# PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING

### **Chapter Two**

Company and Marketing Strategy
Partnering to Build Customer
Relationships



#### **Company and Marketing Strategy**

#### **Topic Outline**

- Companywide Strategic Planning: Defining Marketing's Role
- Designing the Business Portfolio
- Planning Marketing: Partnering to Build Customer Relationships
- Marketing Strategy and the Marketing Mix
- Managing the Marketing Effort
- Measuring and Managing Return on Marketing Investment





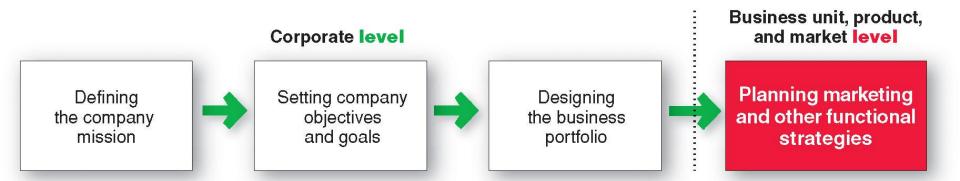


#### **Strategic Planning**

Strategic planning is the process of developing and maintaining a strategic fit between the organization's goals and capabilities and its changing marketing opportunities



#### **Steps in Strategic Planning**





#### **Defining a Market-Oriented Mission**

- The mission statement is the organization's purpose, what it wants to accomplish in the larger environment
- Market-oriented mission statement defines the business in terms of satisfying basic customer needs



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Company	Product-Oriented Definition	Market-Oriented Definition
Amazon.com	We sell books, videos, CDs, toys, consumer electronics and other products online	We make the Internet buying experience fast, easy, and enjoyable—we're the place where you can find and discover anything you want to buy online
Disney	We run theme parks	We create fantasies— a place where dreams come true and America still works the way it's supposed to
Nike	We sell athletic shoes and apparel	We bring inspiration and innovation to every athlete* in the world (* if you have a body, you are an athlete)



#### **Setting Company Objectives and Goals**

# Business objectives

- Build profitable customer relationships
- Invest in research
- Improve profits

# Marketing objectives

- Increase market share
- Create local partnerships
- Increase promotion



#### **Designing the Business Portfolio**

The business portfolio is the collection of businesses and products that make up the company

Portfolio analysis is a major activity in strategic planning whereby management evaluates the products and businesses that make up the company



#### **Analyzing the Current Business Portfolio**

Strategic business unit (SBU) is a unit of the company that has a separate mission and objectives that can be planned separately from other company businesses

- Company division
- Product line within a division
- Single product or brand





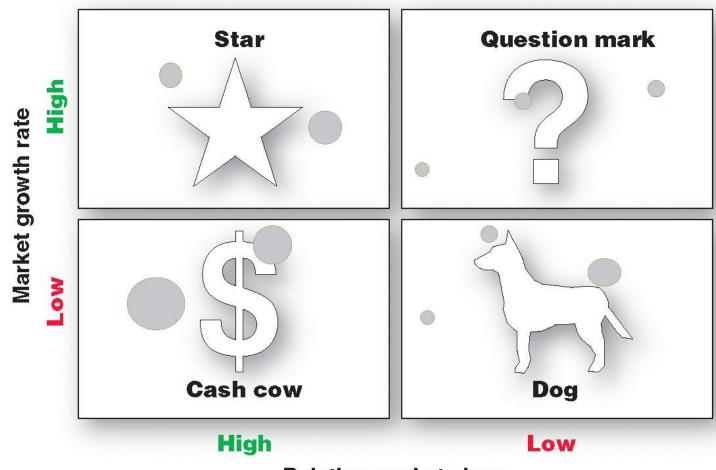
**Analyzing the Current Business Portfolio** 

Identify key businesses (strategic business units, or SBUs) that make up the company

Assess the attractiveness of its various SBUs

Decide how much support each SBU deserves









#### **Problems with Matrix Approaches**

- Difficulty in defining SBUs and measuring market share and growth
- Time consuming
- Expensive
- Focus on current businesses, not future planning



**Developing Strategies for Growth and Downsizing** 

Product/market expansion grid is a tool for identifying company growth opportunities through market penetration, market development, product development, or diversification



Developing Strategies for Growth and Downsizing Product/Market Expansion Grid Strategies



Market penetration

Market development

Product development

**Diversification** 



Developing Strategies for Growth and Downsizing Product/market expansion grid strategies

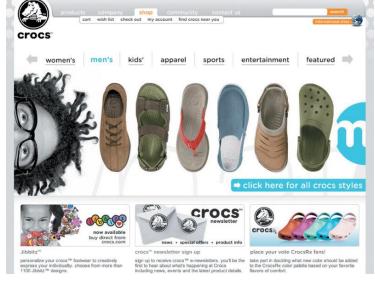
	Existing products	New products
Existing markets	Market penetration	Product development
New markets	Market development	Diversification



# Developing Strategies for Growth and Downsizing

Market penetration is a growth strategy increasing sales to current market segments without changing the product

Market development is a growth strategy that identifies and develops new market segments for current products







# Developing Strategies for Growth and Downsizing

Product development is a growth strategy that offers new or modified products to existing market segments

**Diversification** is a growth strategy through starting up or acquiring businesses outside the company's current products and markets



# Developing Strategies for Growth and Downsizing

**Downsizing** is the reduction of the business portfolio by eliminating products or business units that are not profitable or that no longer fit the company's overall strategy



### **Planning Marketing**

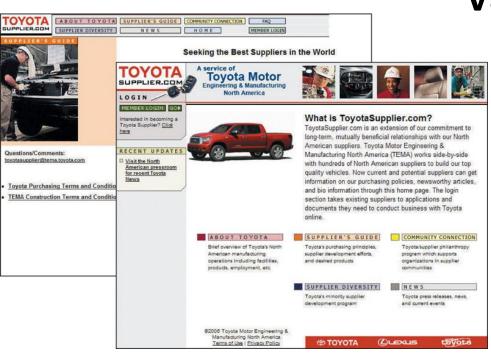
#### **Partnering to Build Customer Relationships**



Value chain is a series of departments that carry out value-creating activities to design, produce, market, deliver, and support a firm's products

# **Planning Marketing**

#### **Partnering to Build Customer Relationships**



Value delivery network is made up of the company, suppliers, distributors, and ultimately customers who partner with each other to improve performance of the

entire system







**Customer-Driven Marketing Strategy** 

Market segmentation is the division of a market into distinct groups of buyers who have distinct needs, characteristics, or behavior and who might require separate products or marketing mixes

Market segment is a group of consumers who respond in a similar way to a given set of marketing efforts



**Customer-Centered Marketing Strategy** 

Market targeting is the process of evaluating each market segment's attractiveness and selecting one or more segments to enter





**Customer-Centered Marketing Strategy** 

Market positioning is the arranging for a product to occupy a clear, distinctive, and desirable place relative to competing products in the minds of the target consumer



**Developing an Integrated Marketing Mix** 

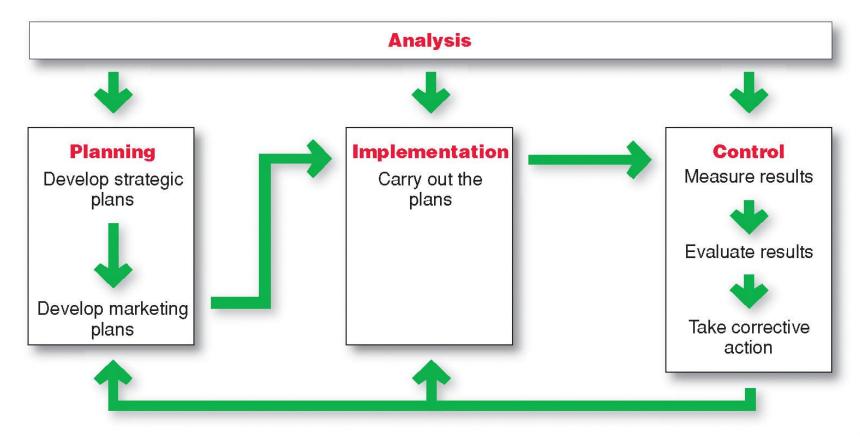
Marketing mix is the set of controllable tactical marketing tools—product, price, place, and promotion—that the firm blends to produce the response it wants in the target market



#### **Developing an Integrated Marketing Mix**









#### **Strengths**

Internal capabilities that may help a company reach its objectives

#### Weaknesses

Internal limitations that may interfere with a company's ability to achieve its objectives

#### **External**

Internal

#### **Opportunities**

External factors that the company may be able to exploit to its advantage

#### **Threats**

Current and emerging external factors that may challenge the company's performance

**Positive** 

**Negative** 



Market Planning—Parts of a Marketing Plan



Executive summary

Marketing situation

Threats and opportunities

Objective and issues

Marketing strategy

Action programs

**Budgets** 

Controls

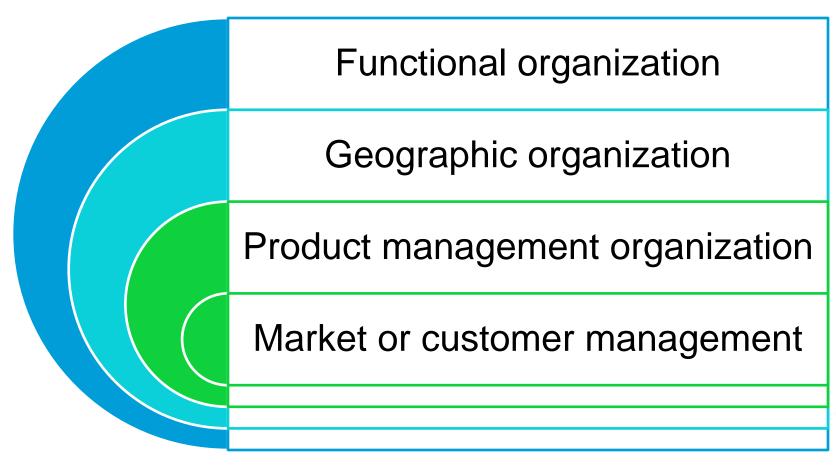


#### **Marketing Implementation**

- **Implementing** is the process that turns marketing plans into marketing actions to accomplish strategic marketing objectives
- Successful implementation depends on how well the company blends its people, organizational structure, decision and reward system, and company culture into a cohesive action plan that supports its strategies



**Marketing Department Organization** 





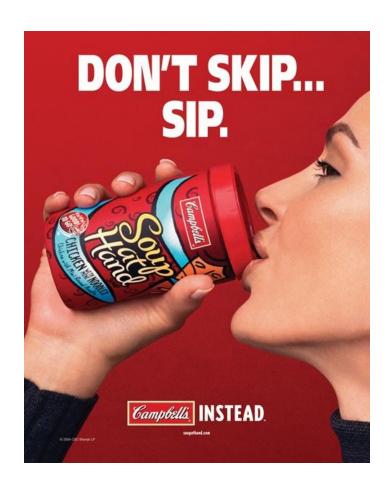
#### **Marketing Control**

- Controlling is the measurement and evaluation of results and the taking of corrective action as needed
- Operating control
- Strategic control



# Measuring and Managing Return on Marketing Investment

**Return on Marketing Investment (Marketing ROI)** 



#### **Return on marketing investment**

(Marketing ROI) is the net return from a marketing investment divided by the costs of the marketing investment. Marketing ROI provides a measurement of the profits generated by investments in marketing activities.



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