

# Unwrapping festive buying behaviors

Skai surveyed 1,000 U.S. consumers to better understand holiday spending intentions for the upcoming 2023 season.

90%
begin holiday shopping before December

'Tis the season for SAVVY SHOPPING

23%

begin holiday shopping before October

30%
extensively research

extensively research ALL purchases

#### ...and BARGAIN HUNTING!

**65**%

are willing to wait until January for better deals

**56**%

plan to take advantage of holiday sales and discount days

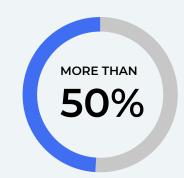
#### 'Tis the season for MINDFUL SPENDING



feel comfortable about their financial well-being going into this holiday season



are worried about overspending



plan to spend under \$500 this shopping season



plan to spend more than usual

### 'Tis the season for STYLE, SCENTS, SPARKLE

...and PET PAMPERING



85%

will spend more this year than last year on **CLOTHING & ACCESSORIES** 



80%

will spend more this year than last year on **BEAUTY & PERSONAL CARE** 



63%

will spend more this year than last year on **JEWELRY** 



**77**%

will spend more this year on their

PETS than they did last year



'Tis the season for AMAZON SHOPPING

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## Most popular ways to research gift ideas



**RETAILER WEBSITES** (i.e. Amazon, Walmart)

**SEARCH ENGINES** (i.e. Google)

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BROWSING IN STORE

80% expect to spend a

good portion of their holiday spending on amazon

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will check out Prime Day deals for holiday gifts

91%

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73%

become aware of new products from retail sites like Amazon 76%

use Amazon to research potential gift ideas

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Will consumers rely on AI for gift ideas?



Not yet. Only **4.6% of shoppers** will be using ChatGPT to help with holiday shopping this year.