## Top 5 Ways to Leverage Subscription Management

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### **Experience & History**

- 14+ years experience in marketing
- 7+ years at Act-On
- Onboarded 100+ clients, run monthly training sessions, assist with strategy and delivery of various campaigns and projects including several Custom Preference Centres

### How can you reach me?

Ask your AM or CSM to schedule a meeting with me to discuss your use cases.



## What is Subscription Management?

The process of managing your prospects and customers' subscriptions and making sure that their experience with your product or service is a happy one.

About 51% of people unsubscribe because they receive emails too often. Often, the content or lack of personalization within these high-frequency emails drives them to leave. When people complain about getting too many emails, they're really complaining about too many irrelevant emails Source: Litmus

#### 🚬 act•on Subscription Settings Manage subscription settings for {{VCard.Email}}. If this is not your email address, please ignore this page. Subscription Interest Only send me communications for the following checked categories: Select / Unselect All Act-On Training Receive product tips and tricks as well as notifications about upcoming training sessions. Events and Webinar Invites Invitations to live in-person and virtual events. (Approx. 2/month) Marketing Education Continue your marketing education and receive on-demand webinars, eBooks, and blog posts. (Approx. 2/week) Newsletter Stav up-to-date with Act-On product news, events, training, and more! (Approx, 1/month) Press Releases Be the first to receive our latest press releases and company news. Product Updates Get notified as soon as new Act-On features and enhancements are available. (Approx. 2/month) Checking the box below will remove you from all future communications. Unchecking it will add you back to any future communications based on your settings above Remove Me From All Future Communications

Update Settings



### **Benefits**

Increase engagement and inbox placement

O Lower Number of Complete Opt-outs

Higher Engagement; Clicks and Opens

Segment Based of Categories



## **5 Use Cases**

# **1. Native Subscription Management**

#### How it works:

- 1. Access ONLY via EMAIL!!! The email recipient clicks the unsubscribe Or Update Email Preference link in the footer of the email
- 2. A new browser tab opens with a landing page that contains the Subscription Management form
- 3. The recipient selects the different email categories they would like to receive then submits the form
- 4. The Subscription Management list in Act-On will update the record with the selected categories and future emails will be suppressed for the categories the recipient is unsubscribed from.



# **Optional Settings**

Response Format	
Enable Message Format Choice (HTML / Plain Text)	
Update Settings Response Type	Complete Opt-Out Response Type
Act-On Landing Page Redirect	Act-On Landing Page Redirect
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#### **Response Format**

#### **Settings and Opt-Out Response Type with 3 options:**

- Confirmation popup (when this is selected, you can customize the Confirmation / Message that displays on the page)
- 2. Act-On Landing Page Redirect
- 3. /URL Redirect







2. Optional Settings



### 2. Native Subscription with Custom Stationary



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Access ONLY via EMAIL still (!) but more alignment with brand colours/type/look and feel.

<u>Stationery</u> wraps around the content created within the Message Composer, Landing Pages, Subscription Management Centre.

- Once a Stationery is created, the custom HTML, CSS, and Javascript (if applicable) are always available for all Act-On content. Your organization's distinctive designs do not need to be re-generated for each successive email or landing page.
- Custom CSS contained within your Stationery will always be applied to the content that the Stationery wraps. This includes advanced CSS, such as responsive-design frameworks.
- Stationery prevents more complex designs and layouts from being accidentally modified by other Act-On users.









## 3. Custom Email Preference on the Website

#### How it works:

- Access via Website Website visitor finds a button/CTA on the website to manage email preference or sign up for the 1st time
- 2. Form is created in Act-On and either embedded on Act-On Landing page or web page
- 3. When options are selected, data from submissions can be <u>directly</u> <u>written into Act-On Subscription</u> <u>Management List</u> or using <u>List</u> <u>Maintenance Program we can do</u> <u>that later.</u>

#### Manage Your Communication Preferences

Update your preferences with this form. Requests can take up to 24hrs to process.

First Name		
First Name		
ast Name		
Last Name		
Email Address *		
Email Address		
What topic(s) do you want to	receive emails about?	
Release Notes *		
○ Yes ○ No Promotions *	First Name	
○ Yes ○ No Newsletters *		
○ Yes ○ No	Last Name	
	Email	
	eNewsletter - tick if you want to subscribe	
	Promotions - tick if you want to subscribe	
	Product Updates - tick if you want to subscribe	

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## 4. Custom Email Preference on User Portal

#### How it works:

- 1. Access via website portal, login, go to Email Preference:
  - *a)* Give consent *b)* Unsubscribe
- 2. Form is created in Act-On and either embedded on website/portal page or via external posting connect two forms to capture submissions in Act-On

a) Anyone who gave consent we will send email with CTA - go to Subscription Management and select types of communication you would like to receive

*b)* Unsubscribe we will add to Opt-Out list via a step in automation program









### **5. Form Confirmation Email to Manage Preferences**

How it works:

- Sign up for Newsletter or Complete Opt-Back-In request via website
- 2. Email Confirmation on the back of Form Submission is send with CTA to Native Subscription Management









### Thank you for joining me!