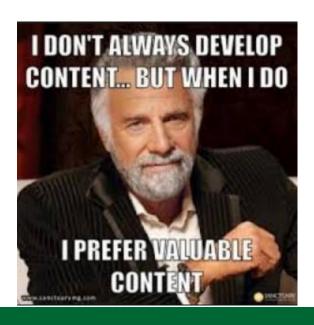


## What is content marketing?

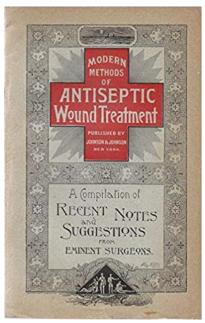
"Content marketing is a strategic marketing approach focused on creating and distributing valuable, and relevant content to attract and retain a clearly defined audience — and, ultimately, drive profitable customer action." - The Content Marketing Institute



Instead of pitching products and services, you are providing relevant and useful content to your customers to help them solve their problems.

# Content Marketing Before the Digital Age

- **1882** The Edison Electric Company Bulletin spreads the word about the benefits of electric lights.
- 1888 Johnson & Johnson creates a publication called Modern Methods of Antiseptic Wound Treatment for doctors who purchased bandages from the company.
- 1900 The Michelin Guide is started as a free travel guide to grow the demand for cars.



## Why content marketing?

- The hunt for information
- Builds trust and demonstrates expertise
- Makes your company a resource and problem-solver



84% of people expect brands to create content that provides solutions, experiences and entertainment. (Havas Group 2017 Meaningful Brand Survey)

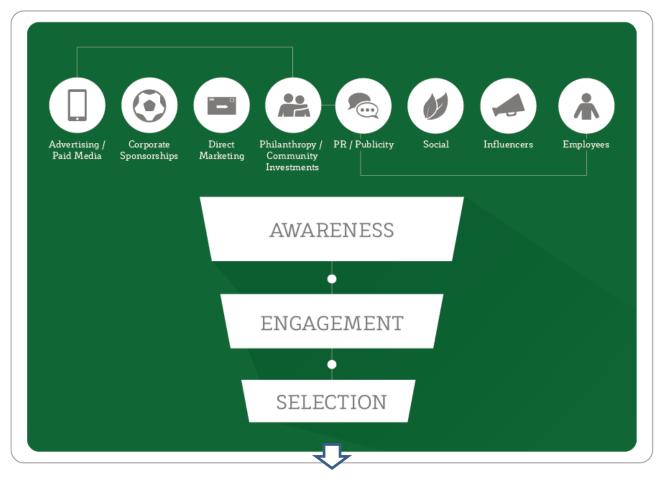
95% of B2B buyers consider content as trustworthy when evaluating a company and its offerings. (DemandGen, 2016)

72% of marketers say relevant content creation was their most effective SEO tactic. (Ascend2, 2015)

80% of customers prefer to get information about prospective purchase from articles instead of advertising. (Roper Survey, 2017)

## Content Marketing:

#### Toolset to Drive Both Awareness, Sales and Continued Loyalty

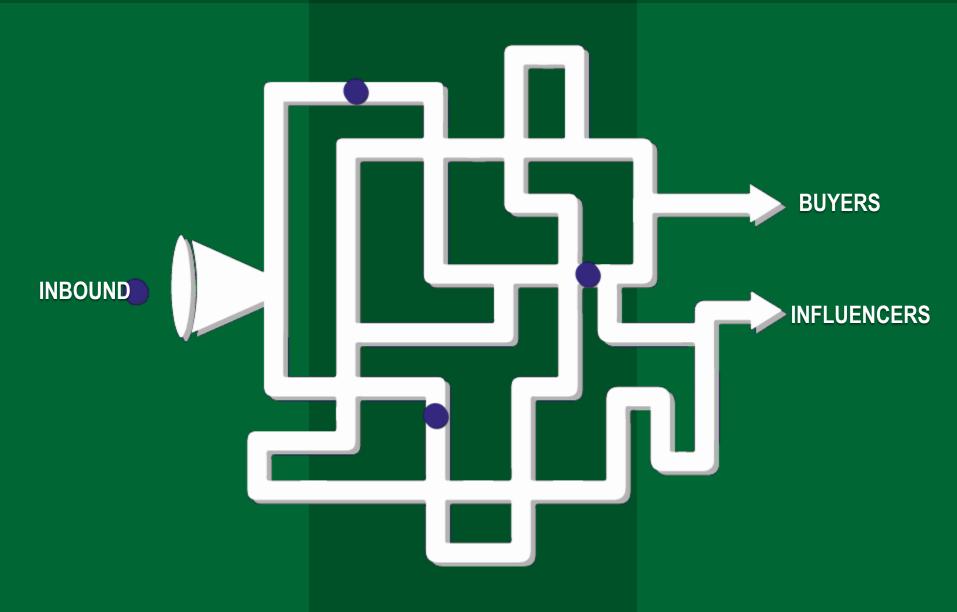


New customer moves to lifecycle management

Customer continues to experience mass marketing tactics building support for cross sell, loyalty and advocacy

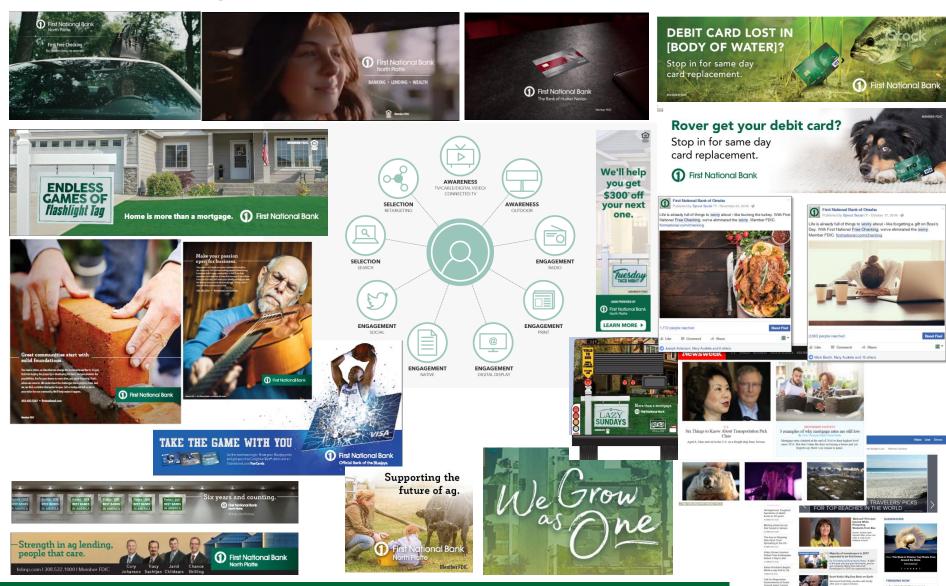






Path to purchase isn't always linear

## Messages Experienced in Sample Market



## Steps to Creating a Content Strategy

- Determine Your Goals & Define your KPIs
- Develop Audience Personas
- Define Potential Audiences
- Create a Content Execution Plan
  - Content Pillars
  - Content Formats
  - Identify Influencers

## Goals & Key Performance Indicators

#### **Awareness**

- Goals
  - Increase fans/followers on social media channels
  - Increase website/blog traffic from social media
- KPIs
  - Number of fans/followers
  - Number of visits to website and blog & time spent

#### Engagement

- Goals
  - Higher interaction with community
- KPIs
  - Number of comments/shares/likes

#### Conversion

- Goals
  - Increase number of conversions
- KPIs
  - Number of conversions from SMM



## Audience Personas









## Potential Audiences

#### **Supporters**

- People who are avid fans of one of our affinity groups (i.e. – Huskers, Humane Society)
- Community Involvement

#### **Preparers**

 People who actively try to grow wealth for future needs, whether it be retirement, college or a vacation

#### **Digital Natives**

 People who are tech savvy and want the latest in mobile and digital service

#### **Movers**

 People who are in the market or are looking for a new house.
Many of them may have just moved cities too.

#### Revolvers

 People who are looking to make a larger purchase but will need financing or carry a balance.

#### **Small Biz Starters**

 People who are in the early stages of starting a small business

#### **Switchers**

 People who are in a life stage that implies they might be looking to switch banks

#### **Deal Seekers**

 People who are frustrated with the service or fees at their current bank and are looking to make a change

#### **Transacters**

 People who make frequent purchases and are able to pay for them directly or pay off the entire balance at once.

#### **Movers**

- People who are in the market for a new home or are looking to refinance
- Renters
- New to the Community

## FIRST NATIONAL BANK'S CONTENT STRATEGY

- Through a purposeful content strategy, monthly topics include:
  - Financial Leadership #FinancialsFirst
  - Community Support & Partnerships #FNBGives, #FNBImpact
  - Product Highlights #PuttingYOUFirst
  - Brand Identity Bank of Choice #FNBJourney
  - Employer of Choice #InsideFNB
- This content is further supported through **engaging and interactive elements**, including trending topics, infographics, voting, blog articles, real imagery and Influencers, enabling the bank to exceed the Financial Services average engagement rate [.5-1 percent] at **3 percent**. (2018)



#### **Content Pillars**



#### Customer Focus

#### Industry Leader

#### Strategic Community Partner

## Bank & Employer of Choice

Free Checking

Instant Issuance

Mortgage

Mobile

Relationship-based

Thought Leadership

Respected

Trustworthy

Expertise

First in Community

Financial Education

Affordable Housing

Community Fellowship

Brand

Sponsorships/ Partnerships

**Awards** 

**Employee Relations** 



## Content Formats

- **Blog Posts**
- Video
- Infographics
- **Images**
- **Quizzes and Polls**

First National Bank

First National Bank @ @FNBOmaha · now

Contests

It starts with a dollar ...

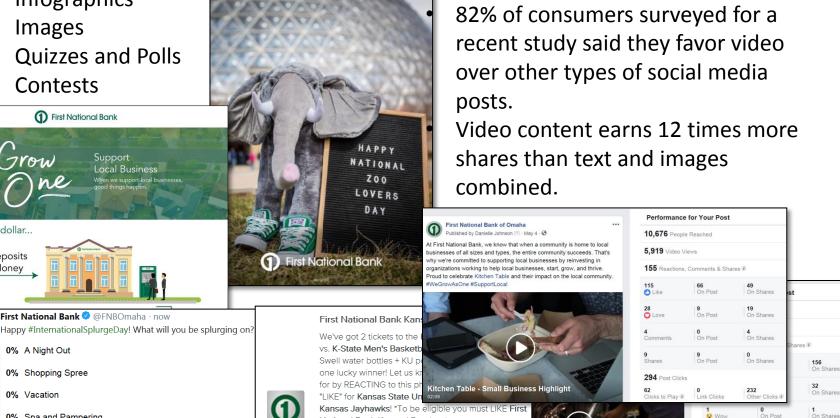
**Deposits** 

0% A Night Out

0% Vacation

0% Shopping Spree

0% Spa and Pampering



National Bank Kansas' Facebook page.

Video has overtaken photos on the

platform for engagement.

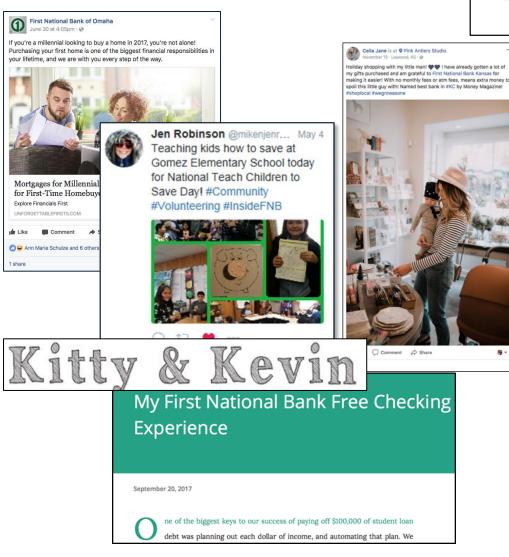
353 Post Clicks

On Shares

## Influencer Marketing

- We leverage influencer outreach to connect with new audiences and drive results for campaigns. This includes:
  - Bloggers
  - Media
  - Partnerships
  - Brand Advocates
  - Mortgage Loan Officers

### **BLOGGERS**



Per Content Marketing Institute, influencer marketing increases brand trust by 92% when recommended by individuals they trust.







Six influencers across all markets with a total of 21 blogs on:

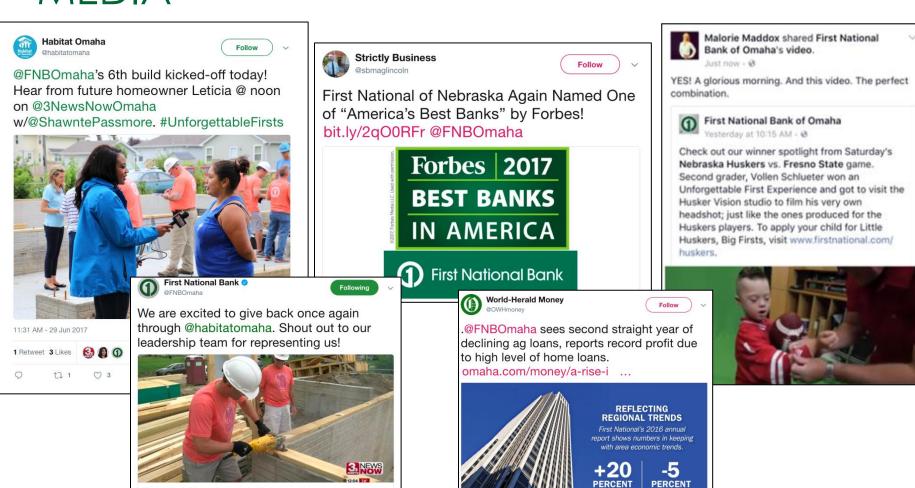
- We Grow As One
- Free Checking
- Holiday LTO

#### Influencers:

- Kitty & Kevin
- Blushing Momma
- Pearl Boulevard
- Harleys & Heels



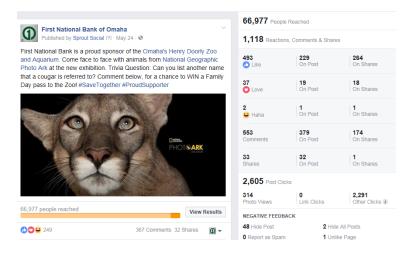
## MEDIA



It's forever synonymous with the American dream: owning your own home.At just 20 years old, Leticia Garza's family of four will be one step closer to that hope.

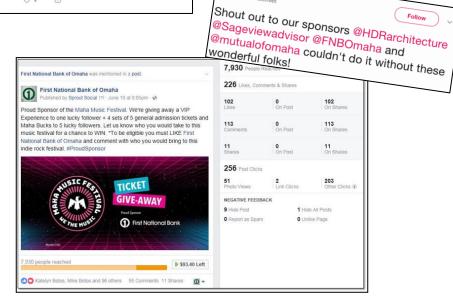
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## **Partnerships**









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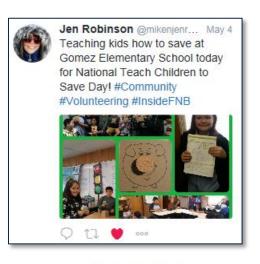
### **Brand Advocates**













## Mortgage Loan Officers

Kara Morris - First National Bank, Mortgage Loan Officer - NMLS #852775 added 5 new

Like Page

Published by Kara Stewart Morris [?] - June 23 at 9:54am

Thanks to Anne Vickery WSPY for the opportunity to talk about #Mortgages with one of my #mentors Barb Hogan! #Mortgagemama #realestate #credit #debt #studentloans



Laura Bauer - First National Bank, Mortgage Loan Officer -NMLS #622035

Published by Laura Bauer [?] · June 14 at 6:54pm · €

Are you considering purchasing a vacation home? First National Bank has financing options available for vacation homes. The financing guidelines are slightly different from when you purchased your primary home. Contact me so we can start discussing options and make sure you are prepared for your future purchase!



Nicki Montelongo, First National Bank, Mortgage Loan Officer, NMLS #631095

Published by Nicki Montelongo [?] - July 2 at 1:54 PM -









Becky Sandiland - First National Bank, Mo Officer - NMLS #286127

Published by Sprout Social [?] - June 13 at 3:30 PM

Summer is the perfect time to make a move and be s starts in the fall. Get started today by receiving a cus your loan details!

https://firstnational1.mortgagewebcenter.com/.../Sea



MATT & KRISTEN WERE PATIENT AND FOUND THE PERFECT HOME, I ENJOYED GETTING TO KNOW THEM THIS YEAR, I KNOW THEY WILL LOVE THEIR HOME WITH MANY MEMORIES TO COME! THANKS FOR LETTING ME HELP YOU IN THIS



Michael Bruegel - First National Bank, Mortgage Loan Officer - NMLS #496393

Published by Michael Bruegel [?] - June 17 at 3:08pm - €

Thanks to all those that came out today, great conversations and looking forward to next months meeting with McKinney Home Buyers Club. Congratulations to Maurice Wilson on winning the gift card giveaway! Colin Young, Liberty Mutual Insurance Agent David Dutze - Keller Williams Henderson Kitchen And Tap





Wholesale Marketing

## Goals of Wholesale Content

- Showcase our experience and knowledge in the industry
- Highlight the expertise of our employees
- Provide relevant and useful information to our customers and prospects
- Keep First National Bank top of mind
- Generate qualified leads

#### **Commercial Insights**











## Our Current Efforts

- Blogging for Wealth Management and Commercial Banking
  - Highlight trending, educational topics relevant to our clients
  - Blog on firstnational.com is coming soon
- Blogs are promoted on social media and pitched to the media

**Ensuring Success for Future Generations – Agribusiness Succession Planning** 

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Author: Sr. Vice President of Agribusiness Banking Tom Jensen & Director of Private Client Services Jeff Willis

Publish Date: April 16, 2018

#### Ensuring Success for Future Generations – Agribusiness Succession Planning

Agriculture is more than a line of work. It's a way of life with deep family roots. Of the 2.1 million farms in the United States, 97 percent are family-owned operations. Agruns in families and more often than not, the next generation takes over the family business. Despite this, only 49 percent of farmers have identified a potential successor that will eventually manage the farm operation, according to a survey of lowa farmers conducted by Farmers Weekly. Of the farmers who have identified a successor, 74 percent indicate one of their children will carry on the operation.

With the highest unified credit benefit we have seen in history, succession planning is at its most optimal point. Succession planning may be something you don't want to think about, but having a plan in place can lead to peace of mind for everyone involved. Even if retirement is far off, it's never too early to plan ahead.

## Current Efforts Continued

#### Bank and FinTech Partnerships Offer the Best of Both Worlds

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Author: Barry Gideon, Vice President, Treasury Services

Publish Date: May, 2018

#### Bank and FinTech Partnerships Offer the Best of Both Worlds

We live in a "now" society where consumers expect processes to happen at the click of a button, and payments are no exception. For example, FinTech applications like e-wallets and mobile payments allow consumers to make payments easily and quickly. Growing e-commerce has also led to an increasing number of non-bank FinTech payment applications.

Instead of seeing FinTechs as competition, banks can work closely with FinTech companies and leverage each other's strengths. According to a Business Insider report, 87 percent of financial services providers in the U.K. that have partnered with third-party FinTech providers have been able to cut costs. And the same study found that 54 percent of these partnerships increased their revenue.

Through the use of Application Programming Interfaces (APIs), FinTech firms and banks can work together to offer consumers quick digital payment options. For example, a business may have a mobile app that allows consumers to make payments and a bank will process the transactions behind the scenes.

## Showcase FNB's Experts

- Blogs authored by internal subject matter experts
  - Content team ghost writes content with input from SMEs
- Showcase our knowledge and expertise
- PR opportunities
- Engages the business in the content

New Investment Strategy Promotes Good Business Practices for a Better World

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Author: Investment Management Portfolio Manager <u>Erica Blake</u>, CFA, CFP® Publish Date: May, 2018

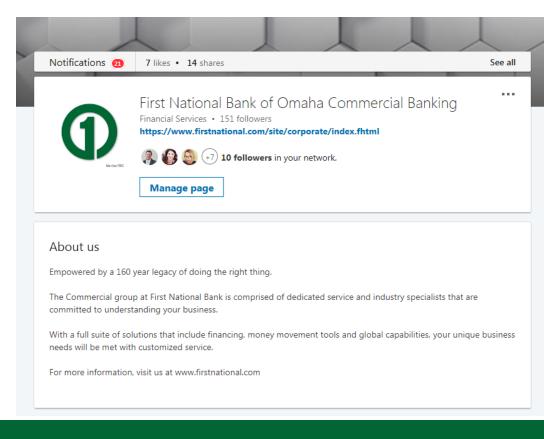
One of my favorite things about working at First National Bank is that we support the communities we serve. This is a part of our culture and what we do every day. Our operating philosophy states that "we will never compromise our values, ethics or integrity to meet our goals." We care about the world we live in, and so do our clients, which is why we're proud to offer a new investment strategy that aligns with these values and extends from our operating philosophy.

First National Bank's new Environmental, Social and Corporate Governance focused portfolio, the ESG First Mutual Fund Strategy, incorporates valued client feedback and is designed to generate competitive returns while allowing clients to invest in companies that prioritize responsible business practices. It also allows people to make an impact in communities across the globe and contribute to causes they care about.

## LinkedIn Showcase Pages

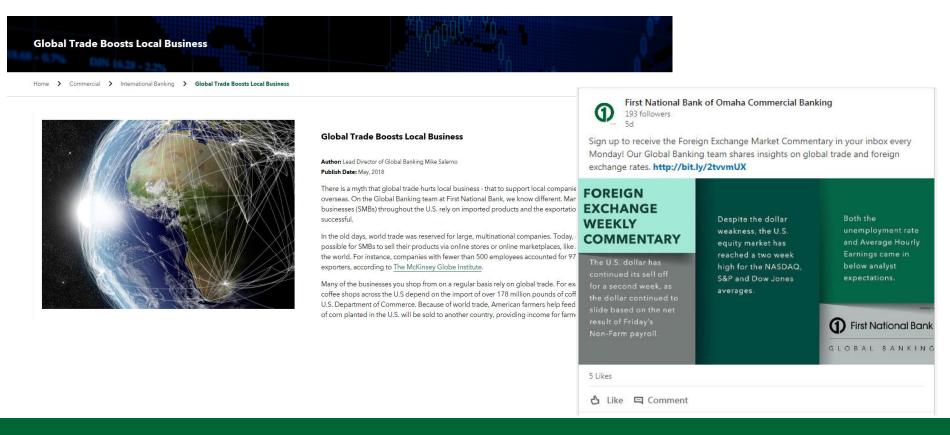
- Commercial Banking Showcase Page
  - Started posting content in March
  - Engaging internal team
  - Growing followers
- Coming soon! Wealth
   Management Showcase
   Page





## Content Success Story: Global Banking

Global Banking expertise promoted via the blog, on social media (company and employee pages), press releases and pitched to the media.



## Content Success Story: Media Coverage

#### **CNBC**

## In a trade war, it's consumers who may lose

- A battle between the U.S. and the rest of the world over tariffs could mean higher prices for shoppers later this year.
- "American families are caught in the middle," says the National Retail Federation's Matthew Shay.

#### Jessica Dickler | @jdickler

Published 2:53 PM ET Wed, 27 June 2018 | Updated 7:07 AM ET Thu, 28 June 2018

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Patrick T. Fallon | Bloomberg | Getty Images

Customers walk with Foot Locker shopping bags on the Third Street Promenade in Santa Monica, California.

#### **USA Today**



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President Trump says the era of "global freeloading" is over. He tok Dakota, that his tariff standoff with China, the European Union and predecessors' "disastrous trade deals." (June 28) AP



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As trade tensions betwee the world escalate, expering register.

"A tit-for-tat trade war ha families are caught in th president and CEO of th

said in a statement. Shay also called tariffs "taxes on cons

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Nebraska and Iowa companies look for ways to

Trade battles are hitting home in the Midlands. Union Pacific is seeking a tariff exemption on specialized rail it b from Japan.

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## Questions?