

# How to create a customer story video

quickly and easily

# What value for you as a partner?



- 1. Showcase your knowledge of LS Retail solutions
- 2. Highlight your team's expertise and achievements
- 3. Build trust and credibility
- 4. Increase sales

# What value for your customers?

- 1. Get people to engage with their brand
- 2. Share thought leadership with their peers
- 3. Position themselves as an authority in their industry
- 4. Develop their professional brand

Your customer's time is valuable. Let them know that the process will only take around 2 hours including interview, preparation, and filming!

- We send you the interview **questions**
- We take the **interview** (30 min call)
- We create a **video script**
- Customer reviews the video script (15 min)
- Partner and customer do the **recording** (1 to 1,5 hour, resulting in a 1,5-minute video)
- We send all parties for approval before publishing

## Where to start

- Identify the right customer (a happy one <sup>(C)</sup>)
- Find the person within the customer's organization who's familiar with the implementation project and at ease in front of a camera
- Put together a video script (we can help!)
- Select a videographer and set a date for the recording
- Editing (this is part of the videographer's work)
- We publish, after approval from all parties

LS Retail can help with:

- Interviewing the customer
- Creating a video script
- Editing the video
- Sharing the video



## Focus on excellent video and sound quality



Choose the right **video production company**:

 Look at their portfolio, see if it works with your brand's identity and get a quote

Choose the right **location**:

 Pick a quiet location, with good lighting. Don't forget to show the customer's business environment (inside the store/back office, outside, staff working, customers)

Keep the video around 1-1:30 minute to give viewers just enough information to inspire them and make them want to find out more.

## Focus on the customer's journey



- Pain points they wanted to solve
- Reasons why they selected LS Retail software solution
- Benefits of the new solution

# Including metrics to back up the success of the project is particularly effective!

Examples:

- We now spend **40%** less on **Accounting**.
- Our *inventory* levels have dropped by over **30%**.
- With the old system, it took at least 2 hours to generate sales reports, now it takes less than **5 minutes**.
- Our store managers used to spend 30 minutes on orders daily. Multiply that per 30 stores that's 15 hours, every day. Today, it takes two minutes.
- With LS Retail solution we have reduced costs and optimized our staffing by about 50%.

#### **Feature LS Retail branding**



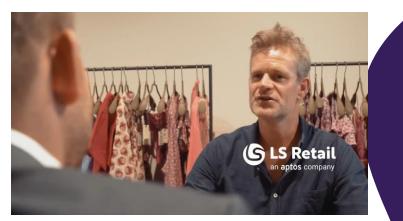
The video should feature the **LS Retail logo** at the beginning and the end (you can, of course, also include your logo, as well as the customer's) - we can add it.

LS Retail solutions **must** be mentioned using the correct name. Please refer to our <u>Branding guidelines</u>, or send us the script so we can give you feedback.

# Please don't use diminutives ("LS"), old product names (LS Nav, LS Insight, LS Activity...). When in doubt... ask us ©







## Include catchy visuals



- Shots of the store
- Shots of the software, ideally shown with workers using it

## Don't just record the speaker talking straight to the camera for 2 minutes – showing the environment makes the story much stronger and more interesting ©













#### **Use on-screen graphics**



Use animated title slides and on-screen graphics to underline key information.

If you need help from our Graphics team, please send us your video *without* subtitles, graphics, or background music.



## **Partner examples**







## LS Retail contribution for video testimonials

Partners selecting the General and Advanced Partner Success Tracks are entitled to get **financial contribution to create a video customer story**.

(Partner Success Tracks guidelines)

LS Retail financial support for customer story videos should serve to cover a portion of the **filming costs** involved.

Once you have found a customer who is willing to be interviewed, please send us the details of the filming costs as provided by your local agency at info@lsretail.com. LS Retail reserves the **right to reject** *a submission* where:

- The video script wasn't sent for approval before publishing.
- The video wasn't sent for approval before publishing.
- The video is of **poor quality** blurry, shaky or pixelated, or with poor audio.
- The video **does not include a physical customer speaking** (for example videos that use recorded voiceover/AI and stock footage)
- The video only mentions LS Retail/LS Retail products briefly or not at all.
- LS Retail products are not branded correctly / consistently through the video.