THE POWER OF Individual Donors

There are broadly 4 categories of donors



How much do individuals give?



Giving by individuals is already more than corporates in India because:

- While all corporates will claim exemption, all individuals do not
- Individual donation tax benefit is capped at 10% of income. Many donors especially HNIs give much more than that
- Many HNIs give via shares, wills, bequeasts not captured in this data

Share of individual giving has been increasing; in FY19-20 spends towards COVID-19 increased CSR share



Share of Giving



Individual Giving has grown faster than Corporate Giving in 3 of the last 5 years

Corporate Giving (Rs. cr) 🔷 Growth (%) against Previous Year



Individual donors are all around us

Metrics	Government	Institutional / Foundation	Corporate / CSR	Individual – HNI	Individual - Retail
Why do they Give?	Solve a Problem	Solve a Problem	Law / Social Responsibility / Brand	Giving Back / Personal Reasons / Duty to Give / Guilt Conscience	
How do they decide?	Matches Scheme/Policy	CEO / Focus		Focus Areas / Trust / Connect	Trust / Connect
How do YOU reach?	Cold Call	Cold Call	Referrals	Referrals	Our Own Friends & Family

Their decision making process is much faster

Metrics	Government	Institutional / Foundation	Corporate / CSR	Individual – HNI	Individual - Retail
Who makes the decision?	Govt Officer(s)	Committee	Committee	Family / Individual	
Own Money?	No	Νο	Νο	Yes	
How fast are they?	Low	Medium	Medium-Low	High	

And provide a true source of diversification

Metrics	Government	Institutional / Foundation	Corporate / CSR	Individual – HNI	Individual - Retail
What is the process?	Rational	Rational	Rational	Rational / Emotional	Emotional / Impulse
What is the time-period?	1 year	5-7 years	3-5 years	Lifetime / Multi-Generational	
What is the amount?	High	High	Medium	Medium	Low
Thus	Similar	Similar	Similar	Different	

Why is it important to ask for donations from individuals?





But do they want to give?

GROWING WILLINGNESS TO SPEND MORE ON PRODUCTS

FROM SOCIALLY-RESPONSIBLE COMPANIES

"Indians are least cynical and most enthusiastic about driving a positive change" – Havas Prosumer Report

The study revealed Indians to be least cynical

84% of 836 million adults in India give at least once in a year – India Giving Report 2020 by CAF

the or countries surveyed

The Individual donations has seen strong growth—21% per year in the past five years— India Philanthropy report 2020

81% indians feel that they have a responsibility to make the world a better place vs. 60% in the UK and 70% in the US

Most Indian nonprofits look to everyday giving only when other funding streams are inaccessible – Philanthrophy In Focus report

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Source: Philanthropyinfocus: https://philanthropyinfocus.org/2019/05/13/the-largest-study-on-indias-everyday-giving-market/

India Philanthropy Report 2020:https://www.bain.com/insights/india-philanthropy-report-2020/

India Giving report 2019: https://cafindia.org/media-center/publications/india-giving-report-2020

5 steps towards a successful individual fundraising plan





"What's the cause? Can't you just give? Must there always be a cause?"



THANK

danamojo experience the magic of giving

IDENTIFY

ASK





RETAIN

NURTURE

Compliance Requirements for Individual Donors

Myth 1: There are different compliance requirements for Indian & Foreign Donors Myth 2: I only need to collect this information if the donor wants a tax benefit

- Name
- Address
- Nationality (even if you don't have FCRA!)
- One of the following numbers:
 - PAN or Aadhar (Mandatory if available) Needed for tax benefit else
 - Tax Identification Document
 - Passport
 - Driving License
 - Voter Id
 - Ration Card

Not collecting this information means the donation is classified as anonymous and you will be liable to pay the maximum tax rate on the same which is 30%.

You are allowed to accept "Anonymous Donations" upto a limit of 5% of TOTAL DONATIONS (not just individual) received in the year or Rs. 1 lac which is higher

Internet Freedom Foundation

	Internet Freedom Starter	Internet Freedom Saathi	Internet Freedom Supporter	Internet Freedom Champion	Internet Freedom Fighter	Internet Freedom Visionary
Monthly email updates	~	~	~	~	~	~
Membership letter and card		V	~	~	~	~
IFF Supporter Stickers			~			~
IFF Champion Stickers and Mug				4		~
IFF Fighter Stickers, Mug and Notebook					~	J
Quarterly donors call with IFF leadership					~	1
IFF Visionary PowerPlay Card Game						1
Choose a membership (monthly)	₹100〇	₹250〇	₹600	₹1000 〇	₹1500〇	₹2000 ◯