

Why you need to keep prospecting through the seasonal slowdown.

B2B seasonality survey

What do businesses do when seasonality slows sales?



Lead rate

Prospecting lead rates are still strong in December



Lead quality

December lead-to-sale conversion rates are **38% higher** in December than the six month average (and the second highest close rate in that period).



Businesses that prospected throughout December had a **19% higher lead volume in January** than their six-month average.

Businesses that paused during December won **36% fewer leads** in January than those that continued.

January sales

25%

of our clients signed in January came from December prospecting activity - and December leads continue to turn into deals for up to a year.



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From pumpkin spice to mulled wine

SEPTEMBER

- 'Back to school' mentality kicks in. Businesses who continued their marketing through July and August are seeing a post-summer bump of new leads.
- Our data shows that businesses who stopped prospecting during this seasonal slump saw a 59% decrease in September lead volume. If that's you, time to get back up to speed.

OCTOBER

DECEMBER

- Halloween may be here, but you shouldn't be scared of carrying on your campaigns. October leads close at a **higher rate than any other month**.



Spooky season might bring longer nights, but feeding your prospecting fire will keep your sales toasty and warm.

NOVEMBER



- Don't throw all your hard work onto the bonfire by winding down for winter.
- Many of our clients have a bumper November
 as a rush of deals are signed before the festive season really kicks in.
- Keep prospecting campaigns running and there'll be fireworks in your inbox

• Winter is here. While your competitors eat mince pies and party, you can get ahead by continuing your prospecting.

Lead rates are stable, lead quality is high, and December prospecting **sets you up for a bumper January**.

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