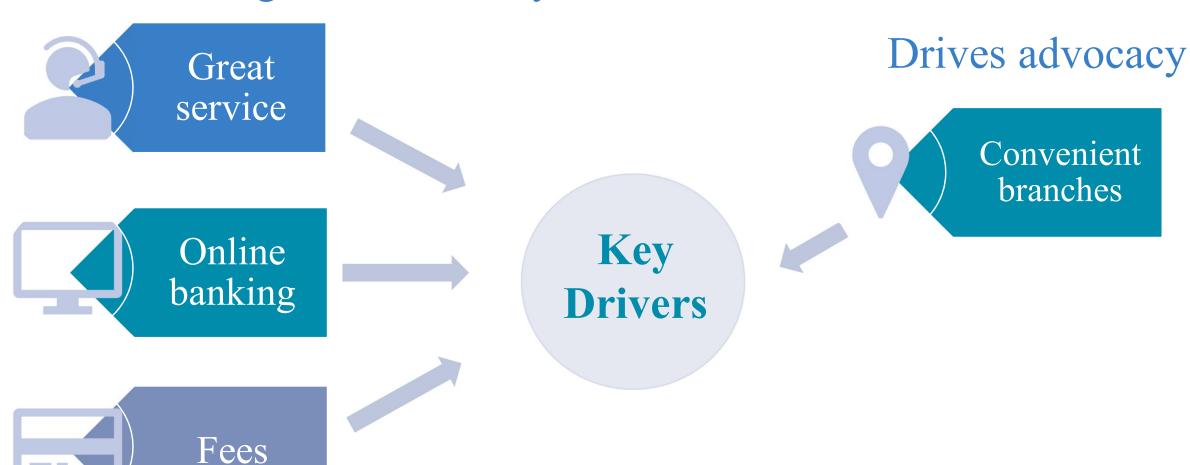




Large banks
have a stronger
image for
convenience

What drives brand image and advocacy?

Drives brand image and advocacy



Source: MSR New England Banking consumer survey 2019

What about consumers' experiences with their bank?

	Average small banks	Average mid- size banks	Bank of America	Citizens Bank	TD Bank
Branch convenience	7.4	7.4	8.1	8.2	8.7
Fees	8.3	8.0	6.7	6.8	7.9
ATM network	7.7	7.5	7.9	7.4	8.1
Service	8.7	8.5	7.7	7.7	8.6
Online banking	8.2	8.1	8.4	7.9	8.7

BRAND IMAGE AND ADVOCACY RECAP



Smaller banks
have a stronger
image for
service quality

	Bank of America	9
NPS	Citizens	24
	TD Bank	47

Very satisfied with bank

Small bank customers	73%
Mid-size bank customers	63%
Large bank customers	51%

BRAND IMAGE AND ADVOCACY RECAP

Service drives brand image, advocacy, and can prevent – or cause – switching

31%

31% of people who switched were unhappy or desired something different

58%

58% of those people were unhappy with FEES

49%

49% were unhappy with SERVICE

CONSUMER EXPERIENCE IMPLICATIONS

No one category of bank is checking all the boxes



Convenience



Low/no fees



Great service

Consumers will
"switch categories"
to try to find what
they want.

Develop a strong value proposition by placing customers at the center of your strategy.

What about the impact of inertia?

- 2 cars bought/sold
- 3 # times changed jobs
- 5 # times replaced a cell phone

During last 12 years, the average time with current bank

The average consumer would rather:

Clean out the garage/attic	31%
Do their taxes	24%
Go to the DMV	24%

Change cell phone providers 20%

Have a root canal 14%

Have a colonoscopy 13%

Than change their banking relationship.

STRATEGIES TO ATTRACT CUSTOMERS



Create a complete customer-centric experience, and get the word out



Gain market share via secondary accounts, and use incentives to attract customers.



Know yourself, your competitors and your market – play to your strengths, address weaknesses

Create a customer-centric experience



Organize around the customer



Create a lowfee, convenient experience



Support that package with great service



Get the word out

Target secondary accounts

45%

45% of consumers have a secondary bank account

51%

51% of consumers with household income over \$75,000 have a secondary account 48%

Nearly half of these accounts are with small- or mid-size banks



78%

Most of these accounts were opened for a specific reason, including interest rates, loan products or other offers

Use incentives to capture share of wallet



Target secondary account holders



Continue use of incentives to attract accounts



Younger consumers are more open to switching

Know yourself and your market



Know yourself



Know your specific market





Understand
where to focus
to achieve
growth