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Fourth Semester MBA Degree Examination, June/July 2015 Integrated Marketing Communication

Time: 3 hrs. Max. Marks:100

Note: 1. Answer any THREE questions from Q.No. 1 to Q.No.6. 2. Question No. 7 and 8 are compulsory.

1	a. What is Integrated Market	_	(03 Marks)
	b. Explain marketing and pr		(07 Marks)
	c. Explain the various Adve	ertising appeal through various stages of PLC.	(10 Marks)
2	a. What are collateral service	es?	(03 Marks)
	b. How do you Evaluate Ad	vertising agencies?	(07 Marks)
	c. Explain briefly the variou	us types of Agencies.	(10 Marks)
3	a. What is promotional budg	get?	(03 Marks)
	b. Explain briefly the variou	as Budgeting approaches.	(07 Marks)
	c. Explain DAGMAR – an a	approach to setting objectives?	(10 Marks)
4	a. What is Creativity Advert	ising?	(03 Marks)
	b. Explain the importance of	f headline and body copy.	(07 Marks)
	c. Explain briefly creative st	rategy. Implementation and Evaluation.	(10 Marks)
5	a. What is Co-operative Adv	vertising?	(03 Marks)
	b. Explain the role of Direct	Marketing in the IMC program.	(07 Marks)
	c. What are the Tools of pub	olic relation strategy?	(10 Marks)
6	a. What is pre – testing in ad	Ivertising?	(03 Marks)
	b. What are the components	of International Advertising?	(07 Marks)
	<u>-</u>	ods used for advertising measurements and Evaluation.	(10 Marks)

A company producing a complete range of consumer durables has decided to promote the following product in urban market.

a. Sewing Machine	(05 Marks)
b. TV set	(05 Marks)
c. DTH service provides	(05 Marks)
d. Mini generation sets.	(05 Marks)
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What are the advertising media options that would you suggest to the company as marketing consultant in each case and why?

8 <u>CASE STUDY</u>:

Energy Booster - Malt

A health drink called Malt-k was manufactured by a company based in Mumbai. This beverage was consumed by children during lunch hour at school. Children need healthy drink for their growth.

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This company also manufactured several beverages of which Malt-K has the most market share. The taste was liked by children and most parents bought it.

It was reasonably priced and was available in packets and jars. After successfully selling this product for ten year line any other product, this product too showed signs of decline. Concerned by this, the company stepped up its advertisement using multiple media Ad was given in children's magazine. Essentially TV as a media using sports channel was chosen to show the benefit of consuming this drink by children, since sports channels was very popular. The company also found that though there was competition, it was not a threat. However in the light of declining trend, the company wanted to give new lease of life push to the product. Therefore, they decided to introduce some promotion measures, so as to increase the sale.

Questions:

- a. Suggest promotion measures to boost the sales. Choose among
 - i) Price discount
 - ii) Volume discount
 - iii) Shelf display
 - iv) Content
 - v) Sweep stake
 - vi) Coupon redemption etc

(10 Marks)

b. Describe the Ad campaign that you would undertake to extend the life of the product.

(10 Marks)
