# From Launch to Scale: The Insider's Guide to Winning the Startup Game

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This presentation designed to help entrepreneurs prioritize their go-to-market initiatives and achieve growth.

By analyzing customer acquisition costs, lifetime value, and gross margin, attendees will learn how to evaluate different models for growing their business.

They will also learn how to develop marketing messages that resonate with target customers, test messaging and customer acquisition channels, and measure conversion rates.

Attendees will gain insights on how to set growth goals, develop a growth plan, and leverage advisors to help achieve those goals. The presentation will provide practical strategies and actionable steps that entrepreneurs can use to succeed in their market and dominate the startup game.

#### Prioritize Go-to-Market Initiatives

Identify target customers and their pain points

Determine unique value proposition

Conduct market research to assess demand and competition

Consider scalability and feasibility of marketing channels

Allocate resources based on potential impact and cost-effectiveness

### Evaluate Different Models for Growing the Business

Analyze customer acquisition costs and lifetime value

Assess scalability and sustainability of the business model

Consider potential barriers to entry and competitive advantages

Evaluate market size and growth potential

Consider resources and capabilities required to execute the chosen model

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#### Develop Marketing Messages That Resonate

Conduct customer research and develop buyer personas

Identify key pain points and desires of target audience

Craft messaging that speaks to those pain points and desires

Use language and messaging that aligns with brand identity and voice

Test different messaging and iterate based on customer feedback

## Techniques for Testing Messaging and Customer Acquisition Channels

Conduct A/B testing of different messaging or channels

Use analytics to track user behavior and conversion rates

Use surveys and customer feedback to assess effectiveness of messaging and channels

Test in small, controlled environments before scaling up

Continuously iterate and optimize based on results

### Measure Conversion Rates and Understanding Unit Economics

Set clear goals for what constitutes a conversion

Use analytics tools to track user behavior and conversion rates

Calculate conversion rates by dividing the number of conversions by the number of total users

Monitor and optimize conversion rates over time

Define and explain key unit economics, such as customer acquisition cost, lifetime value, and gross margin

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#### Set Growth Goals and Develop Growth Plans

Determine overall business objectives and desired timeframe for achieving them

Use market research and analysis to set realistic growth targets

Break down goals into smaller, actionable steps

Align growth goals with overall business strategy

Develop timeline, budget, and metrics to track progress and success

#### Leverage Advisors to Set and Develop Growth Goals and Plans

Seek out advisors with relevant industry experience and expertise

Discuss business objectives and challenges with advisors to gain insights and perspectives

Use advisors to help identify and prioritize growth opportunities

Work collaboratively with advisors to develop and refine growth goals and plans

Regularly review progress with advisors and adjust the plan as necessary

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## Apply these strategies to succeed in your market and dominate the game.

Prioritize go-to-market initiatives to ensure a successful launch.

Evaluate business models by analyzing customer acquisition costs, lifetime value, and gross margin.

Develop resonant marketing messages through customer research, buyer personas, and effective testing.

Measure conversion rates and understand unit economics to assess sustainability and scalability.

Set growth goals and develop a plan by breaking down goals into actionable steps aligned with the business strategy.

Leverage advisors to identify and prioritize growth opportunities and refine growth goals and plans.