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# Do Vegan Labels Shape Consumer Perceptions? Evidence from an Experimental Study

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## **Abstract**

This master thesis explores the impact of vegan labeling on consumer perceptions. With vegan products moving from niche to mainstream, vegan labels have become an essential means of communicating product attributes and guiding consumer choice. Drawing on heuristic–systematic processing, attribution theory, and the Persuasion Knowledge Model, this study investigates whether vegan labels influence perceptions of calories, price, naturalness, and trust, whether such effects depend on the perceived intention behind a product’s vegan status, and how these judgments translate into behavioral intentions.

A 2×2 between-subjects online experiment ( $N = 140$ ) tested label presence (with vs. without vegan label) and product intentionality (intentional vs. unintentional) across three food categories. No significant main effects emerged in the full sample, and intentionality did not moderate outcomes. However, analyses of participants who correctly recognized the label condition ( $N = 126$ ) revealed effects: vegan-labeled products were perceived as less caloric, while initial shifts in trust and environmental friendliness weakened once individual differences were considered. Across outcomes, dietary orientation and vegan familiarity emerged as strong predictors. Exploratory analyses further showed that behavioral intentions were driven mainly by taste expectations, with naturalness and, under label recognition, health perceptions playing smaller roles.

These findings suggest that vegan labels act as weak heuristic cues, shaping judgments only under conscious recognition, with individual characteristics exerting influence. Theoretically, this refines understanding of labeling boundaries and underscores the role of consumer characteristics. For managers, it implies that vegan labels should be integrated into broader communication strategies rather than relied upon alone.

**Keywords:** Vegan, Veganism, Label, Vegan Label, Heuristics, Halo Effects, Horn Effects, Attribution Theory, Persuasion Knowledge Model

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## **Resumo**

Esta dissertação analisa o impacto da rotulagem vegana e da intencionalidade percebida nas percepções dos consumidores. Com a expansão dos produtos veganos no mercado, os rótulos tornaram-se importantes para comunicar atributos e orientar escolhas. Com base no processamento heurístico-sistemático, na teoria da atribuição e no Modelo do Conhecimento de Persuasão, o estudo investiga se rótulos veganos influenciam percepções de calorias, preço, naturalidade e confiança, e se tais efeitos dependem da intencionalidade percebida. Também examina como esses julgamentos afetam intenções comportamentais.

Foi realizado um experimento online 2×2 (N = 140), testando a presença do rótulo vegano e a intencionalidade do produto em três categorias alimentares. Na amostra completa, não surgiram efeitos significativos e a intencionalidade não moderou resultados. No entanto, entre participantes que reconheceram corretamente a condição do rótulo (N = 126), produtos rotulados como veganos foram percebidos como menos calóricos, enquanto efeitos iniciais em confiança e sustentabilidade enfraqueceram após considerar diferenças individuais. De modo geral, a orientação alimentar e a familiaridade com o veganismo mostraram-se preditores mais fortes. Análises exploratórias também indicaram que intenções comportamentais foram guiadas sobretudo pelas expectativas de sabor, com naturalidade e, sob reconhecimento do rótulo, percepções de saúde exercendo papéis menores.

Resultados sugerem que os rótulos veganos atuam como pistas heurísticas fracas, moldando julgamentos apenas sob reconhecimento consciente. Teoricamente, esclarecem os limites dos efeitos de rotulagem e ressaltam o papel das características do consumidor. Para a prática, implicam que rótulos veganos devem ser integrados a estratégias de comunicação mais amplas, em vez de usados isoladamente.

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## **List of Abbreviations**

i.e.	id est (that is)
RQ1	Research Question 1
RQ2	Research Question 2
H1	Hypothesis 1
H2	Hypothesis 2
H3	Hypothesis 3
H4	Hypothesis 4
H5	Hypothesis 5
ANOVA	Analysis of Variance
ANCOVA	Analysis of Covariance
FMCG	Fast-Moving Consumer Goods

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## 1. Introduction

In today's complex food environments, consumer decision-making often unfolds unconsciously and is shaped by numerous contextual and visual cues. Instead of engaging in deliberate evaluation, consumers frequently rely on mental shortcuts to infer missing product attributes relevant to their purchase or consumption decisions (Dijksterhuis & Nordgren, 2006; Broniarczyk & Alba, 1994). Labels rank among the most influential of these cues, as they not only communicate product information but also activate cognitive shortcuts that shape assumptions about less visible product attributes (Chandon & Wansink, 2007).

One labeling trend that has gained considerable momentum in recent years is vegan labeling, reflecting the increasing popularity of plant-based diets and lifestyles. This growth is also evident in market trends: the global plant-based food sector was valued at over \$33 billion in 2023 and is expected to more than triple by 2032 (Fortune Business Insights, 2025). As vegan products shift from niche to mainstream, opportunities arise not only for explicitly vegan brands but also for producers of "unintentionally vegan" items, i.e., products that are vegan by default, such as hummus or fruit juice, which can benefit from appropriate labelling and capitalize on the rising demand.

Despite the growing prevalence of vegan labels, research on their effects remains limited. Prior studies have focused mainly on the health impacts of plant-based diets (e.g., Wang et al., 2023; Craig, 2009) or consumer attitudes toward vegan alternatives (e.g., Hoek et al., 2011; Onwezen et al., 2021; Gonzales et al., 2023), while the perceptual effects of vegan labeling have received less systematic attention. In particular, little is known about whether and to what extent vegan labels shape perceptions of attributes such as caloric content, price, naturalness, trust, and subsequent behavioral intentions. Understanding these effects is crucial, as labels can both mislead consumers and provide firms with strategic opportunities to position their products.

To address this research gap, the present thesis investigates whether the presence of a vegan label influences consumer perceptions of food products across these dimensions, with particular attention to whether the product is perceived as intentionally or unintentionally vegan. Against this background, this thesis addresses the following research questions:

*RQ1: Does the presence of a vegan label influence consumer perceptions of caloric content, price, naturalness, and trust?*

*RQ2: Does the perceived intentionality of a product's vegan status moderate these effects?*

The remainder of this thesis is structured as follows: Chapter 2 outlines the theoretical background and derives the conceptual model. Chapter 3 presents the study design, including the stimuli development, pre-testing, and the methodology of the main study. Chapter 4 reports the study's results. Chapter 5 discusses these findings in relation to the existing literature, addresses limitations, and provides directions for future research. Finally, Chapter 6 concludes the thesis.

## **2. Literature Review**

When evaluating food products, consumers rarely engage in exhaustive or fully analytical information processing. Instead, they often rely on mental shortcuts that enable quick and efficient decisions in complex environments (Chaiken, 1980). These inferences are frequently triggered by familiar front-of-pack elements such as eco-labels, health badges, or nutritional claims, which prompt consumers to draw conclusions beyond what is explicitly stated (Chandon & Wansink, 2007; Dijksterhuis et al., 2005).

The Heuristic–Systematic Processing Model (Chaiken, 1980; Maheswaran et al., 1992) explains this mechanism by distinguishing between two modes of judgment: systematic processing, which is effortful and deliberate, and heuristic processing, which relies on cognitive shortcuts. In food marketing, heuristic processing often manifests in category-based inferences, where a product cue such as an “organic” or “natural” label triggers broader assumptions about unrelated attributes (Wansink & Chandon, 2006; Berry et al., 2017).

A well-documented outcome is the halo effect, a cognitive bias in which a single favorable attribute leads consumers to infer unrelated positive characteristics. In food labeling, terms like “organic”, “natural”, or “low fat” often generate assumptions about nutritional quality or caloric content, regardless of the actual composition (Wansink & Chandon, 2006; Berry et al., 2017). For instance, organic cookies have been rated as more nutritious than identical non-organic cookies (Lee et al., 2013), while “low-fat” claims have been found to foster beliefs of reduced caloric content (Wansink & Chandon, 2006). Similarly, “natural” labels may lead consumers to believe that a product is organic or GMO-free, even in the absence of explicit claims (Berry et al., 2017). The influence of such cues can extend even further: merely displaying a health-related claim has been shown to lower perceived risks of chronic illnesses such as heart disease or stroke (Kozup et al., 2003).

These perceptual spillover effects are not restricted to nutritional judgments. Labels can also shape expectations regarding taste, environmental impact, or purchase intentions (e.g., Lee et al., 2013; Gorton et al., 2021). Comparable effects have also been documented outside the

food domain. In hotel evaluations, for example, favorable ratings for location have been found to improve perceptions of unrelated dimensions such as service quality or cleanliness (Nadricka et al., 2020; Nicolau et al., 2020).

However, heuristic-driven inferences are not always positive. Negative spillovers, also known as horn effects, occur when a label triggers unfavorable associations. While some consumers interpret cues such as “fat-free” or “organic” as signs of health, others view them as signals of inferior taste or lower indulgence (Tuorila et al., 1994; Schuldt & Hannahan, 2013). Labeling effects are therefore highly dependent on context: they can lead to positive halos, negative horns, or sometimes have no discernible influence at all.

Taken together, these insights underscore the powerful yet variable impact of labels. Much like ‘organic’ or ‘natural’ claims, vegan labels may likewise activate such heuristic processes, shaping consumer perceptions of caloric content, price, naturalness, and trust in ways that go beyond the information explicitly provided.

## **2.1 Veganism and Vegan Labeling**

In this thesis, the terms ‘vegan’ and ‘plant-based’ are used synonymously, as both describe products that exclude all animal-derived ingredients (Ruby et al., 2024; Branković et al., 2025). Veganism is commonly defined as a diet and lifestyle that excludes meat, fish, dairy, eggs, honey, and specific processing agents such as gelatin (The Vegan Society, 2025). Once considered niche, it has gained mainstream relevance as consumers increasingly adopt plant-based lifestyles for ethical, environmental, and health-related reasons (Ghaffari et al., 2021). To meet consumers’ demand for transparency and convenience, vegan labels such as the V-Label, now featured on more than 70,000 products worldwide, allow consumers to identify suitable options at a glance and support faster, more confident purchase decisions (V-Label GmbH, n.d.).

Previous research on veganism has primarily examined its health implications, showing that such diets are generally associated with lower risks of chronic diseases, although nutrient deficiencies may occur if not carefully planned (Wang et al., 2023; Craig, 2009; Bakaloudi et al., 2021). Beyond health, studies have also highlighted the ambivalent social perception of veganism. Markowski and Roxburgh (2018), for example, found that non-vegans often anticipate stigma when considering a vegan lifestyle, indicating that veganism is not always perceived positively and may involve social costs. Research on vegan meat alternatives reveals mixed reactions. Acceptance is often constrained by sensory concerns and expectations of meat-like qualities (Hoek et al., 2011), yet taste and health remain central drivers of adoption

(Onwezen et al., 2021). Moreover, when product information is limited, consumers may overestimate the nutritional quality of plant-based substitutes, resulting in overly favorable evaluations (Gonzales et al., 2023).

Work on vegan-related labeling has so far focused mainly on terminology. For instance, Ruby et al. (2024) and Branković et al. (2025) found only minor differences between the labels “vegan,” “vegetarian,” and “plant-based,” with “plant-based” performing slightly better in some categories. Beyond such comparisons, relatively few studies have examined whether the mere presence of a vegan label alters consumer perceptions. An exception is Stremmel et al. (2022), who showed that vegan labels can bias certain consumer perceptions. The study found that when consumers do not expect a product to be vegan by default, the addition of a vegan label can lead to biased perceptions. Products were perceived as healthier, more sustainable, and, in some cases, less tasty, suggesting that labeling can shape consumer expectations and potentially influence consumption intentions, even when the product itself remains unchanged.

In sum, prior research shows that veganism and vegan products are associated with both positive and negative perceptions, and that vegan labels can act as influential heuristic cues. However, it remains unclear how such labels affect further central judgments, including perceived caloric content, price, naturalness, and trust. The following sections address this gap.

## **2.2 Perceived Caloric Content**

Research shows that consumers frequently underestimate the caloric content of products when they carry certain labels, even in the absence of objective nutritional differences. For example, products labeled as organic are often perceived as healthier and more permissible to consume, leading to systematic underestimation of their caloric content (Prada et al., 2017). Schuldt and Schwarz (2010) found that organic cookies were perceived to contain fewer calories and considered more appropriate for regular consumption than identical non-organic equivalents. Similar effects have been observed in fast-food settings: items from health-positioned restaurants, such as Subway, were estimated to contain up to 35% fewer calories than comparable items from competitors like McDonald’s (Chandon & Wansink, 2007). Studies further suggest that the heuristic “healthy = can eat more” encourages greater consumption of foods perceived as healthy, thereby reinforcing biased calorie judgements (Bui et al., 2017; Chandon & Wansink, 2007).

Beyond nutrition-specific cues, ethical and social claims can trigger similar effects. Schuldt et al. (2012) showed that fair-trade labels elicited lower calorie estimations even in the absence of actual differences. Likewise, “low fat” claims reduce guilt and increase perceived portion

appropriateness, thereby enhancing willingness to consume and pay (Wansink & Chandon, 2006). Comparable findings have been reported for gluten-free labels, which are often regarded as lighter or less caloric than conventional alternatives (Prada et al., 2019).

Building on this evidence, recent work shows that vegan labels are frequently interpreted not only as signals of healthfulness but also of sustainability (Stremmel et al., 2022). As with organic or fair-trade claims, such associations may lead consumers to infer that vegan-labeled products contain fewer calories, regardless of their actual composition.

**H1:** Vegan-labeled products will be perceived as having fewer calories than non-vegan-labeled products.

### **2.3 Perceived Price**

Price is one of the most influential factors in consumer decision-making and is consistently ranked among the top three attributes guiding product choice. In the context of sustainable consumption, for example, price has been identified as the most important criterion for purchasing organic clothing such as T-shirts (Matthews & Rothenberg, 2017). Importantly, price perceptions can also act as a barrier between intentions and actual behavior. For instance, in the case of organic vegetables, higher perceived cost significantly reduced the likelihood that stated intentions translated into actual purchases (Dorce et al., 2021).

Beyond its function as a direct cost indicator, price perceptions are shaped by broader cognitive associations. Research shows that health-positioned products are often assumed to be more expensive, regardless of their actual price, reflecting the widespread “healthy = expensive” heuristic (Haws et al., 2017).

Comparable patterns emerge in the context of vegan diets. Meat-eating consumers often perceive plant-based lifestyles as more expensive (Noguerol et al., 2021), a perception likely reinforced by the relatively high price point of intentionally vegan substitutes that mimic animal-based products, such as plant-based sausages or dairy alternatives (Statistisches Bundesamt, 2024). At the same time, survey data indicate a contrasting pattern: vegetarians, on average, spend less money on food overall compared to meat-eaters (Lusk & Norwood, 2016).

Given prior evidence that vegan labeling is often linked to more favorable health perceptions (Stremmel et al., 2022) and that health claims are strongly associated with elevated price expectations (Haws et al., 2017), vegan labels are likely to lead consumers to perceive products as more expensive. Therefore, the following hypothesis is proposed:

**H2:** Vegan-labeled products will be perceived as more expensive than non-vegan-labeled products.

## **2.4 Perceived Naturalness**

Naturalness plays a central role in consumer food choices and is commonly defined by the absence of artificial additives, pollutants, or synthetic ingredients (Rozin et al., 2012). Across various consumption domains, consumers consistently prefer products perceived as natural, particularly those that are non-GMO, free from harmful substances, or minimally processed (Renner et al., 2012; Román et al., 2017). Perceptions of naturalness are shaped by three key dimensions: the food's origin, the production process (including ingredients and techniques), and the characteristics of the final product (Román et al., 2017). Processing intensity is especially influential, as highly processed foods are generally evaluated negatively, whereas lower levels of processing are associated with greater health benefits (Etale & Siegrist, 2021; Hässig et al., 2023). Importantly, naturalness has been identified as a decisive driver of acceptance, sometimes even outweighing health or risk considerations. For example, genetically modified products are frequently rejected primarily because they are seen as less natural (Tenbült et al., 2005).

Labels can serve as powerful heuristics in shaping such judgements. Designations like “organic” or “gluten-free” frequently serve as proxies for naturalness, even when no explicit information about processing is provided. For instance, gluten-free products are commonly viewed as less processed than conventional alternatives (Prada et al., 2019), and “natural” claims are often assumed to indicate that a product is GMO-free, organic, or contains fewer synthetic additives, which can enhance purchase appeal (Berry et al., 2017).

Importantly, prior research has found that plant-based foods are more strongly associated with naturalness than animal-derived ones (Rozin et al., 2012). This association may lead consumers to evaluate vegan labeled products as natural, even when they are in fact highly processed. Taken together, these findings suggest that vegan labeling, despite not explicitly referring to naturalness, may activate associations that lead consumers to evaluate such products as more natural. Therefore, we propose the following hypothesis:

**H3:** Vegan-labeled products will be perceived as more natural than non-vegan-labeled products.

## 2.5 Perceived Trust

Trust is commonly understood to consist of two interrelated components: credibility, which refers to the perceived reliability of claims, and benevolence, which represents the extent to which a company is believed to act in the consumer's best interest (Gorton et al., 2021).

Labels play a crucial role in shaping consumer trust, as they often serve as indicators of product quality and credibility (Ayyub et al., 2018, 2021; Lassoued & Hobbs, 2015; Loureiro & McCluskey, 2000). When a label is perceived as reliable, it reduces consumers' perceived risk and increases their willingness to select or purchase the product (Handi et al., 2018; Harridge-March, 2006). Trust, therefore, not only provides confidence but also operates as a key driver of purchase intentions (Bulut & Karabulut, 2018; Fang et al., 2014; Limbu et al., 2012; Seo et al., 2020).

Prior research shows that labels can indeed enhance consumer trust by signaling credibility and reducing uncertainty. Eco- and organic labels, for example, have been found to increase perceived reliability and confidence in product claims (Lassoued & Hobbs, 2015; Loureiro & McCluskey, 2000; Ayyub et al., 2018). Similarly, health-related claims can foster trust when consumers regard them as accurate and value-driven (Ayyub et al., 2021).

Applied to labeling, this implies that a vegan label may strengthen credibility if consumers believe it accurately represents product characteristics. At the same time, it may convey benevolence if interpreted as reflecting ethical or health-oriented values. By extension, vegan labels can be expected to increase consumer trust, as they communicate product attributes that are otherwise difficult to verify and may be associated with ethical or health-oriented values. Therefore, we propose the following hypothesis:

**H4:** Vegan-labeled products will be perceived as more trustworthy than non-vegan-labeled products.

## 2.6 Perceived Intentionality as a Moderator

While previous research has mainly emphasized the heuristic impact of labels, a more nuanced understanding of why consumers interpret them in specific ways can be gained through attribution theory (Kelley & Michela, 1980) and the Persuasion Knowledge Model (Friestad & Wright, 1994).

Attribution theory suggests that individuals do not merely react to surface cues but often seek causal explanations, especially when information is ambiguous (Park & Nunes, 2024). Such explanations can be internal, relating to motives or values, or external, reflecting

situational or strategic factors (Kelley & Michela, 1980). A classic application comes from advertising research: when confronted with a commercial, consumers may ask whether it reflects genuine product quality (internal attribution) or is primarily intended to persuade (external attribution). Messages interpreted as persuasive tend to lower confidence and reduce purchase intentions, whereas internally attributed messages foster trust and increase willingness to buy (Settle & Golden, 1974).

Importantly, such attributional reasoning may also activate persuasion knowledge, a set of cognitive mechanisms consumers use to detect and resist marketing influence. According to the Persuasion Knowledge Model (Friestad & Wright, 1994), once consumers recognize a label as a persuasion attempt, they are more likely to respond critically, question the brand's motives, and ultimately evaluate the product less favorably.

This reasoning can also be applied to vegan labeling. When consumers encounter a vegan label on products that are not obviously vegan, such as sauces, baked goods, or snacks, they may question whether the product was intentionally developed to be vegan or merely happens to meet vegan criteria. If a product is perceived as intentionally vegan, the label is more likely to be seen as aligned with the brand's ethical or health-related motives, thereby enhancing perceptions of authenticity. In contrast, unintentionally vegan products that carry a vegan label may be interpreted as a strategic attempt to capitalize on plant-based trends, which can elicit skepticism and diminish perceptions of authenticity.

Taken together, these insights suggest that the perceived intention behind a product's vegan status may moderate labeling effects. Therefore, we propose the following hypothesis:

**H5:** The effect of the vegan label on perceived product attributes will differ depending on whether products are perceived as intentionally or unintentionally vegan, with unintentionally vegan products prompting more skepticism and less favorable evaluations.

## **2.7 Behavioral Intentions**

Beyond perceptual judgments, labeling can also shape downstream behavioral intentions. Prior research shows that front-of-pack claims not only influence perceptions of health or naturalness but also affect consumers' willingness to try and their purchase preferences (Berry et al., 2017; Bialkova et al., 2015). Positive cues can increase openness toward trying novel products (Hoek et al., 2011; Onwezen et al., 2021), whereas labels associated with skepticism or stigma may reduce willingness to try and lower purchase preference (Markowski & Roxburgh, 2018; Stremmel et al., 2022). Willingness to try and purchase preference, therefore,

capture whether label-induced perceptions and the role of intentionality ultimately translate into consumer behavior. They serve as important secondary outcomes in the present study, examined alongside the primary perceptual attributes.

### ***Additional Considerations***

Previous research indicates that the effects of labels are not uniform but vary according to individual characteristics such as familiarity, label attitudes, and dietary identity (Hoek et al., 2011; Graça et al., 2015; Folwarczny et al., 2024). Consumers who self-identify as vegan or vegetarian may be susceptible to the authenticity or perceived intent behind a vegan label, whereas others may associate such labels with negative stereotypes or primarily commercial motives (Markowski & Roxburgh, 2018; Barham, 2002). Moreover, greater familiarity with a product category or higher consumer knowledge has been shown to amplify the impact of certification cues, especially for less familiar brands (e.g., Herédia-Colaço et al., 2017).

Overall, these findings underline that labeling effects depend on both the cues conveyed through labels and consumers' individual predispositions. While the present study does not focus on these factors directly, participants' label attitudes, familiarity with veganism, and dietary identity are included as control variables to account for their potential influence, while also offering opportunities for exploratory analysis.

## **2.8 Summary and Conceptual Model**

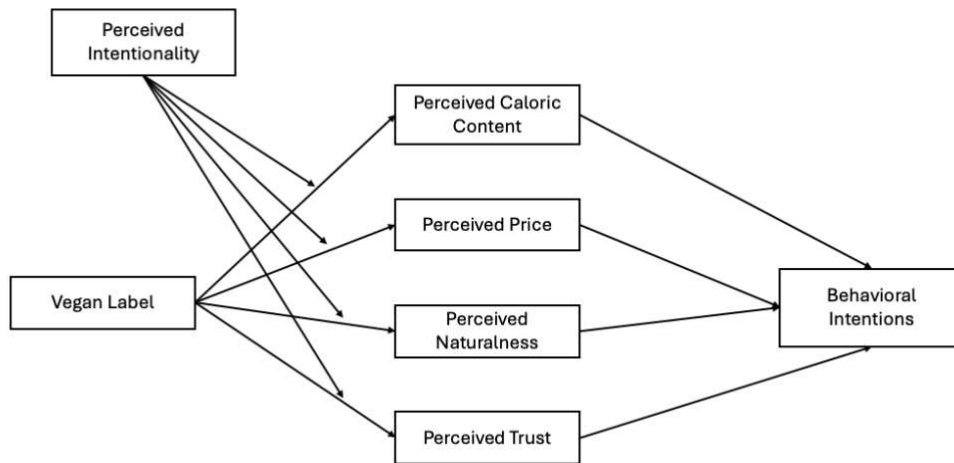
The reviewed literature highlights that labels act as heuristic cues that can trigger both positive and negative spillover effects, influencing consumer perceptions beyond the information explicitly provided. While prior research on vegan labeling has mainly examined perceptions of healthfulness, taste, and sustainability, little is known about its influence on further judgments, such as perceived caloric content, price, naturalness, and trust. Attribution theory further suggests that the perceived intentionality of a product's vegan status may shape how consumers interpret such labels, potentially amplifying or attenuating their effects.

Building on these insights, the present study addresses two research questions: (1) To what extent does the presence of a vegan label influence consumer perceptions of caloric content, price, naturalness, and trust? (2) Does the perceived intentionality of a product's vegan status moderate these effects? Accordingly, we hypothesize that vegan-labeled products will be perceived as lower in calories (H1), more expensive (H2), more natural (H3), and more trustworthy (H4) than non-labeled products. Moreover, we expect these effects to differ depending on whether the product is perceived as intentionally or unintentionally vegan (H5).

These hypotheses will be tested in an experimental survey study in which participants evaluate food products under systematically varied labeling conditions. The conceptual model summarizing the proposed relationships is presented in Figure 1.

**Figure 1**

*Conceptual model of the hypothesized relationships*



### 3. Methodology

This chapter presents the methodological approach of the thesis. Section 3.1 describes the pre-study that was conducted to select and validate the stimuli. Section 3.2 then outlines the main study in detail, including information on participants, materials, design, and procedure. Together, these sections provide the foundation for testing the hypotheses developed in the literature review.

#### 3.1 Pre-Study

To establish a reliable foundation for the main experiment, a pre-study was conducted to verify that the chosen stimuli were comparable within categories while still reflecting systematic differences in intentionality. Building on previous labelling studies that examined products such as spreads (Berry et al., 2017; Stremmel et al., 2022), chocolate (Ruby et al., 2024; Nadricka et al., 2020), ice cream (Prada et al., 2019), snacks (Bialkova et al., 2016; Berry & Romero, 2021; Nadricka et al., 2020), and meat substitutes (Noguerol et al., 2021; Brankovic et al., 2025), the present study expanded this scope by including creamers and wraps, thus covering a wider range of everyday food categories.

The pre-study used a within-subjects design with 16 participants who completed an online survey via Qualtrics after providing informed consent. Nine product categories were included, each featuring an intentionally vegan, an unintentionally vegan, and a non-vegan option (see Table 1). By including a variety of food types ranging from meat substitutes to spreads, creamers, ice cream, and chocolate, the study aimed to capture a broad range of product contexts, thereby improving the robustness and generalizability of the results. Participants first received a short explanation of the terms “vegan” and “intentionally vegan” before beginning the task.

**Table 1**

*Product groups with intentionally vegan, unintentionally vegan, and non-vegan options*

Product group	Intentionally vegan	Unintentionally vegan	Non-vegan
Meatballs	Chickpea balls	Falafel	Traditional meatballs
Savoury spreads	Chickpea-tahini spread	Hummus	Ricotta
Sweet spreads	Oat-milk chocolate spread	Peanut butter	Nutella
Creamer	Oat-milk creamer	Coconut cream	Dairy creamer
Ice cream	Soy-based vanilla ice cream	Fruit sorbet	Dairy vanilla ice cream
Bolognese	Soy mince bolognese	Lentil bolognese	Beef bolognese
Wraps	Pea-protein wrap	Tofu Wrap	Chicken Wrap
Chips	Smokey soy-flavoured chips	Olive oil chips	Duck-fat chips
Chocolate	Almond-milk chocolate	Dark chocolate	Milk chocolate

Each product was rated on perceived intentionality using an 8-point scale (0 = not vegan, 1 = not at all intentionally vegan, 7 = fully intentionally vegan). Participants also evaluated each item on three additional dimensions: perceived caloric content (“*How high in calories do you think this product is?*”, 1 = not high at all, 7 = very high), perceived price (“*How expensive do you think this product is?*”, 1 = not at all, 7 = very expensive), and perceived processing (“*How would you rate the processing level of this product?*”, 1 = very low, 7 = very high). These measures ensured that the selected stimuli differed systematically in intentionality while remaining broadly comparable across other relevant attributes.

To analyse the data, a repeated-measures ANOVA was conducted. Results showed that meatballs, chocolate, and savory spreads were the most suitable categories for the main study, as they provided clear and statistically significant contrasts in intentionality while remaining broadly comparable across other attributes. For example, chickpea balls ( $M = 6.38$ ,  $SD = 2.19$ ) were rated as significantly more intentionally vegan than falafel balls ( $M = 2.69$ ,  $SD = 1.01$ ;  $p$

< .001), with both clearly separated from non-vegan meatballs ( $M = 1.00$ ,  $SD = 0.00$ ). Similarly, almond-milk chocolate ( $M = 5.87$ ,  $SD = 2.00$ ) was perceived as more intentionally vegan than dark chocolate ( $M = 2.19$ ,  $SD = 0.40$ ;  $p < .001$ ), while milk chocolate was consistently rated as non-vegan ( $M = 1.00$ ,  $SD = 0.00$ ). For savoury spreads, the chickpea–tahini spread ( $M = 7.00$ ,  $SD = 1.41$ ) was judged significantly more intentionally vegan than hummus ( $M = 2.50$ ,  $SD = 0.89$ ;  $p < .001$ ), with ricotta ( $M = 1.06$ ,  $SD = 0.26$ ) again clearly classified as non-vegan. By contrast, categories such as chips, wraps, bolognese, ice cream, creamers, and sweet spreads were excluded, as they either did not produce consistent distinctions between intentionally and unintentionally vegan products or differed substantially in other attributes (e.g., calories, price, naturalness), which would have confounded the focus on intentionality.

Taken together, these results justified the use of meatballs, chocolate, and savoury spreads as the experimental stimuli in the main study (see Appendix 1, Table 1.1 for detailed pre-study results).

## 3.2 Main Study

A total of 140 participants were recruited via Prolific and received monetary compensation. The sample had a mean age of  $M = 42.16$  years ( $SD = 14.51$ , range = 19–80). Regarding gender, 76 participants identified as female (54.3%) and 64 as male (45.7%).

### 3.2.1 Independent Variables

The experiment employed a 2 (label: present vs. absent)  $\times$  2 (intentionality: intentional vs. unintentional) between-subjects design with four conditions in total. For the label manipulation, there were two conditions of label presence. In the first condition, the same products were shown with a vegan label on the front of the packaging, whereas in the second condition, they were shown without a label. For the intentionality manipulation, there were likewise two conditions: in the first, participants were presented with products identified as intentionally vegan, and in the second, with products identified as unintentionally vegan, as determined in the pre-study (see Figures 2–4 for the specific stimuli).

The product images were created using Canva mock-ups to ensure consistency across conditions. Fictional brand names were used to avoid pre-existing brand associations, and all packaging was standardized in style and layout. The V-Label was digitally added or removed to manipulate label presence, chosen for its broad market presence and high consumer familiarity (V-Label GmbH, n.d.)

**Figure 2**

*Stimuli used in the chocolate category*



*Note.* Almond-milk chocolate (intentionally vegan) and dark chocolate (unintentionally vegan), each presented with and without a vegan label.

**Figure 3**

*Stimuli used in the savory spreads category*



*Note.* Chickpea-tahini spread (intentionally vegan) and hummus (unintentionally vegan), each presented with and without a vegan label.

**Figure 4**

*Stimuli used in the meatball category*



*Note.* Chickpea balls (intentionally vegan) and falafel (unintentionally vegan), each presented with and without a vegan label.

### 3.2.2 Dependent Variables

To measure perceived caloric content, we asked participants to evaluate the caloric value of the product on two items adapted from previous research. First, they rated “*In your opinion, what is the caloric value of the product you just saw?*” (1 = not at all caloric, 7 = very caloric), adapted from Prada et al. (2017). Second, they compared the product’s calories to similar products by answering “*Compared to other products in this category, do you think one serving of this product contains fewer or more calories?*” (1 = fewer calories, 7 = more calories), adapted from Schuldt and Schwarz (2010). Both were measured on a 7-point Likert scale [Cronbach’s  $\alpha = .728$ ].

Price perceptions were measured using two self-developed items. First, participants answered “*How expensive do you think the previously shown product is?*” on a 7-point scale (1 = not at all, 7 = very much). Second, they evaluated the product in relative terms with the item “*Compared to other products in this category, do you think this product is expensive?*” (1 = not at all, 7 = very much) on the same scale [Cronbach’s  $\alpha = .824$ ].

Perceived naturalness was assessed with two items adapted from Berry et al. (2017). First, participants rated “*Based on the photo that you just saw, how likely is it that the product is minimally processed?*” on a 7-point Likert scale (1 = not at all likely, 7 = very likely). Second, they answered “*How likely is it that the product contains ingredients that have been artificially manipulated?*” on the same scale. The second item was reverse-coded before analysis [Cronbach’s  $\alpha = .807$ ].

Perceived trust was measured with four items from Gorton et al. (2021) and Kim et al. (2011). Two items captured credibility (“*I trust this product*”; “*This product seems reliable*”), while the other two items captured benevolence (“*The company behind this product is honest with consumers*”; “*I believe the company behind this product acts with good intentions*”). All items were rated on a 7-point Likert scale (1 = strongly disagree, 7 = strongly agree) [Cronbach’s  $\alpha = .943$ ].

Willingness to try and purchase preference was measured using two items. Willingness to try was assessed with the item “*I am willing to try this product*” (Bäckström et al., 2004), while purchase preference was captured with the item “*I would prefer to buy this product over other similar products*” (Stremmel et al., 2022). Responses were given on 7-point Likert scales (1 = strongly disagree, 7 = strongly agree). Both items capture behavioral intentions and were therefore combined into a single construct [Cronbach’s  $\alpha = .836$ ].

### 3.2.3 Manipulation Checks

To check the manipulation of intentionality, participants responded to the same item used in the pre-study: *“To what extent do you think the product you were shown is intentionally vegan (i.e., specifically made to be vegan)?”* (1 = not at all intentionally vegan, 7 = very intentionally vegan).

To verify the effectiveness of the label manipulation, participants were asked to identify which label had been shown to them in the previous section, adapted from Ruby et al. (2024). They could choose between *“Vegan Label”*, *“Vegetarian Label”*, *“Plant-based Label”*, or indicate *“There was no label shown”*. To facilitate recognition, the corresponding labels were displayed as images alongside the response options.

### 3.2.4 Control Variables

To account for individual differences in how participants respond to food labels, three control variables were included.

Label attitude was measured with three items adapted from Folwarczny et al. (2024) (*“When buying groceries, I seek labeled products”*, *“Food labels allow me to know what I am consuming”*, *“It is important that my food is labeled”*) rated on a 5-point Likert scale (1 = strongly disagree, 5 = strongly agree) [Cronbach’s  $\alpha = .888$ ].

Vegan-label familiarity was evaluated using two items adapted from Prada et al. (2019) and Berry et al. (2017): *“How do you rate your knowledge about vegan products?”* and *“How familiar are you with what it means for a product to be labeled as vegan?”* Both items were rated on a 5-point scale (1 = not at all familiar, 5 = extremely familiar) [Cronbach’s  $\alpha = .749$ ].

Dietary identity was measured using a single item from Graça et al. (2015), where participants indicated to what extent they identified as meat eaters, omnivores, vegetarians, or vegans, on a 5-point scale (1 = not at all, 5 = very much). In addition, dietary orientation was operationalized as a continuous index (*neu\_vegorient*), calculated as the mean of two omnivorous identification items (meat eater, omnivore) minus the mean of two non-meat items (vegetarian, vegan). Scores ranged from  $-8$  to  $+8$ , with lower values reflecting stronger vegetarian/vegan orientations and higher values reflecting more omnivorous orientations.

### 3.2.5 Additional Measures (Replication Items)

To ensure comparability with prior research, several replication items were included. Following Stremmel et al. (2022), perceptions of healthiness (*“This product seems healthier than similar products”*) and taste (*“I expect this product to taste better than similar products”*)

were measured. In addition, to broaden the replication to sustainability-related perceptions, two items adapted from Küst (2019) assessed environmental friendliness (“*Do you think the product you saw has been prepared in an environmentally friendly way?*”; “*Do you believe the product you were shown is environmentally friendly?*”). All items were rated on 7-point Likert scales (1 = strongly disagree, 7 = strongly agree) [Cronbach’s  $\alpha = .886$ ]. These variables were included for replication purposes and tested in exploratory analyses, without forming part of the main hypotheses.

### **3.2.6 Procedure**

Participants first provided informed consent and were informed that the study formed part of a Master’s thesis on consumer perceptions of food products. They were assured that participation was voluntary and anonymous before being randomly assigned to one of the four experimental conditions (label presence  $\times$  intentionality).

At the beginning of the survey, participants read a short introduction explaining that they would evaluate different food products. In conditions with label presence, the introduction explicitly stated that the product carried a vegan label (with a brief explanation of “vegan”). No such note was shown in the label-absent conditions.

Subsequently, participants were shown three product stimuli (chocolate, savory spread, meatballs). Each stimulus was followed by questions on perceived naturalness, caloric content, price, trust, willingness to try, and purchase preference, along with replication items on healthfulness, taste, and sustainability. After each block, a manipulation check assessed perceived intentionality; once all products had been evaluated, a second check asked participants to identify the label shown.

Finally, participants answered questions about the control measures on label attitude, vegan familiarity, and dietary identity. Demographic information (age, gender) was collected at the end, followed by a short debriefing.

## **4. Results**

The collected data were exported and analysed using SPSS. This chapter presents the sample characteristics, manipulation checks, control variables, and the results of the statistical analyses, and evaluates whether the proposed hypotheses are supported or rejected.

## 4.1 Sample

In total,  $N = 140$  valid responses were gathered via Prolific. Incomplete responses and those flagged as rapid or non-serious were automatically excluded by the platform, leaving a dataset without missing values and requiring no additional cleaning. Participants were evenly distributed across the four experimental conditions ( $N = 35$  per condition). The sample had a mean age of 42.16 years ( $SD = 14.51$ ), reflecting a broad age range. Regarding gender, 54.3% identified as female and 45.7% as male. For dietary orientation, the sample mean was  $M = 3.14$  ( $SD = 3.69$ ), indicating a predominantly omnivorous orientation (Appendix 3, Table 3.2).

## 4.2 Manipulation Checks

A chi-square test was conducted to verify the effectiveness of the vegan label manipulation (Appendix 3, Table 3.3). As expected, significant differences emerged between the experimental (with vegan label; 94.2% correctly identified the vegan label) and the control group (without label; 96.8% correctly indicated that no label was shown) in the measures of the label manipulation check ( $\chi^2(3, N = 140) = 109.85, p < .001$ ) indicating that the manipulation of the independent variable label was effective. All participants were retained in the main analyses, even if they failed the manipulation check. Excluding such cases would have reduced statistical power and risked biasing the sample. Accordingly, the full sample provides the most reliable estimate of label effects, while additional analyses focus on the subset of participants who actively recognized the label, thereby capturing potential differences between implicit and explicit processing.

To test the effectiveness of the intentionality manipulation, an independent-samples  $t$ -test was conducted (Appendix 3, Table 3.3). As expected, we found significant differences between the intentional condition ( $M = 5.29, SD = 1.08$ ) and the unintentional condition ( $M = 4.71, SD = 1.39$ ) in the manipulation check, Welch's  $t(129.69) = -2.76, p = .007$ , Cohen's  $d = -0.47$ , indicating that the manipulation of intentionality was effective across product categories. As each stimulus had its own intentionality test, however, separate independent sample  $t$ -tests were afterwards conducted for each of the three categories. As expected, we found significant differences between the experimental ( $M = 5.23, SD = 1.74$ ) and the control group ( $M = 4.50, SD = 1.88$ ) in the intentionality manipulation check ( $t(138) = -2.23, p = .019, d = -0.40$ ), indicating that the manipulation of intentionality was effective in the spreads condition. As expected, we also found significant differences between the experimental group ( $M = 5.07, SD = 1.54$ ) and the control group ( $M = 4.30, SD = 1.93$ ) in the intentionality manipulation check ( $t(131.64) = -3.61, p < .001, d = -0.61$ ), indicating that the manipulation was effective in the

balls condition. Contrary to expectations, no significant differences were found between the intentional condition ( $M = 4.67$ ,  $SD = 1.95$ ) and the unintentional condition ( $M = 4.73$ ,  $SD = 1.95$ ) in the perceived intentionality of the product,  $t(138) = 0.17$ ,  $p = .863$ ,  $d = 0.03$ . This indicates that the manipulation of intentionality was not successful for the chocolate product.

Although no significant differences emerged for chocolate, this condition was retained in the main analyses. Stimuli had been selected in advance through the pre-study, which showed clear differences in perceived intentionality, and removing one category afterwards would have reduced comparability and consistency of the design. In addition, intentionality was considered a theoretically meaningful moderator expected to play a role across product types. The lack of differentiation in chocolate is therefore noted as a limitation but not a reason to exclude the stimulus.

### 4.3 Control Variables

Independent-samples  $t$ -tests were conducted on the control variables to check for baseline differences between conditions (Appendix 3, Table 3.4). Familiarity with veganism differed significantly between the label ( $M = 3.34$ ,  $SD = 0.92$ ) and no-label group ( $M = 2.86$ ,  $SD = 1.07$ ),  $t(138) = -2.85$ ,  $p = .005$ ,  $d = -0.48$ , but not between the intentional ( $M = 3.09$ ,  $SD = 1.02$ ) and unintentional condition ( $M = 3.11$ ,  $SD = 1.02$ ),  $t(138) = 0.12$ ,  $p = .902$ ,  $d = 0.02$ .

For label attitude, no significant differences were found between the label ( $M = 3.60$ ,  $SD = 1.08$ ) and no-label condition ( $M = 3.52$ ,  $SD = 1.12$ ),  $t(138) = -0.41$ ,  $p = .683$ ,  $d = -0.07$ , nor between the intentional ( $M = 3.55$ ,  $SD = 1.02$ ) and unintentional condition ( $M = 3.57$ ,  $SD = 1.17$ ),  $t(138) = 0.10$ ,  $p = .919$ ,  $d = 0.02$ .

Dietary orientation differed significantly between the label ( $M = 3.29$ ,  $SD = 3.86$ ) and no-label group ( $M = 5.07$ ,  $SD = 2.73$ ),  $t(124.04) = 3.16$ ,  $p = .002$ ,  $d = 0.53$ , but not between the intentional ( $M = 4.01$ ,  $SD = 3.05$ ) and unintentional condition ( $M = 4.34$ ,  $SD = 3.82$ ),  $t(138) = 0.56$ ,  $p = .575$ ,  $d = 0.09$ .

These results indicate that familiarity with veganism and dietary orientation differed systematically between groups and were therefore included as covariates in the subsequent ANCOVA analyses. In contrast, label attitude did not differ significantly and was consequently not considered further.

### 4.4 Dependent Variables

The central analyses investigated whether the presence of a vegan label and the perceived intentionality of a product influenced consumer perceptions. For this purpose, two-

way ANOVAs with label (present vs. absent) and intentionality (intentional vs. unintentional) as between-subjects factors were run for each dependent variable. Since familiarity with veganism and dietary orientation showed links to the dependent measures, the analyses were repeated as two-way ANCOVAs controlling for these variables (Appendix 3, Table 3.5-3.6).

#### 4.4.1 Perceived Caloric Content

The two-way ANOVA revealed no significant main effect of label ( $F(1,136) = 1.35, p = .248, \eta p^2 = .010$ ), indicating that perceptions on caloric content did not differ significantly between products with a vegan label ( $M = 4.01, SD = 0.77$ ) and those without a vegan label ( $M = 4.17, SD = 0.82$ ). There was also no significant main effect of intentionality ( $F(1,136) = 0.01, p = .916, \eta p^2 = .000$ ), indicating that perceptions of caloric content did not differ significantly between intentionally vegan ( $M = 4.08, SD = 0.80$ ) and unintentionally vegan products ( $M = 4.10, SD = 0.78$ ). Additionally, the interaction between label and intentionality was also non-significant ( $F(1,136) = 0.45, p = .505, \eta p^2 = .003$ ). Exploratory *t*-tests showed that neither the label effect nor the intentionality effect reached significance across conditions (all *ps* > .19).

When controlling for dietary orientation and familiarity with veganism, the ANCOVA yielded the same pattern. No significant main effects of label ( $M_{adj} = 4.00, SE = 0.10; M_{adj} = 4.18, SE = 0.10; F(1,134) = 1.49, p = .225, \eta p^2 = .011$ ), or intentionality ( $M_{adj} = 4.08, SE = 0.14; M_{adj} = 4.09, SE = 0.10; F(1,134) = 0.00, p = .949, \eta p^2 = .000$ ) were found. The interaction between label and intentionality was likewise non-significant,  $F(1,134) = 0.46, p = .498, \eta p^2 = .003$ . Simple-effects analyses also indicated no hidden interaction (all *ps* > .17). Neither covariate significantly predicted calorie perceptions (dietary orientation:  $F(1,134) = 0.31, p = .580, \eta p^2 = .002$ ; familiarity with veganism:  $F(1,134) = 1.22, p = .271, \eta p^2 = .009$ ). Although the adjusted means differed slightly from the ANOVA estimates, the overall pattern of non-significant effects remained unchanged.

These findings suggest that the vegan label did not influence perceptions of caloric content, nor did intentionality. In addition, no interaction effect emerged, indicating that the impact of the vegan label did not vary between intentionally and unintentionally vegan products. Therefore, H1, which proposed a main effect of the vegan label, is not supported. Similarly, H5, predicting a moderating role of intentionality, is not supported in the case of perceived caloric content.

#### 4.4.2 Perceived Price

The two-way ANOVA showed no significant main effect of label,  $F(1,136) = 0.014$ ,  $p = .904$ ,  $\eta p^2 = .000$ , indicating that perceived price did not differ significantly between products with a vegan label ( $M = 5.10$ ,  $SD = 0.80$ ) and without ( $M = 5.12$ ,  $SD = 0.85$ ). The main effect of intentionality was likewise non-significant,  $F(1,136) = 1.936$ ,  $p = .166$ ,  $\eta p^2 = .014$ , with similar ratings for intentionally vegan products ( $M = 5.20$ ,  $SD = 0.72$ ) and unintentionally vegan products ( $M = 5.01$ ,  $SD = 0.91$ ). The interaction between label and intentionality was also non-significant,  $F(1,136) = 1.572$ ,  $p = .212$ ,  $\eta p^2 = .011$ . Exploratory  $t$ -tests confirmed the absence of label effects in both the intentional ( $p = .270$ ) and unintentional condition ( $p = .474$ ). Intentionality, however, revealed a marginal difference in the no-label condition ( $p = .070$ ), but not in the label condition ( $p = .922$ ).

When controlling for dietary orientation and familiarity with veganism, the ANCOVA yielded the same pattern. No significant main effects of label ( $M_{adj} = 5.13$ ,  $SE = 0.10$ ;  $M_{adj} = 5.09$ ,  $SE = 0.10$ ;  $F(1,134) = 0.103$ ,  $p = .748$ ,  $\eta p^2 = .001$ ) or intentionality ( $M_{adj} = 5.21$ ,  $SE = 0.10$ ;  $M_{adj} = 5.01$ ,  $SE = 0.10$ ;  $F(1,134) = 2.058$ ,  $p = .154$ ,  $\eta p^2 = .015$ ) were found. The interaction effect was also non-significant ( $F(1,134) = 1.606$ ,  $p = .207$ ,  $\eta p^2 = .012$ ). Exploratory simple-effects analyses again showed no significant label effects ( $p = .522$ ;  $p = .271$ ). Notably, the marginal difference between intentional and unintentional products in the no-label condition also persisted after adjustment ( $p = .058$ ), whereas no effect was observed in the label condition ( $p = .905$ ). The consistency of this marginal pattern across both analyses suggests a possible conditional effect, though its exploratory nature warrants caution. Neither dietary orientation ( $F(1, 134) = 1.049$ ,  $p = .308$ ,  $\eta p^2 = .008$ ), nor familiarity with veganism ( $F(1, 134) = 0.458$ ,  $p = .500$ ,  $\eta p^2 = .003$ ) significantly predicted price perceptions. Although adjusted means differed slightly from the ANOVA estimates, the overall pattern of non-significant effects remained unchanged.

Taken together, these results suggest that neither the vegan label nor product intentionality significantly influenced perceived price. In addition, no interaction effect emerged, indicating that the impact of the vegan label did not vary between intentionally and unintentionally vegan products. Therefore, H2, which proposed a main effect of the vegan label, is not supported. Similarly, H5, predicting a moderating role of intentionality, is not supported in the case of perceived price.

#### 4.4.3 Perceived Naturalness

The two-way ANOVA showed no significant main effect of label,  $F(1,136) = 0.607, p = .437, \eta p^2 = .004$ , indicating that perceived naturalness did not differ significantly between products with a vegan label ( $M = 4.36, SD = 1.20$ ) and without a vegan label ( $M = 4.20, SD = 1.10$ ). The main effect of intentionality was likewise non-significant,  $F(1,136) = 1.255, p = 0.265, \eta p^2 = .009$ , indicating that perceptions of naturalness did not differ significantly between intentionally vegan products ( $M = 4.17, SD = 1.21$ ) and unintentionally vegan products ( $M = 4.39, SD = 1.09$ ). The interaction between label and intentionality was also non-significant  $F(1,136) = 0.009, p = .923, \eta p^2 = .000$ . Exploratory *t*-tests confirmed that neither label nor intentionality effects reached significance across conditions (all *ps* > .41).

When controlling for dietary orientation and familiarity with veganism, the ANCOVA yielded the same pattern. No significant main effect of label ( $M_{adj} = 4.28, SE = 0.14; M_{adj} = 4.29, SE = 0.14$ ),  $F(1, 134) = 0.002, p = .965, \eta p^2 = .000$ , nor intentionality ( $M_{adj} = 4.16, SE = 0.14; M_{adj} = 4.40, SE = 0.14$ )  $F(1, 134) = 1.555, p = .215, \eta p^2 = .011$ , was found. The interaction was likewise non-significant ( $F(1, 134) = 0.004, p = .947, \eta p^2 = .000$ ). Exploratory simple-effects analyses revealed no hidden effects (all *ps* > .18) Among the covariates, familiarity with veganism was not significant ( $F(1, 134) = 0.688, p = .408, \eta p^2 = .005$ ). In contrast, dietary orientation emerged as a significant predictor of perceived naturalness,  $F(1, 134) = 5.642, p = .026, \eta p^2 = .037$ , with stronger vegan/vegetarian orientation being associated with higher ratings of naturalness.

Although the adjusted means differed slightly from the ANOVA estimates, the overall pattern of non-significant main and interaction effects remained unchanged, while dietary orientation consistently predicted naturalness perceptions. Taken together, these results suggest that neither the vegan label nor product intentionality influenced perceived naturalness, and no interaction effect was observed. Therefore, H3, which proposed a main effect of the vegan label, is not supported. Similarly, H5, predicting a moderating role of intentionality, is not supported in the case of naturalness perceptions. However, dietary orientation emerged as a significant covariate, with stronger vegan/vegetarian orientation being associated with higher ratings of naturalness.

#### 4.4.4 Perceived Trust

The two-way ANOVA showed no significant main effect of label,  $F(1,136) = 1.417, p = .236, \eta p^2 = .010$ , indicating that perceived trust did not differ significantly between products with a vegan label ( $M = 4.89, SD = 0.95$ ) and those without ( $M = 4.70, SD = 0.90$ ). There was

also no significant main effect of intentionality,  $F(1,136) = 2.369, p = .126, \eta p^2 = .017$ , indicating that perceptions of trust did not differ significantly between intentionally vegan ( $M = 4.92, SD = 0.82$ ) and unintentionally vegan products ( $M = 4.67, SD = 1.02$ ). The interaction effect between label and intentionality was also non-significant ( $F(1,136) = 0.116, p = .733, \eta p^2 = .001$ ). Exploratory  $t$ -tests showed that neither the label effect nor the intentionality effect reached significance across conditions (all  $ps > .19$ ).

When controlling for dietary orientation and familiarity with veganism, the ANCOVA yielded the same pattern. No significant main effects were found for label ( $M_{adj} = 4.81, SE = 0.11; M_{adj} = 4.78, SE = 0.11; F(1,134) = 0.044, p = .835, \eta p^2 = .000$ ) or intentionality ( $M_{adj} = 4.91, SE = 0.11; M_{adj} = 4.68, SE = 0.11; F(1,134) = 2.255, p = .136, \eta p^2 = .017$ ). The interaction effect was also non-significant ( $F(1,134) = 0.140, p = .709, \eta p^2 = .001$ ). Exploratory simple-effects analyses showed no hidden effects of label ( $p = .683; p = .915$ ) or intentionality (all  $ps > .35$ ). Among the control variables, dietary orientation showed a marginally significant negative influence on trust,  $F(1,134) = 3.734, p = .055, \eta p^2 = .027$ . Vegan familiarity also exhibited a marginally significant effect,  $F(1,134) = 3.371, p = .069, \eta p^2 = .025$ .

Although the adjusted means differed only slightly from the ANOVA estimates, the overall pattern of non-significant main and interaction effects remained unchanged. Taken together, these results indicate that neither the vegan label nor product intentionality significantly influenced trust. Therefore, H4, which predicted a main effect of the vegan label, is not supported. Similarly, H5, predicting a moderating role of intentionality, is not supported in the case of trust perceptions. However, the marginal covariate effects suggest that individual differences may play a minor role in shaping trust evaluations.

#### **4.5 Behavioral Intentions**

Behavioral intentions were conceptualized initially as downstream outcomes expected to be influenced indirectly via the four main perceptual variables: caloric content, price, naturalness, and trust. Since the analyses did not reveal significant effects of label or intentionality on these perceptual variables, a mediation pathway could not be meaningfully tested. To nevertheless provide a comprehensive account of labeling effects, exploratory analyses were conducted to examine whether label presence and intentionality directly influenced behavioral intentions (Appendix 3, Table 3.7).

The two-way ANOVA showed no significant main effect of label,  $F(1,136) = .147, p = .702, \eta p^2 = .001$ , indicating that behavioral intentions did not differ significantly between products with a vegan label ( $M = 4.64, SD = 1.25$ ) and those without ( $M = 4.56, SD = 1.16$ ).

The main effect of intentionality was likewise non-significant,  $F(1,136) = .000, p = .991, \eta p^2 = .000$ , indicating that behavioral intentions did not differ significantly between intentionally vegan ( $M = 4.60, SD = 1.18$ ) and unintentionally vegan products ( $M = 4.60, SD = 1.23$ ). The interaction effect between label and intentionality was also non-significant ( $F(1,136) = .000, p = .991, \eta p^2 = .000$ ). Exploratory  $t$ -tests confirmed that neither factor reached significance across conditions (all  $ps > .19$ ).

When controlling for dietary orientation and familiarity with veganism, the ANCOVA confirmed this pattern. No significant effects of label ( $M_{adj} = 4.64, SE = 1.25; M_{adj} = 4.56, SE = 1.16; F(1,134) = .597, p = .441, \eta p^2 = .004$ ), or intentionality ( $M_{adj} = 4.60, SE = 1.18; M_{adj} = 4.60, SE = 1.23; F(1,134) = .011, p = .918, \eta p^2 = .000$ ), were found, and the interaction between label and intentionality was likewise non-significant ( $F(1,134) = .000, p = .988, \eta p^2 = .000$ ). Exploratory simple-effects analyses showed no hidden label ( $p = .583; p = .570$ ) effects or intentionality effects (all  $ps > .930$ ). Among the covariates, dietary orientation showed a significant influence on behavioral intentions ( $F(1,134) = 5.182, p = .024, \eta p^2 = .037$ ), with stronger vegan/vegetarian orientation being associated with higher intentions. Vegan familiarity also exhibited a significant effect,  $F(1,134) = 5.161, p = .025, \eta p^2 = .037$ , suggesting that greater familiarity with veganism increased behavioral intentions.

Taken together, these results indicate that neither the vegan label nor product intentionality directly influenced behavioral intentions, and no interaction effect was observed. However, individual differences in dietary orientation and familiarity with veganism significantly shaped participants' behavioral intentions.

#### **4.6 Replication Measures**

To examine whether previously reported effects of vegan labeling could be replicated, additional analyses were conducted for health, taste, and environmental friendliness. As these measures were included for replication purposes only, the results are reported in a condensed form below, with full SPSS output provided in Appendix 3, Tables 3.5-3.7.

##### ***Perceived Health***

The two-way ANOVA revealed no significant effects of label,  $F(1,136) = 1.54, p = .217, \eta p^2 = .011$ , or intentionality,  $F(1,136) = 0.57, p = .452, \eta p^2 = .004$ , and no interaction,  $F(1,136) = 0.05, p = .827, \eta p^2 < .001$ . Means were similar across conditions (all  $ps > .29$ ). The ANCOVA confirmed this pattern, with no significant main or interaction effects (all  $ps > .35$ ). Neither dietary orientation,  $F(1,134) = 2.11, p = .149, \eta p^2 = .015$ , nor familiarity with veganism,

$F(1,134) = 1.58, p = .211, \eta p^2 = .012$ , significantly predicted health ratings. Thus, previously reported label effects on health perceptions could not be replicated. Taken together, these findings suggest that the vegan label did not influence health perceptions, nor did intentionality. As health was included as a replication item, the previously reported labeling effects on perceived healthiness could not be replicated in the present study.

### ***Environmental Friendliness***

A two-way ANOVA revealed a significant main effect of label ( $F(1,136) = 7.432, p = .007, \eta p^2 = .052$ ): Products with a vegan label ( $M = 4.75, SD = 1.11$ ) were perceived as significantly more environmentally friendly than products without a vegan label ( $M = 4.25, SD = 1.07$ ). By contrast, intentionality had no significant effect,  $F(1,112) = 1.334, p = .294, \eta p^2 = .008$ , and the interaction was also non-significant,  $F(1,136) = 0.095, p = .758, \eta p^2 = .001$ . Exploratory *t*-tests revealed that the label effect was significant in the intentional condition ( $p = .032$ ), but not in the unintentional condition ( $p = .098$ ), while intentionality itself was non-significant across label conditions ( $p > .347$ ). The ANCOVA did not replicate the label effect ( $F(1,134) = 2.740, p = .100, \eta p^2 = .020$ ), and intentionality and the interaction remained non-significant (all  $ps > .30$ ). However, significant covariate effects emerged: familiarity with veganism positively predicted perceptions of environmental friendliness,  $F(1,134) = 5.754, p = .018, \eta p^2 = .025$ , while dietary orientation showed a marginal influence,  $F(1,134) = 2.928, p = .089, \eta p^2 = .021$ .

Overall, the results indicate that vegan labels increased perceived environmental friendliness in the ANOVA, but this effect disappeared once covariates were taken into account. Intentionality had no influence, whereas individual differences, especially familiarity with veganism, shaped evaluations. As a replication item, environmental friendliness therefore offers only partial support for earlier findings on labeling effects.

### ***Perceived Taste***

The two-way ANOVA revealed no significant effects of label,  $F(1,136) = 0.64, p = .424, \eta p^2 = .005$ , or intentionality,  $F(1,136) = 0.32, p = .573, \eta p^2 = .002$ , and interaction,  $F(1,136) = 0.38, p = .541, \eta p^2 = .003$ . Means were similar across conditions. The ANCOVA confirmed this pattern, with no significant main or interaction effects (all  $ps > .11$ ). Neither dietary orientation,  $F(1,134) = 2.59, p = .110, \eta p^2 = .019$ , nor familiarity with veganism,  $F(1,134) = 2.69, p = .103, \eta p^2 = .020$ , significantly predicted taste perceptions. Thus, previously reported label effects on taste could not be replicated.

#### 4.7 Analysis Based on Conscious Label Recognition

Of the total sample ( $N = 140$ ), 14 participants failed the manipulation check (i.e., they either did not correctly recall the vegan label or assumed that a label was present when it was not). They were excluded from the following analyses, leaving a reduced sample of  $N = 126$ . These additional analyses allow for a direct comparison with the full-sample results to examine whether effects of the vegan label become more pronounced when it is consciously noticed (Appendix 3, Table 3.8)

For calorie perceptions, the two-way ANOVA revealed a significant main effect of the vegan label,  $F(1,122) = 6.50$ ,  $p = .012$ ,  $\eta p^2 = .051$ . Products with a vegan label ( $M = 3.96$ ,  $SD = 0.76$ ) were perceived as less caloric than those without the label ( $M = 4.30$ ,  $SD = 0.73$ ). The main effect of intentionality, as well as the interaction between label and intentionality, was not significant. The ANCOVA confirmed the label effect,  $F(1,120) = 7.64$ ,  $p = .006$ ,  $\eta p^2 = .060$ , while intentionality and the interaction remained non-significant. Vegan familiarity had a significant influence on calorie perceptions,  $F(1,120) = 4.32$ ,  $p = .041$ ,  $\eta p^2 = .035$ , indicating that participants with higher familiarity with veganism tended to perceive products as less caloric. By contrast, dietary orientation did not exert a significant effect ( $p = .516$ ). This contrasts with the full sample, where the effect of the label on calorie perception was non-significant.

For price perceptions, no significant effects of label, intentionality, or their interaction were found (all  $p$ s  $> .37$ ). This contrasts with the full sample, where intentionality showed a marginal effect.

For naturalness, no significant main effects of label, intentionality, or their interaction were found. In the ANCOVA, however, dietary orientation emerged as a significant predictor ( $p = .028$ ). This pattern was consistent with the full sample, where dietary orientation was likewise significant.

For trust, the ANOVA revealed a significant main effect of intentionality,  $F(1,122) = 3.99$ ,  $p = .048$ ,  $\eta p^2 = .032$ , with intentionally vegan products ( $M = 4.95$ ,  $SD = 0.76$ ) being perceived as more trustworthy than unintentionally vegan ones ( $M = 4.63$ ,  $SD = 1.04$ ). No significant main effect of the label or interaction between label and intentionality was observed. In the ANCOVA, the effect of intentionality disappeared, while vegan orientation emerged as a significant predictor ( $p = .033$ ). This pattern differed from the full sample, where neither label nor intentionality reached significance in the ANOVA, and where both vegan orientation and vegan familiarity only showed marginal effects in the ANCOVA.

For environmental friendliness, the ANOVA revealed a significant main effect of the vegan label,  $F(1,122) = 10.14, p = .002, \eta p^2 = .077$ . Products with a vegan label ( $M = 4.75, SD = 1.14$ ) were perceived as more environmentally friendly than products without the label ( $M = 4.13, SD = 1.07$ ). No significant main effects of intentionality or the interaction were observed. In the ANCOVA, however, this effect of the label dropped to marginal significance ( $p = .056$ ), while vegan familiarity emerged as a significant predictor ( $p = .033$ ). Compared to the full sample, this pattern was largely consistent: the label effect was significant in the ANOVA but not in the ANCOVA, where vegan familiarity remained significant and vegan orientation showed a marginal effect.

For health perceptions, no significant effects emerged, consistent with the full sample.

For taste perceptions, the ANOVA revealed no significant effects of label, intentionality, or their interaction. In the ANCOVA, dietary orientation showed a marginal effect ( $p = .051$ ). Compared to the full sample, where neither the main effects nor the covariates reached significance, the results were consistent.

Finally, for behavioral intentions, no significant effects of label or intentionality were detected. However, dietary orientation ( $p = .004$ ) and vegan familiarity ( $p = .031$ ) were significant predictors, replicating the effects of the control variables from the full sample.

#### **4.8 Exploratory Research**

For exploratory purposes, a multiple linear regression analysis was conducted for the full sample ( $N = 140$ ) to examine which perceptual variables best predicted behavioral intentions. Behavioral intentions correlated strongly with perceived taste ( $r = .87, p < .001$ ), healthiness ( $r = .74, p < .001$ ), trust ( $r = .66, p < .001$ ), environmental friendliness ( $r = .59, p < .001$ ), and naturalness ( $r = .55, p < .001$ ). Smaller correlations were found for vegan familiarity (positive) and vegan orientation (negative), while perceived calories and perceived price were unrelated to behavioral intentions. When all predictors were entered simultaneously, the regression model was significant,  $F(9,130) = 61.29, p < .001$ , explaining 81% of the variance in behavioral intentions ( $R^2 = .81$ ). Perceived taste emerged as the strongest predictor ( $\beta = .63, p < .001$ ), followed by a smaller effect of naturalness ( $\beta = .11, p = .03$ ). All other predictors were non-significant once these two variables were considered. Collinearity diagnostics (all VIF  $< 3$ , tolerance  $> .33$ ) indicated no multicollinearity concerns. The full regression output is provided in Appendix 3, Table 3.7.

For the reduced sample ( $N = 126$ ), the overall model was also significant,  $F(9,116) = 57.78, p < .001$ , explaining 81.8% of the variance ( $R^2 = .818$ ). Taste again emerged as the

strongest predictor of behavioral intentions ( $\beta = .60, p < .001$ ), followed by smaller effects of health ( $\beta = .16, p = .023$ ) and naturalness ( $\beta = .11, p = .041$ ). All other predictors were non-significant. Compared to the full sample, where only taste and naturalness were significant predictors, the reduced sample additionally revealed a significant contribution of health perceptions. The full regression output is provided in Appendix 3, Table 3.9.

#### 4.9 Summary of Analysis

The analyses investigated whether the presence of a vegan label and the perceived intentionality of a product influenced consumer perceptions of caloric content, price, naturalness, and trust. Across the full sample ( $N = 140$ ), none of the four hypothesized perceptual outcomes were significantly affected by the vegan label or by product intentionality. Likewise, no interaction effects between label and intentionality emerged. As a result, Hypotheses 1–4, which predicted main effects of the vegan label on the perceptual outcomes, were not supported in the full-sample analyses. Similarly, Hypothesis 5, which proposed that intentionality would moderate label effects, also received no support.

When examining behavioral intentions directly, neither label presence nor intentionality produced significant effects, and no interaction was observed. However, participants with a stronger vegetarian/vegan orientation and greater familiarity with veganism consistently reported higher behavioral intentions. This suggests that individual predispositions, rather than the experimental manipulations, shaped behavioral intentions.

The replication measures provided mixed results. Perceived health and perceived taste showed no effects of label or intentionality. By contrast, environmental friendliness yielded partial support: products with a vegan label were rated as more environmentally friendly in the ANOVA. However, this effect did not hold once covariates were included. Instead, familiarity with veganism emerged as a reliable positive predictor.

The reduced-sample analyses, based on conscious label recognition ( $N = 126$ ), revealed somewhat stronger effects. Vegan-labeled products were consistently perceived as less caloric, even after covariates were included, while they were also seen as more environmentally friendly and intentionally vegan products as more trustworthy than unintentionally vegan ones. The latter two effects, however, weakened or disappeared once covariates were considered, suggesting that they were less robust and more contingent on individual differences. Importantly, the reduced-sample results partly diverged from the full-sample findings, indicating that conscious recognition of the vegan label may strengthen certain perceptions, particularly calories and environmental friendliness.

Finally, exploratory regression analyses identified the key predictors of behavioral intentions. Across both the full and reduced samples, perceived taste consistently emerged as the strongest predictor, followed by smaller contributions of naturalness (in both samples) and health (in the reduced sample only). Other perceptual variables, including calories, price, trust, and environmental friendliness, did not explain additional variance once these factors were accounted for.

## **5. Discussion**

This chapter interprets the results of the analysis and discusses theoretical implications, outlines managerial contributions, and addresses the study's limitations before suggesting future research.

### **5.1 Interpretation & Theoretical Implications**

This study aimed to examine whether vegan labels influence consumer perceptions of caloric content, price, naturalness, trust, and behavioral intentions, and whether these effects are moderated by the perceived intentionality of a product's vegan status. Across the full sample, no significant effects of the vegan label emerged, and intentionality did not moderate outcomes. Thus, neither RQ1 (impact of vegan labels) nor RQ2 (moderating role of intentionality) received empirical support. However, when analyses were restricted to participants who consciously recognized the label, some selective effects emerged.

For perceived caloric content (H1), no evidence was found that the vegan label functioned as a heuristic shortcut in the full sample. Prior research has shown that labels such as “organic” or “low-fat” often trigger halo effects, leading consumers to underestimate caloric content (Wansink & Chandon, 2006; Prada et al., 2017; Schuldt & Schwarz, 2010). By contrast, the vegan label did not produce such a spillover. From a heuristic–systematic perspective, the vegan label did not provide a sufficiently diagnostic signal to shift calorie judgments. Interestingly, in the recognition sample, vegan-labeled products were perceived as less caloric, suggesting that such labels influence calorie perceptions only when consciously noticed and that heuristic processing in this context requires a minimum level of awareness.

For perceived price (H2), the results provided no evidence that the vegan label functioned as a heuristic cue, despite prior evidence of the “healthy = expensive” heuristic (Haws et al., 2017) and that plant-based diets are commonly perceived as more expensive (Noguerol et al., 2021). In the present study, price expectations remained relatively stable

regardless of labeling. This indicates that vegan labels do not operate as consistent price signals and that price expectations remain relatively stable, regardless of labeling.

For perceived naturalness (H3), the vegan label likewise had no effect. While some labels have been shown to increase perceived naturalness (Berry et al., 2017; Prada et al., 2019; Rozin et al., 2012), the vegan label did not trigger such inferences, suggesting that vegan labels are not automatically processed as indicators of naturalness.

Similarly, perceived trust (H4) remained unaffected. While labels can strengthen trust by signaling credibility and benevolence (Lassoued & Hobbs, 2015; Loureiro & McCluskey, 2000; Ayyub et al., 2018), the vegan label did not function in this way. Trust appeared to depend more on consumer orientation and familiarity than on minimal cues. Interestingly, in the recognition sample, intentionally vegan products were initially rated as more trustworthy than unintentionally vegan ones, but this effect vanished once covariates were included, pointing to the dominance of individual-level influences.

Regarding intentionality as a moderator (H5), no consistent effects emerged. Contrary to expectations derived from attribution theory (Kelley & Michela, 1980), the distinction between intentionally and unintentionally vegan products did not influence the effects of the vegan label on perceptions of calories, price, naturalness, or trust. The manipulation checks confirmed that participants were able to perceive and report differences in intentionality in two of the three categories, but these perceptions did not necessarily translate into evaluations. In the reduced sample, where participants consciously recognized the label, intentionality showed an independent effect on trust: intentionally vegan products were perceived as more trustworthy than unintentionally vegan ones. However, this effect vanished once covariates were included, indicating that it was less stable than individual-level influences such as dietary orientation. The findings suggest that attributional reasoning is not triggered automatically by a vegan label but may arise only under conditions of conscious processing, implying that stronger or more explicit signals, such as direct claims, may be needed to activate causal inferences about brand motives. In this sense, attribution appears highly context-dependent. Relatedly, the Persuasion Knowledge Model (Friestad & Wright, 1994) finds little support. Participants did not seem to interpret the vegan label on unintentionally vegan products as a persuasion attempt, suggesting that low-salience cues are insufficient to activate persuasion knowledge processes such as resistance or skepticism. Persuasion knowledge may therefore be activated only when cues are both salient and clearly perceived as strategically motivated. Alternatively, consumers may have noticed the label but found it non-diagnostic for the tested variables. From this perspective,

both attribution theory and the Persuasion Knowledge Model appear less suitable in contexts where cues are minimal.

Finally, no effects were found for health or taste, despite prior evidence that vegan labels can bias such perceptions (Stremmel et al., 2022). By contrast, environmental friendliness showed a significant label effect with products carrying a vegan logo rated as more sustainable. However, this effect disappeared once covariates were included, indicating that the association was driven less by the label itself than by individual differences, again underscoring that consumer heterogeneity rather than minimal label cues accounted for variation in judgments.

For behavioral intentions, no direct effects of the vegan label were found. Instead, exploratory regression revealed perceived taste as the strongest predictor, followed by a smaller contribution of naturalness, whereas calories, price, trust, and environmental perceptions exerted no independent influence once taste was accounted for. In the recognition sample, health perceptions also gained significance, suggesting that when consumers consciously attend to labels, health-related inferences may complement, but not outweigh, hedonic drivers. These results highlight the primacy of sensory expectations over abstract credence cues, reinforcing evidence that taste remains the central barrier and motivator of plant-based adoption (Hoek et al., 2011; Onwezen et al., 2021).

The finding that vegan familiarity and dietary orientation significantly predicted multiple attributes, while the label manipulation itself did not, supports theories of motivated reasoning. From this perspective, personal identity and prior knowledge shape whether labels are treated as diagnostic, contributing to a more nuanced understanding that labeling effects are not uniform across the population but moderated by individual predispositions (Hoek et al., 2011; Graça et al., 2015).

One possible further explanation for the results is that category-level associations, for example “chocolate is always caloric” or “spreads are always cheap”, may override label-based heuristics when expectations are already well established. This points to product typicality as a potential boundary condition for labeling effects, adding nuance to existing theories by suggesting that label cues may fail to generate perceptual spillovers in categories where consumer expectations are firmly anchored.

Overall, this study finds little evidence that vegan labels act as robust heuristic cues, and intentionality did not serve as a consistent moderator. Selective effects emerged only among participants who consciously recognized the label: vegan-labeled products were perceived as less caloric, and intentionally vegan items were initially rated as more trustworthy, though the latter effect disappeared once covariates were considered. Across outcomes, individual

predispositions outweighed label cues, and taste expectations remained the dominant driver of behavioral intentions, with naturalness, and, under label recognition, health perceptions, playing smaller roles. These results suggest that vegan labels alone are insufficient to shift consumer judgments. Their influence depends on conscious recognition, is shaped by individual differences, and remains secondary to hedonic expectations. Theoretically, the findings delineate boundary conditions for heuristic processing, limit the scope of attribution theory and persuasion knowledge in minimal-cue contexts, and reaffirm the centrality of taste in consumer decision-making

## **5.2 Managerial Contributions**

From a managerial perspective, the findings of this thesis offer several important implications for brands and practitioners in the food and beverage industry. As vegan labels become increasingly visible on FMCG (Fortune Business Insights, 2025; (V-Label GmbH, n.d.), companies must decide strategically whether and how to adopt such labels.

First, the results clearly demonstrate that vegan labels are not universal heuristic cues. Managers should not assume that placing a vegan label on packaging will automatically enhance perceptions of calories, price, naturalness, trust, or behavioral intentions. In the tested product categories, a vegan badge alone did little to change consumer evaluations. At the same time, no negative effects emerged either, suggesting that while the label does not harm consumer perceptions, it also does not serve as a strong stand-alone differentiation strategy. Consequently, companies should avoid relying solely on vegan labeling in these contexts.

Second, the findings underline that responses to labeling are shaped more by consumer characteristics than by the label itself. Vegan familiarity and dietary orientation significantly predicted perceptions the tested perceptions. This means that managers should not expect a uniform response across audiences: consumers with higher familiarity or a stronger plant-based orientation evaluated products more positively overall, while more omnivorous participants remained unaffected. These results highlight the importance of segmenting communication strategies according to consumer predispositions rather than relying on the vegan label as a one-size-fits-all cue.

Third, the results highlight the central role of taste in shaping consumer behavior. Regression analyses showed that taste expectations were by far the strongest predictor of behavioral intentions, whereas the vegan label itself had no effect. This suggests that marketing communication should place primary emphasis on taste, with vegan labeling serving only an additional element of communication. In addition, naturalness, and health, emerged as a weaker

but still relevant predictor of behavioral intentions, indicating that managers may also benefit from making natural aspects of their products more salient.

Fourth, the findings show that while consumers are able to distinguish between intentionally and unintentionally vegan products, they did not seek further explanations. This means that adding a vegan label to products that happen to be vegan carries no apparent risk of negative reactions, as no adverse effects were observed. At the same time, it suggests that consumers did not actively question or interpret the origin of a product's vegan status. For managers, this implies that if intentional vegan product design is meant to be part of the positioning, it must be communicated more explicitly, since a simple label alone is insufficient to signal such intentions.

In sum, the findings caution against treating vegan labels as stand-alone marketing tools. Instead, managers should emphasize taste as the primary driver of behavioral intentions, consider consumer predispositions such as dietary orientation and familiarity, and communicate intentionality more explicitly if it is part of the positioning. Vegan labels may still be useful when combined with other cues, such as environmental messaging, but they should not be expected to shift consumer evaluations on their own.

### **5.3 Limitations**

While this study provides valuable insights into the role of vegan labels on consumer perceptions, several limitations must be acknowledged that constrain the interpretation, internal validity, and generalizability of the findings. The proposed hypotheses were not supported, suggesting that either the theoretical framework or the methodological execution may have prevented the detection of effects.

First, the study employed a between-subjects design conducted via an online survey, with random assignment to conditions but without full environmental control. Participants completed the survey in diverse, uncontrolled settings, which may have introduced external influences such as device type, screen size, or multitasking distractions. These factors could have reduced cognitive engagement with the stimuli and weakened the salience of the manipulations, thereby potentially limiting internal validity. In addition, the between-subjects design may have limited sensitivity to small perceptual shifts, and the modest sample size ( $N = 140$ ) further reduced the power to detect subtle effects.

Second, certain constructs were measured with single-item indicators, restricting the ability to assess reliability and potentially limiting the robustness of the results (Bergkvist & Rossiter, 2007).

Third, the manipulations themselves also posed challenges. The manipulation check for intentionality failed in the chocolate condition, which weakened the test of H5 and reduced confidence in conclusions regarding attributional reasoning. Relatedly, the stimuli used to manipulate intentionality introduced further limitations. The pre-study that guided stimulus selection was based on a small sample ( $N = 16$ ), which may have been biased toward participants with higher familiarity with vegan products. As a result, the distinction between intentionally and unintentionally vegan items may not have generalized well to the larger main study sample. In addition, the product names may have caused confusion. For instance, “almond milk chocolate” might not have been interpreted uniformly, with some participants potentially assuming that it contained dairy milk. Such misunderstandings could have diluted the manipulation of intentionality and contributed to the null of effects in the main study.

Fourth, there was a clear mismatch between predictions and results. None of the hypotheses were supported, challenging the assumption that simple vegan labels consistently trigger heuristic spillover effects such as halos or horns. Several factors may account for this outcome. The vegan label may have been too subtle to activate heuristic processing and category expectations may also have reduced diagnosticity, since products such as hummus, falafel, or dark chocolate are often already widely perceived as plant-based. In addition, strong category-based associations may have overridden potential labeling effects. For example, chocolate may be consistently associated with high caloric content regardless of labeling. Finally, the intentionality manipulation may have been too weak to elicit attributional reasoning.

Finally, alternative explanations cannot be ruled out. One possibility is that consumers increasingly recognize that “vegan” does not automatically mean “healthy,” which may weaken potential heuristic effects and lead them to interpret the label simply as an indicator of the absence of animal-based ingredients or an ethical marker rather than as information about product composition. Another explanation is that individual differences overshadowed label effects, with dietary orientation and vegan familiarity exerting stronger influence than external cues. This may also reflect broader market changes, as vegan options have become more common, competition has increased, and prices have decreased, leading to greater familiarity with such labels. Finally, attribution processes may be triggered only when intentionality is communicated more explicitly, rather than through subtle design features such as labels.

## **5.4 Future Research**

Several important avenues for future research remain. A central question is the boundary conditions under which vegan labels meaningfully shape consumer perceptions.

First, the present study highlights the need to examine category context more closely. Future research should test whether vegan labeling is more effective in counter-stereotypical categories, such as cheese, burgers, or dairy substitutes, where plant-based status is less expected, rather than in domains where vegan options are already commonplace.

Second, intentionality remains an interesting avenue for future research. To capture its potential influence more effectively, studies should move beyond subtle visual differences and instead employ stronger manipulations, such as explicit on-pack claims, to clarify whether a product was intentionally designed to be vegan. Such approaches would allow a more rigorous test of attribution theory and its relevance in labeling contexts.

Third, future studies would benefit from methodological refinements to increase sensitivity to subtle perceptual differences. Within-subjects designs could allow participants to directly compare products across conditions, thereby enhancing detection of small label effects. Eye-tracking would make it possible to verify whether labels are visually attended to, while behavioral outcomes, such as willingness-to-pay, would provide more ecologically valid measures than self-reports. Larger samples would strengthen statistical power and enable the detection of conditional effects.

Finally, future studies should broaden the scope of moderators and labeling formats. Potential moderators, such as food neophobia, may help explain heterogeneity in consumer responses. Research could also investigate whether repeated exposure to vegan labels alters perceptions over time, or whether taste-focused framing interacts with vegan labels to influence behavioral intentions.

## **6. Conclusion**

This thesis examined whether vegan labels shape perceptions of calories, price, naturalness, and trust, and whether perceived intentionality moderates these effects. Overall, the findings show that vegan labels exert limited influence. In the full sample, they did not significantly affect consumer perceptions or intentions, and intentionality did not act as a consistent moderator. Only when participants consciously recognized the label did selective effects emerge: vegan-labeled products were consistently perceived as less caloric, while initial effects on trust and environmental friendliness weakened once individual differences were considered.

Across outcomes, dietary orientation and vegan familiarity frequently outweighed label effects, indicating that labels are filtered through personal identities and prior knowledge. Taste expectations dominated behavioral intentions, with naturalness and, under label recognition, health perceptions playing smaller roles. This underscores the primacy of hedonic over credence cues in shaping consumer behavior.

The findings refine theory by specifying conditions under which labeling effects fail to emerge, clarifying the limits of attributional reasoning and persuasion knowledge in low-salience contexts, and reaffirming the centrality of sensory expectations in food choice.

For managers, this implies that vegan labels alone are insufficient to drive consumer response. Communication should instead emphasize taste, convey intentionality explicitly, and adapt messaging to consumer predispositions rather than relying on a one-size-fits-all badge.

Future research should examine when and for whom vegan labels meaningfully shape perceptions, focusing on counter-stereotypical product categories, stronger signals of intentionality, and refined methods such as within-subjects designs, eye-tracking, and behavioral choice tasks. Additional moderators and alternative label framings could further clarify consumer heterogeneity and the effects of repeated exposure or taste-focused messaging.

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## Appendix 1 – Pre-Study Results

**Table 1.1**

*Results of the Pre-Study: Means (M), Standard Deviations (SD), ANOVA Results, and Post-hoc Comparisons Across Product Categories*

Calories							
Product group	IV (M, SD)	UV (M, SD)	NV (M, SD)	F(df)	p	$\eta^2$	Post-hoc summary
Meatballs	3.31 (1.30)	3.50 (1.60)	4.19 (1.20)	6.42 (2, 30)	.005	.300	NV > IV (p = .008); NV > UV (p = .022); IV ≈ UV (p = .383)
Spreads (Savory)	3.56 (1.03)	3.75 (1.34)	3.31 (1.70)	.623 (2, 30)	.543	.040	NV ≈ IV (p = .580); NV ≈ UV (p = .371); IV ≈ UV (p = .383)
Spreads (Sweet)	5.06 (1.12)	5.75 (0.93)	6.75 (0.58)	17.033 (2, 30)	.001	.532	NV > UV (p = .002); NV > IV (p < .001); UV > IV (p = .022)
Creamer	3.88 (1.36)	4.38 (1.23)	4.94 (1.44)	4.910 (2, 30)	0.14	.247	NV ≈ UV (p = .155); NV > IV (p = .014); UV ≈ IV (p = .056)
Ice Cream	4.00 (1.03)	3.69 (1.08)	5.38 (1.26)	17.420 (2, 30)	<.001	.537	NV > UV (p < .001); NV > IV (p < .001); UV ≈ IV (p = .264)
Chocolate	4.25 (1.24)	3.63 (1.09)	5.63 (1.03)	19.452 (2, 30)	<.001	.565	NV > UV (p < .001); NV > IV (p = .002); UV ≈ IV (p = .086)

Price							
Product group	IV (M, SD)	UV (M, SD)	NV (M, SD)	F(df)	p	$\eta^2$	Post-hoc summary
Meatballs	4.00 (1.10)	3.62 (1.09)	4.00 (0.97)	1216 (2, 30)	.311	.075	NV ≈ IV (p = 1.00); NV ≈ UV (p = .138); IV ≈ UV (p = .188)
Spreads (Savory)	3.44 (1.41)	2.19 (1.11)	3.31 (1.54)	9161 (2, 30)	<.001	.379	NV < IV (p = .005); NV ≈ UV (p = .684); IV > UV (p = .002)
Spreads (Sweet)	4.13 (0.96)	2.94 (1.34)	3.44 (1.26)	9.501 (2, 30)	<.001	.388	NV < IV (p = .022); NV ≈ UV (p = .088); IV > UV (p < .001)
Creamer	3.63 (1.09)	2.94 (1.29)	2.12 (1.26)	12.324 (2, 30)	<.001	.451	NV < IV (p = .001); NV < UV (p = .032); IV > UV (p = .011)
Ice Cream	3.94 (1.12)	3.25 (1.24)	2.56 (0.89)	17.621 (2, 30)	<.001	.540	NV < IV (p < .001); NV < UV (p = .016); IV > UV (p = .007)
Chocolate	3.25 (0.93)	2.94 (1.00)	2.44 (1.03)	9.348 (2, 30)	<.001	.384	NV < IV (p < .001); NV < UV (p = .015); IV ≈ UV (p = .096)

Naturalness							
Product group	IV (M, SD)	UV (M, SD)	NV (M, SD)	F(df)	p	$\eta^2$	Post-hoc summary
Meatballs	4.44 (1.71)	3.38 (1.59)	4.13 (1.20)	8044 (2, 30)	.002	.349	NV ≈ IV (p = .173); NV > UV (p = .018); IV > UV (p = .004)
Spreads (Savory)	3.81 (1.28)	2.56 (1.32)	2.37 (1.26)	13.451 (2, 30)	<.001	.473	NV < IV (p < .001); NV ≈ UV (p = .580); IV < UV (p < .001)
Spreads (Sweet)	5.00 (1.37)	4.62 (1.36)	6.37 (0.81)	12.668 (2, 30)	<.001	.458	NV > IV (p = .002); NV > UV (p < .001); IV ≈ UV (p = .319)
Creamer	3.75 (1.34)	2.88 (1.36)	3.19 (1.56)	6.274 (2, 30)	.005	.295	NV ≈ IV (p = .095); NV ≈ UV (p = .055); IV > UV (p = .004)
Ice Cream	4.44 (1.32)	3.38 (1.20)	4.31 (1.45)	9.056 (2, 30)	<.001	.376	NV ≈ IV (p = .544); NV > UV (p = .008); IV > UV (p = .003)
Chocolate	4.40 (1.06)	3.67 (1.05)	5.13 (1.51)	7.735 (2, 28)	.002	.356	NV ≈ IV (p = .119); NV > UV (p = .005); IV < UV (p < .001)

Intentionality							
Product group	IV (M, SD)	UV (M, SD)	NV (M, SD)	F(df)	p	$\eta^2$	Post-hoc summary
Meatballs	6.38 (2.19)	2.69 (1.01)	1.00 (0.00)	55906 (2, 30)	<.001	.788	NV < IV (p < .001); NV < UV (p < .001); IV > UV (p < .001)
Spreads (Savory)	7.00 (1.41)	2.50 (0.89)	1.06 (0.25)	159.043 (2, 30)	<.001	.914	NV < IV (p < .001); NV < UV (p < .001); IV > UV (p < .001)
Spreads (Sweet)	5.00 (1.37)	4.62 (1.36)	6.37 (0.81)	12.668 (2, 30)	<.001	.458	NV < IV (p = .002); NV < UV (p < .001); IV > UV (p < .319)
Creamer	6.31 (1.96)	2.56 (1.26)	1.00 (0.00)	66.933 (2, 30)	<.001	.817	NV < IV (p < .001); NV < UV (p < .001); IV > UV (p < .001)
Ice Cream	7.25 (1.18)	2.25 (0.58)	1.19 (0.40)	252.056 (2, 30)	<.001	.944	NV < IV (p < .001); NV < UV (p < .001); IV > UV (p < .001)
Chocolate	5.87 (1.99)	2.19 (.40)	1.00 (0.00)	76.511 (2, 30)	<.001	.836	NV < IV (p < .001); NV < UV (p < .001); IV > UV (p < .001)

*Note.* The detailed SPSS output is available upon request. For reasons of scope, results are summarized in the present table. The categories Wraps, Chips, and Bolognese were excluded because products intended as unintentionally vegan were frequently perceived as intentional, and vice versa, preventing a clear differentiation on the central dimension of intentionality.

## Appendix 2 - Questionnaire Main Study (Example Vegan Stimuli)

Q1 Welcome, and thank you for participating in this survey as part of my Master’s thesis at Católica Lisbon School of Business & Economics. In this study, we are interested in understanding how people perceive and respond to food products- We will measure different perceptions related to these products. Your participation is completely anonymous and voluntary, and the survey should take approximately 7 minutes to complete. All brands are fictional. By proceeding, you consent to participate in this study. Thank you again for your time and contribution!

Q1.1 Please enter your Prolific ID in the box below. You can find your Prolific ID in your Prolific account under “Participant ID”. This ID is only used to confirm your participation and to match your survey response with your Prolific account. Your responses will remain anonymous.

Q2 You will now be shown three different products with a vegan label and asked to evaluate them based on several attributes. Please rate each product as honestly as possible. Your responses are essential to our research.

Q3 Please take a moment to review the product below before answering the next questions. You will be able to continue after a few seconds.



Q5 Please answer the following questions based on the photo you just saw.

A processed product is one that has been changed from its natural form (e.g., by adding artificial ingredients).

- Based on the photo you just saw, how likely is it that the product is minimally processed?
- How likely is it that the product presented contains ingredients that have been artificially manipulated?

(Scale: 1 = Not at all likely, 7 = Very likely)

Q6 In your opinion, what is the caloric value of the product you just saw?

(Scale: 1 = Not at all caloric, 7 = Very caloric)

Q7 Compared to other chocolates, do you think that one serving of this chocolate contains fewer or more calories?

(Scale: 1 = Fewer calories, 7 = More calories)

Q8 Please answer the following questions based on the photo you just saw.

- How expensive do you think the previously shown product is?
- Compared to other chocolates, do you think this product is expensive?

(Scale: 1 = at all; 7 = Very much)

Q9 Do you believe the product you were shown is environmentally friendly (e.g., production, transport)? (Scale:

1 = Strongly disagree; 7 = Strongly agree)

Q10 Please indicate how much you agree with the following statements about the previously shown product.

- I am willing to try this product.
- This product seems healthier than similar products.
- I expect this product to taste better than similar products.
- I would prefer to buy this product over other similar products.

(Scale for all: 1 = Strongly disagree; 7 = Strongly agree)

Q11 Do you think the product you saw has been prepared in an environmentally friendly way?

Scale: 1 = Strongly disagree, 7 = Strongly agree

Q13 Please indicate how much you agree with the following statements about the previously shown product.

- I trust this product.
- This product seems reliable.

(Scale: 1 = Strongly disagree; 7 = Strongly agree)

Q14 Please indicate how much you agree with the following statements about the fictional company behind the product you just saw.

- The company behind this product is honest with consumers.
- I believe the company behind this product acts with good intentions.

(Scale: 1 = Strongly disagree; 7 = Strongly agree)

Q15 To what extent do you think the product you were shown is intentionally vegan (i.e., specifically made to be vegan)? A vegan product is one that does not contain any ingredients of animal origin (e.g., no meat, fish, dairy, eggs, or honey).

(Scale: 1 = Not at all intentionally vegan; 7 = Very intentionally vegan)

Q42 Please select the label that was shown to you in the previous sections.

Options: Vegan label / Vegetarian Label / Plant-based Label / There was no label shown

Q43 Please indicate to what extent you agree with the following statements.

- When buying groceries, I seek labeled products.
- Food labels allow me to know what I am consuming.
- It is important that my food is labeled.

(Scale: 1 = Strongly disagree; 5 = Strongly agree)

Q44 How do you rate your knowledge about vegan products?

(Scale: 1 = Very low; 5 = Very high)

Q45 How familiar are you with what it means for a product to be labeled as vegan?

(Scale: 1 = Not familiar at all; 5 = Extremely familiar)

Q46 Please indicate your gender.

Options: Male / Female / Non-binary / Third gender/ Other / Prefer not to say

Q47 Please indicate your age in numbers.

Q48 Please indicate to what extent you identify yourself with the following descriptions.

Options: Meat eater / Omnivore / Vegetarian / Vegan

### Appendix 3 – Main Study Results

**Table 3.1**

*Scales Reliabilities (Cronbach's  $\alpha$ )*

#### *Naturalness*

Scale: ALL VARIABLES

##### Case Processing Summary

		N	%
Cases	Valid	140	100,0
	Excluded <sup>a</sup>	0	,0
Total		140	100,0

a. Listwise deletion based on all variables in the procedure.

##### Reliability Statistics

Cronbach's Alpha	N of Items
,807	6

#### *Calories*

Scale: ALL VARIABLES

##### Case Processing Summary

		N	%
Cases	Valid	140	100,0
	Excluded <sup>a</sup>	0	,0
Total		140	100,0

a. Listwise deletion based on all variables in the procedure.

##### Reliability Statistics

Cronbach's Alpha	N of Items
,728	6

#### *Trust*

Scale: ALL VARIABLES

##### Case Processing Summary

		N	%
Cases	Valid	140	100,0
	Excluded <sup>a</sup>	0	,0
Total		140	100,0

a. Listwise deletion based on all variables in the procedure.

##### Reliability Statistics

Cronbach's Alpha	N of Items
,943	12

#### *Price*

Scale: ALL VARIABLES

##### Case Processing Summary

		N	%
Cases	Valid	140	100,0
	Excluded <sup>a</sup>	0	,0
Total		140	100,0

a. Listwise deletion based on all variables in the procedure.

##### Reliability Statistics

Cronbach's Alpha	N of Items
,824	6

#### *Environmental*

Scale: ALL VARIABLES

##### Case Processing Summary

		N	%
Cases	Valid	140	100,0
	Excluded <sup>a</sup>	0	,0
Total		140	100,0

a. Listwise deletion based on all variables in the procedure.

##### Reliability Statistics

Cronbach's Alpha	N of Items
,886	6

**Table 3.2**

*Sample Demographics*

#### *Gender*

**Frequency Table**

Please indicate your gender.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Male	64	45,7	45,7	45,7
	Female	76	54,3	54,3	100,0
Total		140	100,0	100,0	

*Dietary Orientation*

**Descriptive Statistics**

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
neu_vegorient	140	-8,00	8,00	4,1786	3,45009
Valid N (listwise)	140				

*Age*

**Descriptive Statistics**

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
age_num	140	19,00	80,00	42,1643	14,51450
Valid N (listwise)	140				

**Table 3.3**

*Manipulation Checks*

*Label Manipulation (Crosstabs for label manipulation (Chi-Square-Test))*

**Case Processing Summary**

	Valid		Cases Missing		Total	
	N	Percent	N	Percent	N	Percent
Please select the label that was shown to you in the previous sections. * label	140	100,0%	0	0,0%	140	100,0%

**Please select the label that was shown to you in the previous sections. \* label  
Crosstabulation**

		label		Total	
		,00	1,00		
Please select the label that was shown to you in the previous sections.	Vegan Label	Count	4	65	69
		% within Please select the label that was shown to you in the previous sections.	5,8%	94,2%	100,0%
Vegetarian Label	Count	1	1	2	
	% within Please select the label that was shown to you in the previous sections.	50,0%	50,0%	100,0%	
Plant-based Label	Count	4	2	6	
	% within Please select the label that was shown to you in the previous sections.	66,7%	33,3%	100,0%	
There was no label shown.	Count	61	2	63	
	% within Please select the label that was shown to you in the previous sections.	96,8%	3,2%	100,0%	
Total	Count	70	70	140	
	% within Please select the label that was shown to you in the previous sections.	50,0%	50,0%	100,0%	

**Chi-Square Tests**

	Value	df	Asymptotic Significance (2-sided)
Pearson Chi-Square	109,848 <sup>a</sup>	3	<,001
Likelihood Ratio	135,389	3	<,001
Linear-by-Linear Association	108,913	1	<,001
N of Valid Cases	140		

a. 4 cells (50,0%) have expected count less than 5. The minimum expected count is 1,00.

*Intentionality Overall*

Group Statistics					
	intent	N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean
intent_overall	,00	70	4,7095	1,39463	,16669
	1,00	70	5,2905	1,07665	,12868

Independent Samples Test											
Levene's Test for Equality of Variances						t-test for Equality of Means				95% Confidence Interval of the Difference	
		F	Sig.	t	df	Significance One-Sided p	Significance Two-Sided p	Mean Difference	Std. Error Difference	Lower	Upper
intent_overall	Equal variances assumed	5,558	,020	-2,759	138	,003	,007	-,58095	,21058	-,99734	-,16457
	Equal variances not assumed			-2,759	129,689	,003	,007	-,58095	,21058	-,99758	-,16433

Independent Samples Effect Sizes					
		Standardizer <sup>a</sup>	Point Estimate	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower	Upper
intent_overall	Cohen's d	1,24583	-,466	-,801	-,130
	Hedges' correction	1,25265	-,464	-,797	-,129
	Glass's delta	1,07665	-,540	-,881	-,195

a. The denominator used in estimating the effect sizes. Cohen's d uses the pooled standard deviation. Hedges' correction uses the pooled standard deviation, plus a correction factor. Glass's delta uses the sample standard deviation of the control (i.e., the second) group.

## Intentionality Spreads

Group Statistics					
	intent	N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean
To what extent do you think the product you were shown is intentionally vegan (i.e., specifically made to be vegan)?	,00	70	4,50	1,879	,225
A vegan product is one that does not contain any ingredients of animal origin (e.g., no meat, fish, dairy, eggs, or honey).	1,00	70	5,23	1,738	,208

Independent Samples Test											
Levene's Test for Equality of Variances						t-test for Equality of Means				95% Confidence Interval of the Difference	
		F	Sig.	t	df	Significance One-Sided p	Significance Two-Sided p	Mean Difference	Std. Error Difference	Lower	Upper
To what extent do you think the product you were shown is intentionally vegan (i.e., specifically made to be vegan)?	Equal variances assumed	1,653	,201	-2,382	138	,009	,019	-,729	,306	-1,333	-,124
A vegan product is one that does not contain any ingredients of animal origin (e.g., no meat, fish, dairy, eggs, or honey).	Equal variances not assumed			-2,382	137,170	,009	,019	-,729	,306	-1,333	-,124

Independent Samples Effect Sizes					
		Standardizer <sup>a</sup>	Point Estimate	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower	Upper
To what extent do you think the product you were shown is intentionally vegan (i.e., specifically made to be vegan)?	Cohen's d	1,809	-,403	-,737	-,067
	Hedges' correction	1,819	-,400	-,733	-,067
A vegan product is one that does not contain any ingredients of animal origin (e.g., no meat, fish, dairy, eggs, or honey).	Glass's delta	1,738	-,419	-,756	-,079

a. The denominator used in estimating the effect sizes. Cohen's d uses the pooled standard deviation. Hedges' correction uses the pooled standard deviation, plus a correction factor. Glass's delta uses the sample standard deviation of the control (i.e., the second) group.

## Intentionality Balls

Group Statistics					
	intent	N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean
To what extent do you think the product you were shown is intentionally vegan (i.e., specifically made to be vegan)?	,00	70	4,90	1,927	,230
A vegan product is one that does not contain any ingredients of animal origin (e.g., no meat, fish, dairy, eggs, or honey).	1,00	70	5,97	1,541	,184

Independent Samples Test											
Levene's Test for Equality of Variances						t-test for Equality of Means				95% Confidence Interval of the Difference	
		F	Sig.	t	df	Significance One-Sided p	Significance Two-Sided p	Mean Difference	Std. Error Difference	Lower	Upper
To what extent do you think the product you were shown is intentionally vegan (i.e., specifically made to be vegan)?	Equal variances assumed	7,643	,006	-3,632	138	<,001	<,001	-1,071	,295	-1,655	-,488
A vegan product is one that does not contain any ingredients of animal origin (e.g., no meat, fish, dairy, eggs, or honey).	Equal variances not assumed			-3,632	131,642	<,001	<,001	-1,071	,295	-1,655	-,488

**Independent Samples Effect Sizes**

		Standardizer <sup>a</sup>	Point Estimate	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower	Upper
To what extent do you think the product you were shown is intentionally vegan (i.e., specifically made to be vegan)?	Cohen's d	1,745	-,614	-,952	-,274
	Hedges' correction	1,755	-,611	-,947	-,272
A vegan product is one that does not contain any ingredients of animal origin (e.g., no meat, fish, dairy, eggs, or honey).	Glass's delta	1,541	-,695	-,1044	-,342

a. The denominator used in estimating the effect sizes. Cohen's d uses the pooled standard deviation. Hedges' correction uses the pooled standard deviation, plus a correction factor. Glass's delta uses the sample standard deviation of the control (i.e., the second) group.

**Intentionality Chocolate**

→ T-Test

	insert	N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean
To what extent do you think the product you were shown is intentionally vegan (i.e., specifically made to be vegan)?	,00	70	4,73	1,948	,233
A vegan product is one that does not contain any ingredients of animal origin (e.g., no meat, fish, dairy, eggs, or honey).	1,00	70	4,67	1,954	,234

	Levene's Test for Equality of Variances	F	Sig.	t	df	Significance		Mean Difference	Std. Error Difference	95% Confidence Interval of the Difference	
						One-Sided p	Two-Sided p			Lower	Upper
To what extent do you think the product you were shown is intentionally vegan (i.e., specifically made to be vegan)?	Equal variances assumed	,077	,782	,173	138	,431	,863	,057	,330	-,595	,709
A vegan product is one that does not contain any ingredients of animal origin (e.g., no meat, fish, dairy, eggs, or honey).	Equal variances not assumed			,173	137,999	,431	,863	,057	,330	-,595	,709

**Independent Samples Effect Sizes**

		Standardizer <sup>a</sup>	Point Estimate	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower	Upper
To what extent do you think the product you were shown is intentionally vegan (i.e., specifically made to be vegan)?	Cohen's d	1,951	,029	-,302	,361
	Hedges' correction	1,962	,029	-,300	,359
A vegan product is one that does not contain any ingredients of animal origin (e.g., no meat, fish, dairy, eggs, or honey).	Glass's delta	1,954	,029	-,302	,360

a. The denominator used in estimating the effect sizes. Cohen's d uses the pooled standard deviation. Hedges' correction uses the pooled standard deviation, plus a correction factor. Glass's delta uses the sample standard deviation of the control (i.e., the second) group.

**Table 3.4**  
*Control Variables*

*Familiarity with veganism*

	label	N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean
vegan_fam	,00	70	2,8571	1,06711	,12754
	1,00	70	3,3357	,91573	,10945

	Levene's Test for Equality of Variances	F	Sig.	t	df	Significance		Mean Difference	Std. Error Difference	95% Confidence Interval of the Difference	
						One-Sided p	Two-Sided p			Lower	Upper
vegan_fam	Equal variances assumed	3,735	,055	-2,847	138	,003	,005	-,47857	,16807	-,81089	-,14625
	Equal variances not assumed			-2,847	134,892	,003	,005	-,47857	,16807	-,81096	-,14618

**Independent Samples Effect Sizes**

		Standardizer <sup>a</sup>	Point Estimate	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower	Upper
vegan_fam	Cohen's d	,99430	-,481	-,817	-,144
	Hedges' correction	,99975	-,479	-,812	-,144
	Glass's delta	,91573	-,523	-,863	-,178

a. The denominator used in estimating the effect sizes. Cohen's d uses the pooled standard deviation. Hedges' correction uses the pooled standard deviation, plus a correction factor. Glass's delta uses the sample standard deviation of the control (i.e., the second) group.

Group Statistics					
	intent	N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean
vegan_fam	,00	70	3,1071	1,02113	,12205
	1,00	70	3,0857	1,02495	,12250

Independent Samples Test											
Levene's Test for Equality of Variances			t-test for Equality of Means								
		F	Sig.	t	df	Significance One-Sided p	Two-Sided p	Mean Difference	Std. Error Difference	95% Confidence Interval of the Difference	
										Lower	Upper
vegan_fam	Equal variances assumed	,099	,754	,124	138	,451	,902	,02143	,17293	-,32050	,36335
	Equal variances not assumed			,124	137,998	,451	,902	,02143	,17293	-,32050	,36335

Independent Samples Effect Sizes					
		Standardizer <sup>a</sup>	Point Estimate	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower	Upper
vegan_fam	Cohen's d	1,02304	,021	-,310	,352
	Hedges' correction	1,02864	,021	-,309	,350
	Glass's delta	1,02495	,021	-,310	,352

a. The denominator used in estimating the effect sizes. Cohen's d uses the pooled standard deviation. Hedges' correction uses the pooled standard deviation, plus a correction factor. Glass's delta uses the sample standard deviation of the control (i.e., the second) group.

## Label Attitude

Group Statistics					
	intent	N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean
label_att	,00	70	3,5714	1,17151	,14002
	1,00	70	3,5524	1,02448	,12245

Independent Samples Test											
Levene's Test for Equality of Variances			t-test for Equality of Means								
		F	Sig.	t	df	Significance One-Sided p	Two-Sided p	Mean Difference	Std. Error Difference	95% Confidence Interval of the Difference	
										Lower	Upper
label_att	Equal variances assumed	1,934	,167	,102	138	,459	,919	-,01905	,18601	-,34875	,38685
	Equal variances not assumed			,102	135,590	,459	,919	-,01905	,18601	-,34881	,38690

Independent Samples Effect Sizes					
		Standardizer <sup>a</sup>	Point Estimate	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower	Upper
label_att	Cohen's d	1,10045	,017	-,314	,349
	Hedges' correction	1,10648	,017	-,312	,347
	Glass's delta	1,02448	,019	-,313	,350

a. The denominator used in estimating the effect sizes. Cohen's d uses the pooled standard deviation. Hedges' correction uses the pooled standard deviation, plus a correction factor. Glass's delta uses the sample standard deviation of the control (i.e., the second) group.

Group Statistics					
	label	N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean
label_att	,00	70	3,5238	1,11579	,13336
	1,00	70	3,6000	1,08362	,12952

Independent Samples Test											
Levene's Test for Equality of Variances			t-test for Equality of Means								
		F	Sig.	t	df	Significance One-Sided p	Two-Sided p	Mean Difference	Std. Error Difference	95% Confidence Interval of the Difference	
										Lower	Upper
label_att	Equal variances assumed	,300	,585	-,410	138	,341	,683	-,07619	,18590	-,44378	,29140
	Equal variances not assumed			-,410	137,882	,341	,683	-,07619	,18590	-,44378	,29140

Independent Samples Effect Sizes					
		Standardizer <sup>a</sup>	Point Estimate	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower	Upper
label_att	Cohen's d	1,09983	-,069	-,401	,262
	Hedges' correction	1,10585	-,069	-,398	,261
	Glass's delta	1,08362	-,070	-,402	,261

a. The denominator used in estimating the effect sizes. Cohen's d uses the pooled standard deviation. Hedges' correction uses the pooled standard deviation, plus a correction factor. Glass's delta uses the sample standard deviation of the control (i.e., the second) group.

## Dietary Orientation

Group Statistics					
	label	N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean
neu_vegorient	,00	70	5,0714	2,72573	,32579
	1,00	70	3,2857	3,86415	,46185

Independent Samples Test											
Levene's Test for Equality of Variances			t-test for Equality of Means								
		F	Sig.	t	df	Significance One-Sided p	Two-Sided p	Mean Difference	Std. Error Difference	95% Confidence Interval of the Difference	
										Lower	Upper
neu_vegorient	Equal variances assumed	8,107	,005	3,159	138	<,001	,002	1,78571	,56520	,66815	2,90328
	Equal variances not assumed			3,159	124,039	<,001	,002	1,78571	,56520	,66704	2,90439

Independent Samples Effect Sizes					
		Standardizer <sup>a</sup>	Point Estimate	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower	Upper
neu_vegorient	Cohen's d	3,34375	,534	,196	,870
	Hedges' correction	3,36206	,531	,195	,866
	Glass's delta	3,86415	,462	,120	,801

a. The denominator used in estimating the effect sizes. Cohen's d uses the pooled standard deviation. Hedges' correction uses the pooled standard deviation, plus a correction factor. Glass's delta uses the sample standard deviation of the control (i.e., the second) group.

	intent	N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean
neu_vegorient	,00	70	4,3429	3,82170	,45678
	1,00	70	4,0143	3,05264	,36486

		Levene's Test for Equality of Variances		t	df	t-test for Equality of Means		Mean Difference	Std. Error Difference	95% Confidence Interval of the Difference	
		F	Sig.			One-Sided p	Two-Sided p			Lower	Upper
neu_vegorient	Equal variances assumed	3,360	,069	,562	138	,288	,575	,32857	,58461	-,82738	1,48453
	Equal variances not assumed			,562	131,575	,288	,575	,32857	,58461	-,82788	1,48503

	Standardizer <sup>a</sup>	Point Estimate	95% Confidence Interval		
			Lower	Upper	
neu_vegorient	Cohen's d	3,45861	,095	-,237	,426
	Hedges' correction	3,47755	,094	-,235	,424
	Glass's delta	3,05264	,108	-,225	,439

a. The denominator used in estimating the effect sizes. Cohen's d uses the pooled standard deviation. Hedges' correction uses the pooled standard deviation, plus a correction factor. Glass's delta uses the sample standard deviation of the control (i.e., the second) group.

**Table 3.5**  
*Hypothesis Testing (overall)*

*Calories (ANOVA)*

	N
label ,00	70
1,00	70
intent ,00	70
1,00	70

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,1286	,77448	35
	1,00	4,2048	,86987	35
	Total	4,1667	,81847	70
1,00	,00	4,0619	,83342	35
	1,00	3,9571	,71782	35
	Total	4,0095	,77391	70
Total	,00	4,0952	,79934	70
	1,00	4,0810	,80144	70
	Total	4,0881	,79754	140

ca_overall	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
Based on Mean	,848	3	136	,470
Based on Median	,833	3	136	,478
Based on Median and with adjusted df	,833	3	131,877	,478
Based on trimmed mean	,843	3	136	,473

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

- a. Dependent variable: ca\_overall  
b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	1,158 <sup>a</sup>	3	,386	,602	,615	,013
Intercept	2339,753	1	2339,753	3646,833	<.,001	,964
label	,864	1	,864	1,347	,248	,010
intent	,007	1	,007	,011	,916	,000
label * intent	,287	1	,287	,447	,505	,003
Error	87,256	136	,642			
Total	2428,167	140				
Corrected Total	88,413	139				

a. R Squared = ,013 (Adjusted R Squared = -,009)

*Calories (ANCOVA)*

**Between-Subjects Factors**

	N	
label	,00	70
	1,00	70
intent	,00	70
	1,00	70

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: ca\_loverall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,1286	,77448	35
	1,00	4,2048	,86987	35
	Total	4,1667	,81847	70
1,00	,00	4,0619	,83342	35
	1,00	3,9571	,71782	35
	Total	4,0095	,77391	70
Total	,00	4,0952	,79934	70
	1,00	4,0810	,80144	70
	Total	4,0881	,79754	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: ca\_loverall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
,701	3	136	,553

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: ca\_loverall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval		Partial Eta Squared
					Lower Bound	Upper Bound	
Intercept	3,656	,298	12,276	<.,001	3,067	4,245	,529
neu_vegorient	,012	,021	,555	,580	-,030	,054	,002
vegan_fam	,079	,072	1,105	,271	-,062	,221	,009
[label=.00]	,266	,197	1,353	,178	-,123	,655	,013
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[intent=.00]	,101	,192	,526	,600	-,279	,481	,002
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	-,184	,272	-,679	,498	-,721	,353	,003
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: ca\_loverall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	1,989 <sup>a</sup>	5	,398	,617	,687	,022
Intercept	127,814	1	127,814	198,173	<.,001	,597
neu_vegorient	,199	1	,199	,308	,580	,002
vegan_fam	,788	1	,788	1,222	,271	,009
label	,960	1	,960	1,488	,225	,011
intent	,003	1	,003	,004	,949	,000
label * intent	,298	1	,298	,461	,498	,003
Error	86,425	134	,645			
Total	2428,167	140				
Corrected Total	88,413	139				

a. R Squared = ,022 (Adjusted R Squared = -,014)

**3. label \* intent**

Dependent Variable: ca\_loverall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,133 <sup>a</sup>	,138	3,860	4,406
	1,00	4,217 <sup>a</sup>	,137	3,945	4,488
1,00	,00	4,052 <sup>a</sup>	,137	3,780	4,323
	1,00	3,951 <sup>a</sup>	,138	3,678	4,223

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,1786, vegan\_fam = 3,0964.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: ca\_loverall

intent	(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	,082	,197	,679	-,308	,472
	1,00	,00	-,082	,197	,679	-,472	,308
1,00	,00	1,00	,266	,197	,178	-,123	,655
	1,00	,00	-,266	,197	,178	-,655	,123

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**4. intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: ca\_loverall

intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
			Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	4,092 <sup>a</sup>	,096	3,902	4,282
1,00	4,084 <sup>a</sup>	,096	3,894	4,274

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,1786, vegan\_fam = 3,0964.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: ca\_loverall

(I) intent	(J) intent	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
					Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	1,00	-,009	,136	,949	-,260	,278
1,00	,00	-,009	,136	,949	-,278	,260

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

Price (ANOVA)

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N
label	,00	70
	1,00	70
intent	,00	70
	1,00	70

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,9333	,94730	35
	1,00	5,3000	,69874	35
	Total	5,1167	,84668	70
1,00	,00	5,0905	,87573	35
	1,00	5,1095	,73314	35
	Total	5,1000	,80177	70
Total	,00	5,0119	,90904	70
	1,00	5,2048	,71738	70
	Total	5,1083	,82160	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

		Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
pri_overall	Based on Mean	1,364	3	136	,257
	Based on Median	1,211	3	136	,308
	Based on Median and with adjusted df	1,211	3	129,148	,308
	Based on trimmed mean	1,399	3	136	,246

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent variable: pri\_overall

b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	2,369 <sup>a</sup>	3	,790	1,174	,322	,025
Intercept	3653,310	1	3653,310	5432,412	<,001	,976
label	,010	1	,010	,014	,904	,000
intent	1,302	1	1,302	1,936	,166	,014
label * intent	1,057	1	1,057	1,572	,212	,011
Error	91,460	136	,673			
Total	3747,139	140				
Corrected Total	93,829	139				

a. R Squared = ,025 (Adjusted R Squared = ,004)

**Price (ANCOVA)**

**Univariate Analysis of Variance**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N
label	,00	70
	1,00	70
intent	,00	70
	1,00	70

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,9333	,94730	35
	1,00	5,3000	,69874	35
	Total	5,1167	,84668	70
1,00	,00	5,0905	,87573	35
	1,00	5,1095	,73314	35
	Total	5,1000	,80177	70
Total	,00	5,0119	,90904	70
	1,00	5,2048	,71738	70
	Total	5,1083	,82160	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
1,231	3	136	,301

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	3,746 <sup>a</sup>	5	,749	1,115	,356	,040
Intercept	237,218	1	237,218	352,867	<,001	,725
neu_vegorient	,705	1	,705	1,049	,308	,008
vegan_fam	,308	1	,308	,458	,500	,003
label	,069	1	,069	,103	,748	,001
intent	1,383	1	1,383	2,058	,154	,015
label * intent	1,080	1	1,080	1,606	,207	,012
Error	90,083	134	,672			
Total	3747,139	140				
Corrected Total	93,829	139				

a. R Squared = ,040 (Adjusted R Squared = ,004)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval		Partial Eta Squared
					Lower Bound	Upper Bound	
Intercept	5,203	,304	17,112	<,001	4,602	5,805	,686
neu_vegorient	,022	,022	1,024	,308	-,021	,065	,008
vegan_fam	-,049	,073	-,676	,500	-,194	,095	,003
[label=.00]	,129	,201	,642	,522	-,268	,526	,003
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[intent=.00]	-,023	,196	-,120	,905	-,411	,364	,000
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	-,351	,277	-1,267	,207	-,900	,197	,012
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

4. label \* intent

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,898 <sup>a</sup>	,141	4,619	5,176
	1,00	5,272 <sup>a</sup>	,140	4,995	5,549
1,00	,00	5,120 <sup>a</sup>	,140	4,843	5,397
	1,00	5,143 <sup>a</sup>	,141	4,865	5,422

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,1786, vegan\_fam = 3,0964.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

intent	(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	-,222	,201	,271	-,620	,176
	1,00	,00	,222	,201	,271	-,176	,620
1,00	,00	1,00	,129	,201	,522	-,268	,526
	1,00	,00	-,129	,201	,522	-,526	,268

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

*Naturalness (ANOVA)*

**Between-Subjects Factors**

N	
label	,00 70
	1,00 70
intent	,00 70
	1,00 70

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,3048	,95185	35
	1,00	4,1048	1,24071	35
	Total	4,2048	1,10232	70
1,00	,00	4,4762	1,22484	35
	1,00	4,2381	1,18700	35
	Total	4,3571	1,20329	70
Total	,00	4,3905	1,09231	70
	1,00	4,1714	1,20719	70
	Total	4,2810	1,15229	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.	
nat_overall	Based on Mean	1,537	3	136	,208
	Based on Median	1,223	3	136	,304
	Based on Median and with adjusted df	1,223	3	131,626	,304
	Based on trimmed mean	1,552	3	136	,204

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent variable: nat\_overall

b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

*Naturalness (ANCOVA)*

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	2,505 <sup>a</sup>	3	,835	,624	,601	,014
Intercept	2565,717	1	2565,717	1916,654	<,001	,934
label	,813	1	,813	,607	,437	,004
intent	1,679	1	1,679	1,255	,265	,009
label * intent	,013	1	,013	,009	,923	,000
Error	182,056	136	1,339			
Total	2750,278	140				
Corrected Total	184,560	139				

a. R Squared = ,014 (Adjusted R Squared = -,008)

➔ **Univariate Analysis of Variance**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N
label	,00	70
	1,00	70
intent	,00	70
	1,00	70

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,3048	,95185	35
	1,00	4,1048	1,24071	35
	Total	4,2048	1,10232	70
1,00	,00	4,4762	1,22484	35
	1,00	4,2381	1,18700	35
	Total	4,3571	1,20329	70
Total	,00	4,3905	1,09231	70
	1,00	4,1714	1,20719	70
	Total	4,2810	1,15229	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
1,549	3	136	,205

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	12,002 <sup>a</sup>	5	2,400	1,864	,105	,065
Intercept	164,581	1	164,581	127,806	<,001	,488
neu_vegorient	6,542	1	6,542	5,080	,026	,037
vegan_fam	,885	1	,885	,688	,408	,005
label	,003	1	,003	,002	,965	,000
intent	2,002	1	2,002	1,555	,215	,011
label * intent	,006	1	,006	,004	,947	,000
Error	172,558	134	1,288			
Total	2750,278	140				
Corrected Total	184,560	139				

a. R Squared = ,065 (Adjusted R Squared = ,030)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound	Partial Eta Squared
Intercept	4,174	,421	9,919	<,001	3,342	5,007	,423
neu_vegorient	-,068	,030	-2,254	,026	-,127	-,008	,037
vegan_fam	,084	,101	,829	,408	-,116	,284	,005
[label=.00]	,022	,278	,079	,938	-,528	,571	,000
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[intent=.00]	,252	,271	,930	,354	-,284	,789	,006
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	-,026	,384	-,067	,947	-,785	,733	,000
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	1,00	,009	,201	,965	-,389	,407
1,00	,00	-,009	,201	,965	-,407	,389

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,399 <sup>a</sup>	,195	4,013	4,784
	1,00	4,172 <sup>a</sup>	,194	3,789	4,555
1,00	,00	4,403 <sup>a</sup>	,194	4,019	4,786
	1,00	4,150 <sup>a</sup>	,195	3,765	4,535

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,1786, vegan\_fam = 3,0964.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

intent	(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	-,004	,279	,989	-,555	,547
	1,00	,00	,004	,279	,989	-,547	,555
1,00	,00	1,00	,022	,278	,938	-,528	,571
	1,00	,00	-,022	,278	,938	-,571	,528

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

*Trust (ANOVA)*

**Between-Subjects Factors**

N		
label	,00	70
	1,00	70
intent	,00	70
	1,00	70

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,6071	,96138	35
	1,00	4,7952	,85304	35
	Total	4,7012	,90717	70
1,00	,00	4,7405	1,09006	35
	1,00	5,0357	,78207	35
	Total	4,8881	,95341	70
Total	,00	4,6738	1,02247	70
	1,00	4,9155	,82135	70
	Total	4,7946	,93196	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

trust_overall	Based on	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
trust_overall	Based on Mean	1,615	3	136	,189
	Based on Median	1,436	3	136	,235
	Based on Median and with adjusted df	1,436	3	126,631	,235
	Based on trimmed mean	1,601	3	136	,192

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

- a. Dependent Variable: trust\_overall
- b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

**Trust (ANCOVA)**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

N		
label	,00	70
	1,00	70
intent	,00	70
	1,00	70

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,6071	,96138	35
	1,00	4,7952	,85304	35
	Total	4,7012	,90717	70
1,00	,00	4,7405	1,09006	35
	1,00	5,0357	,78207	35
	Total	4,8881	,95341	70
Total	,00	4,6738	1,02247	70
	1,00	4,9155	,82135	70
	Total	4,7946	,93196	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
1,513	3	136	,214

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

- a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,692 <sup>a</sup>	,155	4,385	4,999
	1,00	4,864 <sup>a</sup>	,154	4,559	5,169
1,00	,00	4,668 <sup>a</sup>	,154	4,363	4,973
	1,00	4,955 <sup>a</sup>	,155	4,648	5,261

- a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,1786, vegan\_fam = 3,0964.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

intent	(i) label	(j) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup> Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	,222	,222	,915	-,415	,462
		1,00	-,024	,222	,915	-,462	,415
	1,00	,00	-,091	,221	,683	-,528	,347
1,00	,00	1,00	,221	,221	,683	-,347	,528

Based on estimated marginal means

- a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Univariate Tests**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

intent	Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	
,00	Contrast	,009	1	,009	,011	,915
	Error	109,335	134	,816		
1,00	Contrast	,137	1	,137	,168	,683
	Error	109,335	134	,816		

Each F tests the simple effects of label within each level combination of the other effects shown. These tests are based on the linearly independent pairwise comparisons among the estimated marginal means.

**Behavioral Intentions (ANOVA)**

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	3,367 <sup>a</sup>	3	1,122	1,301	,277	,028
Intercept	3218,404	1	3218,404	3729,553	<,001	,965
label	1,223	1	1,223	1,417	,236	,010
intent	2,044	1	2,044	2,369	,126	,017
label * intent	,100	1	,100	,116	,733	,001
Error	117,361	136	,863			
Total	3339,132	140				
Corrected Total	120,728	139				

- a. R Squared = ,028 (Adjusted R Squared = ,006)

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	11,392 <sup>a</sup>	5	2,278	2,792	,020	,094
Intercept	182,284	1	182,284	223,404	<,001	,625
neu_vegorient	3,047	1	3,047	3,734	,055	,027
vegan_fam	2,751	1	2,751	3,371	,069	,025
label	,035	1	,035	,044	,835	,000
intent	1,840	1	1,840	2,255	,136	,017
label * intent	,114	1	,114	,140	,709	,001
Error	109,335	134	,816			
Total	3339,132	140				
Corrected Total	120,728	139				

- a. R Squared = ,094 (Adjusted R Squared = ,061)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound	Partial Eta Squared
Intercept	4,691	,335	14,002	<,001	4,028	5,353	,594
neu_vegorient	-,046	,024	-1,932	,055	-,094	,001	,027
vegan_fam	,148	,081	1,836	,069	-,011	,307	,025
[label=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						,001
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[intent=.00]	-,287	,216	-1,328	,187	-,714	,140	,013
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	,114	,305	,374	,709	-,490	,718	,001
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						

- a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**Between-Subjects Factors**

	N
label ,00	70
1,00	70
intent ,00	70
1,00	70

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,5571	1,27311	35
	1,00	4,5571	1,05946	35
	Total	4,5571	1,16265	70
1,00	,00	4,6381	1,19537	35
	1,00	4,6333	1,31283	35
	Total	4,6357	1,24635	70
Total	,00	4,5976	1,22655	70
	1,00	4,5952	1,18484	70
	Total	4,5964	1,20153	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.	
wtp_overall	Based on Mean	,728	3	136	,537
	Based on Median	,700	3	136	,554
	Based on Median and with adjusted df	,700	3	134,732	,554
	Based on trimmed mean	,716	3	136	,544

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent variable: wtp\_overall  
b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

*Behavioral Intentions (ANCOVA)*

**Between-Subjects Factors**

	N
label ,00	70
1,00	70
intent ,00	70
1,00	70

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,5571	1,27311	35
	1,00	4,5571	1,05946	35
	Total	4,5571	1,16265	70
1,00	,00	4,6381	1,19537	35
	1,00	4,6333	1,31283	35
	Total	4,6357	1,24635	70
Total	,00	4,5976	1,22655	70
	1,00	4,5952	1,18484	70
	Total	4,5964	1,20153	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
1,290	3	136	,281

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,688 <sup>a</sup>	,200	4,293	5,083
	1,00	4,664 <sup>a</sup>	,199	4,272	5,057
1,00	,00	4,525 <sup>a</sup>	,199	4,132	4,919
	1,00	4,508 <sup>a</sup>	,199	4,114	4,902

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,1786, vegan\_fam = 3,0964.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

intent (I) label (J) label (I) label (J)	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00 ,00 1,00	,162	,285	,570	-,402	,727
1,00 ,00	-,162	,285	,570	-,727	,402
1,00 ,00 1,00	,157	,285	,583	-,406	,719
1,00 ,00	-,157	,285	,583	-,719	,406

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

*Health (ANOVA)*

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	,216 <sup>a</sup>	3	,072	,049	,986	,001
Intercept	2957,802	1	2957,802	2006,750	<,001	,937
label	,216	1	,216	,147	,702	,001
intent	,000	1	,000	,000	,991	,000
label * intent	,000	1	,000	,000	,991	,000
Error	200,454	136	1,474			
Total	3158,472	140				
Corrected Total	200,670	139				

a. R Squared = ,001 (Adjusted R Squared = -,021)

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	19,571 <sup>a</sup>	5	3,914	2,896	,016	,098
Intercept	153,763	1	153,763	113,773	<,001	,459
neu_vegorient	7,003	1	7,003	5,182	,024	,037
vegan_fam	6,975	1	6,975	5,161	,025	,037
label	,807	1	,807	,597	,441	,004
intent	,015	1	,015	,011	,918	,000
label * intent	,000	1	,000	,000	,988	,000
Error	181,100	134	1,351			
Total	3158,472	140				
Corrected Total	200,670	139				

a. R Squared = ,098 (Adjusted R Squared = ,064)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval		Partial Eta Squared
					Lower Bound	Upper Bound	
Intercept	4,073	,431	9,446	<,001	3,220	4,925	,400
neu_vegorient	-,070	,031	-2,276	,024	-,131	-,009	,037
vegan_fam	,235	,104	2,272	,025	,030	,440	,037
[label=.00]	,157	,285	,550	,583	-,406	,719	,002
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[intent=.00]	,017	,278	,063	,950	-,532	,567	,000
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	,006	,393	,015	,988	-,771	,783	,000
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

→ Univariate Analysis of Variance

Between-Subjects Factors

		N
label	,00	70
	1,00	70
intent	,00	70
	1,00	70

Descriptive Statistics

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,4762	1,00419	35
	1,00	4,5810	1,19186	35
	Total	4,5286	1,09529	70
1,00	,00	4,6762	1,32469	35
	1,00	4,8667	1,08525	35
	Total	4,7714	1,20592	70
Total	,00	4,5762	1,17121	70
	1,00	4,7238	1,14063	70
	Total	4,6500	1,15423	140

Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>

health_overall_neu	Based on	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
health_overall_neu	Mean	,520	3	136	,669
	Median	,525	3	136	,666
	Median and with adjusted df	,525	3	128,955	,666
	Trimmed mean	,553	3	136	,647

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent variable: health\_overall\_neu

b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

Tests of Between-Subjects Effects

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	2,891 <sup>a</sup>	3	,964	,719	,542	,016
Intercept	3027,150	1	3027,150	2258,422	<,001	,943
label	2,064	1	2,064	1,540	,217	,011
intent	,763	1	,763	,569	,452	,004
label * intent	,064	1	,064	,048	,827	,000
Error	182,292	136	1,340			
Total	3212,333	140				
Corrected Total	185,183	139				

a. R Squared = ,016 (Adjusted R Squared = -,006)

Health (ANCOVA)

→ Univariate Analysis of Variance

Between-Subjects Factors

		N
label	,00	70
	1,00	70
intent	,00	70
	1,00	70

Descriptive Statistics

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,4762	1,00419	35
	1,00	4,5810	1,19186	35
	Total	4,5286	1,09529	70
1,00	,00	4,6762	1,32469	35
	1,00	4,8667	1,08525	35
	Total	4,7714	1,20592	70
Total	,00	4,5762	1,17121	70
	1,00	4,7238	1,14063	70
	Total	4,6500	1,15423	140

Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

F	df1	df2	Sig.
,296	3	136	,828

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

4. label \* intent

Estimates

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,554 <sup>a</sup>	,197	4,165	4,943
	1,00	4,643 <sup>a</sup>	,196	4,257	5,030
1,00	,00	4,610 <sup>a</sup>	,196	4,223	4,997
	1,00	4,792 <sup>a</sup>	,196	4,404	5,181

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,1786, vegan\_fam = 3,0964.

Pairwise Comparisons

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

intent	(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	-,056	,281	,841	-,612	,499
	1,00	,00	,056	,281	,841	-,499	,612
1,00	,00	1,00	-,149	,280	,596	-,703	,405
	1,00	,00	,149	,280	,596	-,405	,703

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

Environmental (ANOVA)

Tests of Between-Subjects Effects

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	9,564 <sup>a</sup>	5	1,913	1,459	,207	,052
Intercept	174,890	1	174,890	133,443	<,001	,499
neu_vegorient	2,764	1	2,764	2,109	,149	,015
vegan_fam	2,066	1	2,066	1,576	,211	,012
label	,335	1	,335	,256	,614	,002
intent	,644	1	,644	,491	,484	,004
label * intent	,075	1	,075	,057	,811	,000
Error	175,620	134	1,311			
Total	3212,333	140				
Corrected Total	185,183	139				

a. R Squared = ,052 (Adjusted R Squared = -,016)

Parameter Estimates

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound	Partial Eta Squared
Intercept	4,580	,425	10,788	<,001	3,740	5,420	,465
neu_vegorient	-,044	,030	-1,452	,149	-,104	,016	,015
vegan_fam	-,128	,102	1,256	,211	-,074	,330	,012
[label=.00]	-,149	,280	-,532	,596	-,703	,405	,002
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[intent=.00]	-,182	,274	-,666	,507	-,724	,359	,003
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	,093	,387	,240	,811	-,673	,858	,000
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N	
label	,00	70	
	1,00	70	
intent	,00	70	
	1,00	70	

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,1762	1,04471	35
	1,00	4,3143	1,10611	35
	Total	4,2452	1,07028	70
1,00	,00	4,6238	1,18428	35
	1,00	4,8762	1,04032	35
	Total	4,7500	1,11380	70
Total	,00	4,4000	1,13124	70
	1,00	4,5952	1,10283	70
	Total	4,4976	1,11741	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

		Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
env_overall	Based on Mean	,571	3	136	,635
	Based on Median	,492	3	136	,689
	Based on Median and with adjusted df	,492	3	131,945	,689
	Based on trimmed mean	,515	3	136	,672

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent Variable: env\_overall

b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	10,366 <sup>a</sup>	3	3,455	2,880	,038	,060
Intercept	2832,001	1	2832,001	2360,161	<,001	,946
label	8,917	1	8,917	7,432	,007	,052
intent	1,334	1	1,334	1,112	,294	,008
label * intent	,114	1	,114	,095	,758	,001
Error	163,189	136	1,200			
Total	3005,556	140				
Corrected Total	173,555	139				

a. R Squared = ,060 (Adjusted R Squared = ,039)

**Environmental (ANCOVA)**

➔ **Univariate Analysis of Variance**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N	
label	,00	70	
	1,00	70	
intent	,00	70	
	1,00	70	

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,1762	1,04471	35
	1,00	4,3143	1,10611	35
	Total	4,2452	1,07028	70
1,00	,00	4,6238	1,18428	35
	1,00	4,8762	1,04032	35
	Total	4,7500	1,11380	70
Total	,00	4,4000	1,13124	70
	1,00	4,5952	1,10283	70
	Total	4,4976	1,11741	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
,637	3	136	,592

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,280 <sup>a</sup>	,182	3,921	4,640
	1,00	4,404 <sup>a</sup>	,181	4,047	4,762
1,00	,00	4,531 <sup>a</sup>	,181	4,173	4,888
	1,00	4,775 <sup>a</sup>	,181	4,417	5,134

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,1786, vegan\_fam = 3,0964.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

intent	(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	-,250	,260	,336	-,764	,263
		1,00	,250	,260	,336	-,263	,764
1,00	,00	1,00	-,371	,259	,154	-,883	,141
		1,00	,371	,259	,154	-,141	,883

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	23,655 <sup>a</sup>	5	4,731	4,229	,001	,136
Intercept	141,959	1	141,959	126,901	<,001	,486
neu_vegorient	3,275	1	3,275	2,928	,089	,021
vegan_fam	6,437	1	6,437	5,754	,018	,041
label	3,065	1	3,065	2,740	,100	,020
intent	1,185	1	1,185	1,059	,305	,008
label * intent	,127	1	,127	,114	,736	,001
Error	149,900	134	1,119			
Total	3005,556	140				
Corrected Total	173,555	139				

a. R Squared = ,136 (Adjusted R Squared = ,104)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval		Partial Eta Squared
					Lower Bound	Upper Bound	
Intercept	4,276	,392	10,901	<,001	3,500	5,052	,470
neu_vegorient	-,048	,028	-1,711	,089	-,104	,007	,021
vegan_fam	,226	,094	2,399	,018	,040	,413	,041
[label=.00]	-,371	,259	-1,433	,154	-,883	,141	,015
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[intent=.00]	-,245	,253	-,967	,335	-,745	,256	,007
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	,121	,358	,337	,736	-,587	,828	,001
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**Taste (ANOVA)**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N
label	,00	70
	1,00	70
intent	,00	70
	1,00	70

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,5333	1,14103	35
	1,00	4,2952	1,09596	35
	Total	4,4143	1,11704	70
1,00	,00	4,2476	1,24812	35
	1,00	4,2571	1,28614	35
	Total	4,2524	1,25806	70
Total	,00	4,3905	1,19577	70
	1,00	4,2762	1,18630	70
	Total	4,3333	1,18814	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.	
taste_overall	Based on Mean	,276	3	136	,842
	Based on Median	,237	3	136	,870
	Based on Median and with adjusted df	,237	3	130,956	,870
	Based on trimmed mean	,273	3	136	,845

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

- a. Dependent variable: taste\_overall
- b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

**Taste (ANCOVA)**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N
label	,00	70
	1,00	70
intent	,00	70
	1,00	70

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,5333	1,14103	35
	1,00	4,2952	1,09596	35
	Total	4,4143	1,11704	70
1,00	,00	4,2476	1,24812	35
	1,00	4,2571	1,28614	35
	Total	4,2524	1,25806	70
Total	,00	4,3905	1,19577	70
	1,00	4,2762	1,18630	70
	Total	4,3333	1,18814	140

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
,434	3	136	,729

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

- a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,627 <sup>a</sup>	,201	4,229	5,026
	1,00	4,373 <sup>a</sup>	,200	3,977	4,769
1,00	,00	4,166 <sup>a</sup>	,200	3,770	4,563
	1,00	4,167 <sup>a</sup>	,201	3,769	4,565

- a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,1786, vegan\_fam = 3,0964.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

intent	(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup> Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	,461	,288	,112	-,108	1,030
	1,00	,00	-,461	,288	,112	-1,030	,108
1,00	,00	1,00	,206	,287	,475	-,362	,774
	1,00	,00	-,206	,287	,475	-,774	,362

Based on estimated marginal means

- a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	1,911 <sup>a</sup>	3	,637	,446	,721	,010
Intercept	2628,889	1	2628,889	1839,982	<,001	,931
label	,917	1	,917	,642	,424	,005
intent	,457	1	,457	,320	,573	,002
label * intent	,537	1	,537	,376	,541	,003
Error	194,311	136	1,429			
Total	2825,111	140				
Corrected Total	196,222	139				

- a. R Squared = ,010 (Adjusted R Squared = -,012)

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	11,964 <sup>a</sup>	5	2,393	1,740	,130	,061
Intercept	142,921	1	142,921	103,938	<,001	,437
neu_vegorient	3,560	1	3,560	2,589	,110	,019
vegan_fam	3,701	1	3,701	2,691	,103	,020
label	3,527	1	3,527	2,565	,112	,019
intent	,563	1	,563	,410	,523	,003
label * intent	,570	1	,570	,414	,521	,003
Error	184,258	134	1,375			
Total	2825,111	140				
Corrected Total	196,222	139				

- a. R Squared = ,061 (Adjusted R Squared = -,026)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound	Partial Eta Squared
Intercept	3,845	,435	8,842	<,001	2,985	4,705	,368
neu_vegorient	-,050	,031	-1,609	,110	-,112	,011	,019
vegan_fam	,171	,105	1,641	,103	-,035	,378	,020
[label=.00]	,206	,287	,717	,475	-,362	,774	,004
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[intent=.00]	-,001	,280	-,002	,998	-,555	,554	,000
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	,255	,396	,644	,521	-,529	1,039	,003
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.

- a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**Table 3.6**

# Exploratory t-tests

## Independent Samples Effect Sizes

label		Standardizer <sup>a</sup>	Point Estimate	95% Confidence Interval		
				Lower	Upper	
,00	ca_overall	Cohen's d	,82356	-,093	-,561	,377
		Hedges' correction	,83278	-,091	-,555	,372
		Glass's delta	,86987	-,088	-,556	,382
	pri_overall	Cohen's d	,83235	-,441	-,913	,035
		Hedges' correction	,84168	-,436	-,903	,035
		Glass's delta	,69874	-,525	-,1006	-,036
	nat_overall	Cohen's d	1,10575	,181	-,289	,650
		Hedges' correction	1,11814	,179	-,286	,643
		Glass's delta	1,24071	,161	-,310	,630
	env_overall	Cohen's d	1,07585	-,128	-,597	,341
		Hedges' correction	1,08790	-,127	-,590	,337
		Glass's delta	1,10611	-,125	-,593	,346
trust_overall	Cohen's d	,90883	-,207	-,676	,264	
	Hedges' correction	,91900	-,205	-,669	,261	
	Glass's delta	,85304	-,221	-,690	,253	
attr_overall	Cohen's d	1,21602	-,164	-,633	,305	
	Hedges' correction	1,22964	-,163	-,626	,302	
	Glass's delta	1,09169	-,183	-,652	,289	
health_overall_neu	Cohen's d	1,10203	-,095	-,564	,374	
	Hedges' correction	1,11437	-,094	-,557	,370	
	Glass's delta	1,19186	-,088	-,556	,382	

1,00	ca_overall	Cohen's d	,77777	,135	-,335	,603
		Hedges' correction	,78648	,133	-,331	,597
		Glass's delta	,71782	,146	-,325	,615
	pri_overall	Cohen's d	,80759	-,024	-,492	,445
		Hedges' correction	,81663	-,023	-,487	,440
		Glass's delta	,73314	-,026	-,494	,443
	nat_overall	Cohen's d	1,20607	,197	-,273	,666
		Hedges' correction	1,21958	,195	-,270	,659
		Glass's delta	1,18700	,201	-,272	,670
	env_overall	Cohen's d	1,11463	-,226	-,696	,244
		Hedges' correction	1,12711	-,224	-,688	,242
		Glass's delta	1,04032	-,243	-,713	,231
trust_overall	Cohen's d	,94865	-,311	-,782	,161	
	Hedges' correction	,95927	-,308	-,773	,160	
	Glass's delta	,78207	-,378	-,852	,102	
attr_overall	Cohen's d	1,13911	,092	-,377	,560	
	Hedges' correction	1,15187	,091	-,373	,554	
	Glass's delta	,93784	,112	-,358	,580	
health_overall_neu	Cohen's d	1,21091	-,157	-,626	,313	
	Hedges' correction	1,22447	-,156	-,619	,309	
	Glass's delta	1,08525	-,176	-,645	,296	

a. The denominator used in estimating the effect sizes.  
Cohen's d uses the pooled standard deviation.  
Hedges' correction uses the pooled standard deviation, plus a correction factor.  
Glass's delta uses the sample standard deviation of the control (i.e., the second) group.

## Independent Samples Test

label		Levene's Test for Equality of Variances		t	df	t-test for Equality of Means		Std. Error Difference	95% Confidence Interval of the Difference			
		F	Sig.			One-Sided p	Two-Sided p		Mean Difference	Lower	Upper	
,00	ca_overall	Equal variances assumed	2,006	,161	-,387	68	,350	,700	-,07619	,19687	-,46903	,31665
		Equal variances not assumed			-,387	67,103	,350	,700	-,07619	,19687	-,46913	,31675
	pri_overall	Equal variances assumed	1,676	,200	-1,843	68	,035	,070	-,36667	,19897	-,76371	,03037
		Equal variances not assumed			-1,843	62,546	,035	,070	-,36667	,19897	-,76433	,03100
	nat_overall	Equal variances assumed	4,574	,036	,757	68	,226	,452	,20000	,26433	-,32745	,72745
		Equal variances not assumed			,757	63,725	,226	,452	,20000	,26433	-,32809	,72809
	env_overall	Equal variances assumed	,725	,397	-,537	68	,297	,593	-,13810	,25718	-,65128	,37509
		Equal variances not assumed			-,537	67,779	,297	,593	-,13810	,25718	-,65131	,37512
	trust_overall	Equal variances assumed	,173	,678	-,866	68	,195	,390	-,18810	,21725	-,62161	,24542
		Equal variances not assumed			-,866	67,050	,195	,390	-,18810	,21725	-,62172	,24553
	attr_overall	Equal variances assumed	,739	,393	-,688	68	,247	,494	-,20000	,29069	-,78005	,38005
		Equal variances not assumed			-,688	65,533	,247	,494	-,20000	,29069	-,78045	,38045
health_overall_neu	Equal variances assumed	,637	,428	-,398	68	,346	,692	-,10476	,26344	-,63044	,42092	
	Equal variances not assumed			-,398	66,097	,346	,692	-,10476	,26344	-,63071	,42119	
1,00	ca_overall	Equal variances assumed	,343	,560	,563	68	,287	,575	,10476	,18592	-,26624	,47576
		Equal variances not assumed			,563	66,538	,288	,575	,10476	,18592	-,26639	,47591
	pri_overall	Equal variances assumed	1,604	,210	-,099	68	,461	,922	-,01905	,19305	-,40427	,36618
		Equal variances not assumed			-,099	65,960	,461	,922	-,01905	,19305	-,40449	,36639
	nat_overall	Equal variances assumed	,420	,519	,826	68	,206	,412	,23810	,28831	-,33721	,81340
		Equal variances not assumed			,826	67,933	,206	,412	,23810	,28831	-,33722	,81341
	env_overall	Equal variances assumed	,430	,514	-,947	68	,173	,347	-,25238	,26645	-,78407	,27930
		Equal variances not assumed			-,947	66,889	,173	,347	-,25238	,26645	-,78423	,27946
	trust_overall	Equal variances assumed	4,530	,037	-1,302	68	,099	,197	-,29524	,22677	-,74775	,15727
		Equal variances not assumed			-1,302	61,671	,099	,198	-,29524	,22677	-,74859	,15812
	attr_overall	Equal variances assumed	1,689	,198	,385	68	,351	,702	,10476	,27230	-,43860	,64813
		Equal variances not assumed			,385	61,606	,351	,702	,10476	,27230	-,43963	,64915
health_overall_neu	Equal variances assumed	,691	,409	-,658	68	,256	,513	-,19048	,28946	-,76809	,38714	
	Equal variances not assumed			-,658	65,465	,256	,513	-,19048	,28946	-,76849	,38754	

## Group Statistics

label	intent	N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error	
					Mean	
,00	ca_overall	,00	35	4,1286	,77448	,13091
		1,00	35	4,2048	,86987	,14704
	pri_overall	,00	35	4,9333	,94730	,16012
		1,00	35	5,3000	,89874	,11811
	nat_overall	,00	35	4,3048	,95185	,16089
		1,00	35	4,1048	1,24071	,20972
	env_overall	,00	35	4,1762	1,04471	,17659
		1,00	35	4,3143	1,10611	,18697
	trust_overall	,00	35	4,6071	,96138	,16250
		1,00	35	4,7952	,85304	,14419
	attr_overall	,00	35	4,7143	1,32877	,22460
		1,00	35	4,9143	1,09169	,18453
health_overall_neu	,00	35	4,4762	1,00419	,16974	
	1,00	35	4,5810	1,19186	,20146	
1,00	ca_overall	,00	35	4,0619	,83342	,14087
		1,00	35	3,9571	,71782	,12133
	pri_overall	,00	35	5,0905	,87573	,14803
		1,00	35	5,1095	,73314	,12392
	nat_overall	,00	35	4,4762	1,22484	,20704
		1,00	35	4,2381	1,18700	,20664
	env_overall	,00	35	4,6238	1,18428	,20018
		1,00	35	4,8762	1,04032	,17585
	trust_overall	,00	35	4,7405	1,09006	,18425
		1,00	35	5,0357	,78207	,13219
	attr_overall	,00	35	5,0095	1,30981	,22140
		1,00	35	4,9048	,93784	,15852
health_overall_neu	,00	35	4,6762	1,32469	,22391	
	1,00	35	4,8667	1,08525	,18344	

**Group Statistics**

intent	label	N	Mean	Std. Deviation	Std. Error Mean		
,00	cal_overall	,00	35	4,1286	,77448	,13091	
		1,00	35	4,0619	,83342	,14087	
	pri_overall	,00	35	4,9333	,94730	,16012	
		1,00	35	5,0905	,87573	,14803	
	nat_overall	,00	35	4,3048	,95185	,16089	
		1,00	35	4,4762	1,22484	,20704	
	env_overall	,00	35	4,1762	1,04471	,17659	
		1,00	35	4,6238	1,18428	,20018	
	trust_overall	,00	35	4,6071	,96138	,16250	
		1,00	35	4,7405	1,09006	,18425	
	attr_overall	,00	35	4,7143	1,32877	,22460	
		1,00	35	5,0095	1,30981	,22140	
	health_overall_neu	,00	35	4,4762	1,00419	,16974	
		1,00	35	4,6762	1,32469	,22391	
	1,00	cal_overall	,00	35	4,2048	,86987	,14704
			1,00	35	3,9571	,71782	,12133
		pri_overall	,00	35	5,3000	,69874	,11811
			1,00	35	5,1095	,73314	,12392
nat_overall		,00	35	4,1048	1,24071	,20972	
		1,00	35	4,2381	1,18700	,20064	
env_overall		,00	35	4,3143	1,10611	,18697	
		1,00	35	4,8762	1,04032	,17585	
trust_overall		,00	35	4,7952	,85304	,14419	
		1,00	35	5,0357	,78207	,13219	
attr_overall		,00	35	4,9143	1,09169	,18453	
		1,00	35	4,9048	,93784	,15852	
health_overall_neu		,00	35	4,5810	1,19186	,20146	
		1,00	35	4,8667	1,08525	,18344	

**Independent Samples Effect Sizes**

intent		Standardizer <sup>a</sup>	Point Estimate	95% Confidence Interval		
				Lower	Upper	
,00	cal_overall	Cohen's d	,80449	,083	-,386	,551
		Hedges' correction	,81350	,082	-,382	,545
		Glass's delta	,83342	,080	-,389	,548
	pri_overall	Cohen's d	,91222	-,172	-,641	,298
		Hedges' correction	,92244	-,170	-,634	,294
		Glass's delta	,87573	-,179	-,649	,292
	nat_overall	Cohen's d	1,09687	-,156	-,625	,314
		Hedges' correction	1,10916	-,155	-,618	,310
		Glass's delta	1,22484	-,140	-,609	,331
	env_overall	Cohen's d	1,11668	-,401	-,873	,074
		Hedges' correction	1,12918	-,396	-,863	,073
		Glass's delta	1,18428	-,378	-,852	,102
	trust_overall	Cohen's d	1,02773	-,130	-,598	,340
		Hedges' correction	1,03925	-,128	-,592	,336
		Glass's delta	1,09006	-,122	-,591	,348
	attr_overall	Cohen's d	1,31932	-,224	-,693	,247
		Hedges' correction	1,33410	-,221	-,685	,244
		Glass's delta	1,30981	-,225	-,695	,248
health_overall_neu	Cohen's d	1,17542	-,170	-,639	,300	
	Hedges' correction	1,18858	-,168	-,632	,297	
	Glass's delta	1,32469	-,151	-,620	,320	
1,00	cal_overall	Cohen's d	,79748	,311	-,162	,781
		Hedges' correction	,80641	,307	-,160	,772
		Glass's delta	,71782	,345	-,133	,818
	pri_overall	Cohen's d	,71614	,266	-,206	,736
		Hedges' correction	,72417	,263	-,203	,727
		Glass's delta	,73314	,260	-,215	,730
	nat_overall	Cohen's d	1,21415	-,110	-,578	,359
		Hedges' correction	1,22775	-,109	-,572	,355
		Glass's delta	1,18700	-,112	-,581	,358
	env_overall	Cohen's d	1,07372	-,523	-,998	-,045
		Hedges' correction	1,08575	-,518	-,987	-,044
		Glass's delta	1,04032	-,540	-,1,022	-,051
	trust_overall	Cohen's d	,81832	-,294	-,764	,178
		Hedges' correction	,82749	-,291	-,755	,176
		Glass's delta	,78207	-,307	-,779	,169
	attr_overall	Cohen's d	1,01768	,009	-,459	,478
		Hedges' correction	1,02908	,009	-,454	,473
		Glass's delta	,93784	,010	-,458	,479
health_overall_neu	Cohen's d	1,13981	-,251	-,720	,221	
	Hedges' correction	1,15257	-,248	-,712	,218	
	Glass's delta	1,08525	-,263	-,734	,211	

a. The denominator used in estimating the effect sizes.  
 Cohen's d uses the pooled standard deviation.  
 Hedges' correction uses the pooled standard deviation, plus a correction factor.  
 Glass's delta uses the sample standard deviation of the control (i.e., the second) group.

**Independent Samples Test**

intent	Levene's Test for Equality of Variances				t-test for Equality of Means				95% Confidence Interval of the Difference			
	F	Sig.	t	df	One-Sided p	Two-Sided p	Mean Difference	Std. Error Difference	Lower	Upper		
,00	ca_overall	Equal variances assumed	,777	,381	,347	68	,365	,730	,06667	,19231	-,31708	,45041
		Equal variances not assumed			,347	67,637	,365	,730	,06667	,19231	-,31712	,45045
	pri_overall	Equal variances assumed	,282	,597	-,721	68	,237	,474	-,15714	,21806	-,59228	,27799
		Equal variances not assumed			-,721	67,585	,237	,474	-,15714	,21806	-,59233	,27804
	nat_overall	Equal variances assumed	3,093	,083	-,654	68	,258	,515	-,17143	,26220	-,69465	,35179
		Equal variances not assumed			-,654	64,092	,258	,516	-,17143	,26220	-,69522	,35237
	env_overall	Equal variances assumed	1,464	,231	-1,677	68	,049	,098	-,44762	,26694	-,98028	,08504
		Equal variances not assumed			-1,677	66,958	,049	,098	-,44762	,26694	-,98043	,08519
	trust_overall	Equal variances assumed	1,177	,282	-,543	68	,295	,589	-,13333	,24568	-,62357	,35690
		Equal variances not assumed			-,543	66,955	,295	,589	-,13333	,24568	-,62371	,35704
	attr_overall	Equal variances assumed	,035	,853	-,936	68	,176	,353	-,29524	,31538	-,92457	,33409
		Equal variances not assumed			-,936	67,986	,176	,353	-,29524	,31538	-,92457	,33409
	health_overall_neu	Equal variances assumed	1,255	,266	-,712	68	,240	,479	-,20000	,28098	-,76068	,36068
		Equal variances not assumed			-,712	63,376	,240	,479	-,20000	,28098	-,76143	,36143
1,00	ca_overall	Equal variances assumed	1,432	,236	1,299	68	,099	,198	,24762	,19063	-,13278	,62802
		Equal variances not assumed			1,299	65,636	,099	,199	,24762	,19063	-,13303	,62827
	pri_overall	Equal variances assumed	,610	,437	1,113	68	,135	,270	,19048	,17119	-,15113	,53208
		Equal variances not assumed			1,113	67,844	,135	,270	,19048	,17119	-,15114	,53210
	nat_overall	Equal variances assumed	,895	,347	-,459	68	,324	,647	-,13333	,29024	-,71249	,44583
		Equal variances not assumed			-,459	67,867	,324	,647	-,13333	,29024	-,71251	,44585
	env_overall	Equal variances assumed	,063	,802	-2,189	68	,016	,032	-,56190	,25667	-1,07408	-,04973
		Equal variances not assumed			-2,189	67,746	,016	,032	-,56190	,25667	-1,07411	-,04970
	trust_overall	Equal variances assumed	,298	,587	-1,229	68	,112	,223	-,24048	,19562	-,63082	,14987
		Equal variances not assumed			-1,229	67,493	,112	,223	-,24048	,19562	-,63088	,14992
	attr_overall	Equal variances assumed	,562	,456	,039	68	,484	,969	,00952	,24327	-,47592	,49496
		Equal variances not assumed			,039	66,489	,484	,969	,00952	,24327	-,47612	,49516
	health_overall_neu	Equal variances assumed	,242	,624	-1,049	68	,149	,298	-,28571	,27247	-,82941	,25798
		Equal variances not assumed			-1,049	67,412	,149	,298	-,28571	,27247	-,82950	,25807

**Table 3.7**  
*Exploratory Research (Behavioral Intentions)*

**Descriptive Statistics**

	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
wtp_overall	4,5964	1,20153	140
ca_overall	4,0881	,79754	140
health_overall_neu	4,6500	1,15423	140
taste_overall	4,3333	1,18814	140
pri_overall	5,1083	,82160	140
nat_overall	4,2810	1,15229	140
env_overall	4,4976	1,11741	140
trust_overall	4,7946	,93196	140
vegan_fam	3,0964	1,01941	140
neu_vegorient	4,1786	3,45009	140

**Correlations**

	wtp_overall	ca_overall	health_overall_neu	taste_overall	pri_overall	nat_overall	env_overall	trust_overall	vegan_fam	neu_vegorient
Pearson Correlation	wtp_overall	1,000	-,134	,736	,869	,010	,550	,592	,657	,249
	ca_overall	-,134	1,000	-,341	-,119	,256	-,303	-,411	-,291	,059
	health_overall_neu	,736	-,341	1,000	,733	-,021	,524	,641	,667	,165
	taste_overall	,869	-,119	,733	1,000	,021	,485	,534	,618	,161
	pri_overall	,010	,256	-,021	,021	1,000	-,151	-,218	-,048	-,098
	nat_overall	,550	-,303	,524	,485	-,151	1,000	,545	,494	,140
	env_overall	,592	-,411	,641	,534	-,218	,545	1,000	,704	,286
	trust_overall	,657	-,291	,667	,618	-,048	,494	,704	1,000	,220
	vegan_fam	,249	,059	,165	,161	-,086	,140	,286	,220	1,000
	neu_vegorient	-,248	,047	-,182	-,153	,098	-,221	-,254	-,234	-,321
Sig. (1-tailed)	wtp_overall		,057	<,001	<,001	,451	<,001	<,001	<,001	,002
	ca_overall		,057		,081	,001	,000	,000	,000	,245
	health_overall_neu		,000		,000	,403	,000	,000	,000	,025
	taste_overall		,000		,081	,000	,000	,000	,000	,028
	pri_overall		,451		,001	,403	,000	,286	,155	,124
	nat_overall		,000		,000	,000	,037	,000	,000	,050
	env_overall		,000		,000	,000	,005	,000	,000	,001
	trust_overall		,000		,000	,000	,286	,000	,000	,005
	vegan_fam		,002	,245	,025	,028	,155	,050	,000	,005
	neu_vegorient		,002	,293	,016	,036	,124	,004	,001	,003
N	wtp_overall	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
	ca_overall	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
	health_overall_neu	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
	taste_overall	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
	pri_overall	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
	nat_overall	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
	env_overall	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
	trust_overall	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
	vegan_fam	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
	neu_vegorient	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140

Variables Entered/Removed <sup>a</sup>			
Model	Variables Entered	Variables Removed	Method
1	neu_vegorient, cal_overall, taste_overall, pri_overall, vegan_fam, nat_overall, trust_overall, env_overall, health_overall_neu <sup>a</sup>		Enter

a. Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall  
b. All requested variables entered.

Model Summary				
Model	R	R Square	Adjusted R Square	Std. Error of the Estimate
1	,900 <sup>a</sup>	,809	,796	,54258

a. Predictors: (Constant), neu\_vegorient, cal\_overall, taste\_overall, pri\_overall, vegan\_fam, nat\_overall, trust\_overall, env\_overall, health\_overall\_neu

ANOVA <sup>a</sup>					
Model		Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	Sig.
1	Regression	162,399	9	18,044	61,293
	Residual	38,272	130	,294	
	Total	200,670	139		

a. Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall  
b. Predictors: (Constant), neu\_vegorient, cal\_overall, taste\_overall, pri\_overall, vegan\_fam, nat\_overall, trust\_overall, env\_overall, health\_overall\_neu

Coefficients <sup>a</sup>								
Model		Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.	Collinearity Statistics	
		B	Std. Error	Beta			Tolerance	VIF
1	(Constant)	-,702	,536		-1,309	,193		
	cal_overall	,082	,069	,054	1,185	,238	,702	1,425
	health_overall_neu	,131	,069	,126	1,891	,061	,333	3,003
	taste_overall	,641	,062	,633	10,412	<,001	,396	2,522
	pri_overall	,042	,060	,028	,692	,490	,868	1,152
	nat_overall	,111	,051	,107	2,188	,030	,616	1,624
	env_overall	,059	,068	,055	,870	,386	,366	2,736
	trust_overall	,104	,078	,081	1,329	,186	,397	2,520
	vegan_fam	,068	,050	,058	1,366	,174	,818	1,223
	neu_vegorient	-,020	,014	-,059	-1,413	,160	,851	1,175

a. Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

Collinearity Diagnostics <sup>a</sup>													
Model	Dimension	Eigenvalue	Condition Index	Variance Proportions									
				(Constant)	cal_overall	health_overall_neu	taste_overall	pri_overall	nat_overall	env_overall	trust_overall	vegan_fam	neu_vegorient
1	1	9,257	1,000	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00
	2	,440	4,585	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,01	,69
	3	,114	9,008	,00	,06	,02	,02	,03	,01	,00	,15	,04	
	4	,069	11,549	,00	,05	,00	,00	,05	,00	,01	,00	,68	,20
	5	,039	15,468	,00	,00	,05	,21	,00	,62	,00	,00	,01	,00
	6	,029	17,800	,01	,03	,00	,25	,04	,26	,22	,05	,06	,01
	7	,021	21,048	,00	,34	,09	,02	,42	,02	,15	,01	,08	,00
	8	,014	26,118	,00	,14	,82	,35	,17	,00	,02	,06	,00	,00
	9	,011	28,527	,00	,00	,00	,06	,08	,00	,50	,84	,00	,00
	10	,006	39,882	,98	,37	,03	,10	,23	,06	,08	,04	,01	,06

a. Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

**Table 3.8**  
*Reduced Sample Size*  
*Calories (ANOVA)*

Between-Subjects Factors		
		N
label	,00	61
	1,00	65
intent	,00	64
	1,00	62

Descriptive Statistics				
Dependent Variable: cal_overall				
label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,2742	,63908	31
	1,00	4,3278	,81823	30
	Total	4,3005	,72701	61
1,00	,00	4,0758	,85604	33
	1,00	3,8490	,63692	32
	Total	3,9641	,75891	65
Total	,00	4,1719	,75940	64
	1,00	4,0806	,76331	62
	Total	4,1270	,75966	126

Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances <sup>a,b</sup>				
	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
cal_overall	Based on Mean	1,725	3	,122
	Based on Median	1,620	3	,122
	Based on Median and with adjusted df	1,620	3	114,857
	Based on trimmed mean	1,715	3	122

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent variable: cal\_overall  
b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

*Calories (ANCOVA)*

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: cal_overall						
Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	4,441 <sup>a</sup>	3	1,480	2,668	,051	,062
Intercept	2148,198	1	2148,198	3871,573	<,001	,969
label	3,608	1	3,608	6,502	,012	,051
intent	,236	1	,236	,425	,516	,003
label * intent	,618	1	,618	1,114	,293	,009
Error	67,693	122	,555			
Total	2218,167	126				
Corrected Total	72,135	125				

a. R Squared = ,062 (Adjusted R Squared = ,038)

**Between-Subjects Factors**

	N
label .00	61
1,00	65
intent .00	64
1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: ca\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
.00	.00	4,2742	,63908	31
1,00	.00	4,3278	,81823	30
	Total	4,3005	,72701	61
1,00	.00	4,0758	,85604	33
1,00	1,00	3,8490	,63692	32
	Total	3,9641	,75891	65
Total	.00	4,1719	,75940	64
	1,00	4,0806	,76331	62
	Total	4,1270	,75966	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: ca\_overall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
1,246	3	122	,296

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: ca\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
.00	.00	4,304 <sup>a</sup>	,136	4,034	4,574
1,00	.00	4,366 <sup>a</sup>	,136	4,096	4,636
1,00	.00	4,051 <sup>a</sup>	,131	3,792	4,310
1,00	1,00	3,810 <sup>a</sup>	,133	3,547	4,073

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: ca\_overall

intent	(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>b</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
.00	.00	1,00	,253	,193	,193	-,129	,635
	1,00	.00	-,253	,193	,193	-,635	,129
1,00	.00	1,00	,556 <sup>a</sup>	,193	,005	,173	,939
	1,00	.00	-,556 <sup>a</sup>	,193	,005	-,939	-,173

Based on estimated marginal means

a. The mean difference is significant at the .05 level.

b. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Price (ANOVA)**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

	N
label .00	61
1,00	65
intent .00	64
1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
.00	.00	5,1452	,74875	31
1,00	.00	5,2556	,70403	30
	Total	5,1995	,72317	61
1,00	.00	5,1111	,86869	33
1,00	1,00	5,0469	,70487	32
	Total	5,0795	,78678	65
Total	.00	5,1276	,80658	64
	1,00	5,1478	,70653	62
	Total	5,1376	,75604	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
pri_overall Based on Mean	,702	3	122	,553
Based on Median	,627	3	122	,599
Based on Median and with adjusted df	,627	3	116,369	,599
Based on trimmed mean	,792	3	122	,501

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent variable: pri\_overall

b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

**Price (ANCOVA)**

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: ca\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	6,784 <sup>a</sup>	5	1,357	2,491	,035	,094
Intercept	102,852	1	102,852	188,862	<,001	,611
neu_vegorient	,099	1	,099	,181	,671	,002
vegan_fam	2,333	1	2,333	4,284	,041	,034
label	4,492	1	4,492	8,249	,005	,064
intent	,251	1	,251	,460	,499	,004
label * intent	,718	1	,718	1,319	,253	,011
Error	65,351	120	,545			
Total	2218,167	126				
Corrected Total	72,135	125				

a. R Squared = ,094 (Adjusted R Squared = ,056)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: ca\_Overall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound	Partial Eta Squared
Intercept	3,322	,299	11,130	<,001	2,731	3,913	,508
neu_vegorient	,009	,022	,426	,671	-,033	,052	,002
vegan_fam	,145	,070	2,070	,041	,006	,285	,034
[label=.00]	,556	,193	2,878	,005	,173	,939	,065
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[intent=.00]	,241	,183	1,316	,191	-,122	,604	,014
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	-,303	,264	-1,148	,253	-,827	,220	,011
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**5. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: ca\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
.00	.00	4,304 <sup>a</sup>	,136	4,034	4,574
	1,00	4,366 <sup>a</sup>	,136	4,096	4,636
1,00	.00	4,051 <sup>a</sup>	,131	3,792	4,310
	1,00	3,810 <sup>a</sup>	,133	3,547	4,073

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: ca\_overall

label	(I) intent	(J) intent	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
.00	.00	1,00	-,062	,190	,743	-,438	,314
	1,00	.00	,062	,190	,743	-,314	,438
1,00	.00	1,00	,241	,183	,191	-,122	,604
	1,00	.00	-,241	,183	,191	-,604	,122

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: pri\_Overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	,706 <sup>a</sup>	3	,235	,406	,749	,010
Intercept	3324,253	1	3324,253	5732,838	<,001	,979
label	,463	1	,463	,799	,373	,007
intent	,017	1	,017	,029	,865	,000
label * intent	,240	1	,240	,414	,521	,003
Error	70,743	122	,580			
Total	3397,167	126				
Corrected Total	71,449	125				

a. R Squared = ,010 (Adjusted R Squared = -,014)

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N
label	,00	61
	1,00	65
intent	,00	64
	1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	5,1452	,74875	31
	1,00	5,2556	,70403	30
Total		5,1995	,72317	61
1,00	,00	5,1111	,86869	33
	1,00	5,0469	,70487	32
Total		5,0795	,78678	65
Total	,00	5,1276	,80658	64
	1,00	5,1478	,70653	62
Total		5,1376	,75604	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
,649	3	122	,585

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	5,123 <sup>a</sup>	,142	4,842	5,403
	1,00	5,242 <sup>a</sup>	,142	4,962	5,523
1,00	,00	5,128 <sup>a</sup>	,136	4,859	5,397
	1,00	5,064 <sup>a</sup>	,138	4,791	5,337

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

intent	(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	-,005	,200	,980	-,402	,392
	1,00	,00	,005	,200	,980	-,392	,402
1,00	,00	1,00	,178	,201	,376	-,219	,576
	1,00	,00	-,178	,201	,376	-,576	,219

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Naturalness (ANOVA)**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N
label	,00	61
	1,00	65
intent	,00	64
	1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,1613	,91032	31
	1,00	4,0944	1,27207	30
Total		4,1284	1,09434	61
1,00	,00	4,4343	1,22470	33
	1,00	4,2396	1,23925	32
Total		4,3385	1,22615	65
Total	,00	4,3021	1,08415	64
	1,00	4,1694	1,24703	62
Total		4,2368	1,16435	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
nat_overall Based on Mean	1,762	3	122	,158
Based on Median	1,386	3	122	,250
Based on Median and with adjusted df	1,386	3	118,309	,250
Based on trimmed mean	1,745	3	122	,161

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent variable: nat\_overall

b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

**Naturalness (ANCOVA)**

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	,973 <sup>a</sup>	5	,195	,331	,893	,014
Intercept	206,533	1	206,533	351,667	<.,001	,746
neu_vegorient	,138	1	,138	,235	,629	,002
vegan_fam	,061	1	,061	,104	,748	,001
label	,206	1	,206	,351	,555	,003
intent	,024	1	,024	,041	,840	,000
label * intent	,262	1	,262	,446	,505	,004
Error	70,476	120	,587			
Total	3397,167	126				
Corrected Total	71,449	125				

a. R Squared = ,014 (Adjusted R Squared = -,027)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound	Partial Eta Squared
Intercept	5,090	,310	16,420	<.,001	4,476	5,704	,692
neu_vegorient	,011	,022	,485	,629	-,033	,055	,002
vegan_fam	-,024	,073	-,322	,748	-,168	,121	,001
[label=,00]	,178	,201	,888	,376	-,219	,576	,007
[label=1,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[intent=,00]	,064	,190	,336	,737	-,313	,441	,001
[intent=1,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[label=,00] * [intent=,00]	-,183	,274	-,668	,505	-,727	,360	,004
[label=,00] * [intent=1,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[label=1,00] * [intent=,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[label=1,00] * [intent=1,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**5. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	5,123 <sup>a</sup>	,142	4,842	5,403
	1,00	5,242 <sup>a</sup>	,142	4,962	5,523
1,00	,00	5,128 <sup>a</sup>	,136	4,859	5,397
	1,00	5,064 <sup>a</sup>	,138	4,791	5,337

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: pri\_overall

label	(I) intent	(J) intent	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	-,119	,197	,546	-,510	,271
	1,00	,00	,119	,197	,546	-,271	,510
1,00	,00	1,00	,064	,190	,737	-,313	,441
	1,00	,00	-,064	,190	,737	-,441	,313

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	2,073 <sup>a</sup>	3	,691	,504	,681	,012
Intercept	2254,235	1	2254,235	1642,957	<.,001	,931
label	1,375	1	1,375	1,002	,319	,008
intent	,538	1	,538	,392	,532	,003
label * intent	,129	1	,129	,094	,760	,001
Error	167,391	122	1,372			
Total	2431,194	126				
Corrected Total	169,464	125				

a. R Squared = ,012 (Adjusted R Squared = -,012)

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N	
label	,00	61	
	1,00	65	
intent	,00	64	
	1,00	62	

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,1613	,91032	31
	1,00	4,0944	1,27207	30
	Total	4,1284	1,09434	61
1,00	,00	4,4343	1,22470	33
	1,00	4,2396	1,23925	32
	Total	4,3385	1,22615	65
Total	,00	4,3021	1,08415	64
	1,00	4,1694	1,24703	62
	Total	4,2368	1,16435	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
1,937	3	122	,127

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + vegan\_fam + neu\_vegorient + label + intent + label \* intent

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	10,412 <sup>a</sup>	5	2,082	1,571	,173	,061
Intercept	148,192	1	148,192	111,807	<,001	,482
vegan_fam	,371	1	,371	,280	,598	,002
neu_vegorient	6,533	1	6,533	4,929	,028	,039
label	,024	1	,024	,018	,894	,000
intent	,788	1	,788	,594	,442	,005
label * intent	,027	1	,027	,020	,888	,000
Error	159,052	120	1,325			
Total	2431,194	126				
Corrected Total	169,464	125				

a. R Squared = ,061 (Adjusted R Squared = ,022)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound	Partial Eta Squared
Intercept	4,296	,466	9,225	<,001	3,374	5,218	,415
vegan_fam	,058	,110	,529	,598	-,159	,275	,002
neu_vegorient	-,075	,034	-2,220	,028	-,141	-,008	,039
[label=,00]	,000	,301	,000	1,000	-,597	,597	,000
[label=1,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[intent=,00]	,188	,286	,656	,513	-,378	,754	,004
[intent=1,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=,00] * [intent=,00]	-,058	,412	-,141	,888	-,875	,758	,000
[label=,00] * [intent=1,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1,00] * [intent=,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1,00] * [intent=1,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,285 <sup>a</sup>	,213	3,864	4,706
	1,00	4,156 <sup>a</sup>	,213	3,734	4,577
1,00	,00	4,344 <sup>a</sup>	,204	3,940	4,747
	1,00	4,156 <sup>a</sup>	,207	3,745	4,566

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: vegan\_fam = 3,0833, neu\_vegorient = 4,2778.

**5. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,285 <sup>a</sup>	,213	3,864	4,706
	1,00	4,156 <sup>a</sup>	,213	3,734	4,577
1,00	,00	4,344 <sup>a</sup>	,204	3,940	4,747
	1,00	4,156 <sup>a</sup>	,207	3,745	4,566

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: vegan\_fam = 3,0833, neu\_vegorient = 4,2778.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

label	(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	-,058	,301	,846	-,654	,537
		1,00	,058	,301	,846	-,537	,654
	1,00	,00	,000	,301	1,000	-,597	,597
1,00	,00	1,00	,000	,301	1,000	-,597	,597
		1,00	,000	,301	1,000	-,597	,597

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: nat\_overall

label	(I) intent	(J) intent	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	,129	,296	,663	-,457	,716
		1,00	,00	,296	,663	-,716	,457
	1,00	,00	-,188	,286	,513	-,378	,754
1,00	,00	1,00	-,188	,286	,513	-,378	,754
		1,00	,00	-,188	,286	,513	-,378

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Trust (ANOVA)**

Univariate Analysis of Variance

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N	
label	,00	61	
	1,00	65	
intent	,00	64	
	1,00	62	

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,5081	,96857	31
	1,00	4,8167	,70893	30
	Total	4,6598	,85801	61
1,00	,00	4,7348	1,10386	33
	1,00	5,0755	,79885	32
	Total	4,9026	,97356	65
Total	,00	4,6250	1,03861	64
	1,00	4,9503	,76174	62
	Total	4,7851	,92384	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

trust_overall	Based on	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
trust_overall	Based on Mean	1,973	3	122	,122
	Based on Median	1,740	3	122	,162
	Based on Median and with adjusted df	1,740	3	103,316	,164
	Based on trimmed mean	1,943	3	122	,126

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent variable: trust\_overall

b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	5,191 <sup>a</sup>	3	1,730	2,080	,106	,049
Intercept	2879,812	1	2879,812	3461,653	<,001	,966
label	1,855	1	1,855	2,230	,138	,018
intent	3,316	1	3,316	3,985	,048	,032
label * intent	,008	1	,008	,010	,922	,000
Error	101,494	122	,832			
Total	2991,674	126				
Corrected Total	106,685	125				

a. R Squared = ,049 (Adjusted R Squared = ,025)

**Trust (ANCOVA)**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

	N
label ,00	61
1,00	65
intent ,00	64
1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,5081	,96857	31
	1,00	4,8167	,70893	30
Total		4,6598	,85801	61
1,00	,00	4,7348	1,10386	33
	1,00	5,0755	,79885	32
Total		4,9026	,97356	65
Total	,00	4,6250	1,03861	64
	1,00	4,9503	,76174	62
Total		4,7851	,92384	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
1,741	3	122	,162

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,618 <sup>a</sup>	,164	4,293	4,944
	1,00	4,881 <sup>a</sup>	,165	4,555	5,206
1,00	,00	4,653 <sup>a</sup>	,158	4,341	4,965
	1,00	4,993 <sup>a</sup>	,160	4,676	5,311

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

label	(I) intent	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	-,034	,233	,883	-,495	,426
	1,00	,00	,034	,233	,883	-,426	,495
1,00	,00	1,00	-,113	,233	,629	-,574	,349
	1,00	,00	,113	,233	,629	-,349	,574

Based on estimated marginal means  
a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	11,624 <sup>a</sup>	5	2,325	2,935	,016	,109
Intercept	171,456	1	171,456	216,436	<,001	,643
neu_vegorient	3,670	1	3,670	4,633	,033	,037
vegan_fam	1,182	1	1,182	1,492	,224	,012
label	,148	1	,148	,187	,666	,002
intent	2,851	1	2,851	3,599	,060	,029
label * intent	,048	1	,048	,061	,806	,001
Error	95,061	120	,792			
Total	299,174	126				
Corrected Total	106,685	125				

a. R Squared = ,109 (Adjusted R Squared = ,072)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound	Partial Eta Squared
Intercept	4,913	,360	13,647	<,001	4,201	5,626	,608
neu_vegorient	-,056	,026	-2,152	,033	-,107	-,004	,037
vegan_fam	,104	,085	1,221	,224	-,064	,271	,012
[label=.00]	-,113	,233	-,484	,629	-,574	,349	,002
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[intent=.00]	-,341	,221	-1,542	,126	-,778	,097	,019
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	,079	,319	,246	,806	-,553	,710	,001
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**5. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,618 <sup>a</sup>	,164	4,293	4,944
	1,00	4,881 <sup>a</sup>	,165	4,555	5,206
1,00	,00	4,653 <sup>a</sup>	,158	4,341	4,965
	1,00	4,993 <sup>a</sup>	,160	4,676	5,311

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: trust\_overall

label	(I) intent	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	-,262	,229	,255	-,716	,191
	1,00	,00	,262	,229	,255	-,191	,716
1,00	,00	1,00	-,341	,221	,126	-,778	,097
	1,00	,00	,341	,221	,126	-,097	,778

Based on estimated marginal means  
a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Environmental (ANOVA)**

→ Univariate Analysis of Variance

**Between-Subjects Factors**

	N
label ,00	61
1,00	65
intent ,00	64
1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,0269	1,00655	31
	1,00	4,2278	1,13924	30
Total		4,1257	1,06964	61
1,00	,00	4,6061	1,19665	33
	1,00	4,9063	1,07592	32
Total		4,7538	1,13999	65
Total	,00	4,3255	1,13794	64
	1,00	4,5780	1,14985	62
Total		4,4497	1,14625	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

env_overall	Based on Mean	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
	Based on Mean	1,164	3	122	,326
	Based on Median	,961	3	122	,414
	Based on Median and with adjusted df	,961	3	119,012	,414
	Based on trimmed mean	1,124	3	122	,342

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent Variable: env\_overall  
b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

**Environmental (ANCOVA)**

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	14,496 <sup>a</sup>	3	4,832	3,937	,010	,088
Intercept	2482,730	1	2482,730	2022,781	<,001	,943
label	12,440	1	12,440	10,135	,002	,077
intent	1,975	1	1,975	1,609	,207	,013
label * intent	,078	1	,078	,063	,802	,001
Error	149,741	122	1,227			
Total	2659,056	126				
Corrected Total	164,237	125				

a. R Squared = ,088 (Adjusted R Squared = ,066)

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N
label	,00	61
	1,00	65
intent	,00	64
	1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,0269	1,00655	31
	1,00	4,2278	1,13924	30
	Total	4,1257	1,06964	61
1,00	,00	4,6061	1,19665	33
	1,00	4,9063	1,07592	32
	Total	4,7538	1,13999	65
Total	,00	4,3255	1,13794	64
	1,00	4,5780	1,14985	62
	Total	4,4497	1,14625	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
,912	3	122	,437

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,170 <sup>a</sup>	,198	3,778	4,562
	1,00	4,326 <sup>a</sup>	,198	3,934	4,718
1,00	,00	4,497 <sup>a</sup>	,190	4,122	4,873
	1,00	4,787 <sup>a</sup>	,193	4,405	5,169

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

intent	(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	-,327	,280	,245	-,881	,227
	1,00	,00	,327	,280	,245	-,227	,881
1,00	,00	1,00	-,461	,280	,103	-,1016	,094
	1,00	,00	,461	,280	,103	-,094	1,016

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Health (ANOVA)**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N
label	,00	61
	1,00	65
intent	,00	64
	1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,5161	1,00310	31
	1,00	4,5333	1,15337	30
	Total	4,5246	1,07058	61
1,00	,00	4,6566	1,33979	33
	1,00	4,9167	1,11039	32
	Total	4,7846	1,22960	65
Total	,00	4,5885	1,18149	64
	1,00	4,7312	1,13856	62
	Total	4,6587	1,15813	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

health_overall_neu	Based on	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
	Median	,503	3	122	,681
	Based on Median and with adjusted df	,503	3	115,466	,681
	Based on trimmed mean	,496	3	122	,686

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent variable: health\_overall\_neu

b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

**Health (ANCOVA)**

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	26,598 <sup>a</sup>	5	5,320	4,638	<,001	,162
Intercept	124,101	1	124,101	108,197	<,001	,474
neu_vegorient	3,571	1	3,571	3,113	,080	,025
vegan_fam	5,321	1	5,321	4,639	,033	,037
label	4,270	1	4,270	3,723	,056	,030
intent	1,559	1	1,559	1,359	,246	,011
label * intent	,140	1	,140	,122	,728	,001
Error	137,639	120	1,147			
Total	269,056	126				
Corrected Total	164,237	125				

a. R Squared = ,162 (Adjusted R Squared = ,127)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval		Partial Eta Squared
					Lower Bound	Upper Bound	
Intercept	4,346	,433	10,032	<,001	3,488	5,204	,456
neu_vegorient	-,055	,031	-1,764	,080	-,117	,007	,025
vegan_fam	,220	,102	2,154	,033	,018	,422	,037
[label=.00]	-,461	,280	-1,644	,103	-1,016	,094	,022
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[intent=.00]	-,290	,266	-1,090	,278	-,816	,237	,010
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	,134	,384	,349	,728	-,625	,893	,001
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**5. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,170 <sup>a</sup>	,198	3,778	4,562
	1,00	4,326 <sup>a</sup>	,198	3,934	4,718
1,00	,00	4,497 <sup>a</sup>	,190	4,122	4,873
	1,00	4,787 <sup>a</sup>	,193	4,405	5,169

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: env\_overall

label	(I) intent	(J) intent	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	-,156	,276	,573	-,702	,390
	1,00	,00	,156	,276	,573	-,390	,702
1,00	,00	1,00	-,290	,266	,278	-,816	,237
	1,00	,00	,290	,266	,278	-,237	,816

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	3,231 <sup>a</sup>	3	1,077	,799	,497	,019
Intercept	2727,644	1	2727,644	2023,826	<,001	,943
label	2,158	1	2,158	1,601	,208	,013
intent	,605	1	,605	,449	,504	,004
label * intent	,464	1	,464	,344	,558	,003
Error	164,427	122	1,348			
Total	2902,333	126				
Corrected Total	167,659	125				

a. R Squared = ,019 (Adjusted R Squared = -,005)

**Between-Subjects Factors**

	N
label ,00	61
1,00	65
intent ,00	64
1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,5161	1,00310	31
	1,00	4,5333	1,15337	30
	Total	4,5246	1,07058	61
1,00	,00	4,6566	1,33979	33
	1,00	4,9167	1,11039	32
	Total	4,7846	1,22960	65
Total	,00	4,5885	1,18149	64
	1,00	4,7312	1,13856	62
	Total	4,6587	1,15813	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

F	df1	df2	Sig.
,298	3	122	,827

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	9,916 <sup>a</sup>	5	1,983	1,509	,192	,059
Intercept	168,794	1	168,794	128,407	<.,001	,517
neu_vegorient	4,482	1	4,482	3,410	,067	,028
vegan_fam	,742	1	,742	,564	,454	,005
label	,240	1	,240	,182	,670	,002
intent	,410	1	,410	,312	,577	,003
label * intent	,689	1	,689	,524	,470	,004
Error	157,743	120	1,315			
Total	2902,333	126				
Corrected Total	187,659	125				

a. R Squared = ,059 (Adjusted R Squared = ,020)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval		Partial Eta Squared
					Lower Bound	Upper Bound	
Intercept	4,848	,464	10,453	<.,001	3,930	5,766	,477
neu_vegorient	-,062	,033	-1,847	,067	-,128	,004	,028
vegan_fam	,082	,109	,751	,454	-,134	,298	,005
[label=.00]	-,242	,300	-,806	,422	-,836	,352	,005
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[intent=.00]	-,263	,285	-,924	,357	-,827	,301	,007
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	,297	,411	,724	,470	-,516	1,110	,004
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>	.	.	.	.	.	.

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,629 <sup>a</sup>	,212	4,209	5,048
	1,00	4,594 <sup>a</sup>	,212	4,175	5,014
1,00	,00	4,573 <sup>a</sup>	,203	4,171	4,975
	1,00	4,836 <sup>a</sup>	,206	4,428	5,245

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**5. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval	
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,629 <sup>a</sup>	,212	4,209	5,048
	1,00	4,594 <sup>a</sup>	,212	4,175	5,014
1,00	,00	4,573 <sup>a</sup>	,203	4,171	4,975
	1,00	4,836 <sup>a</sup>	,206	4,428	5,245

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

intent	(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	,055	,300	,854	-,538	,649
		1,00	-,055	,300	,854	-,649	,538
	1,00	1,00	-,242	,300	,422	-,836	,352
1,00	,00	1,00	,242	,300	,422	-,352	,836
		1,00	0				

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: health\_overall\_neu

label	(I) intent	(J) intent	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	,034	,295	,908	-,550	,618
		1,00	-,034	,295	,908	-,618	,550
	1,00	1,00	-,263	,285	,357	-,827	,301
1,00	,00	1,00	,263	,285	,357	-,301	,827
		1,00	0				

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Taste (ANOVA)**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

	N
label ,00	61
1,00	65
intent ,00	64
1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,5591	1,20304	31
	1,00	4,2111	1,03385	30
	Total	4,3880	1,12740	61
1,00	,00	4,2020	1,24705	33
	1,00	4,2813	1,30922	32
	Total	4,2410	1,26862	65
Total	,00	4,3750	1,22942	64
	1,00	4,2473	1,17493	62
	Total	4,3122	1,19981	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
taste_overall Based on Mean	,674	3	122	,570
Based on Median	,454	3	122	,715
Based on Median and with adjusted df	,454	3	116,303	,715
Based on trimmed mean	,675	3	122	,569

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	2,628 <sup>a</sup>	3	,876	,603	,614	,015
Intercept	2341,306	1	2341,306	1610,911	<.,001	,930
label	,648	1	,648	,446	,506	,004
intent	,568	1	,568	,391	,533	,003
label * intent	1,436	1	1,436	,988	,322	,008
Error	177,315	122	1,453			
Total	2522,889	126				
Corrected Total	179,944	125				

a. R Squared = ,015 (Adjusted R Squared = -,010)

**Taste (ANCOVA)**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N
label	,00	61
	1,00	65
intent	,00	64
	1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,5591	1,20304	31
	1,00	4,2111	1,03385	30
	Total	4,3880	1,12740	61
1,00	,00	4,2020	1,24705	33
	1,00	4,2813	1,30922	32
	Total	4,2410	1,26862	65
Total	,00	4,3750	1,22942	64
	1,00	4,2473	1,17493	62
	Total	4,3122	1,19981	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

F	df1	df2	Sig.
,865	3	122	,461

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	13,531 <sup>a</sup>	5	2,706	1,951	,091	,075
Intercept	131,844	1	131,844	95,073	<,001	,442
neu_vegorient	5,405	1	5,405	3,898	,051	,031
vegan_fam	2,673	1	2,673	1,927	,168	,016
label	3,687	1	3,687	2,659	,106	,022
intent	,841	1	,841	,607	,438	,005
label * intent	1,802	1	1,802	1,300	,257	,011
Error	166,412	120	1,387			
Total	252,889	126				
Corrected Total	179,944	125				

a. R Squared = ,075 (Adjusted R Squared = ,037)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound	Partial Eta Squared
Intercept	3,982	,476	8,360	<,001	3,039	4,925	,368
neu_vegorient	-,068	,034	-1,974	,051	-,136	,000	,031
vegan_fam	,156	,112	1,388	,168	-,066	,378	,016
[label=.00]	,126	,308	,408	,684	-,485	,736	,001
[label=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[intent=.00]	-,077	,292	-,262	,794	-,656	,502	,001
[intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[label=.00] * [intent=.00]	,481	,422	1,140	,257	-,354	1,316	,011
[label=.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[label=1.00] * [intent=.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[label=1.00] * [intent=1.00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,702 <sup>a</sup>	,218	4,271	5,133
	1,00	4,298 <sup>a</sup>	,218	3,867	4,729
1,00	,00	4,095 <sup>a</sup>	,209	3,682	4,508
	1,00	4,172 <sup>a</sup>	,212	3,752	4,592

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**5. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	4,702 <sup>a</sup>	,218	4,271	5,133
	1,00	4,298 <sup>a</sup>	,218	3,867	4,729
1,00	,00	4,095 <sup>a</sup>	,209	3,682	4,508
	1,00	4,172 <sup>a</sup>	,212	3,752	4,592

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

intent (i)	label (j)	label (j)	Mean Difference (i-j)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup> Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	,607	,308	,051	-,003	1,216
		1,00	-,607	,308	,051	-1,216	,003
1,00	,00	1,00	,126	,308	,684	-,485	,736
		1,00	-,126	,308	,684	-,736	,485

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: taste\_overall

label (i)	intent (j)	label (j)	Mean Difference (i-j)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup> Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	-,404	,303	,185	-,196	1,004
		1,00	,404	,303	,185	-,196	1,004
1,00	,00	1,00	-,077	,292	,794	-,656	,502
		1,00	,077	,292	,794	-,502	,656

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Behavioral Intentions (ANOVA)**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N
label	,00	61
	1,00	65
intent	,00	64
	1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,5484	1,33138	31
	1,00	4,4333	,98319	30
	Total	4,4918	1,16485	61
1,00	,00	4,6061	1,20676	33
	1,00	4,6667	1,33937	32
	Total	4,6359	1,26412	65
Total	,00	4,5781	1,25882	64
	1,00	4,5538	1,17688	62
	Total	4,5661	1,21437	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a,b</sup>**

	Levene Statistic	df1	df2	Sig.
wtp_overall Based on Mean	,993	3	122	,399
Based on Median	,990	3	122	,400
Based on Median and with adjusted df	,990	3	120,532	,400
Based on trimmed mean	1,044	3	122	,376

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

b. Design: Intercept + label + intent + label \* intent

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	,915 <sup>a</sup>	3	,305	,203	,894	,005
Intercept	2620,837	1	2620,837	1743,197	<,001	,935
label	,666	1	,666	,443	,507	,004
intent	,023	1	,023	,016	,901	,000
label * intent	,243	1	,243	,161	,689	,001
Error	183,423	122	1,503			
Total	2811,389	126				
Corrected Total	184,338	125				

a. R Squared = ,005 (Adjusted R Squared = -,020)

**Behavioral Intentions (ANCOVA)**

**Between-Subjects Factors**

		N
label	,00	61
	1,00	65
intent	,00	64
	1,00	62

**Descriptive Statistics**

Dependent Variable: wtp_overall				
label	intent	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
,00	,00	4,5484	1,33138	31
	1,00	4,4333	,98319	30
	Total	4,4918	1,16485	61
1,00	,00	4,6061	1,20676	33
	1,00	4,6667	1,33937	32
	Total	4,6359	1,26412	65
Total	,00	4,5781	1,25882	64
	1,00	4,5538	1,17688	62
Total		4,5661	1,21437	126

**Levene's Test of Equality of Error Variances<sup>a</sup>**

Dependent Variable: wtp_overall				
F	df1	df2	Sig.	
1,270	3	122	,288	

Tests the null hypothesis that the error variance of the dependent variable is equal across groups.

a. Design: Intercept + neu\_vegorient + vegan\_fam + label + intent + label \* intent

**Tests of Between-Subjects Effects**

Dependent Variable: wtp_overall						
Source	Type III Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.	Partial Eta Squared
Corrected Model	25,128 <sup>a</sup>	5	5,026	3,788	,003	,136
Intercept	140,179	1	140,179	105,656	<,001	,468
neu_vegorient	11,569	1	11,569	8,720	,004	,068
vegan_fam	6,314	1	6,314	4,759	,031	,038
label	,962	1	,962	,725	,396	,006
intent	,156	1	,156	,118	,732	,001
label * intent	,499	1	,499	,376	,541	,003
Error	159,209	120	1,327			
Total	2811,389	126				
Corrected Total	184,338	125				

a. R Squared = ,136 (Adjusted R Squared = ,100)

**Parameter Estimates**

Dependent Variable: wtp_overall							
Parameter	B	Std. Error	t	Sig.	95% Confidence Interval		Partial Eta Squared
					Lower Bound	Upper Bound	
Intercept	4,190	,466	8,992	<,001	3,267	5,112	,403
neu_vegorient	-,099	,034	-2,953	,004	-,166	-,033	,068
vegan_fam	,239	,110	2,182	,031	,022	,456	,038
[label=,00]	,061	,302	,201	,841	-,536	,658	,000
[label=1,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[intent=,00]	-,056	,286	-,195	,846	-,622	,511	,000
[intent=1,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[label=,00] * [intent=,00]	,253	,412	,613	,541	-,564	1,070	,003
[label=,00] * [intent=1,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[label=1,00] * [intent=,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						
[label=1,00] * [intent=1,00]	0 <sup>a</sup>						

a. This parameter is set to zero because it is redundant.

**4. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: wtp_overall						
label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval		
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound	
,00	,00	4,761 <sup>a</sup>	,213	4,339	5,182	
	1,00	4,564 <sup>a</sup>	,213	4,142	4,985	
1,00	,00	4,447 <sup>a</sup>	,204	4,043	4,851	
	1,00	4,503 <sup>a</sup>	,207	4,092	4,914	

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**5. label \* intent**

**Estimates**

Dependent Variable: wtp_overall						
label	intent	Mean	Std. Error	95% Confidence Interval		
				Lower Bound	Upper Bound	
,00	,00	4,761 <sup>a</sup>	,213	4,339	5,182	
	1,00	4,564 <sup>a</sup>	,213	4,142	4,985	
1,00	,00	4,447 <sup>a</sup>	,204	4,043	4,851	
	1,00	4,503 <sup>a</sup>	,207	4,092	4,914	

a. Covariates appearing in the model are evaluated at the following values: neu\_vegorient = 4,2778, vegan\_fam = 3,0833.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: wtp_overall							
intent	(I) label	(J) label	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>	
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound
,00	,00	1,00	,313	,301	,300	-,283	,910
		1,00	-,313	,301	,300	-,910	,283
	,00	1,00	,061	,302	,841	-,536	,658
1,00	,00	1,00	-,061	,302	,841	-,658	,536

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Pairwise Comparisons**

Dependent Variable: wtp_overall								
label	(I) intent	(J) intent	Mean Difference (I-J)	Std. Error	Sig. <sup>a</sup>	95% Confidence Interval for Difference <sup>a</sup>		
						Lower Bound	Upper Bound	
,00	,00	1,00	-,197	,296	,507	-,390	,784	
		1,00	,197	,296	,507	-,784	,390	
	,00	1,00	-,056	,286	,846	-,622	,511	
1,00	,00	1,00	,056	,286	,846	-,511	,622	

Based on estimated marginal means

a. Adjustment for multiple comparisons: Bonferroni.

**Table 3.9**  
*Linear Regression Behavioral Intentions (Reduced Sample)*

Descriptive Statistics			
	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
wtp_overall	4,5661	1,21437	126
ca_overall	4,1270	,75966	126
health_overall_neu	4,6587	1,15813	126
taste_overall	4,3122	1,19981	126
pri_overall	5,1376	,75604	126
nat_overall	4,2368	1,16435	126
env_overall	4,4497	1,14625	126
trust_overall	4,7851	,92384	126
vegan_fam	3,0833	1,01735	126
neu_vegorient	4,2778	3,34578	126

**Correlations**

	wtp_overall	cal_overall	health_overall_neu	taste_overall	pri_overall	nat_overall	env_overall	trust_overall	vegan_fam	neu_vegorient
<b>Pearson Correlation</b>	1,000	-,138	,737	,863	-,014	,547	,584	,662	,269	-,311
	cal_overall	1,000	-,388	-,117	,210	-,306	-,432	-,321	,103	,051
	health_overall_neu	,737	-,388	1,000	,720	-,099	,536	,662	,670	,144
	taste_overall	,863	-,117	,720	1,000	,002	,476	,524	,613	,151
	pri_overall	-,014	,210	-,099	,002	1,000	-,127	-,234	-,054	-,064
	nat_overall	,547	-,306	,536	,476	-,127	1,000	,526	,467	,123
	env_overall	,584	-,432	,662	,524	-,234	,526	1,000	,719	,299
	trust_overall	,662	-,321	,670	,613	-,054	,467	,719	1,000	,195
	vegan_fam	,269	,103	,144	,151	-,064	,123	,299	,195	1,000
	neu_vegorient	-,311	,051	-,211	-,176	,070	-,232	-,278	-,258	-,328
<b>Sig. (1-tailed)</b>	wtp_overall	-,062	<,001	<,001	,437	<,001	<,001	<,001	<,001	,001
	cal_overall	,062	-,000	,095	,009	,000	,000	,000	,126	,287
	health_overall_neu	,000	,000	,000	,134	,000	,000	,000	,053	,009
	taste_overall	,000	,095	,000	-,492	,000	,000	,000	,046	,024
	pri_overall	,437	,009	,134	,492	-,078	,004	,274	,237	,219
	nat_overall	,000	,000	,000	,000	,078	-,000	,000	,085	,004
	env_overall	,000	,000	,000	,000	,004	,000	-,000	,000	,001
	trust_overall	,000	,000	,000	,000	,274	,000	,000	-,014	,002
	vegan_fam	,001	,126	,053	,046	,237	,085	,000	,014	-,000
	neu_vegorient	,000	,287	,009	,024	,219	,004	,001	,002	,000
<b>N</b>	wtp_overall	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126
	cal_overall	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126
	health_overall_neu	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126
	taste_overall	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126
	pri_overall	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126
	nat_overall	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126
	env_overall	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126
	trust_overall	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126
	vegan_fam	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126
	neu_vegorient	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126	126

**Variables Entered/Removed<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Variables Entered	Variables Removed	Method
1	neu_vegorient, cal_overall, taste_overall, pri_overall, vegan_fam, nat_overall, trust_overall, env_overall, health_overall_neu		Enter

- a. Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall
- b. All requested variables entered.

**Model Summary**

Model	R	R Square	Adjusted R Square	Std. Error of the Estimate
1	,904 <sup>a</sup>	,818	,803	,53835

- a. Predictors: (Constant), neu\_vegorient, cal\_overall, taste\_overall, pri\_overall, vegan\_fam, nat\_overall, trust\_overall, env\_overall, health\_overall\_neu

**ANOVA<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
1	Regression	150,718	9	16,746	57,782	<,001 <sup>b</sup>
	Residual	33,619	116	,290		
	Total	184,338	125			

- a. Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall
- b. Predictors: (Constant), neu\_vegorient, cal\_overall, taste\_overall, pri\_overall, vegan\_fam, nat\_overall, trust\_overall, env\_overall, health\_overall\_neu

**Coefficients<sup>a</sup>**

Model		Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.	Collinearity Statistics	
		B	Std. Error	Beta			Tolerance	VIF
1	(Constant)	-,757	,614		-1,232	,220		
	cal_overall	,092	,078	,057	1,178	,241	,664	1,506
	health_overall_neu	,169	,073	,161	2,309	,023	,323	3,095
	taste_overall	,612	,063	,605	9,662	<,001	,402	2,490
	pri_overall	,034	,067	,021	,504	,615	,896	1,116
	nat_overall	,113	,052	,108	2,175	,032	,633	1,581
	env_overall	,095	,073	,095	,067	,947	,334	2,990
	trust_overall	,143	,084	,109	1,695	,093	,383	2,613
	vegan_fam	,099	,053	,083	1,855	,066	,785	1,274
	neu_vegorient	-,034	,016	-,093	-2,146	,034	,837	1,195

- a. Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall

**Collinearity Diagnostics<sup>a</sup>**

Model	Dimension	Eigenvalue	Condition Index	Variance Proportions										
				(Constant)	cal_overall	health_overall_neu	taste_overall	pri_overall	nat_overall	env_overall	trust_overall	vegan_fam	neu_vegorient	
1	1	9,278	1,000	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00
	2	,421	4,696	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,00	,01	,01	,65
	3	,116	8,942	,00	,04	,02	,02	,01	,03	,01	,00	,18	,04	,04
	4	,066	11,842	,00	,05	,00	,00	,00	,04	,00	,02	,00	,60	,22
	5	,040	15,258	,00	,00	,03	,00	,20	,00	,70	,00	,00	,00	,00
	6	,031	17,232	,01	,02	,00	,28	,03	,20	,19	,05	,09	,02	,02
	7	,019	22,149	,00	,35	,11	,01	,39	,00	,17	,01	,10	,00	,00
	8	,014	25,706	,01	,12	,77	,29	,15	,01	,02	,06	,00	,00	,00
	9	,010	29,726	,00	,00	,00	,06	,11	,01	,51	,85	,02	,01	,01
	10	,005	44,122	,98	,42	,08	,12	,28	,04	,07	,03	,00	,06	,06

- a. Dependent Variable: wtp\_overall