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This report looks at the following areas:

- The impact of COVID-19 on consumer behavior and the meal kit market.
- Value perceptions that meal kit services must address to maintain momentum beyond the pandemic.
- Key meal kit consumer mindsets and demographics.
- Barriers to use and opportunities for continued growth.

While meal kits have seen ups and downs since the first services started to appear around 2012, the COVID-19 pandemic has provided the industry with a boost, as consumers have focused on home cooking and looked to limit grocery shopping trips. This increase in consumer demand has given meal kit services a unique opportunity to reinvent themselves around the experiences, convenience, and value they provide.



"While meal kits have seen ups and downs since the first services started to appear around 2012, the COVID-19 pandemic has provided the industry with a boost as consumers have focused on home cooking and looked to limit grocery shopping trips. The increase in demand has also at least temporarily reduced reliance on the coupons and discounts that consumers have come to expect."

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