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Management John Wiley & Sons

Seminar paper from the year 2018 in the subject Business economics - Business Management, Corporate Governance, grade: 100.00, Saint Leo University, language: English, abstract: The need for the services of logistic companies has experienced a geometric increase in recent times, fueled by the spike in online shopping. Our company focus on this strategic analysis is the Federal Express (FedEx), established on April 17, 1973, by W. Smith a Yale graduate. However, logistic companies have not been able to meet up with the demand for their services because they lack the capacity to fulfill these deliveries. This is largely due to the firm's limited resources and unpreparedness for such geometric increase for parcel delivery. Even though the company was not able to meet all its scheduled parcel deliveries, the firm still recorded a substantial gain in 2017, the majority of which came from ground delivery. Therefore, our strategic plan includes repositioning the FedEx ground delivery service to capture this externality and increase ground delivery services revenue by 20 percent. Using the EFE and IFE matrices, we determined that Amazon accounts for about half or 53 percent of the United States online sales. Although the company is entering the logistics business, we believe the rate of shop-and-ship commerce will double that of last year. However, the existing system is not capable of meeting the demand for on-time delivery, especially during the peak period. To address the above problem, we recommended a strategic alternative for FedEx based on the results of various strategical analysis tools used that converged to the same conclusion i.e., the need for FedEx to expand its ground delivery service. Further, this strategic alternative consists of opening new Hubs, increasing ground delivery vehicles and delivery drivers. However, adopting these alternative strategies has its associated advantages and threats. Some of the advantages of expanding its ground delivery system are for the firm to effectively capture the benefits of the spike in online purchases. Furthermore, opening more Pickup/Delivery Stations and (Hubs) can ensure speed of shipment and delivery. However, one of the major impediments to this strategy is the cost associated with increasing its delivery fleets and drivers. Therefore, channeling a portion of the Tax cut windfall to purchasing these vehicles and hiring new delivery drivers will yield a return on investment in the long-run based on the result of the strategic analysis.

The Imagination Machine Basic Books

As established markets become less profitable, companies increasingly need to find ways to create and capture new markets. Despite much investment and commitment, most firms struggle to do this. What, exactly, is getting in their way? The authors of the best-selling book Blue Ocean Strategy have spent over a decade exploring that question. They have seen that the trouble lies in managers' mental models--ingrained assumptions and theories about the way the world works. Though these models may work perfectly well in mature markets, they undermine executives' attempts to discover uncontested new spaces with ample potential (blue oceans) and keep companies firmly anchored in existing spaces where competition is bloody (red oceans). This article describes how to break free of these red ocean traps. To do that, managers need to:

- (1) Focus on attracting new customers, not pleasing current customers;
- (2) Worry less about segmentation and more about what different

segments have in common; (3) Understand that market creation is not synonymous with either technological innovation or creative destruction; and (4) Stop focusing on premium versus low-cost strategies. The Harvard Business Review Classics series offers you the opportunity to make seminal Harvard Business Review articles a part of your permanent management library. Each highly readable volume contains a groundbreaking idea that continues to shape best practices and inspire countless managers around the world--and will have a direct impact on you today and for years to come.

Praxisorientierte Data Envelopment Analysis
Prentice Hall

Im vorliegenden Buch wird ein Rahmen für eine betriebswirtschaftlich getriebene Anwendung und Ausgestaltung der Data Envelopment Analysis (DEA) geschaffen. Philip Kerpens Ziel ist es, die Praxisrelevanz der DEA zu befördern. Die DEA ist eine Methode zur vergleichenden Effizienzmessung von Wirtschaftseinheiten, die sich seit Jahrzehnten in der Wissenschaft großer Beliebtheit erfreut. Dennoch kommt sie in der betriebswirtschaftlichen Praxis bislang nur vereinzelt zum Einsatz.

How to Choose and Execute the Right Approach John Wiley & Sons

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Short Introduction to Strategic Management SAGE Publications, Incorporated

Scholarly Research Paper from the year 2007 in the subject Business economics - Marketing, Corporate Communication, CRM, Market Research, Social Media, grade: 1,0, University of applied sciences, Munich, language: English, abstract: Sony has a strong brand name and the company was successful with the Cassette, CD and MD Walkman in the 80s and 90s. However, the company missed the rapid development in the hard battled MP3 player market. In this study the Sony's portable audio devices were analyzed by using Boston Consulting Group approach and Product Life-Cycle. Sony arranges now gradual phasing out of DOGs like Cassette, CD and MD Walkman and has a new challenge by growing the STAR MP3 Walkman. A benchmark of a current Sony's MP3 player (Walkman NWZ-A818) to a competitor product (Apple's iPod Touch) was accomplished. The "4 P's" marketing mix method (Product, Price, Promotion and Place) was applied for the product comparison. Apple's iPod scores in modern design with touch screen and multi-functionality while Sony's Walkman convinces for excellent sound quality and high technical standards. Moreover the

Sony's brand leverage strategy, in particular the brand extension strategy like category and line extension, was assessed. Despite of its strong brand name and high quality, Sony's Walkman is out of the market leader and outrider role due to some failures: too late entry to the MP3 player market, strong focus only on technical features and missing out to make the MP3 player a fashion article. In the future, Sony has to maximize the market share in this growth stage. A proposed portable audio device for the future could be an all-in-one device with multi-functionality for multimedia. "After a match is before a match" is a good slogan for the future. The winner is someone who has strength in speed, innovation and global impact. Sony should continue making innovation and expanding its demographic market as well as considering and fitting the customer needs.

Organization and Management Springer Science & Business Media

New times demand new kinds of leaders. In a technological workplace which may be more virtual than physical, where bytes of information and cyberspace need to be managed more than people, leaders will have to thrive amidst high chaos and continuous change. *Global Leaders for the Twenty-First Century* profiles twelve such leaders from business and government and discusses eight key attributes necessary for successful leadership in the future.

Strategic Marketing in the Global Forest Industries The Economist

5 Elements of Organizational Excellence discusses various Strategies, Structures, Systems, Resources and Relationships (3Ss & 2Rs) to improve the output of the organization. Growth of the organization depends on the Quality of the output, the Quantity the organization manufactures to be financially viable, and its Quickness in responding to the dynamic external environment (3Qs). These 3Ss and 2Rs help an organization to improve its performance on these three Qs.

The BCG Matrix and its Support of Management Decision Making Stanford University Press

Due to the adverse outcomes of the recent global recession and the public deficit crisis in the USA and Europe, Western companies can expect flattening or declining sales in their domestic markets. They will also face growing competition as Chinese firms seek to block the activities of foreign companies in their domestic market and expand their own operations in overseas markets. Survival and growth for Western companies is unlikely to come from sustaining current business practices based upon utilization of conventional approaches to strategic management; success will depend on exploiting new knowledge to stay ahead of competition. This book examines the strategic issues associated with the entrepreneurial utilization of new knowledge to create innovative products and services, accompanied by the development of leading edge, highly productive internal organizational processes. Through the use of appropriate theories and illustrative case examples, the text is designed to assist managers in Western organizations and business school students understand how to counter the increasing threats that are posed by the globalization of companies from emerging countries such as the BRIC nations.

Strategic Management Harvard Business Press

The newly qualified manager may well be equipped with the skills of the "What" of marketing and management, but not know the "How." The practicing marketer is well served with guides on strategy, mainly of the "four minute plan" variety, but poorly

served in terms of basic advice on implementing the strategy and plans. This book is therefore designed to give clear guidance in managing the marketing function as a practical entity and allowing the new marketer to grasp how the theory can be applied to the job. Written by practitioners who are also active in the marketing education and training sectors it gives the reader a clear overview of- *How the key areas of marketing knowledge can be made operationally effective *How to make marketing practical and measurable *A huge range of examples and vignettes illustrating best practice *A truly international perspective The book will be an invaluable toolkit for the newly qualified and newly appointed marketer trying to apply their knowledge of the theory

Marketing Management Harvard Business Press

In less than three decades, Nokia emerged from Finland to lead the mobile phone revolution. It grew to have one of the most recognizable and valuable brands in the world and then fell into decline, leading to the sale of its mobile phone business to Microsoft. This book explores and analyzes that journey and distils observations and learning points for anyone keen to understand what drove Nokia's amazing success and sudden downfall. With privileged access to Nokia's senior managers over the last twenty years followed by a more concerted research agenda from 2015, the authors describe and analyze, the various stages in Nokia's journey. The book describes leaders making strategic and organizational decisions, their behavior and interactions, and how they succeeded and failed to inspire and engage their employees. Perhaps most intriguingly, it opens the proverbial 'black box' of why and how things actually happen at the top of organizations. Why did things fall apart? To what extent were avoidable mistakes made? Did the world around Nokia change too fast for it to adapt? And, did Nokia's success contain the seeds of its failure?

Strategic Digital Transformation W. W. Norton & Company

For undergraduate and graduate courses in strategy. In today's economy, gaining and sustaining a competitive advantage is harder than ever. *Strategic Management* captures the complexity of the current business environment and delivers the latest skills and concepts with unrivaled clarity, helping students develop their own cutting-edge strategy through skill-developing exercises. The Fifteenth Edition has been thoroughly updated and revised with current research and concepts. This edition includes 29 new cases and end-of- chapter material, including added exercises and review questions. MyManagementLab for *Strategic Management* is a total learning package.

MyManagementLab is an online homework, tutorial, and assessment program that truly engages students in learning. It helps students better prepare for class, quizzes, and exams- resulting in better performance in the course-and provides educators a dynamic set of tools for gauging individual and class progress.

Global Leaders for the Twenty-First Century Oxford University Press
In March 2000 a fire broke out at the Royal Philips Electronics plant, damaging its supply of semiconductor chips. Nokia Corporation and Ericsson LM relied on these chips to produce their cell phones; together they received 40 percent of the plant's chip production. Both companies were about to release new cell phone designs that required the chips. At Nokia, word of the setback spread quickly up the chain of command. Nokia's team, which had a crisis plan in place, sprang into action. With an aggressive, multipronged strategy, Nokia avoided any cell phone production loss. In contrast, the low-level technician who received the information at Ericsson did not notify his supervisors about the fire until early April and had to scramble to locate new sources for the chips. This search delayed production and proved a fatal blow to Ericsson's independent production of mobile phones. Nokia's handling of its supply chain disruption provides a dramatic example of how a company's strategic risk management can alleviate financial disaster and lay the groundwork for success in the future. Perturbations in supply chain management are inevitable, and grow harder and harder to assess as the marketplace becomes more globalized. Students will learn the following concepts: ...

The Quintessence of Strategic Management Harvard Business Review Press

Now readers can master the core concepts in marketing management that undergraduate marketing majors, first-year MBA or EMBA student or advanced learners need with the detailed material in Iacobucci's *MARKETING MANAGEMENT, 5E*. Readers are able to immediately apply the key concepts they have learned to cases, group work, or marketing-driven simulations. *MARKETING MANAGEMENT, 5E* reflects all aspects of the dynamic environment facing today's marketers. Engaging explanations, timely cases and memorable examples help readers understand how an increasingly competitive global marketplace and current changes in technology impact the marketing decisions that today's managers must make every day. Important Notice: Media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version.

Strategy for Sustainable Competitive Advantage

Harvard Business Review Classi

The Art of Company Valuation and Financial Statement Analysis: A value investor's guide with real-life case studies covers all quantitative and qualitative approaches needed to evaluate the past and forecast the future performance of a company in a practical manner. Is a given stock over or undervalued? How can the future prospects of a company be evaluated? How can complex valuation methods be applied in practice? *The Art of Company Valuation and Financial Statement Analysis* answers each of these questions and conveys the principles of company valuation in an accessible and applicable way. Valuation theory is linked to the practice of investing through financial statement analysis and interpretation, analysis of business models, company valuation, stock analysis, portfolio management and value Investing. The book's unique approach is to illustrate each valuation method with a case study of actual company performance. More than 100 real case studies are included, supplementing the sound theoretical framework and offering potential investors a methodology that can easily be applied in practice. Written for asset managers, investment professionals and private investors who require a reliable, current and comprehensive guide to company valuation, the book aims to encourage readers to think like an entrepreneur, rather than a speculator, when it comes to investing in the stock markets. It is an approach that has led many to long term success and consistent returns that regularly outperform more opportunistic approaches to investment.

Management Routledge

A guide for mining the imagination to find powerful new ways to succeed. We need imagination now more than ever—to find new opportunities, rethink our businesses, and discover paths to growth. Yet too many companies have lost their ability to imagine. What is this mysterious capacity? How does imagination work? And how can organizations keep it alive and harness it in a systematic way? *The Imagination Machine* answers these questions and more. Drawing on the experience and insights of CEOs across several industries, as well as lessons from neuroscience, computer science, psychology, and philosophy, Martin Reeves of Boston Consulting Group's Henderson Institute and Jack Fuller, an expert in neuroscience, provide a fascinating look into the mechanics of imagination and lay out a process for creating ideas and

bringing them to life: *The Seduction: How to open yourself up to surprises* *The Idea: How to generate new ideas* *The Collision: How to rethink your idea based on real-world feedback* *The Epidemic: How to spread an evolving idea to others* *The New Ordinary: How to turn your novel idea into an accepted reality* *The Encore: How to repeat the process—again and again.* Imagination is one of the least understood but most crucial ingredients of success. It's what makes the difference between an incremental change and the kinds of pivots and paradigm shifts that are essential to transformation—especially during a crisis. *The Imagination Machine* is the guide you need to demystify and operationalize this powerful human capacity, to inject new life into your company, and to head into unknown territory with the right tools at your disposal.

Principles of Management IntroBooks

A short, sharp guide to tackling life's biggest challenges: understanding ourselves and making the right choices. Every day offers moments of decision, from what to eat for lunch to how to settle a dispute with a colleague. Still larger questions loom: How can I motivate my team? How can I work more efficiently? What is the long tail anyway? Whether you're a newly minted MBA, a chronic second-guesser, or just someone eager for a new vantage point, *The Decision Book* presents fifty models for better structuring, and subsequently understanding, life's steady challenges. Interactive and thought-provoking, this illustrated workbook offers succinct summaries of popular strategies, including the Rubber Band Model for dilemmas with many directions, the Personal Performance Model to test whether to change jobs, and the Black Swan Model to illustrate why experience doesn't guarantee wisdom. Packed with familiar tools like the Pareto Principle, the Prisoner's Dilemma, and an unusual exercise inspired by Warren Buffet, *The Decision Book* is the ideal reference for flexible thinkers.

Principles of Strategic Planning Arihant Publications India limited

An introduction to marketing concepts, strategies and practices with a balance of depth of coverage and ease of learning. *Principles of Marketing* keeps pace with a rapidly changing field, focussing on the ways brands create and capture consumer value. Practical content and linkage are at the heart of this edition. Real local and international examples bring ideas to life and new feature 'linking the concepts' helps students test and consolidate understanding as they go. The latest edition enhances understanding with a unique learning design including revised, integrative concept maps at the start of each chapter, end-of-chapter features summarising ideas and themes, a mix of mini and major case studies to illuminate concepts, and critical thinking exercises for applying skills.

Effective Management Cengage Learning

Constructing Cassandra analyzes the intelligence failures at the CIA that resulted in four key strategic surprises experienced by the US: the Cuban Missile Crisis in 1962, the Iranian revolution of 1978, the collapse of the USSR in 1991, and the 9/11 terrorist attacks—surprises still play out today in U.S. policy. Although there has been no shortage of studies exploring how intelligence failures can happen, none of them have been able to provide a unified understanding of the phenomenon. To correct that omission, this book brings culture and identity to the foreground to present a unified model of strategic surprise; one that focuses on the internal make-up the CIA, and takes seriously those Cassandras who offered warnings, but were ignored. This systematic exploration of the sources of the CIA's intelligence failures points to ways to prevent future strategic surprises.

Concepts and Cases, Global Edition Cengage Learning

Provides a concise yet rigorous introduction to strategic management and its contemporary challenges, with multiple examples, case studies and references.

A Results-Driven Approach Pearson UK

Seminar paper from the year 2015 in the subject Business economics - Business Management, Corporate Governance, University of

applied sciences, Nürnberg, language: English, abstract: This work is divided into different parts. The first part demonstrates the theory behind the BCG Matrix. The section starts with a rough overview about the history of the BCG Model followed by the objectives and the application field. The first part ends with a description of the various dimensions, the four quadrants and different standard strategies. The second section represents the case study. This part starts with a compressed overview about the TOPSIM – General Management II simulation itself and the game flow. After a short introduction of the COPYFIX Inc. (Company 1) the decisions and results will be presented. At the end of the second section the BCG Matrix will be applied to the simulation. In the last part a conclusion will complete the entire work and will answer the research question.