

They are not just a pet, they are family !

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- Dogs have been a man's best friend and the first cat domestication dates back to 7,500 B.C. and the first cat domestication dates back to 7,500 B.C.
- Pet's status has evolved from being just a pet to being treated as a family member.
- Mei Mei & Co. offers pet products that reflect customer's personal on fashion & home décor, also help their precious pets live a happier & healthy life.
- At Mei Mei & Co. we believe ~ They are not just a pet, they are family.



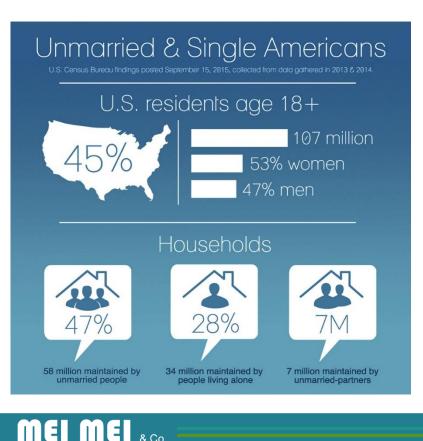


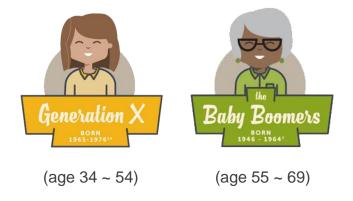


Consumer Lifestyle Changes & Buying Behavior

U.S. Pet Industry & Environment

- Srowing pet ownership & humanization of pets to become a family member.
- Baby boomers (age 55 ~ 69) & Gen X generation (age 34 ~ 54) are the biggest spenders on pets.
- Nearly 49% of older Americans; 30% of Baby Boomers are living alone.
 Owning a pet could provide companionship and ward off loneliness.
- 🦁 Gay & Lesbian Community with higher disposable income.





PETS AS A FAMILY MEMBER 54% 60.2% aive their pets gifts on their of U.S. households own at least one dog 16% 9 in 10 dog owners consider have bought their pet a family member a car or home with a dog n mind 27% have taken a family picture with their dog dogs have lived with humans



Humanization

These pet "parents" are often willing to spend extra on their precious pets, treating them as if they are their own "Children".

Premiumization

Creations of higher quality, specialty products cater to the pampered "Fur Kids" and their "Pet Parents".

Health Benefits & Aging Pets

Products served w/ health benefits. address daily sanitary concerns, provide physical comfort & easing

Technology Integration

Pet products w/ built-in technology that can connect to computer, phone, app-enabled, health monitoring, feeding time...etc.

Eco-Friendly & Green

Products made with sustainable, organic, all natural, "Green", biodegradable materials.





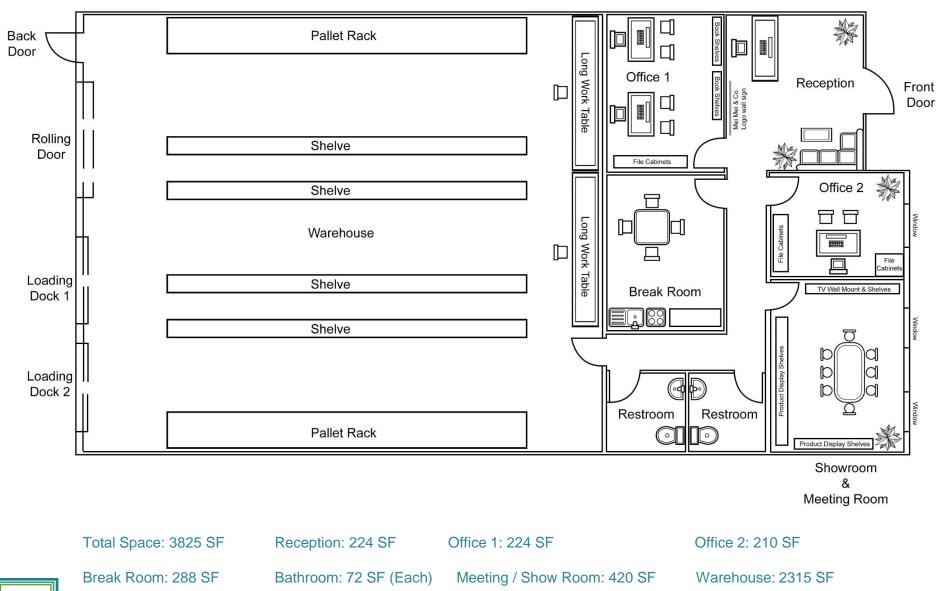
- Solution Abundance of economical commercial real estate
- Sreat utility rates for commercial operations

- Sow-cost startup, regulatory, licensing fees
- Sclose to major seaports in Southern California
- 😵 Excellent tax advantages: No personal & corporate income tax, No unitary tax & No franchise tax









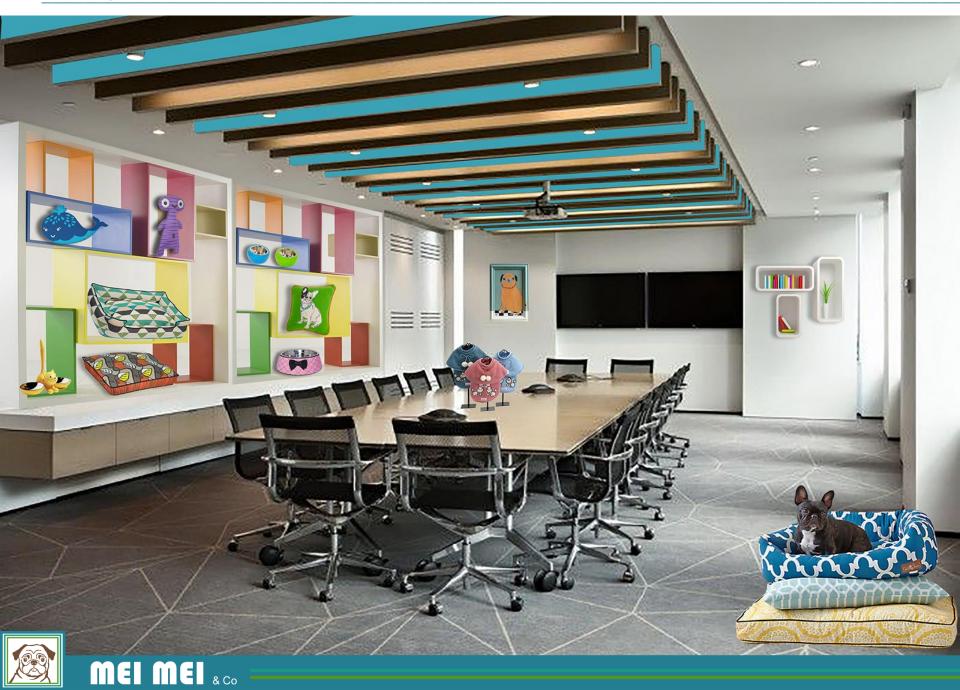


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Meeting Room / Show Room

Office Concept







Primary Customers

- Female & LGBT community
- Single or coupled without kids
- Gen X (Age 30 ~ 45) & Baby Boomer (Age 46 ~ 64)
- All races and ethnicities
- Income \$75,000 and up
- Fashion & health conscious
- · Lives in metropolitan cities or suburb nearby
- · Style over economy is how she/he shops
- · Owns small size dog or cat
- · Currently the major spender on purchasing pet products



















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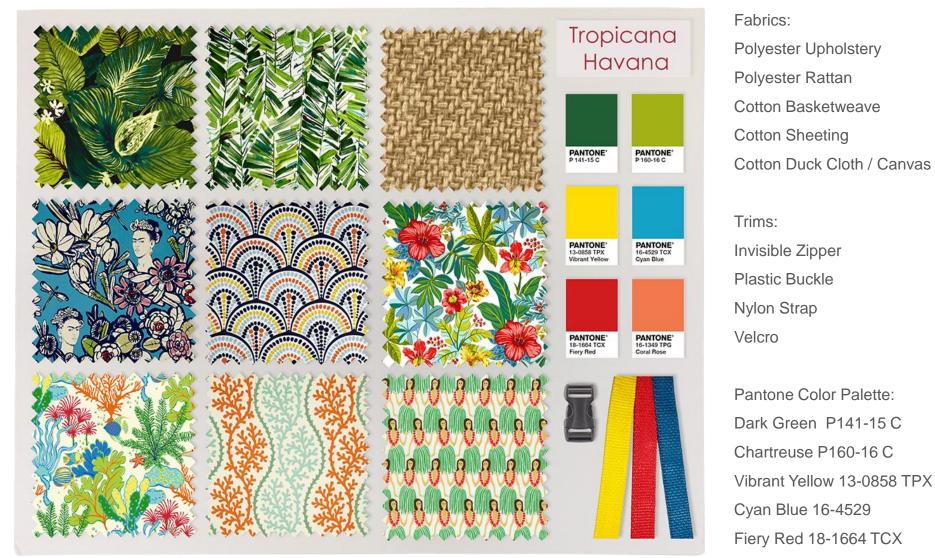
Brand Image & Mood





Imagine the warm sunshine caressing your skin, the smell of fragrant tropical flowers and salty sea breeze... I want to transport the pets and pet parents to this tropical paradise with this collection. Vibrant colors, floral and tropical prints, ruffles, and embroideries details will transform any home into a tropical paradise.





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Modern Posh Memory Foam Bed



Sweet Dreams Sofa Bed







Comfy Nap Pillow Bed







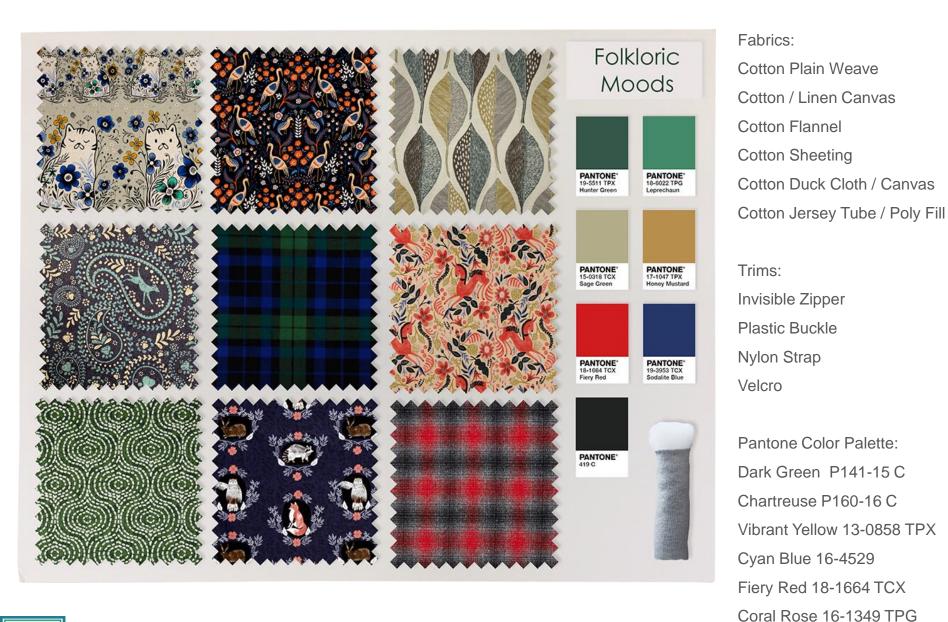
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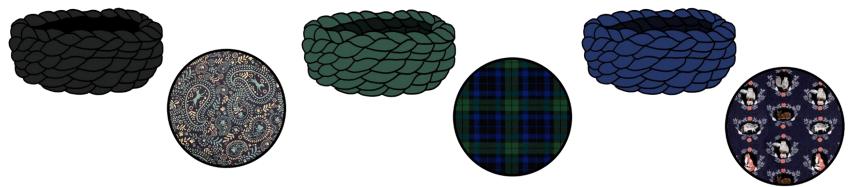


Taking a trip to your Irish cottage on the Inis Mór island with your dog or cat. Looking out of the window with a cup of hot coffee and snuggle up in your comfy Aran sweater, reading some Irish and Scottish folktales next to a fireplace is the mood for this collection. Scottish plaids, folk art inspired prints, with a touch a corky chic is the aesthetic for this collection.





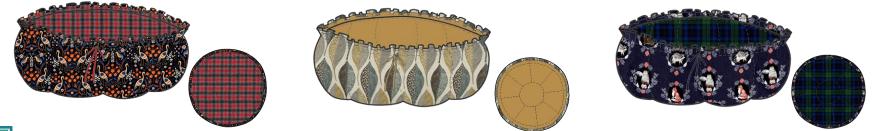




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Ruffle Bubble Round Bed









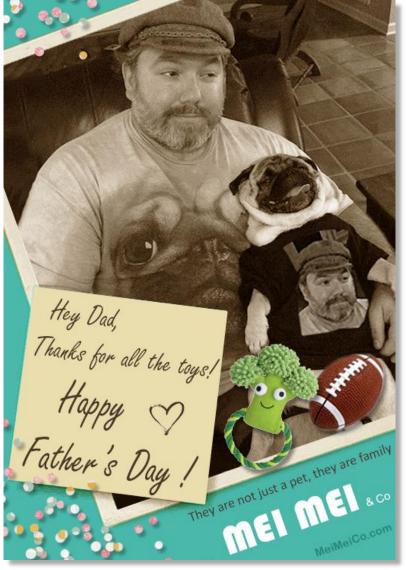
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Media Mix: Paid / Organic Social media ad, Display Ads, Email Marketing, SEM & SEO

Ad Campaigns











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- Paid Social Media : Facebook and Instagram
- Social media : Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and Youtube
- **Viral Content** : Youtube, Facebook, Instagram, Traditional print media (Free editorials)
- Display Ads & Email Marketing

- Open a brick & mortar store on Robertson Boulevard in West Holly Los Angeles area.
- Hire part-time retail sales
 employees for our store.
- Start carrying carefully curated items from other brands to create interesting assortment for our retail store.
- Host pet adoption & charitable events at our retail store.





- Atten the pet industry trade show in North America "**SuperZoo**" at the Mandalay Bay Hotel in Las Vegas, NV
- Expand our business and start partnering with wholesale distribution & specialty pet boutiques.
- Meet overseas vendors for possible collaboration or carrying our products in their countries.





Trade Show: SuperZoo

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