

"Making a Winning Offer"

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Agenda:

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Mission & Goal

Mission

Help buyers make an offer that sellers won't refuse

Goal Design an MVP product to help buyers-with-a-budget submit winning bids in a seller's market

Strategic Priority

Investment highlights

Massive, fragmented market

U.S. real estate industry is ripe for disruption

Superior consumer experience Digital experience transforming a highly inefficient process

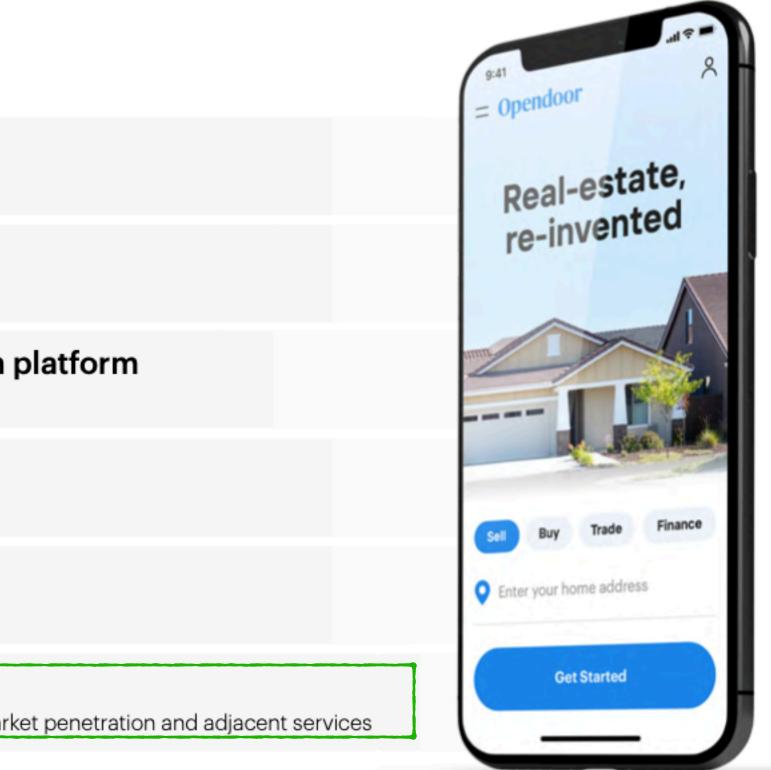
Market leader with low cost transaction platform Highly efficient platform to buy and sell real estate

Rapid growth and scale Demonstrated ability to grow rapidly and efficiently

Strong unit economics Proven, replicable margins across multiple markets

Significant upside ahead Revenue growth and margin improvement expected via market penetration and adjacent services

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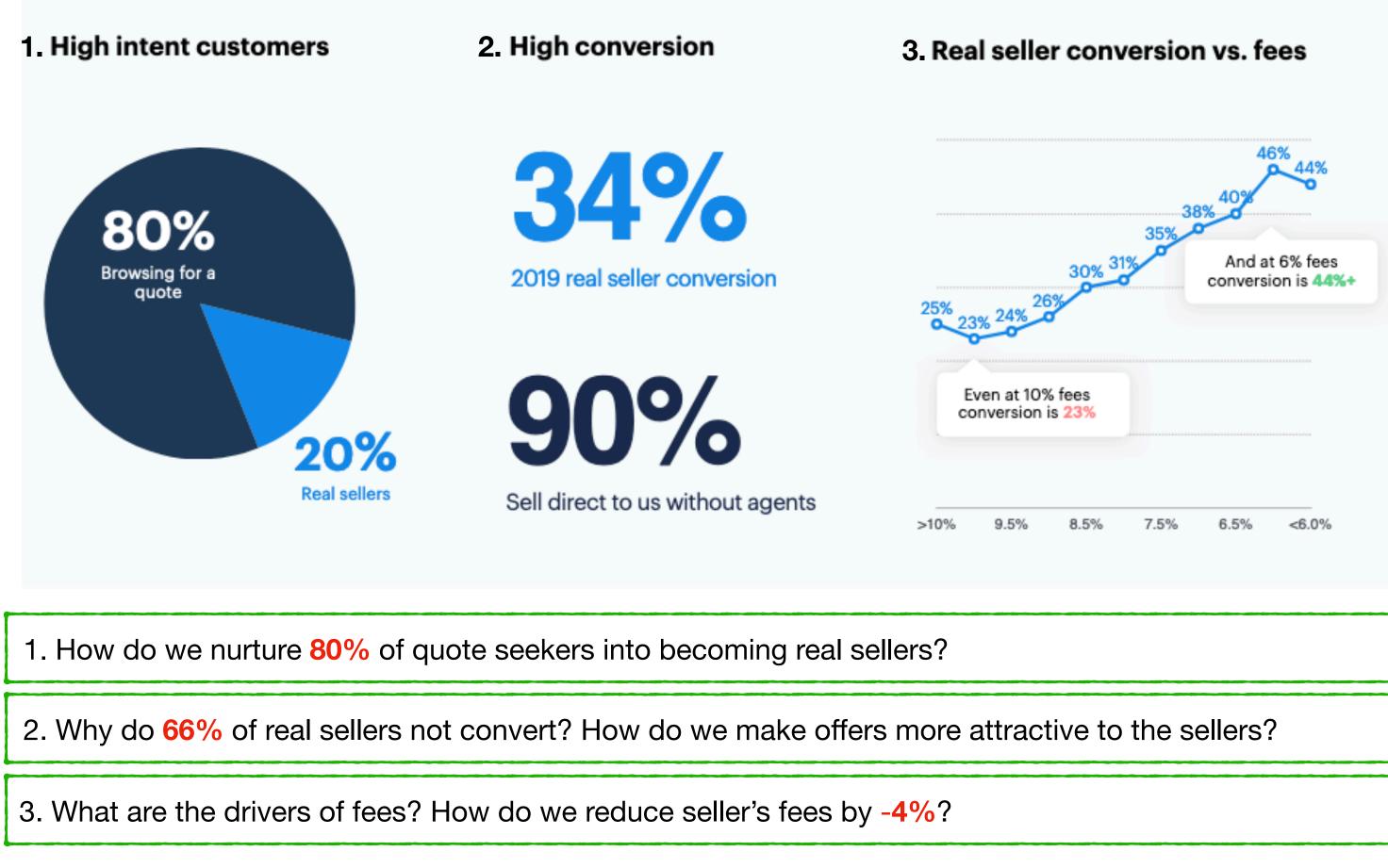


Market Penetration

- 1. Sell more homes to more buyers and sellers in existing markets
 - 1. Acquire more buyers and sellers
 - 2. Improve conversions:
 - 1. Buyer activation rate: % high intent buyers who submit a bid (# high intent buyers who submitted a bid / # total high intent buyers)
 - 2. Offer conversion rate: % of bids accepted (# accepted bids / # bids)
 - 3. Contract closing rate: % of bids accepted that closed (# contracts closed / # accepted bids)
- 2. Sell homes in new markets



Seller & Buyer Sales



Seller & Buyer Journey

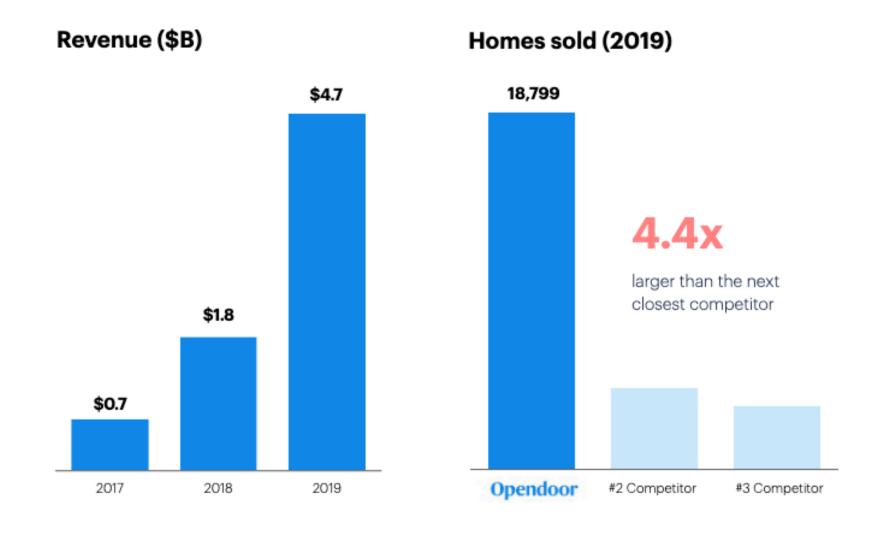
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Receive an offer for \$240,000	Host several open houses	List for s for \$250
Receive an offer, negotiate, and accept	12 showings, 15 home visits	List on the months
•	•	•
Buyer inspection	Negotiate repairs	Search f
An inspector finds issues with the homes	Seller has to negotiate the price or fix the issues	Visit 12 oc
•	•	•
Settle for available home	Miss out on dream home	Wait for
Make offer with no contingencies	Make an offer with multiple contingencies	20% of dea

90% of sellers on Opendoor sell without an agent, which saves them ~6%-10% in agent fees.

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Costing as much as 12%+ of the transaction Cost Item \$13,750 Broker commission \$3,750 Seller concessions **Closing costs** \$3,750 Home renovation/repairs \$2,500 Double mortgage \$2,500 \$1,259 Moving costs \$1,185 Staging \$936 Home warranty Total \$29,630

Seller & Buyer Fees



- Average cost of a home sold by Opendoor in 2019: \$250,000
- Agent fees when buyer is represented by an agent: \$15,000
- Buyers represented by an agent cuts into the final selling price and Opendoor margins.

If the **buyer buys directly** from Opendoor, it would eliminate Opendoor having to pay the buyer's agent fee.

\$250,000 property that Opendoor	Buys Direct	Buys with an Agent	Sells Direct	Sells with a Buyers Agent
Agent	0%	0%	0%	~6%
Commission	\$0	\$0	\$0	~\$15k

Seller & Buyer Behavior

How do we incentivize buyers to buy directly, and make a winning offer?

Buyer Experience: Competitive Offer

Delightful experiences that empower buyers through:

- 1. Offer Dynamics
- 2. Adjacent Value Add Services

Addressing buyer needs and communicating the unique value of buying with Opendoor will lead to a behavioral shift in buying patterns.



Hypotheses

Hypothesis 1: Buyers want to know how to evaluate their overall offer package based on MLS real-time data and other factors to gauge the likelihood of offer acceptance.

Hypothesis 2 : Buyers will improve their offers by following Opendoor's recommendations.

Feature : Offer Simulator: Opendoor shows an offer's chances of acceptance on a scale of 'Low-Average-High' based on the bid, listing price, market conditions, and other factors.

When buyers enter details in the OfferSimulator, like offer amount, preferences for agent selection, how the purchase will be financed, contingencies, closing-time, and inclusion of a personal letter, they are provided with the following assessments:

(a) Chance of acceptance on a scale of Low-Average-High.

- (b) List of recommendations to improve the offer's chances of acceptance.
- (c) Education of why its important, and awareness of adjacent value-add services

Hypothesis 3 : Buyers want to make a competitive offer within their budget. Showing a suggested bid amount in the offer flow or within Offer Simulator will guide buyers to submit a competitive offer.

Feature : Suggested Bid: Opendoor shows the buyer the suggested \$ bid in OfferSimulator with details about why, based on real-time market data, market conditions (demand, inventory, comparable sales), and buyer preferences.

Mock



\$690,000 2 days ago

133 Ruskin Dr Chapel Hill, NC 27516

4bd · 3ba · 3,573 sqft · 5,662 sqft lot

ᄇ Schedule tour

Wander into Winmore to one of Chapel Hill's 10 best neighborhoods. Dixon-Kirby design w/board & batten exterior backs to greenway w/trails that lead to area schools. Open transitional design w/perfect mix of farmhouse & modern elements is ideal for entertaining. Chef's kitchen, living & dining rooms positioned perfectly around a LG staircase. Guest suite and private office located on 1sr floor. Spacious master, 2 addl la alua aura O la aurua au Ou al lavral. Duiveta lavr

Buy with Opendoor \$682,100 🚸 List price: \$690,000



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Prioritization

Feature	LOE	Impact	Delight	Constraint Feasibility	Priority
Offer Simulator	Medium	High	High	Medium	High
Suggested Bid	High	Medium	Medium	Low	Medium

Success Metrics

North Star Metric

Bid Conversion Rate: % of offers accepted (# accepted bids / # bids).

Secondary Metric

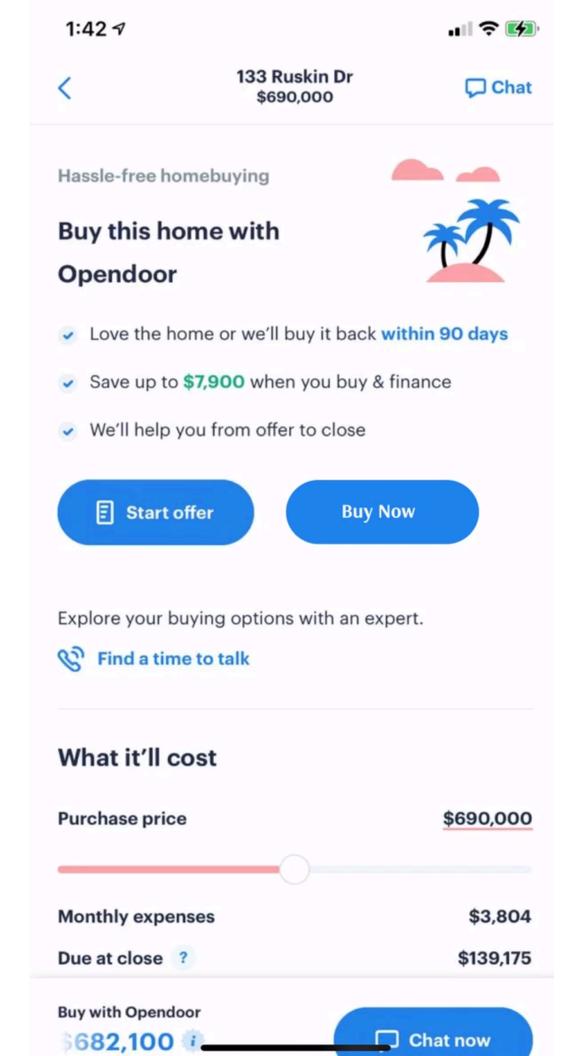
Contract Conversion Rate: % of offers accepted that closed (# contracts closed / # accepted bids).

Feature	Quantitative	Qualitative	
Offer Simulator	Increase offer acceptance by 200% points	High NPS score of buyers who used	
Suggested Bid	Increase offer acceptance by 20% points.	Offer Simulator and/or Suggested E to make a competitive offer.	



Mock-For-Thought

- Every person aspires to be a homeowner.
- Buyer's may not care about the mechanics.
- Opendoor has advanced prediction & risk models.
- Make buyers an offer they can't refuse.



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Questions?