### DEPARTMENT OF B.COM (BANK MANAGEMENT)

SUBJECT: MARKETING SUB.CODE . EBM620

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### Unit 1

### Introduction

Marketing – Meaning – Definition- features, importance and function – classification of markets – Marketing orientation – marketing environment – Internal and external factors affecting environment.

# PART A (Two marks each)

- 1. What is Market?
- 2. Define Market.
- 3. Define Marketing.
- 4. What is perfect market?-
- 5. What is spot market?
- 6. What is future market/
- 7. What do you mean by Bullion Market?
- 8. What is Regulated and unregulated market?
- 9. What is Commodity market?
- 10. What do you mean by Barter system?
- 11. What is market orientation?
- 12. State the functions of Exchange
- 13. What are the functions of marketing?
- 14. State the various approaches of marketing
- 15. What is Marketing environment?

# PART B (5 marks each)

- 1. What are the Importance of Marketing?
- 2. What are the various approaches of Marketing?

- 3. Write about Market orientation.
- 4. What are the features of marketing?
- 5. Explain any five factors affecting Marketing environment?
- 6. What are the objectives of marketing?
- 7. Describe the functions of Exchange and Physical supply.
- 8. Explain briefly the external macro environment affecting the marketing function.
- 9. Explain the impact of the following on the marketing management of a firm.
  - a. Demography b. Economic, Social and Cultural Environment.

### PART C (10 Marks each)

- 1. Bring out the essence of marketing.
- 2. What are the difference between market and marketing?
- 3. What are the various classification of market? Describe them briefly.
- 4. Explain briefly the various functions of marketing.
- 5. Describe the various environmental factors affecting the marketing function.

### Unit 11

Market Segmentation and marketing Mix

Concept – benefits- basis- Market targeting – market positioning - - Marketing Mix Concept and its components. Extended 3 P's of Marketing mix : People, Process and Physical Evidence (concepts only).

### PART A (Two marks each)

- 1. Define Market segmentation.
- 2. What is market aggregation?
- 3. State the various bases for market segmentation.
- 4. Define Market Targeting
- 5. Define Market Positioning.
- 6. What are the elements of marketing mix?
- 7. State the requirements for effective marketing segmentation
- 8. State the extended three P's of marketing.
- 9. Mention the steps in Market targeting.
- 10. What are the various positioning strategies?
- 11. List down the factors that affect marketing mix.

PART B (5 marks each)

- 1. What are the requirements for effective market segmentation?
- 2. What are the elements of marketing segmentation?
- 3. What are the 7 components of marketing mix?. Explain.
- 4. What is market targeting? Describe its steps.
- 5. Briefly describe the various positioning strategies.
- 6. What are the benefits of market segmentation?

### PART C (10 Marks each)

- 1. What are the requirements for effective market segmentation?
- 2. What are the basic elements of marketing segmentation? Explain them briefly.
- 3. What are the 7 components of marketing mix?. Explain.
- 4. Describe the various steps in market targeting.
- 5. Briefly describe the various positioning strategies. How can it be planned?
- 6. What are the benefits of market segmentation?
- 7. Explain the bases for Market Segmentation?
- 8. Define market segmentation. Describe its objectives and importance.
- 9. What criteria are used for segmenting a market?
- 10. What are the factors affecting Marketing Mix?

# Unit - III

### **Product and Pricing**

Product – meaning, features – product mix – stages in New Product planning and Development - Product Life cycle. Pricing – meaning, importance, objectives –factors affecting pricing decision – procedure for price determination – pricing policies and methods

# PART A (Two marks each)

- 1. Define product.
- 2. What do you mean by product?
- 3. What are consumer goods?
- 4. What are industrial goods?
- 5. Define the concept of product life cycle
- 6. What is meant by saturation stage?
- 7. Define product mix.
- 8. What is product line?
- 9. What is Product item?
- 10. State the various stages in Product Life Cycle.
- 11. What is product planning?

- 12. Expand PLC.
- 13. Define product planning.
- 14. What is product development?
- 15. List out the stages in the new product development process.
- 16. What is price?
- 17. What do you mean by pricing?
- 18. What is the prime objective of pricing?
- 19. State the factors influencing pricing.
- 20. State the process of price determination of a product.
- 21. State the pricing policies.
- 22. What is penetration pricing?
- 23. What is Skim –the- cream pricing/
- 24. State any four methods of pricing?
- 25. What is Break even pricing?

### PART B (5 marks each)

- 1. What is product? List down its marketing characteristics.
- 2. Describe briefly the classification of goods.
- 3. What are the stages in product life cycle?
- 4. What are the dimensions of product mix? Describe them briefly
- 5. What are the benefits of product mix?
- 6. What are the important aspects of product planning?
- 7. What are the scope of Product Planning and Development?
- 8. Write a note on Test Marketing.
- 9. What are the factors that influence the pricing decisions?
- 10. Briefly enumerate the process of determining price for a product.
- 11. Explain briefly the kinds of pricing.
- 12. What are the basic pricing policies adopted by firms? Explain them briefly.
- 13. What are the objectives of pricing?

#### PART C (10 Marks each)

- 1. Critically examine the stages in PLC.
- 2. What do you understand by product planning? Explain the problems of introducing new products.
- 3. Explain the various product mix strategies.
- 4. Explain the factors determining the Product mix.
- 5. Explain the factors to be considered before introducing a product.
- 6. What are the reasons for failure of a product?
- 7. Describe the various stages in new product development Process
- 8. Explain the factors influencing price determination.

- 9. Explain the various methods of pricing.
- 10. Explain the bases for pricing policies.

#### Unit - IV

### Channels of Distribution and Promotion

Channels of Distribution – meaning, definition, need for Channels of Distribution – kinds of middlemen and their services – factors to be considered in selecting channels- major channels of distribution. Sales promotion – meaning, purpose, methods, merits and limitations. Personal selling –steps involved in personal selling - merits and limitations. Advertising – meaning – Medias - merits and limitations

## PART A (Two marks each)

- 1. What do you mean by channel of distribution?
- 2. What are the various levels of channels of distribution?
- 3. State the classification of middlemen?
- 4. What is an Agent middleman?
- 5. What is a merchant middleman?
- 6. State the kinds of middlemen.
- 7. Who is called brokers?
- 8. Who is an auctioneer?
- 9. Who is said to be factors?
- 10. What are departmental stores?
- 11. What is super market?
- 12. What is hyper market?
- 13. What do you mean by sales promotion?
- 14. Define sales promotion?
- 15. What is couponing?
- 16. What is price off promotion and contest?
- 17. What are buyback allowances?
- 18. Define personal selling.
- 19. What do you mean by advertising?
- 20. Define advertising.
- 21. State the classification of advertising media.
- 22. Give two advantages of Newspaper advertising.

### PART B (5 marks each)

- 1. Briefly explain the various channels of distribution?
- 2. What are the importance of distribution?
- 3. Explain the various levels of channels?

- 4. What are the difference between Agent middlemen and merchant middle men?
- 5. What are the difference between Marketing and distribution?
- 6. What are the characteristics of agent and merchant middlemen?
- 7. What are the basic characteristics of wholesaler?
- 8. What are the characteristics of retailers?
- 9. What are the essential requisites for success in retailing?
- 10. What are the objectives and importance of sales promotion?
- 11. What are the objectives of personal selling?
- 12. Distinguish between personal selling, salesmanship and advertising.
- 13. What are the forms of direct advertising?
- 14. What are the various medias used in Indirect advertising?

## PART C (10 Marks each)

- 1. Explain the factors determining the choice of a particular channel.
- 2. Explain the various kinds of agent middlemen.
- 3. Explain the services rendered by wholesalers.
- 4. Describe the services rendered by retailers.
- 5. Define retailer. Explain their functions and types.
- 6. What are the different types of wholesalers?
- 7. What are the advantages and limitations of sales promotion?
- 8. What are the types of sales promotional activities? Explain.
- 9. Explain the steps involved in personal selling.
- 10. What are the merits and demerits of personal selling?
- 11. What are the advantages of advertising?
- 12. Explain the kinds of advertising media.
- 13. What are the limitations of advertising?

#### Unit - V

# MR, MIS and Recent Trends in Marketing

Marketing Research – meaning – marketing research procedure – types and techniques of Marketing Research – Marketing information system – meaning, importance and benefits – requisites of good Marketing Information System. E-marketing – meaning – business models associated with E-marketing – benefits and limitations. Recent trends in Marketing

# PART A (Two marks each)

- 1. What is Market research?
- 2. Define Market Research.
- 3. What do you mean by MIS
- 4. Expand MIS
- 5. Define MIS.
- 6. What is E-Marketing?
- 7. State the business models of E-Marketing.

- 8. What is B2B and B2C model?
- 9. What is sampling?
- 10. What is questionnaire?
- 11. Give any two advantages of Management Information System
- 12. Define the term: e-marketing
- 13. What is primary data?

### PART B (5 marks each)

- 1. What are the procedure for Marketing Research?
- 2. Explain the types of market research?
- 3. Explain the techniques of Market Research.
- 4. What is Market Information System? What is the importance of MIS?
- 5. What are the benefits of MIS?
- 6. Explain the requisites of good marketing information system.
- 7. What are the benefits of E-Marketing?
- 8. What are the tools used in collecting information for marketing research
- 9. Discuss the objectives of marketing research
- 10. 'Marketing Information System is called the life blood of marketing'- Comment on this statement.
- 11. What are the objectives of e-marketing
- 12. Distinguish between market research and market information system.

# PART C (10 Marks each)

- 1. Explain the business models associated with E-Marketing.
- 2. What are the limitations of E-Marketing?
- 3. Explain the recent trends in Marketing..
- 4. Explain the market research process
- 5. Describe the stages involved in organising marketing research
- 6. Explain the different types of marketing Research
- 7. What is meant by 'Marketing Research'? Explain the Marketing Research process