## MARKETING MANAGEMENT

Subject Code : 16MBA15 IA Marks : 20 No. of Lecture Hours / Week: 03 Exam Hours : 03 Number of Lecture Hours : 56 Exam Marks : 80

Practical Component : 02 Hours / Week

# **Objectives:**

- To provide an insight to basic concepts of marketing management.
- To understand various marketing models for solving marketing problems.
- To understand fundamental premise underlying market driven strategies.

### **Course Outcome:**

At the end of the course students are able to:

- Acquire knowledge regarding basic concepts and functions of Marketing Management.
- Apply various marketing concepts to solve day-to-day corporate problems.
- Learn various strategies which enable decision making process.
- Study ever-changing environment and use of appropriate models and techniques of Marketing.
- Synthesize ideas into a viable marketing plan.

**Unit 1:** (10 hours)

Introduction to Marketing: Introduction, Definitions of market and marketing, The Exchange Process, Elements of Marketing Concept, Functions of Marketing, Old Concept or Product- oriented Concept, New or Modern or Customer- oriented Concept, Marketing Environment, Techniques used in environment analysis, Characteristics (Micro and Macro), Marketing to the 21st century customer

Unit 2: (8 hours)

**Consumer Behaviour Analysis:** Meaning and Characteristics, Importance, Factors Influencing Consumer Behaviour, Consumer Purchase Decision Process, Buying Roles, Buying Motives, Buyer Behaviour Models

Unit 3: (10 hours)

Market Segmentation, Targeting & Positioning: Concept of Market Segmentation, Benefits, Requisites of Effective Segmentation, Bases for Segmenting Consumer Markets, Market Segmentation Strategies.

Targeting - Bases for identifying target Customer target Marketing strategies, Positioning - Meaning, Product Differentiation Strategies, Tasks involved in Positioning.Branding - Concept of Branding, Types, Brand Equity, Branding strategies.

Unit 4: (8 hours)

**Managing the Product:** Concept, product hierarchy, product line, product mix, product mix strategies, Product life cycle and its strategies, New Product Development, packing as a marketing tool, Role of labelling in packing.

Unit-5 (10 hours)

**Pricing decisions:** Significance of pricing, factor influencing pricing (Internal factor and External factor), objectives, Pricing Strategies-Value based, Cost based, Market based, Competitor based, Pricing Procedure. **Marketing Channels:** Meaning, Purpose, Factors Affecting Channel Choice, Channel Design, Channel Management Decision, Channel Conflict, Designing a physical Distribution System, Network Marketing,

**Unit 6:** (10 hours)

Marketing Planning: Meaning, Concepts, Steps involved in Marketing planning, Marketing Audit- Meaning, Feature, Various components of Marketing Audit Marketing Strategy-Analysis of Industry and Competition, Strategic Planning Process,

#### **Case Studies in Indian Context**

## **Practical Components:**

- Analyze Product Life Cycle of few Products like-Electronic goods, Computers etc.
- Study Packaging strategies used by FMCG companies
- Understand Marketing strategies, plans used by automobile, cosmetic, FMCG companies etc.

### **RECOMMENDED BOOKS**

- Marketing Management: A South Asian Perspective–Kotler, Keller, Koshy & Jha, 13/e, Pearson Education, 2012
- Marketing Management, Ramaswamy V. S. & Namakumari S, 4/e, TMH, 2014
- Fundamentals of Marketing Management, Etzel M.J BJ Walker & William J. Stanton, 14/e, TMH, 2012
- Marketing Management: An Applied Approach, Noel Capon & Siddharth Shekhar Singh, Wiley, 2014

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- Applied Case Studies in Marketing Shajahan S, Primus BOOKS, 2011.
- Marketing Management Karunakaran, HPH.
- Marketing in India: Text and Cases- Neelamegham S, 4/e, Vikas.
- Marketing- Lamb, Hair, Mc Danniel, 7/e, Cengage Learning 2012.
- Marketing: Planning, Implementation, and Control -William M. Pride, Ferrell O. C, Cengage Learning, 2010.
- Marketing Management, Tapan Panda, 2/e, Excel Publication