

MBA (Marketing)
(Course code – 36)
CURRICULUM

1st YEAR - I SEMESTER

Sl.No	Code	Course Title
1	MBAC 1001	Management Concepts & Organisational Behaviour
2	MBAC 1002	Managerial Economics
3	MBAC 1003	Accounting for Managers
4	MBAC 1004	Business Environment and Law
5	MBAC 1005	Research Methodology

1st YEAR - II SEMESTER

1	MBAC 2001	Financial Management
2	MBAC 2002	Marketing Management
3	MBAC 2003	Human Resources Management
4	MBAC 2004	Operations Research and Management
5	MBAC 2005	Strategic Management

2nd YEAR - III SEMESTER

1	MBMM 3001	Consumer Behaviour
2	MBMM 3002	Marketing Research
3	MBMM 3003	Industrial Marketing
4	MBMM 3004	Logistics and Supply Chain Management
5	MBMM 3005	Retail Marketing

2nd YEAR - IV SEMESTER

1	MBMM 4001	Rural Marketing
2	MBMM 4002	Services Marketing
3	MBMM 4003	Advertising & Sales Promotion
4	MBMM 4004	Customer Relationship Management
5	MBMM 4005	Global Marketing
6	MBMM 4006	Project Work

MBA (MARKETING) - SYLLABUS

MBA – I Semester

PAPER – I

MANAGEMENT CONCEPTS & ORGANISATIONAL BEHAVIOUR

Paper Code: MBAC 1001

Objectives

- To provide conceptual understanding of Management Concepts
- To familiarize the students with the contemporary issues in Management
- To understand and appreciate the human behaviour in organisations

UNIT - I

Nature of Management - Social Responsibilities of Business - Manager and Environment Levels in Management - Managerial Skills - Planning - Steps in Planning Process - Scope and Limitations - Short Range and Long Range Planning - Flexibility in Planning Characteristics of a sound Plan - Management by Objectives (MBO) - Policies and Strategies - Scope and Formulation - Decision Making - Techniques and Processes

UNIT – II

An Overview of Staffing, Directing and Controlling Functions - Organising - Organisation Structure and Design - Authority and Responsibility Relationships - Delegation of Authority and Decentralisation - Interdepartmental Coordination - Emerging Trends in Corporate Structure, Strategy and Culture - Impact of Technology on Organisational design - Mechanistic Vs Adoptive Structures - Formal and Informal Organisation

UNIT – III

Perception and Learning - Personality and Individual Differences - Motivation and Job Performance - Values, Attitudes and Beliefs - Stress Management - Communication Types-Process - Barriers - Making Communication Effective

UNIT – IV

Group Dynamics - Leadership - Styles - Approaches - Power and Politics - Organisational Structure - Organisational Climate and Culture - Organisational Change and Development.

UNIT – V

Comparative Management Styles and approaches - Japanese Management Practices Organisational Creativity and Innovation - Management of Innovation - Entrepreneurial Management - Benchmarking - Best Management Practices across the world - Select cases of Domestic & International Corporations - Management of Diversity.

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Fred Luthans, ORGANISATIONAL BEHAVIOUR, *TataMcGraw-Hill, NewDelhi*

Stephen Robbins, ORGANISATIONAL BEHAVIOUR, *Pearson, New Delhi*

Ricky Griffin, MANAGEMENT: PRINCIPLES & APPLICATIONS, *Cengage, NewDelhi,2008*

Objectives

- To introduce the economic concepts
- To familiarize with the students the importance of economic approaches in managerial decision making
- To understand the applications of economic theories in business decisions

UNIT – I

General Foundations of Managerial Economics - Economic Approach - Circular Flow of Activity - Nature of the Firm - Objectives of Firms - Demand Analysis and Estimation - Individual, Market and Firm demand - Determinants of demand - Elasticity measures and Business Decision Making - Demand Forecasting.

UNIT-II

Law of Variable Proportions - Theory of the Firm - Production Functions in the Short and Long Run - Cost Functions – Determinants of Costs – Cost Forecasting - Short Run and LongRun Costs –Type of Costs - Analysis of Risk and Uncertainty.

UNIT-III

Product Markets -Determination Under Different Markets - Market Structure – Perfect Competition – Monopoly – Monopolistic Competition – Duopoly - Oligopoly - Pricing and Employment of Inputs Under Different Market Structures – Price Discrimination - Degrees of Price Discrimination.

UNIT-IV

Introduction to National Income – National Income Concepts - Models of National Income Determination - Economic Indicators - Technology and Employment - Issues and Challenges – Business Cycles – Phases – Management of Cyclical Fluctuations - Fiscal and Monetary Policies.

UNIT – V

Macro Economic Environment - Economic Transition in India - A quick Review - Liberalization, Privatization and Globalization - Business and Government - Public-Private Participation (PPP) - Industrial Finance - Foreign Direct Investment(FDIs).

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Yogesh Maheswari, MANAGERIAL ECONOMICS, *PHI Learning, NewDelhi, 2005*

Gupta G.S., MANAGERIAL ECONOMICS, *Tata McGraw-Hill, New Delhi*

Moyer &Harris, MANAGERIAL ECONOMICS, *Cengage Learning, NewDelhi, 2005*

Geetika, Ghosh & Choudhury, , MANAGERIAL ECONOMICS, *Tata McGrawHill, NewDelhi, 2011*

**PAPER –III
ACCOUNTING FOR MANAGERS**

Paper code: MBAC

1003

Objectives

- To acquaint the students with the fundamentals principles of Financial, Cost and Management Accounting
- To enable the students to prepare, Analyse and Interpret Financial Statements and
- To enable the students to take decisions using Management Accounting Tools.

UNIT-I

Book-keeping and Accounting – Financial Accounting – Concepts and Conventions – Double Entry System – Preparation of Journal, Ledger and Trial Balance – Preparation of Final Accounts – Trading, Profit and Loss Account and Balance Sheet with adjustment entries, simple problems only - Capital and Revenue Expenditure and Receipts.

UNIT-II

Depreciation – Causes – Methods of Calculating Depreciation – Straight Line Method, Diminishing Balance Method and Annuity Method - Ratio Analysis – Uses and Limitations – Classification of Ratios – Liquidity, Profitability, Financial and Turnover Ratios – Simple problems only.

UNIT-III

Funds Flow Analysis – Funds From Operation, Sources and Uses of Funds, Preparation of Schedule of Changes in Working Capital and Funds Flow Statements – Uses and Limitations - Cash Flow Analysis – Cash From Operation – Preparation of Cash Flow Statement – Uses and Limitations – Distinction between Funds flow and Cash Flow – only simple problems

UNIT-IV

Marginal Costing - Marginal cost and Marginal costing - Importance - Break-even Analysis - Cost Volume Profit Relationship – Application of Marginal Costing Techniques, Fixing Selling Price, Make or Buy, Accepting a foreign order, Deciding sales mix.

UNIT-V

Cost Accounting - Elements of Cost - Types of Costs - Preparation of Cost Sheet – Standard Costing – Variance Analysis – Material Variances – Labour Variances – simple problems related to Material and Labour Variances only

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Paresh shah, BASIC ACCOUNTING FOR MANAGERS, *Oxford, Delhi, 2007*

Ambrish Gupta, FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING FOR MANAGEMENT, *Pearson, Delhi, 2004*

Narayanaswamy R, FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING , *PHI, Delhi, 2011*

MBA - I Semester

**PAPER-IV
BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT AND LAW**

Paper Code: MBAC

1004

Objectives

- To acquaint students with the issues of domestic and global environment in which business has to operate
- To relate the Impact of Environment on Business in an integrated manner, and
- To give an exposure to important commercial and industrial laws

UNIT – I

Dynamics of Business and its Environment – Technological, Political, Social and Cultural Environment - Corporate Governance and Social Responsibility - Ethics in Business - Economic Systems and Management Structure - Family Management to Professionalism - Resource Base of the Economy - Land, Forest, Water, Fisheries, Minerals - Environmental Issues.

UNIT - II

Infrastructure - Economic- Social, Demographic Issues, Political context - Productivity Factors, Human Elements and Issues for Improvement - Global Trends in Business and Management - MNCs - Foreign Capital and Collaboration - Trends in Indian Industry - The Capital Market Scenario.

UNIT - III

Law of Contract - Agreement - Offer - Acceptance - Consideration - Capacity of Contract Contingent Contract - Quasi Contract - Performance - Discharge - Remedies to breach of Contract - Partnership - Sale of Goods - Law of Insurance - Negotiable Instruments - Notes, Bills, Cheques - Crossing - Endorsement - Holder in due course - Holder in value - Contract of Agency.

UNIT - IV

Company - Formation - Memorandum - Articles - Prospectus - Shares - Debentures - Directors - Appointment - Powers and Duties - Meetings - Proceedings – Management - Accounts - Audit - Oppression and Mismanagement - Winding up.

UNIT - V

Factory Act – Licensing and Registration of Factories, Health, Safety and Welfare measures - Industrial Disputes Act – Objects and scope of the Act, Effects of Industrial Dispute, Administration under the Act- Minimum Wages Act - Workmen Compensation Act.

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Pathak, LEGAL ASPECTS OF BUSINESS, Tata McGraw- Hill Publishing Company Limited, Delhi, 2010.

Keith-Davis & William Frederick, BUSINESS AND SOCIETY, McGraw-Hill, Tokyo.

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Maheswari & Maheswari, MERCANTILE LAW. Himalaya Publishing House. Mumbai

Rudder Dutt & Sundaram, INDIAN ECONOMY, Vikas Publishing House, New Delhi.

Veena Keshav Pailwar, ECONOMIC ENVIRONMENT OF BUSINESS, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd, New Delhi, 2010

PAPER-V
RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Paper code: MBAC 1005

Objectives

- To enable the students to know about the information needs of Management
- To introduce the concept of Scientific Research and the methods of conducting Scientific Enquiry and
- To introduce the Statistical Tools of Data Analysis.

UNIT-I

Research – Qualities of Researcher – Components of Research Problem – Various Steps in Scientific Research – Types of Research – Hypotheses Research Purposes - Research Design – Survey Research – Case Study Research.

UNIT-II

Data Collection – Sources of Data – Primary Data – Secondary Data - Procedure Questionnaire – Sampling methods – Merits and Demerits – Experiments – Observation method – Sampling Errors - Type-I Error & Type-II Error.

UNIT-III

Statistical Analysis – Introduction to Statistics – Probability Theories – Conditional Probability, Poisson Distribution, Binomial Distribution and Properties of Normal Distributions – Hypothesis Tests – One Sample Test – Two Sample Tests / Chi-Square Test, Association of Attributes - Standard deviation – Co-efficient of variations .

UNIT-IV

Statistical Applications – Correlation and Regression Analysis – Analysis of Variance – Partial and Multiple Correlation – Factor Analysis and Conjoint Analysis – Multifactor Evaluation – Two-Factor Evaluation Approaches.

UNIT-V

Research Reports – Structure and Components of Research Report – Types of Report, characteristics of Good Research Report, Pictures and Graphs, Introduction to SPSS.

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Kothari CR , RESEARCH METHODOLOGY-METHODS AND TECHNIQUES, *New Wiley Eastern Ltd., Delhi, 2009.*

**PAPER-VI
FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT**

Paper code: MBAC 2001

Objectives

- To know the various sources of finance
- To understand the various uses for finance and
- To familiarize oneself with the techniques used in financial management.

UNIT-I

Financial Management – Financial goals - Profit vs. Wealth Maximization; Finance Functions – Investment, Financing and Dividend Decisions – Cost of Capital – Significance of Cost of Capital – Calculation of Cost of Debt – Cost of Preference Capital – Cost of Equity Capital (CAPM Model and Gordon's Model) and Cost of Retained Earnings – Combined Cost of Capital (weighted/Overall).

UNIT-II

Capital Budgeting – Nature of Investment Decisions – Investment Evaluation criteria – Net Present Value (NPV), Internal Rate of Return (IRR), Profitability Index (PI), Payback Period, Accounting Rate of Return (ARR) – NPV and IRR comparison.

UNIT-III

Operating and Financial Leverage – Measurement of Leverages – Effects of Operating and Financial Leverage on Profit – Analyzing Alternate Financial Plans - Combined Financial and Operating Leverage – Capital Structure Theories - Traditional approach - M.M. Hypotheses – without Taxes and with Taxes – Net Income Approach (NI) – Net Operating Income Approach (NOI) - Determining capital structure in practice.

UNIT- IV

Dividend Policies – Issues in Dividend Decisions – Relevance Theory – Walter's Model – Gordon's Model – Irrelevance Theory – M-M hypothesis - Dividend Policy in Practice – Forms of Dividends – Stability in Dividend Policy – Corporate Dividend Behaviour.

UNIT-V

Management of Working Capital – Significance and types of Working Capital – Calculating Operating Cycle Period and Estimation of Working Capital Requirements – Financing of Working Capital and norms of Bank Finance – Sources of Working capital – Factoring services – Various committee reports on Bank Finance – Dimensions of Working Capital Management.

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Chandra Bose D, FUNDAMENTALS OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT, *PHI, Delhi, 2010*
Preeti Singh, FUNDAMENTALS OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT, *Ane, 2011*.

2002

Objectives

- To familiarize with the basic concepts, and techniques of marketing management
- To understand the behaviour of consumers
- To create awareness of marketing mix elements, and
- To analyse and solve marketing problems in the complex and fast changing business environment.

UNIT-I

Introduction to Marketing and Marketing Management, Marketing Concepts - Marketing Process Marketing mix - Marketing environment. - Consumer Markets and buying behaviour - Market segmentation and targeting and positioning.

UNIT-II

Product Decisions - concept of a Product - Product mix decisions - Brand Decision - New Product Development – Sources of New Product idea - Steps in Product Development - Product Life Cycle strategies- Stages in Product Life Cycle,

UNIT-III

Price Decisions - Pricing objectives - Pricing policies and constraints - Different pricing method - New product pricing, Product Mix pricing strategies and Price adjustment strategy.

UNIT-IV

Channel Decision - Nature of Marketing Channels –. Types of Channel flows - Channel functions - Functions of Distribution Channel – Structure and Design of Marketing Channels -Channel co-operation, conflict and competition – Retailers and wholesalers.

UNIT - V

Promotion Decision - Promotion mix - Advertising Decision, Advertising objectives - Advertising and Sales Promotion – Developing Advertising Programme – Role of Media in Advertising - Advertisement effectiveness - - Sales force Decision.

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K.S. Chandrasekar, MARKETING MANAGEMENT TEXT AND CASES, *Tata McGraw-Hill Publication, New Delhi.2010*

Govindarajan, MARKETING MANAGEMENT CONCEPTS, CASES, CHALLENGES AND TRENDS, *Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi. 2009*

Philip Kotler, MARKETING MANAGEMENT- ANALYSIS PLANNING AND CONTROL, *Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi,*

Ramaswamy. V S & Namakumari. S, MARKETING MANAGEMENT-PLANNING IMPLEMENTATION AND CONTROL, *Macmillan Business Books, New Delhi, 2002,*

Objectives

- To understand and appreciate the importance of the human resources vis-a-vis other resources of the organisation
- To familiarize the students with methods and techniques of HRM
- To equip them with the application of the HRM tools in real world business situations.

UNIT-I

Human Resources Management - Context and Concept of People Management in a Systems Perspective - Organisation and Functions of the HR and Personnel Department - HR Structure and Strategy; Role of Government and Personnel Environment including MNCs.

UNIT – II

Recruitment and Selection - Human Resource Information System [HRIS] - Manpower Planning - Selection – Induction & Orientation - Performance and Potential Appraisal - Coaching and Mentoring - HRM issues and practices in the context of Outsourcing as a strategy .

UNIT-III

Human Resources Development – Training and Development Methods - Design & Evaluation of T&D Programmes - Career Development - Promotions and Transfers - Personnel Empowerment including Delegation - Retirement and Other Separation Processes.

UNIT-IV

Financial Compensation- -Productivity and Morale - Principal Compensation Issues & Management - Job Evaluation - Productivity, Employee Morale and Motivation - Stress Management - Quality of Work Life.

UNIT – V

Building Relationships – Facilitating Legislative Framework - Trade Unions - Managing Conflicts - Disciplinary Process - Collective Bargaining - Workers Participation in Management - Concept, Mechanisms and Experiences.

REFERENCES

- Venkata Ratnam C. S. & Srivatsava B. K.**, PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES, *Tata Mc-Graw Hill, NewDelhi,*
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- Pravin Durai**, HUMAN RESOURCE MANGEMENT, *Pearson, New Delhi, 2010*
- Snell, Bohlander & Vohra**, HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT, *Cengage, NewDelhi, 2010*

Objectives

- To familiarize the Operations Management concepts
- To introduce various optimization techniques with managerial perspective
- To facilitate the use of Operations Research techniques in managerial decisions.

UNIT –I

Introduction to Operations Management - Process Planning - Plant Location - Plant Lay out - Introduction to Production Planning.

UNIT –II

Stages of Development of Operations Research- Applications of Operations Research- Limitations of Operations Research- Introduction to Linear Programming- Graphical Method- Simplex Method - Duality.

UNIT-III

Transportation Problem- Assignment Problem - Inventory Control - Introduction to Inventory Management - Basic Deterministic Models - Purchase Models - Manufacturing Models with and without Shortages.

UNIT-IV

Shortest Path Problem - Minimum Spanning Tree Problem - CPM/PERT - Crashing of a Project Network.

UNIT- V

Game Theory- Two Person Zero-sum Games -Graphical Solution of (2 x n) and (m x 2) Games - LP Approach to Game Theory - Goal programming - Formulations - Introduction to Queuing Theory - Basic Waiting Line Models: (M/M/1):(GD/a/a), (M/M/C):GD/a/a).

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Tulsian & Pandey, QUANTITATIVE TECHNIQUES, *Pearson, NewDelhi, 2002*

Vohra, QUANTATIVE TECHNIQUES IN MANAGEMENT, *Tata McGrawHill, NewDelhi, 2010*

Objectives

- Integrating the knowledge gained in functional areas of management
- Helping the students to learn about the process of strategic management, and
- Helping the students to learn about strategy formulation and implementation

UNIT-I

Concepts of Strategy - Levels at which strategy operates; Approaches to strategic decision making; Mission and purpose, objectives and goals; Strategic business unit (SBU); Functional level strategies

UNIT-II

Environmental Analysis and Diagnosis - Environment and its components; Environment scanning and appraisal; Organizational appraisal; Strategic advantage analysis and diagnosis; SWOT analysis

UNIT-III

Strategy Formulation and Choice - Modernization, Diversification Integration - Merger, take-over and joint strategies - Turnaround, Divestment and Liquidation strategies - Strategic choice - Industry, competitor and SWOT analysis - Factors affecting strategic choice; Generic competitive strategies - Cost leadership, Differentiation, Focus, Value chain analysis, Benchmarking, Service blue printing

UNIT-IV

Functional Strategies: Marketing, production/operations and R&D plans and policies- Personnel and financial plans and policies.

UNIT-V

Strategy Implementation - Inter - relationship between formulation and implementation - Issues in strategy implementation - Resource allocation - Strategy and Structure - Structural considerations - Organizational Design and change - Strategy Evaluation- Overview of strategic evaluation; strategic control; Techniques of strategic evaluation and control.

REFERENCES

Azhar Kazmi, STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT & BUSINESS POLICY, *Tata McGraw-Hill Publishing Company Limited, New Delhi 2008.*

Vipin Gupta, Kamala Gollakota & Srinivasan, BUSINESS POLICY & STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT, *Prentice Hall of India Private Limited, New Delhi, 2008.*

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MBA (Marketing) - III Semester

**PAPER - XI
CONSUMER BEHAVIOUR**

**Course Code: 36
3001**

Paper Code: MBMM

Objectives

- To understand the conceptual foundations of consumer buying behavior
- To create awareness of the theories of motivation and perception as applied in consumer behavior, and
- To acquaint with the communication and consumer decision making

UNIT - I

Consumer Behaviour and Marketing Action - An overview - Consumer involvement - Decision-making processes - Purchase Behaviour and Marketing Implications - Consumer Behaviour Models

UNIT - II

Environmental influences on Consumer Behaviour - Cultural influences - Social class - Reference groups and family influences - Opinion leadership and the diffusion of innovations - Marketing implications of the above influences.

UNIT - III

Consumer buying behaviour - Marketing implications - Consumer perceptions – Learning and attitudes - Motivation and personality – Psychographics - Values and Lifestyles, Click-ographic.

UNIT - IV

Strategic marketing applications - Market segmentation strategies - Positioning strategies for existing and new products, Re-positioning, Perceptual Mapping - Marketing communication - Store choice and shopping behaviour - In-Store stimuli, store image and loyalty - Consumerism - Consumer rights and Marketers' responsibilities.

UNIT - V

The Global Consumer Behaviour and Online buying behaviour - Consumer buying habits and perceptions of emerging non-store choices - Research and applications of consumer responses to direct marketing approaches - Issues of privacy and ethics.

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- Bennet and Kassanjian**, CONSUMER BEHAVIOUR, *Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi*
- Michael R. Solomon**, Consumer Behaviour, PHI Learning Private Limited, New Delhi, 2011
- Ramanuj Majumdar**, CONSUMER BEHAVIOUR, *Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi, 2011*
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- Efraim Turban, Jae Lee, David King, & I-I. Michael Chung**: *Electronic Commerce: Managerial Perspective, Pearson Education Inc., 2000.*

MBA (Marketing) - III Semester

**PAPER-XII
MARKETING RESEARCH**

Course Code: 36

Paper Code: MBMM 3002

Objectives

- To introduce the basic concepts of research and methodology of conducting researches in marketing domain, and
- To provide a foundation to pursue a professional career in Marketing Research domain.

UNIT – I

The Marketing Research System - Definition of MR - Basic and Applied Research – The Marketing Research Process - Types of Research - Steps in Marketing Research Process - Research Design - Data Sources - Marketing Information System – International Market Research.

UNIT-II

Sampling Process in Marketing Research– Sampling Design and Procedure – Sampling Methods – Non probabilistic sampling Techniques – Probabilistic sampling Techniques - Sample Size determination - Sampling Errors.

UNIT-III

Measurement & Scaling in Marketing Research: Measurement concept – Sources of variation in Measurement, Validity & reliability of Measurement - Attitude measurement – Scaling Procedure

UNIT-IV

Data Instruments - Data Collection- Online data collection - Collection of Secondary Data – Collection of Primary Data Methods - Field Operations - Errors and Difficulties in Data Processing, Coding and Editing.

Data Analysis - Hypothesis Testing - Report Writing - Presentation of Data.

UNIT- V

Application of Marketing Research: Product Research – Motivation research – Advertising Research – Sales Control Research – Rural Marketing research - Export Marketing research.

REFERENCES

Naresh K. Malhotra, *MARKETING RESEARCH: AN APPLIED ORIENTATION*, Pearson Education, Asia.

Paul E. Green & Donald S. Tull, *RESEARCH FOR MARKETING DECISIONS*. PHI Learning Private Limited, New Delhi, 2009

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MBA (Marketing) - III Semester

**PAPER-XIII
INDUSTRIAL MARKETING**

**Course Code: 36
3003**

Paper Code: MBMM

Objectives:

- To help the learner distinguish between consumer marketing and industrial marketing
- To understand the nuances of industrial marketing, and
- To learn to formulate industrial marketing strategies and also design industrial marketing mix elements

UNIT-I

Introduction to Industrial Markets - Industrial Marketing System, Concepts and Characteristics - Types of Industrial Markets - Industrial Buyer Behaviour.

UNIT-II

Strategic Industrial Marketing (S.T.P.) - Marketing Information Systems and Marketing Research – B2B Commerce.

UNIT-III

Classification of Industrial Products and Services - New Product Development and Introduction - Industrial Product Management - Pricing Decisions in Industrial Markets.

UNIT-IV

Formulating Channel Strategies and Physical Distribution decisions – Channel Management -Promotional Strategies for Industrial Goods/ Services.

UNIT - V

Developing Marketing Strategies and Programs for Industrial Goods / Services.
– Formulating channel strategy – Pricing strategy- Promotional strategy – Sales force automation.

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Hawaldar, K. Krishna, INDUSTRIAL MARKETING, *TATA McGraw-Hill Publishing Company Limited, New Delhi. 2008*

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MBA (Marketing) - IV Semester

PAPER-XIV

LOGISTICS AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

Course Code: 36

Paper Code: MBMM3004

Objectives

- To introduce process and functions of physical distribution system
- To introduce the major building blocks, functions, business process, performance metrics and decision making in supply chain network, and
- To provide an insight into the role of Internet Technologies and electronics commerce in supply chain management

UNIT - I

Physical distribution : Participation in the physical distribution functions – The environment of physical distribution – Channel design strategies and structures – electing channel members – Setting distribution objectives and tasks – Target markets and channel design strategies.

UNIT - II

Managing the marketing channel - Product, Pricing and Promotion issues in channel Management and Physical Distribution - Motivating channel members - Evaluating channel member performance - Vertical marketing systems - Retail co-operatives, Franchise systems and corporate marketing systems.

UNIT - III

Supply Chain: Building Blocks of a Supply Chain Network – Performance Measures in Decisions in the Supply chain World – Models for Supply chain Decision Making.

UNIT - IV

Supply Chain Inventory Management: Economic Order quantity Models – Recorder Point Models – Multichannel Inventory systems – Supply chain Facilities Layout – Capacity Planning – Inventory optimization – Dynamic Routing and Scheduling.

UNIT-V

Relation to ERP: E-procurement – E-Logistics – Internet Auctions – E-markets – Electronic Business Process – Optimization Business Object in SCM.

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N. Chandrasekaran, SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT, *Oxford University Press*, 2010

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MBA (Marketing) - III Semester

**PAPER-XV
RETAIL MARKETING**

**Course Code: 36
3005**

Paper Code: MBMM

Objectives

- To understand the concept, process and management of retail business
- To develop an understanding of the retail strategy and planning process, and
- To have an understanding of merchandise process

UNIT – I

An overview of Retailing - Types of stores - Product Retailing vs. Service Retailing - Non store Retailing - Retail strategy - Achieving competitive advantage and positioning Retailing environment - Legal, Social, Economic, Technological, issues - Trends in the Indian Retailing Industry.

UNIT-II

Retail store location and layout - Country/Region analysis - Trade area analysis - Site evaluation and selection - Store design and layout - Comprehensive store planning - Exterior design and layout - Interior store design and layout - Interior design elements.

UNIT-III

Planning merchandise needs and merchandise budgets - Methods for determining inventory evaluation - Assortment planning, buying and vendor relations - Merchandise pricing - Price strategies - Psychological pricing - Mark-up and markdown strategies.

UNIT-IV

Communicating with the retail customer - Retail promotion mix-Advertising - Sales promotion - Publicity - Retail selling process - Retail database- In-store customer service.

UNIT - V

Globalization and changing retail formats – Online retailing - International Retailing – Opportunities and Challenges - Market entry formulas - New customized formats(customized stores, portable stores, merchandise depots, retail theater, service malls, customer-made stores, interactive kiosk 'shopping arcades')

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**PAPER-XVI
RURAL MARKETING**

**Course Code: 36
MBMM4001**

Paper Code:

Objectives

- To create awareness about the applicability of the concepts, techniques and processes of marketing in rural context
- To familiarize with the special problems related to sales in rural markets, and
- To help understand the working of rural marketing institutions.

UNIT- I

Rural Economy - Rural - Urban disparities-policy interventions required - Rural face to Reforms - The Development exercises in the last few decades.

UNIT-II

Rural Marketing - Concept and Scope - Nature of rural markets - attractiveness of rural markets - Rural Vs Urban Marketing - Characteristics of Rural consumers - Buying decision process - Rural Marketing Information System - Potential and size of the Rural Markets.

UNIT-III

Selection of Markets - Product Strategy - Product mix Decisions - Competitive product strategies for rural markets.

UNIT-IV

Pricing strategy - pricing policies - innovative pricing methods for rural markets - promotion strategy - appropriate media - Designing right promotion mix - promotional campaigns.

UNIT - V

Distribution - Logistics Management - Problems encountered - selection of appropriate channels - New approaches to reach out rural markets – Electronic choupal applications.

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**PAPER-XVII
SERVICES MARKETING**

Course Code: 36

Paper Code: MBMM 4002

Objectives

- To familiarize with the special characteristics of services relevant for marketing
- To analyze the customer satisfaction and complaint management in services
- To evaluate the financial implications of improvement in services, and
- To acquaint with CRM application in service marketing.

UNIT-I

Marketing of Services - Introduction - Growth of the Service Sector - The Concept of Service - Characteristics of Services - Classification of Services - Designing the Service Blueprinting, Using Technology - Developing Human Resources - Building Service Aspirations.

UNIT-II

Marketing mix in services marketing - The seven Ps - Product Decisions - Pricing Strategies and Tactics - Promotion of Services and Placing or Distribution Methods for Services - Additional Dimensions in Services Marketing - People, Physical Evidence and Process – Internet as a service channel.

UNIT-III

Strategic Marketing Management for Services - Matching Demand and Supply through Capacity Planning and Segmentation - Internal Marketing of a Service - External versus Internal Orientation of Service Strategy.

UNIT-IV

Delivering Quality Services - Causes of Service-Quality Gaps - The Customer Expectations versus Perceived Service Gap - Factors and Techniques to Resolve this Gaps in Service - Quality Standards, Factors and Solutions - The Service Performance Gap Key Factors and Strategies for Closing the Gap - Developing Appropriate and Effective Communication about Service Quality.

UNIT – V

Marketing of Services with special reference to Financial Services - Health Services - Hospitality Services including Travel, Hotels and Tourism - Professional Services - Public Utility Services - Communication Services - Educational Services.

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**PAPER-XVIII
ADVERTISING & SALES PROMOTION**

Course Code: 36

Paper Code: MBMM 4003

Objectives

- To understand the process of marketing communications.
- To understand and integrate marketing communications theory and concepts with all elements of the promotional mix, and
- To acquaint students with approaches and methods to develop, execute and evaluate advertising campaigns.

UNIT - I

Advertising - an introduction- Origin and Development - Definition and Classification - Planning Framework - Organising Framework - the Advertiser and the Advertising Agency interface - Strategic Advertising Decisions - Setting Advertising Objectives - The Budget Decision - Preparing the Product and Media Brief

UNIT-II

Copy Decisions - Visualization of Ad Layout - Elements of Ad Copy and Creation Principles of verbal versus visual thinkers - Styles and Stages in advertising copy creation- Copy (Pre-) Testing methods and measurements.

UNIT-III

Media Decisions - Media Planning and Selection - Concepts of Reach, Frequency, Continuity, and Selectivity - Measures of Media Cost Efficiency – Media (Readership / Viewership) Research - The Internet as an Advertising Medium - Tracking Website visits, page views, hits, and click-stream analysis - permission marketing and privacy - ethical concerns.

UNIT-IV

Measuring Advertising Effectiveness - Control of Advertising by practitioners, media and the market - Advertising in the International Market-place - Advertising and Principles of Integrated Marketing Communication and Image Building.

UNIT - V

Sales Promotion - Rationale, Types - Consumer and Trade Promotions - Sales Promotion Strategies and Practices, Cross Promotions, Surrogate Selling, Bait and Switch advertising issues.

Brand Equity - Concepts and Criteria, Building, Measuring and Managing Brand Equity, Linking Advertising and sales promotion to achieve 'brand-standing' - Leveraging Brand Values for business and non-business contexts.

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**PAPER-XIX
CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT**

**Course Code: 36
MBMM4004**

Paper Code:

Objectives

- To understand the concepts and principles of CRM
- To appreciate the role and changing face of CRM as an IT enabled function, and
- To enable managing Customer Relationship.

UNIT - I

CRM concepts - Acquiring customers, - Customer loyalty and optimizing customer relationships - CRM defined - success factors, the three levels of Service/ Sales Profiling - Service Level Agreements (SLAs), creating and managing effective SLAs.

UNIT - II

CRM in Marketing - One-to-one Relationship Marketing - Cross Selling & Up Selling - Customer Retention, Behaviour Prediction - Customer Profitability & Value Modeling, - Channel Optimization - Event-based marketing. - CRM and Customer Service - The Call Centre, Call Scripting - Customer Satisfaction Measurement.

UNIT - III

Sales Force Automation - Sales Process, Activity, Contact- Lead and Knowledge Management - Field Force Automation. - CRM links in e-Business - E-Commerce and Customer Relationships on the Internet - Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP), - Supply Chain Management (SCM), - Supplier Relationship Management (SRM), - Partner relationship Management (PRM).

UNIT-IV

Analytical CRM - Managing and sharing customer data - Customer information databases - Ethics and legalities of data use - Data Warehousing and Data Mining concepts - Data analysis - Market Basket Analysis (MBA), Click stream Analysis, Personalization and Collaborative Filtering.

UNIT- V

CRM Implementation - Defining success factors - Preparing a business plan requirements, justification and processes. - Choosing CRM tools - Defining functionalities - Homegrown versus out-sourced approaches - Managing customer relationships - conflict, complacency, Resetting the CRM strategy. Selling CRM .internally - CRM development Team - Scoping and prioritizing - Development and delivery - Measurement.

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**PAPER-XX
GLOBAL MARKETING**

Course Code: 36

Paper Code: MBMM 4005

Objectives

- This course is designed to provide knowledge of marketing management in the international scenario, and
- To enable the student to appreciate the nuances of international marketing environment and develop marketing strategies for the dynamic international markets.

UNIT-I

The international marketing environment - Political and legal systems - Multilateral and Geographical Groupings - Culture and Business Customs - Economic and Financial dimensions.

UNIT –II

Understanding the global consumer market - Scope and challenges of international marketing - Assessing international market opportunities - Marketing Research.

UNIT-III

International marketing management - Planning and organization - Market entry strategies - Export, joint ventures and direct investments.

UNIT –IV

Global product management - standardization vs. differentiation - Product planning and development - Marketing industrial products and services globally - Pricing for international markets.

UNIT – V

Global logistics management - International distribution systems - Global advertising and promotional strategies - Sales management - Developing marketing strategies and programs for international markets.

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