







Our Date-ing Profiles









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First Date Introductions











The One Stop Date Shop Commitment

By joining forces, we have combined Joolies' award-winning innovation & marketing with Desert Valley Date's processing & industry expertise. Plus, we offer....



Capacity to provide uninterrupted supply. We handle 20MM lbs. of dates annually at our 100,000 sq. ft facility, ~1,000 acres



Not only Organic, but the first farm on the planet to be certified **Glyphosate Residue Free**



Traceability: 70% of supply is traced back to our farms, with 100% guarantee for Joolies Brand



Quality: **BRC Certified**. Plus, ingredient business utilizes lower grades, while highest quality saved for consumer packages. Joolies has **1000+** reviews on Amazon with a 4.7 rating



Joolies is one of the first produce suppliers to move to **sustainable** packaging, reducing plastic content by over 96%. Desert Valley Date is a Zero Waste and Solar Powered facility



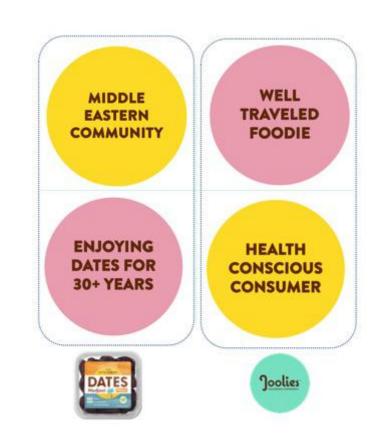
Flexibility: mixed pallets by layer offers better inventory control and customer service

Our Two Date-ing Profiles Target all Consumers



THE DATE SHOPPE.

- Conventional Dates
- Value-based Positioning
- Everyday Shopper –
 meeting existing date
 consumers where they are
 with multiple options





- Organic Medjool Dates
- Premium Positioning
- Millennial Shopper bringing new consumers to the category

Dates - A Growing Category



There's potential

"Only a small percentage of the U.S. population is currently consuming dates...As young people continue to find Medjool dates, we see great opportunities for growth in this category."



Things are heating up

"Over the past five years, dates have seen double-digit growth year over year."



With 100.5k posts using the hashtag #medjooldates, influencers and millennials are starting to show their love on social for this superfruit

Data Source

Syrup - Category Trends



Consumers are on the hunt for NO ADDED SUGAR

I.R.I. surveys show that 58% of consumers across generations are avoiding sugar...with 50% avoiding adding sugar to their food and beverages and 30% avoiding consuming products with sugar in the ingredient list. Of those avoiding sugar, 85% are doing so for health reasons and 58% for weight concerns.¹



Refined Sugar Reduction

US per capita consumption of refined sugar declined for the first time in 2017, after a decade of growth.²



Dates are a popular natural sweetener

According to nutrition expert, Dr. Axe, top 5 sugar substitutes include: raw honey, stevia, dates, coconut sugar, and maple syrup.³



- 1. https://www.foodbusinessnews.net/articles/11380-avoidance-of-sugar-remains-macro-trend
- https://www.bloomberg.com/opinion/articles/2018-10-11/americans-cut-sugar-intake-in-declineworth-celebrating
- 3. https://draxe.com/sugar-substitutes/



SoPac Rocky Mountain

NorCal









We've been

with Dates

& Syrup

Joolies is in over

2,200 locations

nationwide and in the

growing in the UK!









natural market

































Grocery: Joolies is growing the category!

In the latest month, we are lapping higher sales levels brought on by the pandemic, which started in March 2020. Despite this, the overall date set still saw +20% growth, with Joolies contributing half of that growth and continuing to make up a larger part of the overall set. When comparing Apr 2021 against 2019, the previous set grew +41%, with Joolies adding +31% of incremental growth for a total of +72% growth for the category.

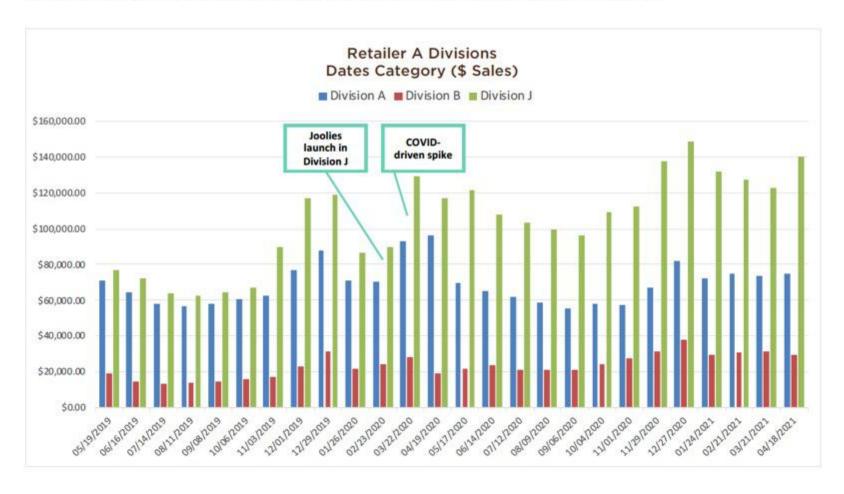




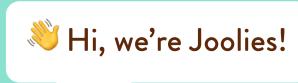
Source: SPINS Data

Case Study: Accelerating the overall Date category

The sizes of the overall Date sets in Division A and Division J were similar through most of 2019. Following the launch of Joolies in Division J, coupled with the COVID-driven spike, Division J's date category has grown significantly faster than Division A.



Source: SPINS Data



The Joolies Family



The Date Family TTT





SRP \$6.99







7/9oz great for healthy snacking at home, baking

Pitted & Whole Shareable Sizes

Perfect kids' snack, grab and go

Pitted 3 Date
Snack Packs + 12 ct. Caddy

Joolies Dates Make Merry with Berries & Bevs!

INCREASE VELOCITIES 7x!





Why it Works:

- Same Consumers
- Berry consumers are willing to spend more on premium fruit as opposed to lower priced bananas
- The Berry set is highly trafficked "where the action is!"
- Berry consumers purchase more frequently
- Beverage set is grab and go- perfect for Joolies Snack
- Positioning at eye-level draws consumers in effectively





Date Syrups + Flavors







Cinnamon



Cocoa



Blueberry

Organic Medjool Date Syrup

- Healthier alternative to sugar and maple syrup – 100% vegan!
- Single origin Upcycling fruit from our farm
- 25% less sugar than honey
- Low glycemic index won't spike blood sugar or cause sugar crash later
- High in antioxidants, vitamins & minerals: potassium, magnesium, B vitamins
- Usages: add to coffee, pancakes, oatmeal, baking, sauces or dressings
- The Sweetener with Benefits!
- Popping off-shelf brand



Ingredients: Organic Medjool Dates





Waking up a Sleepy Category







From Sweeteners to Grocery

Meet your new Date Partner



We are your One Stop Date Shop

- While Joolies is our premium organic medjool date brand, we bring you The Date Shoppe- our NEW conventional line that has all types of date products!
- Now 2 complementary brands can come from one partner meeting the need of all types of shoppers
 - Mixed Pallet flexibility with The Date Shoppe SKUs and Joolies

introducing THE DATE SHOPPE. Grown in California We've got something for all your date-ing needs!

Welcome to THE DATE SHOPPE...

















Together we are the New Destination





We got a lotta' dates

BULK DATES











Bulk Dates:

Joolies Organic Medjool Dates









Desert Valley Dates Conventional Medjool Dates



We're Integrated in People's Lives



Velocity Drivers

instacart ibotta

- Retail shopping rebates
- In-app campaigns

socialnature

- In-store Buy & Try campaigns
- Consumer Insights

Joolies Collabs etc.

- Strong brand loyalty
- ~18,200 Instagram Followers
- 20,000 Email list
- 17 Ambassador "Matchmakers"
- 20 larger influencer relationships
- Brand and Influencer Collabs (giveaways)



Joolies Hot off the Press







Fruity



Joolies Snack Pack

Now there's a more portable option to Joolies' original 14ounce boxes: small snack packs with three pitted dates per pack, perfect for tossing in your lunch box or gym bag. They'll boost your energy with a little extra sugar, plus nutrients and fiber. 110 Calories, <1g Protein, Og Fat, 3g

\$20

SHOP IT









Mensilealth

Here Are the Winners of the 2020 Men's Health Snack Awards

You're going to want a taste of all 20.



Organic Medjool Dates, Pitted

JOOLIES

BUY NOW

If you've yet to enjoy one of these chewy-sweet fruits, it's time. They're deep and complex-almost like a good brandy-and for that reason you only ever need one or two to feel satisfied.

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All About Date Syrup, an All-Natural Liquid Sweetener

Here's what you need to know about this versatile, nutritious alternative to honey and maple syrup.

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