

Investigating Factors Shaping Customer Preferences for Fans in Karnataka

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ABSTRACT:

This paper makes sense of that it examines why individuals purchase fans and what variables impact their choices. It utilizes factual examination to show that orientation and pay assume a huge part in these choices. The concentrate likewise separates purchasers into various gatherings in light of their inclinations for fan highlights. By and large, the examination assists makers with understanding buyers' behaviour and preferences with regards to purchasing fans, which can be important for planning better items and marketing techniques for home appliances industries in future.

INTRODUCTION:

Home appliances, including fans, assume a critical role in upgrading our regular routines by providing comfort and usefulness. Among these machines, fans, intended to create wind current and ventilation inside indoor spaces, hold a critical spot. They have a place with the classification of "Home Comfort Machines" and their significance is especially articulated in a nation like India, where climatic circumstances frequently request compelling cooling arrangements. Fans, in their different structures, are mechanical gadgets designed to circle air and reduce the impacts of suffocating and hotness. These typical home machines take special care of the essential requirement for cooling, whether in homes, workplaces, or public spaces, making them fundamental allies for a great many Indians. Fans fall under the overall classification of "Home Comfort Machines" Inside this class, they act as a fundamental subset, principally committed to environmental control. In a country like India, where the environment fluctuates generally from one locale to another, fans offer a generally open answer for the difficulties presented by the climate. From the bone-dry deserts of Rajasthan to the moist tropical scenes of Kerala, fans stand as an image of comfort and help. In India as of the most recent accessible data, the showcasing scene for fans in India has been advancing to meet the unique necessities and inclinations of purchasers. Makers emphasize the energy-productive highlights of fans to line up with India's developing spotlight on manageability and power protection. The reconciliation of perceptive innovation in fans,

permitting controller and energy the executives through versatile applications, has built up some decent momentum on the lookout. Fans are presently showcased for their cooling ability as well as tasteful components, with a great many plans and wraps up to suit different inside styles. Brands offer adaptable fan choices to take special care of individual preference and room feel. Occasional advertising efforts during the burning Indian summers frequently incorporate special limits, offers, and packaged arrangements to draw in customers looking for cooling arrangements. A few producers advance feasible materials and assembling practices to take care of naturally cognizant purchasers. Fans intended for murmur calm activity are promoted for keeping a serene indoor climate. Fans furnished with air exclusion or air-circling highlights are promoted as answers for further developing indoor air quality. In a nation where fans are machines as well as partners in the fight against outrageous temperatures, the showcasing of these home comfort gadgets keeps on developing to meet the different requirements and yearnings of the Indian buyer base. As the environment and buyer preferences change, the fan business in India stays enduring in its obligation to guaranteeing comfort and prosperity for all.

Consumer behavior envelops the study of how people simply decide and choices with regards to buying and utilizing items. It digs into the complicated interaction of variables like individual inspirations, mentalities, insights, and previous encounters that impact purchasing behavior. Preference, then again, allude to the particular preferences and wants people have in regards to item credits, highlights, and brands. These inclinations are formed by social, mental, and monetary elements one of a kind to every purchaser. Understanding buyer behavior and inclinations is imperative for organizations as it empowers them to tailor their items, and advertising procedures to line up with and meet the different requirements and assumptions for their interest group. Understanding buyer behaviour assists makers with planning fans that take care of explicit requirements and wants. Factors like edge configuration, commotion levels, energy proficiency, and feel can be customized to match purchaser assumptions, guaranteeing that the item satisfies market needs really. India is a different country with fluctuating climatic circumstances and shopper inclinations. Purchaser conduct experiences permit makers to precisely section the market. By recognizing different shopper bunches in light of their requirements and inclinations, organizations can foster designated showcasing techniques and item contributions. Buyers behaviour impacts how people see the worth of an item comparative with its cost. Producers can utilize bits of knowledge into purchaser value aversion to set serious costs and deal different fan models at various price tags to draw in a more extensive customer base. Purchaser behaviour illuminates producers about which mechanical highlights are popular. For example, in the event that customers focus on innovative elements, organizations can put resources into creating Wi-Fi-empowered fans. These bits of knowledge drive development and guarantee that fans stay significant and serious.

Understanding what impacts shopper choices permits organizations to make convincing advertising messages. In the event that energy proficiency is a vital worry for customers, promoting efforts can feature the energy-saving elements of fans. Adjusting advertising messages to customer needs improves the probability of effective missions. Understanding how shoppers like to buy fans is basic. A few customers like to purchase in actual stores, while others favor web-based shopping. Makers can fit their appropriation channels to arrive at their ideal interest group actually, upgrading openness and comfort for customers. In India, shopper conduct is exceptionally impacted by the seasons, especially during the searing mid year months. Producers can utilize customer experiences to design occasional advancements and showcasing efforts that match with purchaser purchasing behaviors, expanding deals open doors. Persistent Improvement: Input from customers is priceless for item improvement. Whether tending to commotion concerns, further developing execution, or improving client experience, makers can utilize customer input to refine their items, encouraging more noteworthy purchaser fulfillment and steadfastness. Maintainability and Eco-Kind disposition: As natural worries develop, understanding shopper conduct connected with eco-accommodating decisions is vital. Producers can create and showcase fans with manageable elements, like energy productivity and eco-accommodating materials, to take special care of the naturally cognizant purchaser portion. Brand Unwaveringness and Notoriety: Customer conduct additionally influences brand dedication. Positive purchaser encounters lead to rehash buys and verbal exchange proposals, which are instrumental in building a brand's standing and market presence. Buyer behaviour alludes to the activities and choices people make while buying and utilizing items or administrations. It includes factors like inspirations, perspectives, discernments, and purchasing behaviors. Purchaser inclinations are the particular decisions and wants people have with respect to item ascribes, elements, and brands in light of individual taste and needs. Understanding these viewpoints is pivotal for organizations to fit their contributions and advertising methodologies to meet client assumptions.

LITERATURE REVIEW:

The paper by Vathsala Wickramasinghe and Kenneth Mathusinghe tends to the shortage of observational examination on after-deals administrations for home machines in non-industrial nations like Sri Lanka. It underlines the significance of a multi-viewpoint approach, taking into account sees from administration designers, experts, and clients. The review recognizes key components of administration arrangement and features the meaning of capability, dependability, and client care. By and large, the examination highlights the upper hand of giving quality after-deals benefits and gives significant down to earth bits of knowledge to the home apparatus industry. Dr. Rajesh Kumar's concentrate on "Buyers behaviour for Domestic devices in Ludhiana" investigates customer inclinations and ways of behaving. Strikingly, Butterfly is leaned toward in mixies, while Samsung leads in coolers, and Onida in TVs. Brand name and promoting fundamentally impact

decisions, offering bits of knowledge for showcasing systems in Ludhiana's serious home apparatus market. Study says a motion-based controller framework utilizing Myo armbands, Arduino, and IR correspondence. It permits consumers to control different gadgets through hand signals, further developing openness and wiping out the requirement for various controllers. The framework accomplished 95% precision and holds guarantee for home computerization and supporting older and incapacitated people. The paper by Dr. N. C. Lenin, Dr. Sanjeevikumar Padmanabhan, Dr. Mahajan Sagar Bhaskar, Dr. Massimo Mitolo, and Dr. Eklas Hossain completely audits the development of roof fan innovation. It examines electric engine choices, power regulators, and mechanical plans, underscoring energy proficiency. The review features the potential for lessening power utilization in roof fans through developments in engines, regulators, and mechanical components, offering a promising future for more proficient cooling arrangements. The paper by Jisana T. K. gives a far-reaching outline of buyer conduct. It investigates how people go with choices to assign assets for item and administration utilization. The paper surveys different variables affecting customer conduct, including social, social, individual, and mental components. It additionally presents various models of buyer purchasing conduct. All in all, understanding shopper conduct is fundamental for advertisers to foster compelling methodologies and address buyer issues. This study dives into customer conduct in India's electronic home apparatuses market, taking into account culture, social variables, brain science, and advertising blend. It highlights the significant job of mental elements in molding shopper decisions, offering important bits of knowledge for makers and retailers to upgrade consumer loyalty. (S. Vijayalakshmi and V. Mahalakshmi). Dr. Prasant Sarangi's exploration digs into India's shopper sturdy market, underlining pay and instruction's impact on interest for significant things. It features development potential and the effect of government drives like "Make in India." (Dr. Prasant Sarangi). Study says investigates how consumer behaviour influences electricity consumption with a focus on different income groups, demographic areas, and seasons. It reveals how daily routines and lifestyle choices significantly affect power demand, emphasizing the importance of considering consumer behaviour in electrical load forecasting and management for a more efficient energy distribution system

OBJECTIVE OF THE STUDY:

The goal looks to comprehend the variables that drive client inclination for fans and what these elements mean for the choice to buy or not buy fans.

Also includes grouping customers into distinctive portions in view of their inclinations and attributes connected with fans, considering more compelling promoting and item customization procedures.

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY:

Data collections:

Information will be gathered through offline and online polls to potential buyers of fans of different locales of Karnataka. This data used further to predict the preference of purchase on whether buy or noy and also to segmenting the interest group into segment of similar characteristic.

Independent variables these are the elements that you suspect might impact user purchase decision for fans giving critical knowledges to organizations in the home apparatus industry. Respondent were asked to answer the questions given likert scales of strongly disagree (1), disagree (2), neutral (3), agree (4), strongly agree (5) for all statements.

The price of a fan strongly influences my choice when selecting a fan
The brand of a fan significantly influences my preference when choosing a fan
The durability of a fan significantly impacts my choice when selecting a fan.
Additional features (e.g., remote control, lighting) impact my preference when choosing a fan.
Colour variety of the fan influence your decision
Design of the fan greatly impact my decison during puchase of a fan
I significantly prefer brands that offer discounts during festival seasons, and these discounts greatly impact my preference
Media advertising influence my purchase decision
I am likely to purchase fans endorsed by a celebrity.
I am more likely to buy fan that utilize less electricity?
Opinions of friends and family influence my fan selection?
size of the fan greatly impacts my preference.
The noise level of the fan impact your decision?
The availability of good after-sales service significantly influences my preference.
I significantly consider the ease of installation when choosing a fan.
The choice of material used in a fan significantly influences my decision.
The space-saving feature is significantly important for my fan.
The availability of multiple speed options is significantly important in my fan.
The number of wings (blades) in a fan greatly influences my preference for purchasing a fan

The shape of the wings (blades) in a fan influences my preference for purchasing a fan
How do different fan speeds (low, medium, high) /RPM influence your comfort?

Decision variable tends to be dichotomous, addressing whether the customer purchased a fan (1) or didn't buy a fan (0).

The gathered information will be investigated utilizing logistic regression to decide the connection between the features and the probability of a client buying a fan. LR will assist with recognizing which variables have a huge effect and the course of that effect (positive or negative) on the probability of procurement. After the LR, to do the segmentation we can go ahead with cluster analysis to get the clusters.

RESULT AND DISCUSSION

Logistic Regression:

Logistic regression is a practical choice for this study it's especially planned for analysing the association between a decision variable (dichotomous-yes/no) and features. In SPSS, conducting a Logistic Regression (LR) analysis with a confidence level of 95%

Hypothesis: Hosmer and Lemeshow Test

(H0): There is no significant difference between the model predictions and observed values.

(H1): There is significant difference between the model predictions and observed values

Omnibus Tests of Model Coefficients

	Chi-square	df	Sig.
Step	67.989	30	.000
Step 1 Block	67.989	30	.000
Model	67.989	30	.000

the omnibus test outcomes give solid proof that the LR model, with all its incorporated features, is a critical indicator of the result variable (customer fan buys). This recommends that the model in general has logical power and is a significant device for understanding the variables impacting user choices.

Hosmer and Lemeshow Test

Step	Chi-square	df	Sig.
1	8.322	8	.403

The Hosmer and Lemeshow Test is regularly used to find out goodness of fit of model for logistic regression. It decides if the model's expectations adjust well to the observed results. The p-value from the Hosmer and Lemeshow Test is 0.403, which surpasses the regular importance level of 0.05. Means we are fail to reject null hypothesis there is no significant difference in predicted and observed value.

Classification Tablea

	Observed	Predicted		
		dep_var_0_1		Percentage
		0	1	Correct
Step 1	0	26	22	54.2
	1	8	116	93.5
	Overall Percentage			82.6

a. The cut value is .500

The confusion matrix gives a breakdown of how well the data calculated LR acted in foreseeing customer buy choices. The general precision of the model, as shown is 82.6%, proposing that the model is reasonably exact in its forecasts.

Variables in the Equation

	B	S.E.	Wald	df	Sig.	Exp(B)
Gender(1)	2.027	.684	8.795	1	.003	7.594
Monthly_Household_Income			14.592	4	.006	
Monthly_Household_Income(1)	.455	.782	.339	1	.561	1.577
Monthly_Household_Income(2)	-.043	.869	.002	1	.961	.958
Monthly_Household_Income(3)	-2.106	.946	4.952	1	.026	.122
Monthly_Household_Income(4)	1.575	1.152	1.871	1	.171	4.832
No_fans	.497	.237	4.385	1	.036	1.644
No_rooms	.248	.233	1.139	1	.286	1.282
No_fam_mem	-.411	.241	2.904	1	.088	.663
type	-.548	.509	1.161	1	.281	.578
price	.286	.394	.526	1	.468	1.331
brand	-.672	.481	1.951	1	.162	.510
Durability	.195	.386	.254	1	.614	1.215
Additional_features	-1.129	.390	8.379	1	.004	.323
Colour	.679	.362	3.525	1	.060	1.973
Design	-1.676	.522	10.326	1	.001	.187
discounts	.528	.377	1.963	1	.161	1.695

Media_advertising	1.209	.465	6.749	1	.009	3.349
endorsed_celeb	.520	.331	2.472	1	.116	1.682
utilize_less_electricity	.115	.428	.072	1	.789	1.121
Opinions_fam_frnds	.212	.309	.471	1	.492	1.237
size	-.052	.397	.017	1	.896	.949
noise_level	.474	.456	1.082	1	.298	1.607
after_sales_service	-1.287	.460	7.830	1	.005	.276
ease_of_installation	1.059	.465	5.191	1	.023	2.883
choiceofmaterial	.479	.437	1.202	1	.273	1.615
spacesaving	.535	.455	1.380	1	.240	1.707
speed_options	1.042	.549	3.602	1	.058	2.834
number_of_wings	-.581	.399	2.120	1	.145	.559
shape_of_wings	.915	.479	3.651	1	.056	2.498
fan_speedsRPM	.830	.627	1.756	1	.185	2.294
Constant	-12.535	3.475	13.012	1	.000	.000

Gender (1): The coefficient (B) is 2.027, and the p-value (Sig.) is 0.003, showing that orientation is genuinely foreseeing whether a customer purchases a fan. The chances proportion (Exp(B)) of 7.594 recommends that, all else being equivalent, Female (coded as 1) are roughly 7.594 times bound to buy a fan contrasted with males(coded 0).

Monthly_Household_Income:This variable with various classifications (Monthly_Household_Income,Monthly_Household_Income(1), Monthly_Household_Income(2), and so forth.). A few classifications have p-values (Sig.) above 0.05, demonstrating that they are not measurably huge in foreseeing fan buys. Nonetheless, Monthly_Household_Income(3) has a p-value of 0.026, it is genuinely

influential for recommend it. The chances proportion for Monthly_Household_Income(3) is 0.122, suggesting that clients with this pay level are less inclined to purchase a fan contrasted with the reference montly income coded 5 (above 80,000 rupees)

The table gives coefficients, p-values, and chances proportions for various other features. Their importance and course (positive or negative) to comprehend their effect on fan buys. For example, "Additional_features" has a critical adverse consequence with a chances proportion of 0.323, demonstrating that clients who regard "Additional_features" are less inclined to purchase a fan.

Cluster Analysis:

Cluster analysis is a model utilized in information examination to distinguish stowed-away examples or designs inside information. It helps in understanding user fragments, which can be utilized to tailor items, administrations, and promoting methodologies to explicit gatherings. This can expand deals and consumer loyalty by gathering clients with comparable ways of behaving, inclinations, or socioeconomics, along these lines improving advertising and item customization.

Two normal techniques for clustering are hierachical clustering and k-mean clustering. Here used to findout the number of clusters in interested group and later helps to clustering the respondent according to the proximity.

From this agglomeration table, the number of clusters is determined the "Coefficients" section, which address

Agglomeration Schedule						
Stage	Cluster Combined		Coefficients	Stage Cluster First Appears		Next Stage
	Cluster 1	Cluster 2		Cluster 1	Cluster 2	
1	80	168	.000	0	0	162
2	73	161	.000	0	0	21
3	71	159	.000	0	0	125
4	69	157	.000	0	0	93
5	68	156	.000	0	0	109
6	64	152	.000	0	0	94
7	31	129	.000	0	0	69
8	29	127	.000	0	0	70
9	27	125	.000	0	0	95
10	76	164	1.000	0	0	119
11	75	163	1.000	0	0	115
12	74	162	1.000	0	0	123
13	67	155	1.000	0	0	92
14	3	144	1.000	0	0	120
15	109	141	1.000	0	0	140
16	106	138	1.000	0	0	85
17	101	133	1.000	0	0	135
18	100	132	1.000	0	0	91
19	25	123	1.000	0	0	97
20	24	122	1.000	0	0	170
21	73	89	1.000	2	0	54
22	72	160	2.000	0	0	65
23	65	153	2.000	0	0	114
24	63	151	2.000	0	0	117

disparity between clusters. At totally 171 stages1 less than the total respondent, initially all caeses were considered as the different single clusters and later cluster is done where the different between the coefficents are maximun there

its forms cluster and from studying this table the target group can split into 3 cluster with its own similar characters same to among the cases in that clusters.

Final Cluster Centers				
	Cluster			
	1	2	3	
No_fans	3	3	5	
No_rooms	3	2	4	
No_fam_mem	4	4	5	
type	2	2	2	
price	3	4	4	
brand	4	4	4	
Durability	3	4	4	
Additional_features	3	4	4	
Colour	3	4	4	
Design	3	4	4	
discounts	3	4	4	
Media_advertising	3	3	3	
endorsed_celeb	3	2	2	
utilize_less_electricity	4	4	4	
Opinions_fam_frnds	3	4	4	
size	3	4	4	
noise_level	3	4	5	
after_sales_service	3	4	4	
ease_of_installation	3	4	4	
choiceofmaterial	3	4	4	
spacesaving	3	4	4	
speed_options	3	4	4	
number_of_wings	3	4	3	
shape_of_wings	3	4	4	
fan_speedsRPM	3	4	4	

Cluster 1: This group will in general strongly disagree (1) or disagree (2) on different properties connected with fans. They have lower assessments on factors like brand, durability, additional features, color, design, discounts, media advertising, and opinions from family and friends. They likewise favor fans that use less power; however, they may not focus on after-deals administration.

Cluster 2: This group shows a more unbiased (3) assessment on most characteristics. They neither agree nor disagree to most questions of the fans. They will more often than not be fairly unbiased across all attributes.

Cluster 3: This group will in general agree (4) or strongly agree (5) on most characteristics connected with fans. They have a positive perspective on factors like brand, strength, extra highlights, variety, plan, limits, media promoting, and conclusions from loved ones. They additionally esteem fans that use less power and may consider after-deals administration significant. They lean toward fans with more commotion levels, showing they might focus on execution over appeal.

Number of Cases in each Cluster

Cluster	1	27.000
	2	93.000
	3	52.000
Valid		172.000
Missing		.000

Cluster 1: Contains 27 cases.

Cluster 2: Contains 93 cases.

Cluster 3: Contains 52 cases.

Here, cluster 2 is the most crowded compared cluster 3, while cluster 1 contains the least data of interest. Understanding this dispersion is important for additional investigation and independent direction.

FINDINGS

Insights from above analysis is purchaser inclinations for fans and their effect on buying choices, investigating factors like price ,item credits like brand, strength, and plan. Calculated LR that factors like gender and monthly income fundamentally affected fan buys, with females more likely to purchase fans. Cluster analysis divided respondents into three particular groups: Group 1 communicated conflict on fan credits, focusing on energy proficiency; Group 2 stayed nonpartisan across qualities; and group 3 clearly settled on sure characteristics, accentuating execution and energy effectiveness. With 93 cases, Group 2 was the biggest, trailed by Bunch 3 (52 cases) and Bunch 1 (27 cases). These discoveries offer significant experiences for makers to fit items and promote methodologies to different shopper inclinations.

CONCLUSION

All in all, this paper gives a complete comprehension of buyer conduct and inclinations concerning fans. Through thorough factual investigations, including calculated relapse and group examination, a few key bits of knowledge have been gathered. Gender and income, are major influencing fan buys, with females showing a higher probability of purchasing fans. Also, the division of buyers into three particular bunches features fluctuating inclinations and perspectives towards fan credits. Group 1 inclines towards energy proficiency, group 2 keeps an unbiased position, and group 3 focuses on execution and energy effectiveness. These discoveries offer important direction to makers in fitting their items and advertising methodologies to take special care of the assorted requirements and assumptions for various buyer fragments. Generally speaking, this examination contributes fundamentally to the comprehension of purchaser behaviour with regards to fan buys, making ready for more successful item advancement and showcasing drives in the home appliance industry.

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