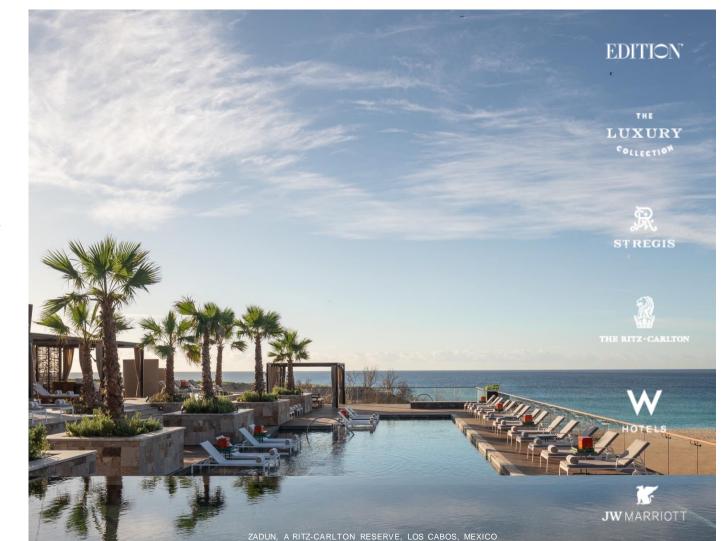
Luxury MAU May 2022 Email Performance Review

May 27, 2022







Lux MAU: May 12, 2022

Subject Line:

[Fname's][Your]Account Update: New Michelin Stars, Culinary Offers, and More

Pre-Header:

Plus, five dining experiences worth traveling for and our newest hotel openings









Michelin-Starred Dining Experiences



memories over a meal that transcends traditional boundaries.



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Start the day with complimentary breakfast and end it fireside with a \$75 credit towards dinner at The New York EDITION's Michelin-Starred Clocktower Bestaurant





Epicurean Journey to Peru

Enjoy a culinary experience at one of the world's most coveted food destinations at Tambo del Inka, a Luxury Collection Recort & Spa.

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Explore Like Never Before



More Culinary Inspiration

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Brand New Twists on Classic Takes



Discover What Inspires You







Celebrate Fine French Cuisine

Meet Chef

Steven Wan



Key Storylines

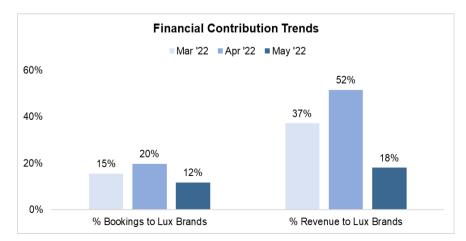
- CTR saw a decrease MoM with April being the top performing month post-launch in which the hero had the Reserve Member Benefits announcement
- Despite this MoM decline, click activity was still very strong for May, having the 3rd highest CTR in the last nine months
- Engagement outperformed other luxury mailings when comparing click and unsub. rates
- All luxury segments, member levels and regions saw declines MoM in line with overall email engagement trends
- Member Account Box, Offer Content and Hero were top three performing modules for May
 - Clocktower Restaurant offer generated more interest than Journey to Peru offer



Most KPIs Performed Above 6-Mo. Average

- May click activity was down compared to April, but increased 25% in comparison to the six-month average
 - MoM declines impacted by strong April engagement it had the 2nd highest CTR since launch
- Unsub rates remain consistent MoM and trend similar against the six-month average
- · Monthly financials impacted by recent data issues that may be understating Omniture tracking
 - · Data will be refreshed once updates have been made in the system

Metrics	May '22	vs. Avg.	МоМ
Delivered	1.8 M	+24.3%	+0.4%
Clicks	32.2 K	+24.5%	-32.8%
CTR	1.8%	+0.0 pts.	-0.9 pts.
Unsub Rate	0.06%	-0.01 pts.	-0.00 pts.
Bookings	273	-12.1%	-14.4%
Revenue	\$138.5 K	-28.8%	-40.4%

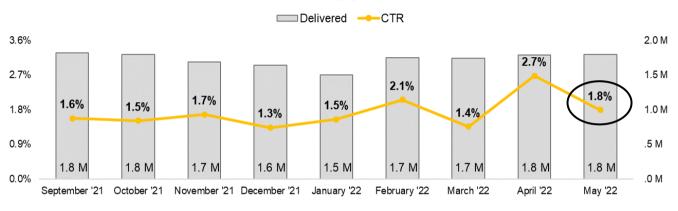


*Financial data source: Omniture 7-day cookie



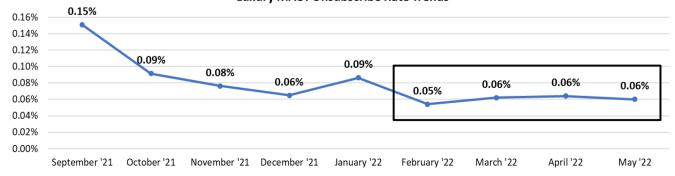
May Engagement Positive in Comparison to Previous Months

Luxury MAU: Engagement Trends



1.8% CTR was 3rd highest in last nine months

Luxury MAU: Unsubscribe Rate Trends



Low unsub. rate trends support strong audience health

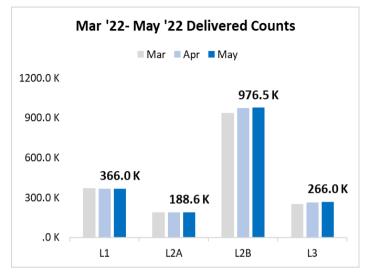
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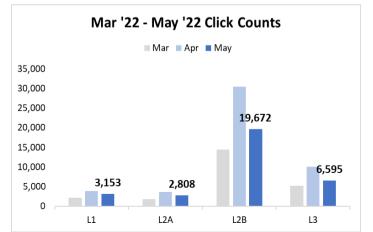
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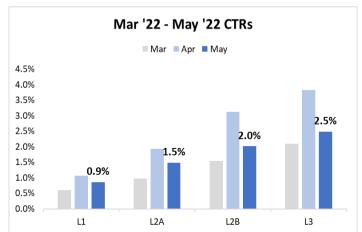
- CTR = 1.43%
- Unsub Rate = 0.11%
- Unsub Benchmark = 0.20%

Consistent MoM Engagement Trends

- May delivery counts were nearly the same MoM for all segments
- Generated one-third fewer clicks from all segments MoM; impacted CTRs
 - Most of the clicks in April went to the Ritz Reserve Member Benefits announcement hero with April being the 2nd strongest performing month post-launch
 - Click activity still strong overall when looking at an extended window of time



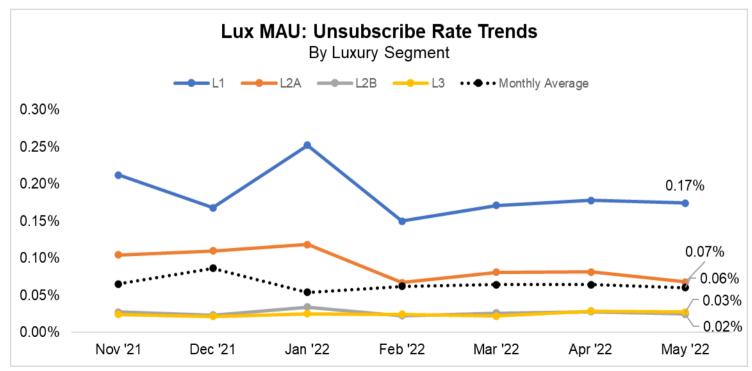






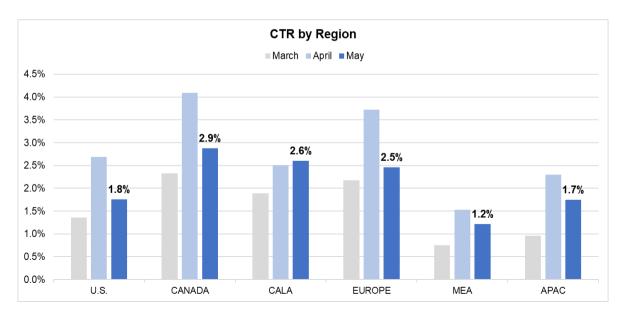
Positive Unsubscribe Rate Trends Continue into May

- Email content continues to engage readers MoM; low monthly unsub rates indicate strong audience health
- L2B and L3 continue to have rates below the Lux MAU monthly unsub average with L2A slightly above
- L1 was the highest for all luxury segments, but still strong overall in comparison to the Bonvoy historical benchmark of 0.20%



Consistent Regional Engagement

- Deliveries continue to remain steady MoM for all regions with slight increases & decreases
- · Outside of a slight uptick in CALA all regions saw a decrease in engagement MoM
- Continue to geo-target where possible to drive relevancy at the regional level and a lift in click engagement



Region	May '22 Delivered	МоМ
US	1.5 M	+0.3%
CANADA	55.3 K	+1.3%
CALA	13.3 K	-0.1%
EUROPE	55.9 K	+0.2%
MEA	73.5 K	-1.0%
APAC	137.6 K	+2.0%
Grand Total	1.8 M	+0.4%



Decrease in Engagement MoM

- Delivery counts remained fairly consistent MoM for all levels
- CTRs were down compared to April; consistent with overall engagement trends
 - Rates for most members returned to previous month levels; rates were either at or above March rates
 - Steeper MoM declines for upper Elite levels, but still higher than March rates
 - Continue to track activity for seasonal impacts as we near 1 year mark in August

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		Mar. 100	Dec '21 - May '22
		May '22	Engagement Trends
	Deliv.	125.8 K	MoM -0.6% (-723)
Non-Member			
	CTR	0.3%	
	Deliv.	628.5 K	MoM -0.0% (-226)
Basic	CTR	1.2%	
	Deliv.	213.8 K	MoM +0.7% (+1.6 K)
Silver	CTR	1.8%	
	Deliv.	393.3 K	MoM +1.0% (+4.0 K)
Gold	CTR	2.1%	
	Deliv.	168.1 K	MoM +0.9% (+1.5 K)
Platinum	CTR	2.8%	
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	Deliv.	216.9 K	MoM +0.5% (+1.0 K)
Titanium	CTR	2.9%	
	Deliv.	50.7 K	MoM +0.6% (+298)
Ambassador	CTR	2.9%	
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May '22 Lux MAU A/B Test Results:

Segment Level Performance

Metrics	Test Group (Lux MAU)	Control Group (Core MAU)	Lift	
Delivered	1,797,079	181,149		
CTR	1.79%	1.72%	+0.08pts.	
Unsub Rate	0.06%	0.04%	+0.02pts.	
Revenue	\$138,530	\$19,431		
Rev/Delivered	\$0.08	\$0.11	-28.1%	
Rev to Lux Brands	18.0%	35.9%	-17.8pts.	
Total Bookings	273	47		
Bkgs. to Lux Brands	11.7%	19.1%	-7.4pts.	

Hypothesis:

Sending a more tailored, relevant email to a targeted luxury audience will increase engagement

- Positive lift in CTR for Lux MAU versus Core for the first time since launch; slight difference in unsubscribe rate, but still below Bonvoy benchmark average of 0.20%
- Monthly financials impacted by recent data issues that may be understating Omniture tracking
 - Revisit performance once updates have been made in the system and data is refreshed

Engagement Outperforms Other Luxury Emails

- · Lux MAU engagement strongest in comparison to other luxury mailings when looking at click activity
- Unsub rates positive for all luxury mailings with Lux MAU and Luxury Escapes both having an Unsub Rate of .06%
- Financial tracking data potentially impacting all luxury mailings for May. To be updated once new data is available

Engagement Data for Luxury Segments Only

May 2022	Lux MAU	Ritz eNews	Luxury Escapes
Delivered	1.8 M	2.2 M	1.7 M
Clicks	32.2 K	27.8 K	24.1 K
CTR	1.79%	1.23%	1.44%
Unsub. Rate	0.06%	0.19%	0.06%
Bookings	273	27	162
Revenue	\$138.5 K	\$33.8 K	\$146.6 K
Rev/Del	\$0.08	\$0.02	\$0.09
% Bkgs. to Lux	11.7%	18.5%	41.0%
% Rev to Lux	18.0%	86.1%	74.1%



Lux MAU Segment Heat Maps: •

May 2022

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Michelin-Starred Dining Experiences



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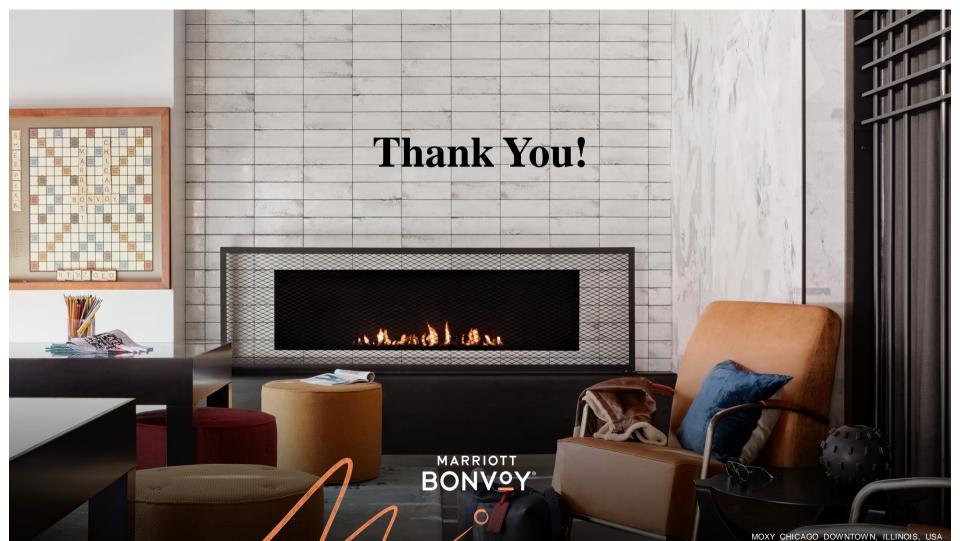


- Fairly comparable click rate in the hero among all four segments; within 3-4pts. of one another
- Member account box provided the highest click percentage, with L2A continuing to have the highest click rate per individual segment
- L2B and L3 were more interested in Inspiration and Moments content than L1 and L2A
- Clocktower Restaurant offer had highest engagement for offers; listed dinner credit value

Module	L1	L2A	L2B	L3	Total
Header	11.4%	9.1%	6.2%	6.0%	6.8%
Hero: Michelin-Starred Dining	18.1%	17.0%	18.1%	20.6%	18.1%
JW Marriot	4.2%	4.9%	6.2%	6.1%	6.0%
Ritz-Carlton	5.4%	6.2%	6.8%	6.0%	6.5%
St. Regis	4.3%	5.2%	5.9%	5.7%	5.7%
Member Account Box	35.7%	44.1%	30.7%	28.0%	31.4%
Offers	11.9%	12.4%	19.8%	21.0%	18.9%
Clocktower Restaurant	7.7%	9.2%	14.6%	15.8%	13.9%
Journey to Peru	4.1%	3.2%	5.2%	5.2%	5.0%
Inspiration	7.6%	8.5%	13.4%	15.0%	12.9%
Dining Worth Traveling For	4.4%	5.2%	8.0%	8.8%	7.7%
New Food Festivals	2.6%	2.7%	4.3%	5.1%	4.3%
Rome's Food Scene	0.7%	0.6%	1.1%	1.1%	1.0%
Culinary	1.1%	1.3%	1.5%	1.6%	1.5%
Moments	2.2%	3.0%	5.8%	6.6%	5.5%
New Hotels	1.1%	1.2%	1.7%	1.9%	1.7%
Denver Cherry Creek	0.7%	0.8%	1.2%	1.4%	1.2%
JW Marriot Sao Paulo	0.4%	0.3%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%
Instagram	1.3%	0.9%	1.2%	1.2%	1.2%
Footer	13.7%	3.0%	0.7%	0.7%	1.9%
Grand Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Recommendations

- Finalize learning agenda and 2022 testing roadmap, as discussed in last quarterly review
- Devise and finalize a content strategy and testing plan at each luxury segment level, personalizing content based on known engagement behaviors for each level
- Determine timing for leveraging send time optimization (STO) for upcoming campaigns
- Incorporate geo-targeting where possible to drive lift in engagement
- Consider additional hero CTA copy and format testing in Q2/3 to better understand engagement patterns



Luxury MAU Targeting Criteria

Segment Name	Segment Description				
L1	All stays are luxury				
L2A	>= 50% of stays are luxury				
L2B	< 50% of stays are luxury				
L3	All luxury stays are paid by bonus points				



Performance Metrics: Luxury MAU, May 2022

Segment Code	Delivered	Opens	Open Rate	Clicks	CTR	CTOR	Unsub Rate	Bookings	Room Nts.	Revenue
L1 LUX ONLY	366.0 K	70.6 K	19.3%	3.2 K	0.86%	4.5%	0.17%	19	48	\$9.7 K
L2A HIGH USER	188.6 K	38.4 K	20.4%	2.8 K	1.49%	7.3%	0.07%	28	53	\$11.0 K
L2B LOW USER	976.5 K	232.2 K	23.8%	19.7 K	2.01%	8.5%	0.02%	175	411	\$95.9 K
L3 REDEEM ONLY	266.0 K	72.0 K	27.1%	6.6 K	2.48%	9.2%	0.03%	51	131	\$21.9 K
Total	1.8 M	413.2 K	23.0%	32.2 K	1.79%	7.8%	0.06%	273	643	\$138.5 K



Luxury Escapes Performance: May 2022









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Subject Line: Enjoy up to a \$300 Credit and Get Away

Preheader: [Name], Discover More Relaxation

Segment Code	Delivered	Opens	Open Rate	Clicks	CTR	CTOR	Unsub Rate
L1 LUX ONLY	275.4 K	45.2 K	16.4%	1.7 K	0.62%	3.8%	0.18%
L2A HIGH USER	154.4 K	25.8 K	16.7%	1.5 K	0.94%	5.6%	0.11%
L2B LOW USER	973.8 K	178.2 K	18.3%	15.0 K	1.54%	8.4%	0.04%
L3 REDEEM ONLY	275.5 K	58.8 K	21.3%	5.9 K	2.16%	10.1%	0.02%
Everyone Else	399.8 K	72.5 K	18.1%	5.8 K	1.45%	8.0%	0.10%
Total	2.1 M	380.4 K	18.3%	29.9 K	1.44%	7.9%	0.07%

Ritz eNews Performance: May 2022





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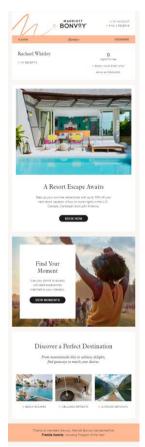
From restorative waterfront retreats to exhitarating outdoo adventures, find inspiration for your next group getweey.

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- Subject Line: INSIDE THE RITZ-CARLTON: Weekend Getaways, Perfected.
- Preheader: Plus, new hotel opening, award-winning cocktail recipe, and more.

Segment Code	Delivered	Opens	Open Rate	Clicks	CTR	CTOR	Unsub Rate
L1 LUX ONLY	525.0 K	45.8 K	8.7%	4.5 K	0.85%	9.8%	0.23%
L2A HIGH USER	248.7 K	24.5 K	9.8%	3.0 K	1.21%	12.3%	0.19%
L2B LOW USER	1172.5 K	128.1 K	10.9%	15.6 K	1.33%	12.2%	0.17%
L3 REDEEM ONLY	307.1 K	37.4 K	12.2%	4.7 K	1.51%	12.4%	0.17%
Everyone Else	3076.1 K	465.6 K	15.1%	45.1 K	1.47%	9.7%	0.24%
Total	5.3 M	701.5 K	13.2%	72.9 K	1.37%	10.4%	0.22%

Core MAU Performance: May 2022



- Subject Line: May Account Update: Save 15% on a Resort Escape
- · Preheader: See what's new this month.

Segment Code	Delivered	Opens	Open Rate	Clicks	CTR	CTOR	Unsub Rate
L1 LUX ONLY	30.5 K	5.0 K	16.4%	283	0.93%	5.7%	0.11%
L2A HIGH USER	17.7 K	2.8 K	15.8%	218	1.23%	7.8%	0.07%
L2B LOW USER	104.3 K	12.6 K	12.1%	1.9 K	1.85%	15.3%	0.02%
L3 REDEEM ONLY	28.6 K	3.5 K	12.1%	684	2.39%	19.8%	0.01%
Everyone Else	18.3 M	2.6 M	14.2%	158.0 K	0.86%	6.1%	0.09%
Total	18.5 M	2.6 M	14.2%	161.2 K	0.87%	6.1%	0.09%