

MBA 2Yrs Syllabus from Admission Batch 2018-19 onwards

4 th Semester	18MBA402A	Product & Branding Management	L-T-P 3-0-0	3 Credits	35 hrs
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Course Objective:

- To generate marketing skills among students to identify a product in its life cycle and formulating tactical strategies in a competitive marketing environment.
- To teach various fundamentals of brand management and compute brand value and equity.

Module – I :

Product Management : Emerging Indian market and relevance of product management, Concept of product management, Role of product manager, Product oriented organization, Product classification, Marketing of FMCG/FMCD product, Product mix and line decision, Product market strategy in competitive environment, New product development and design, Identifying PLC stages and designing suitable marketing strategy.

Module-II :

Branding : Naming a Brand, Brand association, Brand image, Brand relationship, Brand identity, Brand identity prism, Brand loyalty, Brand personality, Brand life cycle, Brand positioning.

Module- III :

Brand management : Stages in Brand building, brand strategy, brand architecture, reasons for success and failure of brand, Brand equity and valuation, branding ethics, Social media branding, brand rejuvenation.

Books :

- Product Management, D. R. Lehmann & R. S. Winer, 4th Edition, TATA McGraw-Hill publications
- Brand Management Practices –Sashikumar -Himalaya
- Product and Brand Management, UC Mathur, 2004, New Delhi: Excel Books
- Product Management in India, Ramanuj Majumdar, 3rd Revised edition, PHI publications
- Product Management, S. A. Chunawalla, Himalaya Publishing House.
- Strategic Brand Management, K. L. Keller, 2nd Edition, Pearson Publications.


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