

5-point scale. The relationship between score and satisfaction is positive which refers higher score means high satisfaction level. Moreover, the concept of SERVQUAL Model is applied to testify whether respondents satisfy the service by comparing their perceived and expected value of value-added service under the idea of Gap 5. Result of the survey reflects that value-added service with high customer satisfaction level may gain customer loyalty only by positive word of mouth. Unlike the previous studies related to customer loyalty that causing customer re-purchase and higher profit return is the most important point. The research shows that value-added service may not bring high profit return to the property management company as not must respondents will re-consume the services. Although the satisfied catering service cannot make higher profit, the power of spreading out positive word of mouth should not be neglected. Catering service cannot make higher profit through residents' re-purchase. However, it brings positive word of mouth and develops personal communication between residents and the property management companies. So it is suggested that the companies choose the most suitable and applicable value-added service so as to achieve some positive impacts such as profit return, positive word of mouth and improved resident relationship. DOI:

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Designed for advanced MBA and doctoral course in Consumer Behavior and Customer Satisfaction, this is the definitive text on the meaning, causes, and consequences of customer satisfaction. It covers every psychological aspect of satisfaction formation, and the contents are applicable to all consumables--product or service. Author Richard L. Oliver traces the history of consumer satisfaction from its earliest roots, and brings together the very latest thinking on the consequences of satisfying (or not satisfying) a firm's customers. He describes today's best practices in business, and broadens the determinants of satisfaction to include needs, quality, fairness, and regret (what might have been). The chapters in atisfaction culminate in Oliver's detailed model of consumption processing and his satisfaction measurment scale. The text concludes with a section on the long-term effects of satisfaction, and why an understanding of satisfaction psychology is vitally important to top management. The specific objectives of the study are to analyze customer's perception, expectations, and their gap and suggest appropriate measures to improve the retail service quality at Spencer's hypermarket. The primary data was collected using structured questionnaire through personal interview method during February and March 2012 and were analyzed using percentage analysis, Garret ranking, factor analysis and gap analysis. General profile of the respondents revealed that majority of Spencer's customers were young aged, belonged to a medium sized family, well educated and mostly worked in private sector with an average monthly income of Rs. 20,001-30,000. The store activities reached consumers mostly through newspaper ads.78 percent of respondents preferred Spencer's among other supermarkets and live bakery was mostly preferred Spencer's category. Gap analysis of RSQS showed physical aspects and reliability were satisfactory dimensions while policy dimension was below satisfaction level. Therefore the retail store needs to make improvements in all dimensions in order to close the gaps that could lead to increasing customer satisfaction and gaining more loyal customers to the store.

Discusses food service at the Commons at Rochester Institute of Technology. Focuses on the food, service, atmosphere, and overall satisfaction of the students and faculty.

Successful organizations have shifted from being product-based organizations to customer-based organizations, and customer satisfaction management (CSM) is an integral aspect of this new way of thinking. Successfully measuring customer satisfaction can be complicated and very detailed, requiring a great deal of in depth research and analysis. Customer Satisfaction Research Management is intended for advanced service quality managers and marketing researchers involved in the management of customer satisfaction programs. This is

the third book in a series by author Derek Allen, focusing on customer satisfaction measurement, analysis, and implementation. Allen begins with the assumption that the reader has at least a minimal familiarity with the psychometric aspects of customer satisfaction measurement, statistical analysis, and linkage research that attempts to establish a causal relationship between customer attitudes and business outcomes. He then builds on this base to first discuss the theoretical relationship between customer satisfaction and financial performance, and then to dive deep into specific applications of customer satisfaction programs. Some of the areas covered include dealing with the challenges of conducting global customer satisfaction measurement programs, linking performance metrics to management compensation systems and financial outcomes, and results deployment. Preview a sample chapter from this book along with the full table of contents by clicking [here](#). You will need Adobe Acrobat to.

The general purpose of this study was to evaluate the perceptions of Tactical Air Command (TAC) Base Supply major customers. The research had five major objectives: 1) identify the service criteria important to the major customers of TAC Base Supply; 2) identify their perceptions of Base Supply performance; 3) measure the range of variation between customer segments; 4) identify opportunities available to Base Supply for improving customer satisfaction; and 5) provide a benchmark for future evaluations of Base Supply customer satisfaction. The research methodology developed to meet the research objectives was based on that used by the leading experts in the field of customer service. The research identified a total of 20 criteria rated as very important to TAC supply major customers. In addition, the findings suggested that the majority of major customers perceived significant shortfalls in Base Supply Support. The identification of important criteria and the evaluation of perceptions of performance highlighted the opportunities available to TAC Base Supply for improving customer service satisfaction of its major customer base. This study provided additional evidence of the importance of customer service, and it provided a benchmark for evaluating Base Supply customer satisfaction. Keywords: Supply; Customer service; Customer satisfaction; Social sciences; Theses.

Research Paper from the year 2014 in the subject Business economics - Marketing, Corporate Communication, CRM, Market Research, Social Media, grade: A, Atlantic International University (School of Business and Economics), course: Ph.D. Economics, language: English, abstract: In a highly competitive distribution sector, one way to gain competitive advantage is to ensure that the customers are satisfied. It is also a fact that having a good transport system is a great factor to ensure long term services and growth the company. The study is to find the role transportation play in achieving customer satisfaction in the private distribution sector a case study at Ricky Boakye Yiadom Company Limited. Eventually, the results are meant to improve the existing levels of customer satisfaction with the form of transportation. Specifically it seeks to uncover the factors accounting for the level of customer satisfaction in transportation of products. The study reviewed major theoretical area to develop a framework which suggests that customer satisfaction in Distribution Company would be a function of service quality and customer orientation of service employees. The data from the study constituted employees and customers of 35 people and was analyzed through a descriptive statistics. The study reveals that the mode of transportation does not always achieve smooth delivery and satisfaction desired but adds value to the mode of transport. It also shows that delivery times to customers are not always meet. Most

customers also agree that increase in customer satisfaction also depends on transportation. Furthermore, it is recommended on the basis of the evidence that to understand customer satisfaction better, the company must survey customers about both perceived service quality and the perception about satisfaction.

This important new work provides a comprehensive discussion of the customer satisfaction evaluation problem. It presents an overview of the existing methodologies as well as the development and implementation of an original multicriteria method dubbed MUSA.

This book does a tremendous job of bringing to life customer satisfaction and its significance to modern businesses. The numerous examples contained within the book's pages have proved a fresh and continuous source of inspiration and expertise as I work with my organisation in helping them understand why we should do what matters most to our customers and the lasting effect such actions will have on both our customer loyalty and retention. The authors are to be commended.

In an internationalization market, financial companies need to upgrade their banking services. Banks not only pursue to increase profits in the future, but also seek to carry out a series of business activities to meet the expectations of customers. An advance in service quality can enhance customer satisfaction and maintain customer loyalty. This study conducted a SWOT analysis of a government-owned specialized financial institution in Taiwan and use the results to design interview outlines. Through interviews with employees and customers of the case bank, the study explored the relationship among SWOT analysis, service quality, and customer satisfaction. Although the bank's weaknesses and threats have negative impacts on service quality and customer satisfaction, the study results suggest that the bank managers can focus its strengths to earn service quality and take the opportunities to bring satisfaction to its customers..

This handbook focuses on how to measure customer satisfaction and how to develop transit agency performance measures. It will be of interest to transit managers, market research and customer service personnel, transit planners, and others who need to know about measuring customer satisfaction and developing transit agency performance measures. The handbook provides methods on how to identify, implement, and evaluate customer satisfaction and customer-defined quality service. The primary objective of this study is to gauge the effect of perceived service quality on customer loyalty and repurchase intentions through customer satisfaction in Lahore, Pakistan. Therefore, the significance of customer satisfaction for customer loyalty and repurchase intentions is explained. Customer satisfactions play a mediating role between perceived service qualities, customer loyalty and repurchase intentions. The population of the research is constituted of the potential customers of Lahore and the sample size amounts to 230.

Customer is the most important part of any business and the success or failure of an organization depends on how it treats its customers. If the organization keeps its customers happy and satisfied then it is quite probable that the business will flourish and the company would grow. The significance of customer satisfaction has further enhanced in the modern times as the companies are jostling for customer share and have also acknowledged the importance of satisfied and loyal customers. There are various factors that influence customer satisfaction, and service quality is believed to be one of them. The current research studied this particular factor and its impact on customer satisfaction particularly in the insurance sector in Nigeria. Insurance is an important service industry and till some time back customer satisfaction was not given a lot of importance in the sector. However with modern form of

insurance the scenario has begun to change. The objectives for the study are- 1. To explore the general factors of importance for customer who use the various insurance products in Nigeria and influence of each factor on buying perspective of the customer. 2. To discover and compare customers' perceptions of actual experience and their evaluation of service quality performance within the Nigerian Insurance Sector. 3. To evaluate the significance of the difference between the exact and overall components of importance and actual experience in Insurance with focus on the Nigerian Insurance Sector. Various scholars have given their inputs on the subject of service quality and few of these studies were analyzed in the literature review chapter. The concept of service quality as given by Parsuraman et al. (1988), Zeithaml (1988) and other researchers was elaborated in the section. The chapter also discussed the various models of service quality, and how service quality relates to customer satisfaction. Further the importance of service quality to the insurance sector in Nigeria was also briefly discussed. The literature review chapter provided the direction to the study and for further understanding of the Nigerian perspective, the study was carried out among the customers of NICON Insurance Plc of Nigeria. The perspective of customers was captured by way of a survey, and the study established that the customers were satisfied with the service quality of the company to a large extent. The study also established that the employees honored their commitment, and they attempted to resolve their issues accordingly. On the whole the customers of NICON Insurance Plc are quite satisfied because of the company's service quality delivery.

Designed specifically with revision in mind, the CIM Revision Cards provide concise, yet fundamental information to assist students in passing the CIM exams as easily as possible. A clear, carefully structured layout aids the learning process and ensures the key points are covered in a succinct and accessible manner. The compact, spiral bound format enables the cards to be carried around easily, the content therefore always being on hand, making them invaluable resources no matter where you are. Features such as diagrams and bulleted lists are used throughout to ensure the key points are displayed as clearly and concisely as possible. Each section begins with a list of learning outcomes and ends with hints and tips, thereby ensuring the content is broken down into manageable concepts and can be easily addressed and memorised. * Written specifically for revision purposes therefore only featuring the key concepts that need to be learned * Carefully designed to enable points to be easily extracted and memorised without clouding them in additional information * Accompanies the CIM Coursebook and MarketingOnline website to provide a complete suite of products to support the CIM qualifications

Research Paper (undergraduate) from the year 2010 in the subject Business economics - Marketing, Corporate Communication, CRM, Market Research, Social Media, grade: 1,0, RWTH Aachen University (Lehrstuhl Wirtschaftswissenschaften für Ingenieure und Naturwissenschaftler), language: English, abstract: Only those companies that fully satisfy their customers will be able to maintain a top market position in the long run. Despite the fact that this rule has been known for a very long time, it has drastically gained in importance in the last years. The reasons are multifarious, but three main aspects can be named: the upswing of customer needs, exacerbating competition, and more complex market conditions. Rising customer demands can best be explained by a growing range of products competing against each other. In times of fierce competition, companies must deliver optimal products for the purpose of maintaining their competitiveness and strengthening their market positions. To ensure maximum customer loyalty, it is essential to know the status quo regarding the so called customer satisfaction and how consumer needs developed over time. This thesis presents the current state of research in the field of customer satisfaction measurement. In its macro-structure it can be divided into a theoretical and an empirical part. In the first one, the main measurement and calculation methods are described and discussed with focus on their

capability to provide valid and reliable results concerning customer satisfaction. Chapter 2 sets the thematic framework by examining different conceptions of the formation of customer satisfaction. On this basis, a coarse presentation and categorization of prevalent measurement approaches is given. Not all of those approaches are up to today's standard of providing valid and reliable measures. Hence, in Chapter 3, only the promising subset of those approaches is further analyzed. Those methods are critically analyzed and assessed with the help of the existing literature. Building on this, a holistic customer satisfaction measurement system is introduced. Subsequently, Chapter 4 addresses the issue of comparability of different customer satisfaction measures and represents the transition from the theoretical to a praxis-based empirical part. Chapter 4.1 focuses on challenges for obtaining comparable data in international measurements. A closer look is taken at the different national CSI models as well as a recently established uniform European approach. Furthermore, study results of individual countries and industries are examined for their similarities and differences. The thesis concludes with a summary of the most important findings and provides an outlook on future developments in the field of customer satisfaction research.

Inhaltsangabe: Abstract: Giving the powerful means of branding and brand-based differentiation for creating and sustaining a competitive advantage especially in highly competitive markets such as the automobile market, this study explores brand attitudes of existing and potential customers towards the brand BMW. Moreover, this study analyzes the level and source of customer satisfaction as well as the level and source of customer loyalty of existing and potential customers. While this study considers five different factors for the degree of customer satisfaction, there is only one factor considered for the degree of brand loyalty. The factors considered for customer satisfaction are perceived customer service, perceived quality, perceived innovation, perceived technology and perceived price, while the factor considered for brand loyalty is customer satisfaction itself. The analysis of brand loyalty distinguishes between repurchase loyalty and attitudinal loyalty, former being analyzed for existing customers and latter being analyzed for potential customers. The results indicate that (1) BMW has a high level of awareness, both in recognition and recall, (2) the image of BMW is favorable, strong and relevant, and (3) BMW is mainly associated with performance and style by existing customers and status by potential customers. Despite these overall positive results, weaknesses were identified, that contain opportunities for BMW. The regression analysis indicated that there is a strong positive correlation between customer satisfaction and perceived customer service and perceived innovation for existing customers and a strong positive correlation between customer satisfaction and perceived customer service, perceived innovation and perceived price for potential customers. Furthermore, the regression analyses indicated that there is a strong positive correlation between customer satisfaction and brand loyalty, both in form of repurchase as well as attitudinal loyalty. Branding has been around for centuries as a means to distinguish the goods of one producer from those of another. More and more companies have come to the realization that one of their most valuable assets is the brand name associated with their products. Highly competitive markets like the automotive market make powerful brands essential to accomplishing growth. By using the underlying concept of brand equity, this paper investigates in which areas brand equity has been created for the [...]

* Includes both a client and supplier perspective of market research on customer satisfaction and loyalty

As global competition increases, maintaining customer loyalty is more important than ever. Dissatisfied customers now have many options, with dozens of companies from around the world competing for their business. It is crucial for every organization to retain loyal customers by maintaining a high level of customer satisfaction. However, sustaining an environment conducive to customer satisfaction is a difficult task without a strong understanding of the data

surrounding customer satisfaction surveys. This is the focus of Analysis of Customer Satisfaction Data, which clearly demonstrates how to interpret the data gathered in customer surveys while explaining how to use this information to improve overall customer satisfaction. Written by industry leaders with years of experience consulting top companies such as General Motors, Bank of America and Met Life, this book offers a step-by-step approach to customer loyalty research in an advanced yet understandable format. This book is a must read for anyone who is developing a customer satisfaction survey. - Richard Yorio Customer Satisfaction and Loyalty Manager Xerox Corporation.

Discusses methods for understanding what library patrons want in order to improve services, covering strategies to evaluate customer satisfaction, use computer technology to conduct surveys, analyze survey results, and spot trends.

Car insurance is one of the fastest growing types of insurance since it is mandatory for car owners and drivers in most countries to own insurance. Car insurance market is so competitive and it is mandatory in most countries; therefore, high quality service in the insurance industry has become an important concern. Through high service quality and customer satisfaction, companies are able to gain loyal customers who normally will continue utilizing the service or recommending it to other potential clients. In addition, service quality, customer satisfaction and loyalty guarantee profitability, therefore play pivotal roles for the insurance companies in this market. The purpose of this study is to measure service quality, customer satisfaction and loyalty, and assess the relation between these elements in the Australian car insurance industry. The SERVQUAL Scale was utilized to measure service quality, customer satisfaction and loyalty. As the research intends to understand the various relations among these variables, the research analysis includes the correlation study between the constructs.

Customer satisfaction and loyalty has been one of the largest areas of market research for the past twenty years, and interest in it continues to increase. Organizations today invest heavily in programmes designed to retain customers as they recognize the importance of having loyal, committed customers to sustain and increase company profits. Researching Customer Satisfaction and Loyalty is a vital guide to this expanding area. It examines how to research customer satisfaction from both a client and a supplier perspective, and how to get the best results from that research. The breadth of detail is exhaustive and topics covered include: the development of customer satisfaction and loyalty, management theories about it, qualitative and quantitative research, and how market research projects get commissioned. The book also looks at the factors that both supplier and client need to consider when preparing a research brief and proposal, how interest in this area is changing and what the future holds for research into customer satisfaction.

This study is an overview of the service quality and customer satisfaction among express bus customer in Kuantan, Pahang. The aim is also to get feedback on the user's perception of quality express bus service provided and the level of satisfaction with the service. Besides that this survey is designed to measure the quality of existing services and improvements.

Therefore, to identify the problems related to survey with 200 respondents in Pahang was conducted to obtain information about problems that occur. The location of the research will be conducted at Kuantan Central Terminals. It is because the location very suitable to get information about the bus service and many person at that location. Some of the method the research use to get problem statement is from respondent conversation. That response stated that consumers who use express bus service for their travel experience problems dissatisfaction. This is because the factors affecting the service quality and management provided by the service. This situation has attracted researcher to conduct a study on service quality in relations towards customer satisfaction among express bus customer in Kuantan. This review will focus on several dimensions of service quality and customer satisfaction means to measure and evaluate the service quality of the relationship. At the end of the study,

the researchers propose some suggestions that the authorities concerned are more responsible for improving the quality of express bus service so that users get the convenience to use public transport. This study will be evaluated and analyzed to obtain the results. Further, this study will be conducted and the data selected at the 15-19 November 2013. After that researcher analyze the data to SPSS software. Then the data show that have significant relationship between service quality (assurance, tangibles, reliability, and responsiveness) with customers satisfaction. While the researcher writes the report and all of the research can be use for the reference and next researcher.

Quality and satisfaction are the key indicators of corporate competitiveness. Measurement of customer satisfaction based on the service quality is to be done independently and objectively to establish baseline for improvements in service delivery. Assessing customer satisfaction periodically allows bank management and policy makers to identify customers' needs, expectations, perception and the perception- expectation gaps. The current study covers a comparative analysis of service quality and customer satisfaction among the customers of public and private sector commercial banks in Kerala. The research questions that are addressed in this study are on expectations and perceptions of retail customers from their preferred banks, relationship between service quality and customer satisfaction and the difference between the satisfaction level among private and public- sector banks in Kerala. In order to answer the above research questions, the problem is stated as "Service Quality and Customer Satisfaction- a Comparative Study between Public Sector and Private Sector Banks of Kerala." A descriptive and analytical research was carried out by collecting responses from customers of three prominent banks from private and public sector each. This was done through an online structured questionnaire based on SERVQUAL model during July 2015 to July 2016, prior to SBI consolidation. Primary data is analysed using SPSS (V.21).

Kolmogorov- Smirnov Test for the Normality is used to ensure normality of data distribution, Cronbach Alpha coefficient is used to measure reliability and validity is tested with the panel of experts. Mean, S.D. percentage, cross tabulation are used for descriptive and univariate analysis. Structural Equation Modelling, Confirmatory Factor Analysis and regression path analysis are used to conduct inferential and multivariate analysis. Z-test, Independent T-Test, Chi-Square, ANOVA Pearson Correlation, and post hoc tests are used for testing of hypothesis and comparative analysis. Modelling is done using Structural Equation Modelling approach and Path Analysis. The study reveals that the antecedents of customer satisfaction of retail banking customers of Kerala are reliability, assurance, empathy and tangibles. Responsiveness dimension do not affect customer satisfaction of banks in Kerala. There exists a gap between expected service quality and perceived service quality. Study reveals that there is significant positive correlation between service quality and customer satisfaction in the retail commercial banking services in Kerala. The level of customer satisfaction in public sector banks and private sector banks are not significantly different but same. Similarly, it is also found that, there is no significant difference in the customer satisfaction between sample banks like State Bank of India, State Bank of Travancore, Canara Bank, from public sector and Federal bank, South Indian bank and ICICI bank from private sector.

Inhaltsangabe: Abstract: Increasing competition, deregulation, globalisation, and technological advancement continuously create new business realities for organisations in the marketplace. In order to cope with these structural changes, many organisations aim at improving and innovating their business processes within the implementation of a quality management System. In today's competitive environment however, it is not sufficient to implement internally oriented business process improvements. Instead, companies have to concentrate an externally focused process improvements which add value to customers and thus enhance customer relationships. Such customer value driven process improvements help to integrate marketing and operations strategies and thereby provide a significant competitive advantage.

A quality management system enables organisations to achieve a competitive edge through customer satisfaction in today's highly competitive domestic and global markets. Customer satisfaction forms an integral part of a quality management system which focuses organisations on meeting or exceeding customer expectations through outstanding product and service performance. The integrative approach of a quality management system motivates everyone in an organisation to serve the customer. Customers include the end user (external customers) as well as all employees within an organisation (internal customers). As a result, external and internal customer expectations and requirements drive business processes. Moreover, quality and customer satisfaction are defined by customers and not by internal specifications. Therefore, an organisation has to focus on adding value to products and Services from the customers' perspective. Achieving customer satisfaction by exceeding customer requirements is a growing concern to organisations throughout the entire business world. Australian companies thus have to meet increasing international competition by providing customers with better quality products and services at lower prices than competitors. In this system, Total Quality Management represents the Overall organisational philosophy of the quality drive. Kaizen is the instrument to achieve a quality culture in an organisation, and Lean Management concentrates on the optimisation of time and cost in business processes, especially in production. A quality management System therefore aims at coordinating organisational improvement programs. This paper aims at identifying [...]

Even today with quality improvement the battle cry of American industry, the quality programs in most companies are limited to "conformance to technical standards," according to quality expert Bradley Gale. While some have ventured a step farther to measure customer satisfaction, few of them, Gale demonstrates, have attempted to track market-perceived "quality" -- how buyers select among competing suppliers, why orders are won or lost, and which competitors are succeeding in which market segments. Using cases including Milliken & Company; AT&T, United Van Lines, and Gillette, Gale shows how leading-edge companies have gone beyond the minimal achievements of conformance quality and customer satisfaction to focus on the third, higher stage, "market-perceived quality versus competitors" and aspire to an emerging fourth stage, "true strategic management." Drawing on his extensive research at AT&T, Johnson & Johnson, Parke-Davis, and other world-class companies, Gale provides new metrics for market-perceived quality that are straightforward and easy to interpret. His set of seven integrative tools for customer value analysis makes up the heart of the "war room wall" to help guide business-unit teams in their effort to outperform competitors in satisfying customers. The great value of these tools is that they are derived from a future-oriented strategic navigation system that tracks competitive information and market-perceived quality. Learning to master this system accelerates customer satisfaction from a slogan to a science and leads ultimately to true strategic management -- the fourth stage of Total Quality Management. The processes described in this book provide an insider's perspective on the criteria of the Baldrige Award. Bradley Gale's insights and innovative methods for defining, measuring, and improving market-perceived quality will create an entirely new thrust for the worldwide quality movement.

For marketing and customer services researchers and professionals who are interested in customer contacts, customer satisfaction and loyalty issues. Contact centers are playing a pivotal role in customer services of the 21st century. Nevertheless, despite their growing importance and presence, contact centers are increasingly becoming the center for customer frustration, and frequently associated with negative comments in the media. Therefore, this research explores the Emotional, Cognitive, General, and Transactional dimensions of customer satisfaction and loyalty process in the customer contact environment. As customer contacts can be a source of negative emotions and it is desirable to increase positive emotions in the contact center environment, this research focuses on the emotional aspects of customer

satisfaction and on the Emotional Satisfaction of Customer Contacts (ESCC) in particular. Taking the ESCC as a starting point, this research demonstrates that frontline employees are able to observe and register customer satisfaction during service encounters, and suggests that the ESCC information can be employed for recovering service failures, increasing sales productivity and organizational learning for more customer satisfaction and loyalty. The advent of new forms of technology had created highly competitive market conditions for banks. Therefore, it becomes crucial for service providers to meet or exceed the target customers' satisfaction with quality of services expected by them. Hence, the present research was planned with the specific objectives - to study various aspects of services provided by the public, private and foreign banks and access of customers to these services, to analyze the constituent factors affecting customer satisfaction with the quality of services provided by the banks and to determine and compare the extent of customer's satisfaction with quality of banking services on the basis of different constituent factors. The present study was conducted in public sector, private sector and foreign banks of Delhi. The analysis of data pertaining to age of respondents revealed that it ranged from 20 to 80 years. Analysis indicated that youth were switching more to private and foreign banks in comparison to public sector banks. Majority of the respondents were males in all the three categories of banks. This book deals with problems related to the evaluation of customer satisfaction in very different contexts and ways. Often satisfaction about a product or service is investigated through suitable surveys which try to capture the satisfaction about several partial aspects which characterize the perceived quality of that product or service. This book presents a series of statistical techniques adopted to analyze data from real situations where customer satisfaction surveys were performed. The aim is to give a simple guide of the variety of analysis that can be performed when analyzing data from sample surveys: starting from latent variable models to heterogeneity in satisfaction and also introducing some testing methods for comparing different customers. The book also discusses the construction of composite indicators including different benchmarks of satisfaction. Finally, some rank-based procedures for analyzing survey data are also shown.

Research Paper (postgraduate) from the year 2020 in the subject Organisation and administration - Public administration, , language: English, abstract: The main objective of the study was to analyze the quality of public service delivery and to examine the level of customer's satisfaction in Burayu Town Municipality, Oromia Region. The study was conducted to identify the level of service quality and customers' satisfaction at the municipality. The total of 412 customers who were the service users of the municipality were selected as a sample size by using Yamane Taro's sample selection formula as a study subjects. The study used convenience sampling method for sample selection of respondents' and purposive sampling for interview of Public Service Manager. Open-ended questionnaires, closed ended questionnaires and interview were employed for data collection. Regarding research methodology; the researcher employed explanatory research method with both qualitative and quantitative data type. The analysis conducted using Microsoft Office Excel 2007 and presented by using tables, graphs, frequency distribution and percentage. From the study it was found that service quality dimensions were positively related to customer satisfaction; as service quality meets customers' expectation it leads to customers' satisfaction. The result indicates that the dimensions of service quality measures were not fully practised by the municipality, which results in low level of service quality and customers' satisfaction. Municipal officials need to ensure that all tangible attributes related to employee performance create a desirable impact on customer perception of quality. This is important as customer continue to look for tangible cue as a means to reduce perceived service quality and describe their service experience in Burayu town municipality.

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