# KREATIVITÄT, MARKE UND ZUKUNFT

### STEP 0 STORYIME



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### Nostalgia

Nostalgia is the pop culture moment.

Time-tested trends are reimagined with a modern twist, birthing novel creations. People are escaping to more comfortable or even familiar territories as the antidote to their busy, overwhelming everyday life. Products and experiences that evoke the joy of carefree days are eagerly embraced.



#### **KIDULTS**

are adults who buy toys for themselves. They are the biggest driver of growth for the toy industry today. In the cost of living crisis, most families spend less on their kids - but kidults are dropping more money than ever.

of Gen Z respondents crave simpler times and say they'd "like to travel back in time to experience the world preinternet.

58%

of Gen Z in Germany say that they like to consume media from past decades because it reminds them of times when things were simpler.

#### THROWBACK TECH

is flying off the shelves like never before. Compared to the previous year, worldwide sales of wired headphones were up 317% in 2022, vinyl 144%, flip phone 81% and turntables were up by 69%.



### Free emotions

People have a lot to cope with right now, and many are *crisis-fatigued*, overwhelmed and feel helpless as a result of being exposed to constant pressures.

They are looking for something that makes them smile and brings more lightheartedness. At the same time, they openly share and discuss their feelings.



#### **MEMES**

became a common language. They work cross-cultural and have the ability to capture a moment while distracting people from reality.







#### **FRAGILITY**

Gen Z lives in a culture where we are encouraged to be open about our mental health, and conversations about feelings are more permissible.

### Shared connections

The young generation has unprecedented access to a global view, niche communities, and varied interests, thanks to the variety of social media platforms, streaming services and networks available to them.

Millennials are truly digital natives and Gen Z is the first generation to grow up with smartphones. But for them, it's not all about content, but interactions and learning from each other.



62% of Gen Z believes that your listening habits reveal who you are.



#### AUDIO IS CULTURE IN REAL TIME Music is a form of expression and

Music is a form of expression a communication, helping to spread ideas and values that shape society.





**62%** of young people say "I love meeting and engaging with people from all over the world".

#### Neocollectivism

In a digital, anonymous world people need reasons to connect, and even work together towards a common goal. They want to create together, and become part of the decision-making processes.

We see a renewed emphasis on collectivism and as a result, a power at scale coming from communities, organizations and even fanclubs actively participating in shaping the future.

#### **BRACELETS BESTIES**

Taylor Swift encouraged fans to "make the friendship bracelets, take the moment and taste it" in her Midnights track and Swifties did just that.



"The best businesses see the people formerly known as consumers as sources of ideas and energy, not consuming units."



#### FAN CLUB AGAINST CLIMATE CHANGE

Maroon 5 is reinventing the "fan club" with a DAO (Decentralized Autonomous Organization) that connects artists + fans and aims to fight climate change.



#### Feeling alive

Germans spend 24 years, 8 months and 14 days of their lives online.

In a digital world, real-life moments are priceless. People are now seeking for pleasure and joyful experiences almost as a cure for the polycrisis and the lost, hard time we had and are still having.

Feeling guilty? No way. We celebrate every pleasure and feel all the feels.

1 in 2 Gen Z look for travel that takes them out of their comfort zone.





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Young people say their #1 treat is eating great food with their family and friends.



#### **64%** of young people see time to invest in the things they love as luxury.

#### Standing up

Millennials and Gen Z aren't merely rejecting governance systems they disagree with – they're unitedly challenging systems when they perceive it's for the greater good.

They're utilizing platforms like TikTok to discuss finances and demanding wage transparency. Across numerous subreddits, young activists are rallying to confront corporations and outdated frameworks.

This is the power of community in full swing.



THE PLEASURE OF WATCHING RICH PEOPLE SUFFER ON SCREEN

7 in 10

young people believe positive change in society will come from people or citizens.





"As I got older, I learned that some of the cultural traditions I grew up believing - the unspoken rule that women only wear dresses and skirts, and disallowing them from being pastors, for instance - weren't actually ordained by god."

VICE Guide to Culture, 2023



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### WASERWARTEN MENSCHENVON MARKEN?

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#### RELEVANZ

# 80% aller Marken

könnten heute veschwinden, und niemand würde sie vermissen.



#### **HALTUNG**

75% der Kund\*innen

erwarten Haltung und Meinung zu aktuellen Themen & Politik von Marken.





### BEREITSCHAFT ZU VERGEBEN = TRUST & LOYALTY

#### **Word Of Mouth**

Wie Konsument\*innen über eine Brand Experience sprechen.

#### **Consumer Relations**

Konsument\*innen sind eher bereit, Fehler zu vergeben, wenn eine gute Beziehung besteht.

#### **Service Recovery**

Was unternimmt die Marke, um den Fehler zu beheben und in der Zukunft zu vermeiden?



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