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| Course Name                   | Integrated Marketing Communications (IMC) | Course<br>Code | MMS-<br>M405 |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|----------------|--------------|
| Roll No.                      | Integrated Marketing Communications (MIC) | Marks          | 60           |
| <b>Total No. of Questions</b> | 35                                        | Duration       | 3 Hours      |
| Total No. of printed pages    | 5                                         | Date           | 18.05.2022   |

### **Course Outcome Statements:**

- **CO1.** Recall all the concepts covered in the course of Integrated Marketing Communications.
- CO2. Explain the fundamentals of IMC and various media and agency functions.
- CO3. Apply concepts of IMC like Media Scheduling, Planning, and Implementation to various sectors of business through case studies.
- **CO4.** Analyze different IMC tools for their benefits and limitations for different businesses.
- **CO5.** Evaluate Promotional Campaigns Sales Promotion, and Consumer Promotions for different organizations.

### **Instructions: -**

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#### **Section I**

# Q1 (All Questions are Compulsory) From Q2 To Q5 Attempt Any three questions

## **Section II**

All 30 Multiple Choice Questions are compulsory

|      |     | SECTION I                                                                                                                 |       |               |     |
|------|-----|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|---------------|-----|
| Q. N | lo. | Questions                                                                                                                 |       |               |     |
|      |     | Case/Case-let Study (500-800 words)                                                                                       |       |               |     |
|      |     | Samsung has gone all out to promote its two new phone models - Galaxy S22 and S22+. To drive home the message             |       |               |     |
|      |     | about the features, the South Korean smartphone maker has released three new ads on its YouTube channel.                  |       |               |     |
|      |     | The first ad mimics a period drama, with an aristocratic woman looking at a painting of the phone, inquiring about its    |       |               |     |
|      |     | features. The woman proclaims that she has no idea what the touted features mean, but seems impressed with the            |       |               |     |
|      |     | overall look and feel of the phone, nonetheless. The second ad continues with the aristocratic theme, with two portraits  |       |               |     |
|      |     | of the phone being unveiled at what seems like a ball. The woman nods, solemnly agreeing that the phone is, indeed,       |       |               |     |
|      |     | beautiful and we zoom in to see more examples of the build and design.                                                    |       |               |     |
|      |     | According to a press release, the design of these phones is intentionally different from previous models. The camera      |       |               |     |
|      |     | layout has been rearranged to establish a design identity that the Galaxy S series will maintain, going forward. The      |       |               |     |
|      |     | camera has been positioned in such a way that it is equidistant from the devices' horizontal and vertical edges, creating |       |               |     |
|      |     | a more refined impression.                                                                                                |       |               |     |
| Q1   |     |                                                                                                                           | Marks | $\mathbf{BL}$ | CO  |
|      | a.  | Apply the DAGMAR approach to advertising to briefly explain the campaign given in the case-let.                           | 2     | Level 3       | CO3 |
|      | b.  | Differentiate between two ad commercials described in the case let in terms of advertising objectives and the message     | 5     | Level 4       | CO4 |

|          |     | communicated.                                                                                                                                                                 |   |         |     |
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|          | c.  | Evaluate any two parameters of rational appeal to the user for a new smartphone launched by Samsung.                                                                          | 2 | Level 5 | CO5 |
| Atte     | mpt | any THREE questions out of four questions below:                                                                                                                              |   |         |     |
| Q2       | a.  | Explain the concepts of media planning and media scheduling for promotion of an international school opening a new branch announcing for admissions in the new academic year. | 3 | Level 4 | CO4 |
| <u> </u> |     | Reframe a print advertisement copy for a product or service of your choice by labelling each component of the                                                                 |   | 20,01   |     |
|          | b.  | advertisement copy.                                                                                                                                                           | 4 | Level 5 | CO5 |
|          |     | Differentiate between the following terms with respect to advertising:                                                                                                        |   |         |     |
| Q3       | a.  | GRP, Continuity, Impact                                                                                                                                                       | 3 | Level 4 | CO4 |
|          | b.  | Evaluate the methods of Advertising and Sales Promotion for their two advantages and disadvantages.                                                                           | 4 | Level 5 | CO5 |
|          |     | Compare the methods of direct marketing and personal selling for a product category of your choice in electronics                                                             |   |         |     |
| Q4       | a.  | based on any three parameters.                                                                                                                                                | 3 | Level 4 | CO4 |
|          | b.  | Recommend any two media vehicles with suitable brief content for each to promote a fitness service brand Cult. Fit.                                                           | 4 | Level 5 | CO5 |
|          |     | Differentiate between the following terms in terms of advertising on television:                                                                                              |   |         |     |
| Q5       | a.  | Reach, Frequency, CPM                                                                                                                                                         | 3 | Level 4 | CO4 |
|          |     | Rank the four different tools of Integrated marketing communications viz. Advertising, Sales promotion, direct                                                                |   |         |     |
|          |     | marketing and public relations with reasons to rank, for considering in a media plan for a start-up of selling groceries                                                      |   |         |     |
|          | b.  | online.                                                                                                                                                                       | 4 | Level 5 | CO5 |

|           | SECTION II                                                                                                                                            |                                                |                                                                              |                                                      |                                                        |       |         |     |  |  |  |
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|           |                                                                                                                                                       | All Question                                   | ns are compulsory                                                            |                                                      |                                                        |       |         |     |  |  |  |
| Q. No.    | <b>Question Statement</b>                                                                                                                             | Option 1                                       | Option 2                                                                     | Option 3                                             | Option 4                                               | Marks | BL      | CO  |  |  |  |
| MCQ<br>1  | Integrated Marketing Communications involves one of the following?                                                                                    | Selection of pricing strategy for the products | coordinating the various promotional elements and other marketing activities | planning sales<br>strategy                           | planning the<br>distribution<br>efforts of the<br>firm | 1     | Level   | CO1 |  |  |  |
| MCQ<br>2  | Which of the following is the first step in the designing of the Advertising campaign?                                                                | Develop media plan                             | Defining<br>advertising<br>objectives                                        | Identification<br>and analysis of<br>target audience | Evaluation advertising effectiveness                   | 1     | Level   | CO1 |  |  |  |
| MCQ<br>3  | What will you call the total number of copies of a publication sold through various forms of distribution?                                            | Circulation                                    | Readers per copy                                                             | Coverage                                             | Gross rating point (GRP)                               | 1     | Level   | CO1 |  |  |  |
| MCQ<br>4  | The element "Body Copy" in the print advertisement includes the following?                                                                            | Artwork and illustration                       | Address and contact number                                                   | Storyboard                                           | Logo and<br>Brand name                                 | 1     | Level 1 | CO1 |  |  |  |
| MCQ<br>5  | Advertising placed on any media which is not inside the home, on any outdoor media, is known as?                                                      | Transit Advertising                            | Out of Home<br>(OOH)                                                         | Personal Selling                                     | Sales<br>Promotion                                     | 1     | Level   | CO1 |  |  |  |
| MCQ<br>6  | A specific type of interstitial advertisement that is triggered by some user event in the case of Digital advertising is called one of the following? | Superstitial                                   | Pre-stitial                                                                  | Splash                                               | Pop-ups                                                | 1     | Level   | CO1 |  |  |  |
| MCQ<br>7  | The ability of an advertising medium to reach the target market (demographically) without waste will be identified as?                                | Class selectivity                              | Geographic selectivity                                                       | Continuity                                           | Frequency                                              | 1     | Level 1 | CO1 |  |  |  |
| MCQ<br>8  | Which of the following are not a component of advertising message copy?                                                                               | Body Copy                                      | Signature                                                                    | Artwork or illustrations                             | Gross rating point (GRP)                               | 1     | Level 1 | CO1 |  |  |  |
| MCQ<br>9  | E-mail marketing messages sent directly to interested consumers who "opt-in" or have not "opted out" are known as?                                    | Direct Marketing E-<br>mails                   | Inbound<br>Telemarketing                                                     | Spam                                                 | Outbound<br>Telemarketin<br>g                          | 1     | Level   | CO1 |  |  |  |
| MCQ<br>10 | A total number of ratings for different media vehicles is best explained as which of the following?                                                   | Gross Impressions                              | Gross Impression point (GIP)                                                 | Gross Rating<br>Point (GRP)                          | Cost per rating point (CPP)                            | 1     | Level 2 | CO2 |  |  |  |
| MCQ       | In the advertising message copy, Layout                                                                                                               | Body Copy                                      | Artwork                                                                      | Signature                                            | Headline                                               | 1     | Level   | CO2 |  |  |  |

| 11 | and Illustrations are included in which of |  |  | 2 |  |
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|    | the given options?                         |  |  |   |  |

| Q. No.    | <b>Question Statement</b>                                                                                                                                                                 | Option 1                    | Option 2                 | Option 3                             | Option 4                 | Marks | BL      | CO  |
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| MCQ<br>12 | Media evaluation terminology which identifies translation of GRPs into people; the number of audience exposures multiplied by the number of times they will see or hear vehicles, is?     | Cost per rating point (CPP) | Gross rating point (GRP) | Gross<br>impressions                 | Readers per copy         | 1     | Level 2 | CO2 |
| MCQ<br>13 | The attention-getting ability of the media vehicle(s) selected to run the ad is known as which of the following?                                                                          | Reach                       | Dominance/ Impact        | Frequency                            | Continuity               | 1     | Level 2 | CO2 |
| MCQ<br>14 | Telephone calling by the marketer or marketer's agent to individual prospects, seeking purchase, subscription, membership or participation by making a call to recipient is explained as? | Personal Marketing          | Inbound<br>Telemarketing | Outbound<br>Telemarketing            | Public<br>Relations      | 1     | Level 2 | CO2 |
| MCQ<br>15 | Which department of the Advertising agency deals with the copy visuals and artwork?                                                                                                       | Account planning            | Creative                 | Client servicing                     | Media                    | 1     | Level 2 | CO2 |
| MCQ<br>16 | Which of the following functions do not fall under the function of ORM (Online Reputation Management)?                                                                                    | Search Protection           | Review<br>Management     | Damage Repair                        | Sales<br>management      | 1     | Level 2 | CO2 |
| MCQ<br>17 | Product release announcements, cause-<br>related marketing, sponsorship, articles fall<br>under which of these forms of marketing<br>communications?                                      | Reactive PR                 | Intermittent PR          | Direct<br>marketing                  | Proactive PR             | 1     | Level 2 | CO2 |
| MCQ<br>18 | In the Hierarchy of effects Model of Communication, which of the following actions occur at the Affective Stage?                                                                          | Interest, Desire            | Interest, Evaluation     | Liking,<br>preference,<br>Conviction | Yielding,<br>Recognition | 1     | Level 2 | CO2 |
| MCQ<br>19 | Which of the following tools of integrated marketing communications deals with customer communications through telephones and e-mails?                                                    | Public Relations            | Advertising              | Sales Promotion                      | Direct<br>Marketing      | 1     | Level 3 | CO3 |
| MCQ<br>20 | Online marketing communications which provide equivalent help like from that of a sales representative is known as which of the following?                                                | Online Catalogue            | Blog Advertising         | Interstitial Ads                     | Online Chat              | 1     | Level 3 | CO3 |

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|-----------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|-------|---------|------|
|           | Analyze and identify the most persuasive                               | Advertising                | Sales promotion                          | Public relation          | Personal                |       |         |      |
| 1400      | source of marketing communication that                                 |                            |                                          |                          | selling                 |       |         |      |
| MCQ<br>21 | enables immediate feedback and gives complex information?              |                            |                                          |                          |                         | 1     | Level 3 | CO3  |
| 21        | In the AIDA Model of Marketing                                         | Interest, Desire           | Interest, Evaluation                     | Liking,                  | Yielding,               | 1     | 3       | COS  |
| MCQ       | Communication, which of the following                                  | interest, Desire           | miterest, Evaluation                     | preference,              | Recognition             |       | Level   |      |
| 22        | actions occur at the Affective Stage?                                  |                            |                                          | Conviction               | recognition             | 1     | 3       | CO3  |
|           | Evaluate and select one of the advantages                              | high cost of               | Ability to                               | Low cost of              | Lack of                 |       |         |      |
| MCQ       | of Broadcasting television media.                                      | production                 | demonstrate                              | production               | attention by            |       | Level   |      |
| 23        |                                                                        |                            | product use                              |                          | the audience            | 1     | 3       | CO3  |
| 1.000     | Which of the following is explained as the                             | Approach                   | Pre-approach                             | Handling                 | Prospecting             |       |         |      |
| MCQ       | first step in the process of Personal                                  |                            |                                          | Objections               | and                     | 1     | Level   | CO2  |
| 24        | Selling?  Marketers facilitate and invite prospects to                 | Personal Marketing         | Inbound                                  | Outbound                 | Qualifying Public       | 1     | 3       | CO3  |
|           | call a central location via a long-distance                            | reisonal Marketing         | Telemarketing                            | Telemarketing            | Relations               |       |         |      |
|           | number, this type of marketing                                         |                            | Telemarketing                            | Telemarketing            | Relations               |       |         |      |
| MCQ       | communication is known as which of the                                 |                            |                                          |                          |                         |       | Level   |      |
| 25        | following?                                                             |                            |                                          |                          |                         | 1     | 3       | CO3  |
|           | An average number of times the target is                               | Media Reach                | Media Frequency                          | Continuity               | Cost-                   |       |         |      |
| 1.000     | likely to be exposed to the ad in a given                              |                            |                                          |                          | effectiveness           |       |         |      |
| MCQ       | time frame is known as which of the                                    |                            |                                          |                          | (CFM)                   | 1     | Level 3 | CO3  |
| 26        | following?  Push through communications where the                      | Electric Hardware          | FMCG products                            | Confectionery            | Apparels                | 1     | 3       | CO3  |
|           | distributor plays an important role in sales by                        | products                   | Twice products                           | Confectionery            | Appareis                |       |         |      |
|           | providing information or some expertise, are                           |                            |                                          |                          |                         |       |         |      |
| MCQ       | used for which of the following product                                |                            |                                          |                          |                         |       | Level   | G0.0 |
| 27        | categories?  Public Relations and Sales promotions are                 | Mass versus customized     | No direct payment to                     | High ROI versus          | logical versus          | 1     | 3       | CO3  |
| MCQ       | differentiated from each other based on which                          | iviass versus custofffized | media versus a wide                      | Low ROI                  | illogical               |       | Level   |      |
| 28        | of the attribute?                                                      |                            | range of fees paid                       | Lowitor                  | mogicui                 | 1     | 3       | CO3  |
|           | Apply the concept of reach, frequency, and                             | Maximum reach, high        | small and selective                      | Maximum reach,           | Small reach,            |       |         |      |
| MCO       | Continuity for designing a campaign for the                            | frequency, and low         | reach, high                              | high frequency,          | low frequency,          |       | I1      |      |
| MCQ<br>29 | year-end sales of a luxury automobile brand, and select the best plan? | continuity                 | frequency with short duration continuity | and year-long continuity | and the long continuity | 1     | Level 3 | CO3  |
| MCQ       | Decide among the following which of the ad-                            | Comparative Parity         | Percentage of sales                      | Objective and            | Arbitrary               | 1     | Level   | CO3  |

| 30 | budgeting method is based upon based largely | method | method | Task Method | allocation | 3 |  |
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|    | on what competition is doing?                |        |        |             | method     |   |  |