

Discipline Specific Elective Course- 5.3 (DSE-5.3): Sustainability Marketing

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/Practice		
Sustainability Marketing DSE- 5.3	4	3	1	0	Pass in Class XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

This course aims to familiarize the students with the concept and process of sustainable marketing.

Learning Outcomes:

After completion of the course, learners will be able to:

1. Describe the need of sustainable marketing in view of environmental, legal and ethical aspects.
2. Recognise the opportunities for sustainable marketing strategies.
3. Identify the consumer behaviour for sustainable marketing
4. Demonstrate how sustainable marketing can be applied in marketing mix strategies.
5. Discover the case studies of legal framework for sustainable marketing.

SYLLABUS OF DSE-5.3

UNIT 1: Introduction (9 hours)

Sustainability- Concept, Issues, SDG Goals. Sustainability Marketing- Concept, Rationale, Evolution, Pillars of Sustainability Marketing, Linkage with SDGs.

Sustainability and Ethical Decision Making. Challenges of Practising SM- Sustainability and Profitability. Triple Bottom Line- An Overview.

Unit 2: Sustainability Marketing Opportunities (9 hours)

Sustainability Opportunities- Marketing Environment; Segmentation, Targeting and Positioning; Creating Value through Sustainability- Designing the Marketing Mix, Holistic Approach to Sustainability.

UNIT 3: Consumer Behaviour and Sustainability Marketing (9 hours)

Unsustainable Lifestyles, Dimensions of Sustainable Consumer Behaviour. Motives of adapting Sustainable Consumer Behaviour, Attitude-Behaviour Inconsistency in Sustainable Buying Decisions, Environmental Consciousness; Sustainable Consumption- Beliefs, Social Norms, Values, Cases of Mindful Consumption and Responsible Consumption.

Unit 4: Sustainability and Marketing Mix Decisions (9 hours)

Developing and Reinforcing Behaviour through 3 R's- Recycle, Reuse and Reduce.

Sustainable Products, Sustainable Branding and Packaging. Sustainable Pricing Decisions, Sustainable Marketing Communication, Sustainability and Promotion Mix Decision, Marketing Channels and Sustainable Supply Chain.

UNIT 5: Sustainability Legal Framework and its Implementation in India (9 hours)

An Overview of Legal Framework- Leading Cases and Developments. Role of Sustainable Marketing in Global Network.

Exercises:

The learners are required to:

1. Perform a role play (as a marketer and as consumers)
2. Make presentations of companies' case examples where marketers have adapted sustainable marketing mix strategies and how it impacted their business.
3. Represent their own behaviour for mindful and responsible behaviour.
4. Demonstrate how marketers can develop and reinforce consumer behaviour through 3 R's.
5. Find out the leading case studies where sustainable marketing has emerged as an important issue.

Suggested Readings

- Kotler, P. (2012). *Rethinking Marketing: Sustainable Marketing Enterprise in Asia*. (2nd ed.). Delhi, India: Pearson.
- Ross, G., Magnusson, M., & Merenda, M. (2012). *The Sustainable Business Case Book*. Washington DC, United States: FlatWorld.
- Frank-Martin, B., & Ken, P. (2012). *Sustainability Marketing: A Global Perspective*. (2nd ed.). Delhi, India: Willey publication.
- Richardson, N. (2020). *Sustainable Marketing Planning*. Delhi, India: Routledge, Taylor and Francis Group.
- Peterson, M. (2021). Sustainable Marketing: A holistic Approach. Delhi, India: Sage Publication Ltd.
- Carvill, M., Butler, G., & Evans, G. (2021). *Sustainable Marketing: How to Drive Profits with Purpose*. London, United Kingdom: Bloomsbury Business.
- Fuller, D. A. (1999). *Sustainable Marketing: Managerial-Ecological Issues*. London, United Kingdom: Sage Publications Inc.

Useful links:

1. <https://open.umn.edu/opentextbooks/textbooks?term=sustainable+development&commit=Go>
2. <http://www.sacep.org/pdf/Reports-Technical/2002-UNEP-SACEP-Law-Handbook-India.pdf>
3. <https://moef.gov.in/wp-content/uploads/wssd/doc2/ch2.html>
4. <https://www.oecd.org/env/outreach/37838061.pdf>

Note: Suggested readings will be updated by the Department of Commerce and uploaded on the Department's website.

Discipline Specific Elective Course- 5.4 (DSE-5.4): Business Mathematics

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/Practice		
Business Mathematics DSE-5.4	4	3	0	1	Pass in Class XII	NIL

Learning Objectives

The course aims to familiarize students with the applications of Mathematics and Statistical techniques in business decision making.

Learning Outcomes

After completion of the course, learners will be able to:

1. Identify proficiency in using different mathematical tools in solving real life business and economic problems.
2. Analyse how matrices are used as mathematical tool in representing a system of equations.
3. Apply differential calculus to solve simple business problems.
4. Discuss mathematical formulation and solution of problems related to finance including different methods of interest calculation, future and present value of money.
5. Identify business problems involving linear relationships between decision variables and their determining factors.