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Research Paper (undergraduate) from the year 2017 in the subject Business economics - Company formation, Business Plans, University of South Wales (Faculty of Business and Society), language: English, abstract: I am currently running a computer manufacturing business, which produces own designed computers. My company is located, in my own house in the United Kingdom. I established the company as a hobby besides my employment at an international computer manufacturing company. However, with the beginning of the New Year, I decided to quit my job and become self-employed. To ensure success with my business, I have to create a structured approach for future business development. Within this paper, I will develop my strategy, as well as aims and objectives for the business development over the coming three years. To begin with, I will analyze the current business environment of the computer manufacturing industry with the PESTEL framework. In connection with the environmental analysis, I execute a market analysis and evaluate the current situation on the computer manufacturing market. Afterward, I execute an internal analysis, which results in strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threats for the future business development. Based on these findings I deduct my new business strategy and define my product portfolio. In result objectives for the coming three years are defined.

It is vital for organisations to use company analysis to gain understanding of their limiting and enabling factors and strategic capabilities. Profits can then be maximised by selecting the most effective strategies, and through successful implementation of mergers, acquisitions and divestment opportunities. In this book Jenster and Hussey move away from the opinion based SWOT analysis commonly used, to provide a more objective step-by-step approach to objectively analysing an organisation. This important task is clearly explained, with information helpfully displayed in diagrams, and checklists of critical questions provided. In addition to the key, functional areas of management, corporate-wide approaches such as core competencies, critical success factors, industry analysis and the value chain are also examined. The book is illuminated with examples from the authors' own experiences, resulting in a practical and effective approach which will provide a foundation for corporate strategy and add a strategic dimension to a due diligence study - and so prove invaluable to MBA students and lecturers in strategic management. Every manager will be asked to participate in assessing strengths and weaknesses at some time in their career, and this book enables a considerable improvement to be made to many commonly used methods - and for those responsible for the development of strategies, it offers even more.

Strategic planning is a key business tool for any company that wants to stay in control of its own future. But what exactly is meant by the term "strategic planning"? Isn't all planning strategic? That is just one of the many questions about strategic planning that this book seeks to answer. The text begins by offering a commonly accepted definition of strategic planning and goes on to devote a chapter each to six big questions you should be able to answer if you are trying to develop a good, working strategic plan. In the process of discussing how you might answer those questions, we'll talk about a variety of established strategic planning tools as well as some assorted tips and advice. By the end, you should have a pretty darn good idea how to formulate a solid strategic plan.

This is the first comprehensive professional guide to the strategies and techniques of competitor analysis for the financial services industry. It explains how to set up systems and models to identify and analyse competitors and their products. The book begins with an overview of the need for competitor analysis in financial services. It continues with the identification of competitors, the setting up of competitor analysis systems, and a consideration of key sources of information. The core of the book examines the process of analysis, modelling, dissemination and monitoring of information and its application for competitive advantage. Key concepts in Competitor analysis in financial services: Don't just copy others' systems Understand the need for competitor intelligence Find out what competitors do Understand the methodology Set up the systems to fit your company This book is thoroughly practical in its approach and international in its coverage and is essential reading for all financial services professionals seeking competitive advantage.

The other day in Germany: The Key Account Manager John Smith is told by his boss to create a Key Account Plan for an important, strategic customer. Should he now quickly prepare a PowerPoint presentation and show it to his boss so he's satisfied? Is a Key Account Plan actually a presentation or a real tool? If it actually is a tool, what characterizes a good Key Account Plan? How should such a Key Account Plan be structured? Should the Key Account Manager prepare this plan by himself? Just as he is contemplating all these questions, he stumbles on an interesting survey. According to this study only 20% of Key Account Managers said that they actually use this plan as a tool in their daily work, but it was this 20% that was more successful than their competitors in the year of the crisis in 2009! The conclusion from the survey catches John Smith's attention and he decides not to prepare a mere presentation but to make the most of the Account Plan by using it as a real tool. If you can identify with John Smith, this book is for you. This book will help you to structure and prepare a Key Account Plan in a professional manner. You have already prepared an Account Plan? Then use this book for a thorough scrutiny of your plan. This book is intended to be used as a guide for your work, so you can immediately put into practice what you have just read.

Develop strengths to decrease the weaknesses of your business This book is a practical and accessible guide to understanding and implementing the SWOT analysis, providing you with the essential information and saving time. In 50 minutes you will be able to:

- Determine the strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threats of your business
- Distinguish the factors that affect the internal functioning and external environment of your business
- Develop a coherent strategy

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Welcome to the Aauvicom Group condensed series ζ The Millionaire Marketing Mindset is packed with inside marketing information. A must have! Define your audience and develop a plan to position your marketing at the right place and right time. Engage your audience. Grow your business. Measure your results. Aauvicom Group is also a marketing company. A key part to a marketing plan is the situation analysis. There are five parts to a situation analysis: company, product, consumer, market, and competition. The three most important are market, competition, and consumer which together, gives you the most insight into how to craft marketing material. The company and product analysis are typically shorter, giving all the details about the company and the product. The SWOT analysis examines four key elements of your business ζ strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats. Each of these elements is composed of as many bulleted, detailed sentences as possible. This summarizes the situation analysis and helps prepare an outlook for your business. After looking over your situation and SWOT analysis, you should be able to better determine your brand/company's unique selling point/proposition. This gives you a better direction on where your advertising is going and helps guide you creatively.

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This dissertation, "A SWOT Analysis of the Hospital Performance Management System in Hong Kong" by Ha-yun, Lee, ???, was obtained from The University of Hong Kong (Pokfulam, Hong Kong) and is being sold pursuant to Creative Commons: Attribution 3.0 Hong Kong License. The content of this dissertation has not been altered in any way. We have altered the formatting in order to facilitate the ease of printing and reading of the dissertation. All rights not granted by the above license are retained by the author. Abstract: The existing financing model is not going to be sustainable for the ageing demographic in the future Hong Kong. In regards, Government suggested a voluntary and government-regulated health insurance scheme to provide more choices with better protection for those who are able and willing to pay for private healthcare services. However, performance of the Hong Kong health system is rarely discussed despite vast health expenditure has been spent. The objective of this project is to identify the strength, weakness, opportunities and threats of the hospital performance management system in Hong Kong. The project involves a literature search for key success factors for performance management systems in healthcare. The SWOT analysis of the hospital performance management systems in Hong Kong are then analyzed with reference to the findings. Findings: Six success factors could be identified: position in the policy process and defined objectives, process of development, indicator validity, reliability, responsiveness and feedbacks. The public hospital system has partially incorporated these factors in its system but a structured performance monitoring and management system is lacking for the private sector. The current Hong Kong hospital performance systems are not able to provide adequate information for the payers to make the appropriate choice. There is an urging needs to develop a robust and transparent performance management system in Hong Kong in order to support healthcare reform. DOI:

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This works adopts a multidisciplinary approach to corporate communication, including management communication, public relations, organizational behavior and change, marketing communication, and advertising. The many-faceted approach adopts the perspective of a practicing communications professional, emphasizes corporate branding, and focuses on an integrated approach to communication.

Leisure studies encompasses the broadest range of leisure and sports pursuits and marries management, administration and sports, as well as customer service. Key Concepts in Leisure presents an indispensable guide to the key themes and concepts in this rapidly developing, fast-paced and demanding industry.

Written on the back of first-hand experience this book provides a solid framework for managing e-business projects. The book is primarily intended for current and prospective e-business project managers who wish to share ideas, experiences, and best practices. Recent market surveys indicate that many e-business projects fail due to project mismanagement. Various project management techniques from the IT sector can be successfully applied to e-business projects. This book shows which ones whilst also providing information on new techniques for situations that are unique. Based on real-world experience, 99 key success factors are discussed preparing the reader to manage e-business projects on time, on budget and to the satisfaction of

clients.

This new book provides over 40 ten-minute 'reads' on most of the key concepts in marketing. Each concept is dealt with in a clear, concise and stand-alone fashion, and the text is designed for those who want a quick but complete overview of marketing.

?Balanced scorecard to keep dazzling beauty ? I initiate you into the strategic idea method to lead the life to the good luck! ? The strategic management technique to help a life design manage it, and introduce one kindly! ? For the skill up of the working woman fitted for the globalization era! ? For you who are looking for a gold partner of knowledge! Preface It is the strategic management technique called "the balanced scorecard" to want to recommend as one of intellectual skills that a woman expecting career up wants to wear by all means. "What is a balanced scorecard?" The balance scorecards were produced by Robert S Kaplan Professor of Harvard Business School and David P. Norton of a consultant company. It becomes required management technique in practicing the strategic management in many companies. Including a major company of the whole world, it is introduced into a medium and small-sized business, a public organization and a government office, a hospital and shows a remarkable management effect. I love the balanced scorecard as a gold partner of smart knowledge deeply. You may be troubled every day in business society and have a hard time with working women looking for a breakthrough, there is the thought that I want to spread the ring of the balanced scorecard. With this book, I manage it with the basic structure as strategic management technique to help the skill up of the life design of the working woman and it is kind and introduces. I devise it to utilize a balanced scorecard by many case studies by the illustration practically. With this book, I extract a part of previously published my book and correct it. Furthermore, I introduce a representative thing of the world well-known strategic management technique and let balanced scorecard and these cooperate and constitute it so that a more strategic management can catch a hint to develop it. I can learn the strategic idea method systematically and in this way aim at what this book helps as a guidebook brightening your life as a valuable thing with many crops. I pray for having you wear the strategic idea method of the balanced scorecard eagerly to get on the wave of the globalization well, and to grow up as a working woman used in global society, and to build the life to glitter. December 25, 2013 author Table of contents Chapter 1 The gold partner that you are slender as for the balanced scorecard??5 ??? the real nature of the balance scorecard ??6 ??? mysterious cycle of the chain ??9 ??? It is smart and powerful like David Beckham for that is four viewpoint With the strategic map of ??11 ??? the key player of balanced scorecard ??14 ??? Strategy Map of balanced scorecard ??16 ??? The visualization by balanced scorecard ??18 ??? the performance power of balanced scorecard in the strategic map : KPI factor with the monitoring ??20 ??? Monitoring function of balanced scorecard 22 ??? Brush up by review of KGI, KPI ,CSF factor ??24 Chapter 2 Try to be filled with deep emotion with the strategic idea method in the world of the logic of the -SWOT analysis ??27 ??? Classify SWOT factors into a strength and weakness, an opportunity and a menace ?28 ??? Try to experience the magic of the cross analysis ??31 ??? Try to realize the power of the strategic map in SWOT analysis ?36 ??? Self-analysis and try to understand SWOT analysis ??42 ??? Investigate a hint to transform itself into in own cross analysis ?? 46 ??? Let's tries to design a shining strategic map ??50 Chapter 3 Management tool of the magic that balanced scorecard brightens you ??53 ??? Balanced scorecard to make survival by penniless life in the United States ??54 ??? Balanced scorecard to challenge a barrier qualification ??63 ??? Balanced scorecard to become the business person of the foreign company??73 ??? Balanced scorecard to keep dazzling beauty ??89 ??? Balanced scorecard for breakthroughs ??97 ??? To make a balanced scorecard of the company ??119 ??? The balanced scorecard which realizes a dream of your own ??134 ??.? Practice step of the project of the balanced scorecard ??140 ??? Project practice example of the balance scorecard ??143 Chapter? Strategic management technique to be good in global days of competition when intellect profits ??149 ??? Competitive strategy of the Michael E.Porter ??150 ??? Five force model of the Michael E.Porter ??153 ??? Value chain of Michael E.Porter ??156 ??? 4P & 4C of the strategic marketing ??159 ??? Competition marketing strategy of Philip Kotler ??162 ??? PPM of the Boston consulting group ??165 ??? 7S of McKinsey ??168 ??? A product, a market matrix and diversification strategy of H. Igor Ansoff ??170 ??? Knowledge Management ??173 ??? Core Competence ??176 ??? Bench Marking ??179 ??? Product life Cycle ??182

Effective strategic management brings with it the clarity, accountability, trust, and focus that will dramatically improve your chances of ongoing, sustainable success. to be an effective strategic manager, you develop effective, implementable strategic plans. Real strategic planning is not an event, nor is it a document that sits on a shelf after an executive retreat to gather dust. Instead it is an ongoing process of accountability and transformation. This book will show you how to create that process inside your organization, ensure the involvement of stakeholders, and make sure strategic priorities are actually implemented. There is no shortcut to successful strategic planning. It requires full support and commitment from the senior ranks of the organization. You will need to involve as many key stakeholders as possible to ensure buy-in and then unwavering focus on daily execution of the plan. If it sounds like hard work, it is. It requires deep thinking about what your organization stands for, its values and its goals. Just because it is hard work, however, does not mean that you can get someone else to do it for you. Plenty of consulting firms will offer to write your strategic plan for you. Don't let them; to be effective, the plan must be yours. Show those who would attempt to handle everything for you the door. This book is a distillation of the Rhiness Group's philosophy, showing leaders and managers how to cut through the myths and obfuscations of strategic planning to embrace a powerful and comprehensive process that they can use to transform their organization. It is not a magic bullet or a "one size fits all" plan--instead, it will teach you how to create and implement your strategy, the one that will see you and your organization through an uncertain future to sustainable success.

What is Swot Analysis and how does it work? By whom can it be used and with what results? How can this tool make a difference to a person's career development or the growth of an entire organization? In this guide you will find a simple, clear and comprehensive explanation of how to build a Swot matrix that works. The book takes the reader by the hand and accompanies him/her through four gradual steps, which highlight the key points of the subject: - what a Swot Analysis is and how it works; - what the best preparation and construction strategies are; - how to create an effective matrix; - what are the best practices and common mistakes to avoid in order to achieve successful Swot Analysis. Learning to take advantage of this market analysis strategy can become an accessible activity for anyone, but only if you know how to do it. Stop wasting time behind thousands of pages of theoretical manuals and discover what really matters through simple, stimulating and immediate reading.

An Introduction to e-Business provides the contemporary knowledge of the key issues affecting the modern e-business environment and links theory and practice of management

strategies relating to e-business. This book brings together the most cogent themes for an introduction to e-business and constitutes a valuable contribution to formalising common themes for teaching the subject in higher education. It brings together theoretical perspectives based on academic research and the application of e-business strategies. These concepts are further explored in the six case studies that follow the set chapters. This new textbook integrates the main themes to provide a complete picture of the key elements relevant to an introductory text in e-business. To fully appreciate the e-business environment it is necessary to understand the links between the different disciplines that come together to form

Most literature research argues that Merger&Acquisitions is a strategy by which companies gain access to new resources, increase revenues, efficiency and cost reducing to create value. Many multinational companies around the world today are the result of M&A between two or more companies. As strategy, every deal should realize positive results in terms of value. Instead, recent studies have found a high failure rate, regardless of sector, country, or historical phase. The debate in literature about M&A phenomenon is extensive and authoritative: this book fits within this discussion with some peculiarities, by focusing on the Strengths, Opportunities, Weaknesses and Threats of a successful deal, so that it has a real strategic value. In particular, Chapter 1 is dedicated to the introduction of the strategic relevance of M&A and its key factors. In connection with this, in the second chapter, the aim is to deepen the study of the key factors that the acquisition team has to tune together in the complex evaluation process that a successful deal requires. Using the strategic tool, SWOT analysis, we study the different Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats always under the value creation perspective. Between the Strengths, a particular focus is on the evaluation process, with all the implications in terms of synergies evaluation and financial structure management. Chapter 3 opens a window on some "serial acquirers" that consider M&A the strategic base of their wealth creation mission. With the presentation of the case studies, the aim is to draw the attention on the strategic dimension of corporate acquisitions. In the Appendix 1 and 2, the debate moves to the lens of practitioners, with a focus on the normative and tax determinants. Francesco Greggio, as advisor, in Appendix 1 gives a real practitioners vision on the limits and opportunities in Italian law for merger and acquisition strategies. In the Appendix 2, Gino Reolon, Colonel of Guardia di Finanza (fiscal police), highlights that merger and acquisition are operations intrinsically linked to international tax planning. Giovanna Mariani is Associate Professor of Corporate Finance at University of Pisa, in Italy. She has taught financial management for just short of thirty years now over a range of undergraduates, postgraduates. She has written and published several monographs and academic articles on corporate finance, corporate governance, business planning and entrepreneurship. She is in editorial boards of some international journals.

SWOT analyses are well-known in the business world as a tool for developing business plans etc., but they are as powerful for developing plans and strategies for other projects and for personal development. A SWOT analysis is done to identify key factors that are important in developing a strategy for achieving an objective, no matter if it's in a business, social or personal project. But just doing a SWOT analysis has no value in itself. The information gained needs to be processed to see what is usable as a basis to develop the strategy for improvement and what may be better to just ignore. With other words: It is what you do with the information that is important. The SWOT Journal was developed as a tool to not only offer quick and easy templates to do a SWOT analysis but to also have a layout that encourages the user to process and further develop the information. It also comes with a article explaining how SWOT analyses work and how to use "The SWOT Journal". It is made as a physical journal to help improve focus by removing the notifications and distractions from the digital world.

Outlines cash flow and cash management for the small business owner, accountant, or entrepreneur.

The sales function is the front-line of any business. Keeping up with the latest sales techniques is essential, as well as ensuring you have a motivated, incentivised and focused sales team well-versed in the basics of selling, from identifying new prospects and getting repeat business to closing the deal. This module gives essential insight into all the key sales drivers such as account management, handling complex sales, selling services, FMCG selling, customer relationships and self-development for sales people.

Diploma Thesis from the year 2006 in the subject Information Management, grade: 1,7, Cologne University of Applied Sciences, 124 entries in the bibliography, language: English, abstract: This document deals with the development of a sales strategy for a key account customer conducting business across domestic boundaries. The idea of key account management and the geographic distinction of it as well as the process of strategic management in this context are discussed. The focus lays on the adaptation of the strategic management process to the particularities of international key account management. In the course of this paper it is illustrated how key account management, with the key account customer as the core element, affects the strategic management process by using it with focus on a single customer instead for a whole industry. For the purpose of taking key account management on an international level, different levels of internationalisation are described and applied to the concept of key account management. As a result of this description the expanded concept of key account management to a global level – global account management – is presented. After describing the essentials of strategy, key account management and strategic management, these elements are merged and the different underlying analytical concepts are presented. The main analytical concept is based on Michael E. Porter's 'competitive strategy' and the five competitive forces. Following the description and the merging of the models, the theoretical framework is applied to the practical case of the 'T-Mobile International' account at Siemens Mobile Networks. The practical case includes the analysis of the business relationship and leads to a final strategy. Keywords: Global account management Key account management Strategic management Strategy development Geographical distinction

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and extensive details and references, with insights that have never before been offered in print. Get the information you need--fast! This all-embracing guide offers a thorough view of key knowledge and detailed insight. This Guide introduces what you want to know about SWOT analysis. A quick look inside of some of the subjects covered: Benchmarking - Benefits and use, SWOT analysis - Internal and external factors, VPEC-T - Use, Creativity techniques - Problem solving, New product development - The eight stages, Marketing research - Marketing research in small businesses and nonprofit organizations, Need assessment - Extensive needs assessment vs. intensive needs assessment, Pitch book, Market analysis, Enterprise planning systems - Strategy via analysis, Strategic planning - Tools and approaches, Strategic management - Competitive advantage, List of marketing topics - Industry or market research, Objective (goal) - See also, Marketing plan - Medium-sized and large organizations, SWOT analysis - Marketing, Venture funding - The Third Stage, List of business theorists - H, Strategic management - Models and conceptual frameworks of strategic management, Product planning - Studying the market, Market research - Market research for business/planning, Marketing strategy - Types of strategies, Marketing management - Structure, Business analysis - SWOT, Working group - Problem solving, SWOT analysis - Use, Business plan - Presentation formats, Small-scale project management - Adopting an AGILE approach, Strategic management - Origin, Continuing professional development - Institute of Administrative Management, PESTLE - Use of PEST analysis with other models, and much more...

The importance of solutions for enterprise security is increasing due to the sophistication of security threats faced by both small and medium-sized businesses (SMBs) and large enterprises led by technological development.

Schools will not be able to continue to improve unless they move away from an over-concentration on the short-term and focus on the strategic nature of planning and development. The more targets, the less the effects - what we need is strategy and sustainability. This book links school improvement planning and strategic development for leadership enhancement as well as for management accountability. Short-term planning, in the form of target-setting plans aimed at improving standards, has gained increasing importance. While the book agrees that this is necessary, it puts forward the view that short-term planning is not sufficient for the longer-term development of the school. Sustainability and strategic development are of critical importance and for these the authors believe that a more holistic approach to planning is necessary. To that end, this book links short and longer-term planning in a framework, which supports the strategic development of the school. The authors are national experts in the field and in preparing this text have worked extensively with headteachers, deputy headteachers, governors and those participating in NPQH and masters programmes in educational leadership and management.

Strategic planning can guarantee the survival of a financial institution, while lack of planning can ensure its demise. Douglas Austin and Craig Bernard have written a straightforward, pull-no-punches book that tells senior management how to develop a strategic plan and, just as important, what to do with the strategic plan once they have it. The emphasis is on review of previous plans, implementation of a new strategic plan, and rewriting the strategic plan on an annual basis. In an entertaining but always direct style, this book reveals: How to produce effective strategic plans for merger and acquisition activity; Positive short and long term implications of well-focused strategic planning; An in-depth discussion of valuation procedures for preparing to sell a financial institution.

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Essay from the year 2007 in the subject Business economics - Business Management, Corporate Governance, grade: 1,3, Edinburgh Napier University, course: International Hospitality Management, language: English, abstract: This report aims to present a conceivable development country for the Rocco Forte Hotel Collection. Because the company's vision is to have one company in each key European city, this analysis also suggests the city as well as the country, namely Budapest in Hungary. The current performance figures of the company are quite impressive. There has been rapid expansion over the last 10 years since the company was formed, mainly through acquisitions or by building new properties in important European cities. The SWOT analysis shows that the company seems to be on the right track and apart from some inevitable threats, such as terrorism or strong competition in some markets, the company is well positioned to operate successfully in each market. A PESTEL analysis of Budapest has shown that that

city offers particularly high potential for investment generally but also for expansion of the luxury hotel market, as the demand for high-class accommodation is rising and the EU accession has been a catalyst for the growth efforts of the city, the region and the country generally. Porter's 5 forces framework demonstrated that competitive rivalry is of medium strength but that the capabilities of the Rocco Forte Hotel Collection should provide the company with an excellent gateway to compete successfully in this market. A market entry strategy was proposed using Ansoff's market and product expansion matrix and Tribe's simplified version of Bowman's strategy clock. The findings were that a limited diversification and differentiation-based strategy are the appropriate market entrance strategies. The corporate legislation form should be as a Hungarian Limited Liability Company (equal to the British "Ltd") and in terms of corporate finance the market entry should be achieved by acquisition of an appropriate property, or by building a new one in the right location. After an examination of all factors, the author believes in the success of a new Rocco Forte Hotel in Budapest under given conditions.

The Market Research Report on MEDICAL DEVICES & SURGICAL DISPOSABLES IN INDIA (Disposable Plastic Syringes, Blood Bags, X-Ray, Ultrasound, ECG, Pacemakers, IV Fluid Sets and Other Devices) Present & Future Prospects, Market Analysis, Statistics, Trends & Opportunities, Growth Drivers, SWOT Analysis, Industry Size, Outlook and Forecasts Upto 2017' released by Niir Project Consultancy Services, provides a comprehensive analysis on the medical device industry in India. The report begins with the global scenario of the medical device industry including market size forecasts till 2017 and eventually unwraps with the Indian scenario of the medical device and surgical disposable industry. The report elucidates the structure of Indian medical device industry, its classification in various risk classes and its segmentation into various sub-segments. Key segments include diagnostic imaging, dental products, disposables, orthopedic & prosthesis, IV diagnostics and patient aids. The reports also names various sub segments of the above mentioned segments. The report provides an expansive market analysis of the Indian medical device sector by covering areas like growth drivers, trends prevailing in the industry, regulatory framework as well as comprehensive SWOT analysis of the sector. The report provides an elaborative analysis of the factors which are and will be driving the growth of the industry. Such factors include burgeoning medical tourism in the country, vigorous growth of the hospital sector, increasing government focus towards medical device sector, India's increasing life expectancy, rising health awareness among the Indian population as well as the rise in the incidence of lifestyle diseases in the nation. The trends prevalent in the industry as identified by the report includes increased inflow of investments in the sector, growing merger & acquisition activity, rise in demand of refurbished medical devices and new found focus on increasing the manufacturing base of such devices in the country. Industry players nowadays are expanding and focusing more on affordable manufacturing of medical devices in order to tap the rising demand from tier-II and tier-III cities. The report further establishes the regulatory framework of the industry. It encapsulates the status of the current legislation in the industry as well as the recent changes and developments in the regulations. The industry is awaiting the much anticipated approval of the Drugs & Cosmetics (Amendment) Bill, 2013 which will stabilize the regulatory environment for the industry. The report also contains key features of such above mentioned bill and enumerates various governing bodies of the sector. The report further explicates the SWOT analysis of the sector. The sector is placed in a sweet spot due to ready availability of abundant market base for its products in the form of rising Indian population. Additionally, Indian population distribution has been experiencing a gradual tilt towards the 25-59 & 60+ age groups which forms the key customers for the sector. Healthcare industry in India is a recession proof industry to some extent and medical device sector being a part of such industry benefits immensely from its growth as well as its relatively recession proof nature. The industry faces many challenges in the form of increasing competition in the sector, low penetration of healthcare in the nation, lack of funding and lack of required skill set. Despite such challenges, India is a sea of opportunities for the sector owing to the rising disposable incomes of the people which will lead to better healthcare penetration, rising government expenditure on the healthcare sector as a whole and low consumption of medical devices in the nation. The next segment of the report details the market potential of various sub segments of the sector. It includes demand analysis and key forecasts of X-Ray equipment, ultrasound equipment, disposable syringes, disposable blood bags, pacemakers, IV fluid sets and ECG equipment also. Further the report provides information on companies like Wipro GE Healthcare Pvt Ltd, Hindustan Syringes & Medical Devices Ltd and Opto Circuits (India) Ltd. The report shares vital information like shareholding pattern and financial summary of the key companies. The next segment provides complete financial comparison of medical device companies in India and buyers of medical devices (Hospitals). It covers contact information like address of registered office, key financials like plant location, raw material consumption and financial comparison covering balance sheet, profit & loss account and financial ratios. The industry has managed to reduce its dependency on imports and has expanded its manufacturing base owing to the towering demand experienced for affordable devices. The growth of healthcare sector in India will be a major boost for the device market. Rising incidence of lifestyle diseases due to changing lifestyles of Indian population and lack of physical exercise will be another feather in the hat. Other factors that will contribute to its glory are favorable demographics, increasing government focus on the sector, rapid spread of the health awareness and India emerging as the medical tourism hub of the world. On the back of the above mentioned factors the size of the Indian medical device industry will jump to INR 761 billion by 2017 registering a CAGR of 20% during 2012-17. 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The global consumer electronics industry is undergoing significant transformation. Digitalization, miniaturization and mobility are driving this change, and intense competition is leading to increasing pressure on manufacturers' margins.

Research Paper (undergraduate) from the year 2006 in the subject Business economics - Marketing, Corporate Communication, CRM, Market Research, Social Media, grade: 1,5, Northumbria University (Newcastle Business School), 5 entries in the bibliography, language: English, abstract: This marketing plan is prepared for Mast-Jägermeister AG with the sole aim to increase their profit and market share in Monaco. A brief history of the company describes their success in the beverage industry, followed by the current market situation. The SWOT and Issue Analysis are showing the main markets and the major facts in detail. Afterwards the contents of the Marketing and Financial Objectives of Mast-Jägermeister AG will highlight the key issues. The Marketing Strategy along with recommended Action Programs will outline how to introduce and to begin with the Project. The explanatory statement of the project shows that this project can start as soon as desired. The last section is 'Failure Strategy,' it shows how the project can be controlled.

By introducing a balanced scorecard to work out a management strategy in the viewpoint which is the optimal for the whole and to promote the strategy management which is useful for the performance evaluating, it shows the power to be outstanding in to the business management. It is the one which is useful of a lifestyle of a life design by the office worker to design tactically in addition to showing an effect in the business reform and the performance evaluating and to visualize them. This manual is the introduction to have introduced the know-how which utilizes a balance scorecard practicing-ly to. To apply a balanced scorecard in the place of the business management practicing-ly, the training to learn much near case study from after understanding the basic logic practicing-ly is valid. In the design of the balanced scorecard, their basic structure and the feature must be understood about the management vision, KGI, KPI, SWOT, the strategy mapping. Therefore, in 10 case studies which are useful for the business management reform and the skill improvement, the training which creates KGI, KPI, SWOT analysis, strategy mapping in the unaided in the balanced scorecard can be experienced. It adopts the composition as the skill which masters a balanced scorecard can be acquired by checking the balanced scorecard to have designed in the unaided of with the specific solution example. Let's introduce the composition of this manual. Chapter 1 is introducing the basic logic of the balanced scorecard. The individual is introducing the practice step of the balanced scorecard which consists of 7 steps. Chapter 2 explains the point of the basic structure, the way of thinking, the approach of the tool which composes a balanced scorecard in detail and introduces the step to create actually using the training sheet. Well, it takes up the many case studies which seem to encounter in the daily life to attempt for the skill as the office worker to improve and to acquire the skill which can play an active part by the business management reform. Well, as the practice theme about the business management reform, it is preparing case study resemblance by the management problems such as the earning capacity reinforcement and the cost reduction, the product competition power reinforcement. The individual can learn the skill and the know-how to attempt the solution of Planning Division title, using a balanced scorecard. By above composition, it expects that this manual contributes to the business person as the business initiation book in the times which change suddenly in the tide by the globalization. Janually, 2014

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