



METHODS OF PRICING

- BASED ON CUSTOMER
- BASED ON COMPETITOR
- BASED ON COST AND DEMAND
- BASED ON GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION

BASED ON CUSTOMER

- ODD-EVEN PRICING.
- PSYCHOLOGICAL PRICING
- PRESTIGE PRICING
- DUAL PRICING
- PRICE LINING

BASED ON COMPETITONS

- PENETRATION PRICING
- SKIMMED PRICING
- MONOPOLY PRICING
- ADMINISTERED PRICING

BASED ON COST AND DEMAND

- COST PLUS PRICING
- TARGET RETURN PRICING
- DEMAND BASED PRICING

BASED ON GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION

- FOB PRICING
- ZONE PRICING
- BASE POINT PRICING

IMPORTANCE O F PRICING

- PROFITABILITY DEPENDS ON PRICING
- PRICE IS DETERMINANT OF BUYING DECISION
- PRICE INFLUENCES CUSTOMER PERCEPTION
- PRICE IS WEAPON TO FIGHT COMPETITION
- PRICE IS AN IMPORTANT PART OF SALES PROMOTION

PHYSICAL DISTRIBUTION

• IT IMPLIES TO A SET OF ACTIVITIES DEALING WITH HANDLING, MOVEMENT AND STORAGE OF GOODS FROM THE POINT OF ORIGIN TO THE POINT OF CONSUMPTION

SUPPLY CHAIN

• IT REFERS TO A SET OF ACTIVITIES THAT CONTROL FLOW OF GOODS AMONGST NETWORK OF INTERCONNECTED BUSINESSES TO MAXIMIZE TOTAL PROFITABILITY

SUPPLY CHAIIN MANAGEMENT(SCM)

• IT IS A PROCESS OF DESIGN, PLANNING, EXECUTION, CONTROL AND MONITORING OF SUPPLY CHAIN ACTIVITIES FROM THE ACQUISITION OF RAW MATERIALS TO THE DELIVERY OF FINISHED PRODUCTS TO THE END USERS

DISTRIBUTION CHANNELS

• IT IS A SET OF IMPENDENT ORGANISATIONS INVOLVED IN A PROCESS OF MAKING A PRODUCT OR SERVICE AVAILABLE FOR CONSUMPTION

Need /role/importance of distribution channel

- Link between producer and consumer
- Bridges the gap between the time and place by creating time and place utilities
- Facilitate search for buyers and sellers by interacting with both.
- Marketing channels convert potential buyers into profitable orders.
- Build relations between manufacturer's brand and consumer

DISTRIBUTION STRATEGY

- CONVENTIONAL MARKETING STRATEGY
- VERTICAL MARKETING STRATEGY
- HORIZONTAL MARKETING STRATEGYS

TYPES OF CHANNEL OF DISTRIBUTION

- ZERO LEVEL CHANNEL
- ONE LEVEL CHANNEL
- TWO LEVEL CHANNEL
- THREE LEVEL CHANNELS

FACTORS AFFECTING CHOICE OF DISTRIBUTOIN CHANNEL

PRODUCT FACTORS

MARKET FACTORS

INSTITUTIONAL FACTORS

ORGANISATIONAL FACTORS

PHYSICAL NATURE

PRODUCT TECHNICALLY

PRODUCT RANGE

PRODUCT PRICE

TARGE MARKET

AVAILABILITY OF CHANNEL

BUYER'S BEHAVIOUR

LEGAL CONSTRAINS

FINANCING CAPACITY

PROMOTIONAL ABILITY

AFTER SALES SERVICE

CHANNEL COST

FINANCIAL RESOURCES REPUTATION

MARKETING POLICY