Task 6 – Multiple Choice

- 1. B. The financial plan for the next twelve months
- 2. B. They are historical (backward-looking) financial plans
- 3. C. Zero budgeting
- 4. D. **12 months**
- 5. A. Variance
- 6. B. To assess performance related pay of managers
- 7. B. Flexible budgets
- 8. D. Unfavourable variance
- 9. C. Budget holder's length of experience
- 10. C. Favourable variances

Unit 4.1 The role of marketing

Task 1 - True or false?

	True / False
a.	T
b.	F
c.	F
d.	T
e.	T
f.	F
g.	F
h.	T
i.	T
j.	T

Task 2 – Vocab Quiz

Identify the key terms from the clues given. *Hint*: the answers are in alphabetical order!

Key Term
Ethical code of practice
Market orientation
Market share
Marketing plan
Product orientation
Social marketing

Task 3 - Explain...

- a. Marketing is about the identification, anticipation and satisfaction of the needs of customers, whilst making a profit (or financial surplus). This can be done through application of the marketing mix (product, price, promotion, place, people, physical evidence, process and packaging).
- b. O As market share refers to an organization's share of the total value of sales of all products within a specific market, it can be measured by expressing the firm's sales as a percentage of the total market's sales.
 - Alternatively, market concentration measures the degree of competition within a market by calculating the market share of the largest firms in a market. The sum of these market shares is known as the concentration ratio.
- c. O Gain market share in the rapidly growing markets or gain higher sales/profits by entering the new market
 - Ocost of entry into new markets (e.g. finance, R&D and personnel) or the high risks involved in launching new products, even if they are growing.
- d. Commercial marketing is concerned with selling a product to the customer with the purpose of making a profit, e.g. by portraying the glamour and appeal of smoking.
 - O By contrast, social marketing focuses on changing people's behaviour for what is deemed to be in the best interest of society, e.g. anti-smoking campaigns with the purpose of dissuading people from smoking.
- e. Firms without much competition or those that are highly innovative tend to be more product focused (product orientation), e.g. 3M, Apple and Google.
 - A market orientated business has its focus on the needs and requirements of the customer, producing goods and supplying services that it knows it can sell.

Task 4 - Calculating market share

a.

Company	Sales (\$m)	Market share (%)
A		40
В		20
С	33	
D	27	

b. Companies A and C (the largest two firms) account for 62% of the market (a combined \$93m in a market worth \$150m), i.e. the two firms have significant market power (market leaders) so dominate the market.

Task 5 - Multiple Choice

- 1. C. Recruiting the best sales people
- 2. C. Marketing is all about selling products to meet the needs of customers
- 3. D. Marketing budgets
- 4. C. People
- 5. B. Packaging
- 6. C. Production

7. Perishable A. Researching consumers' needs in order to develop new products 8. A. 9. B. There is heavy spending on research and development 10. В. Products are designed according to what the producer feels will sell C. Producing and marketing products that the firm believes will sell 11. 12. В. Physical evidence The percentage of total sales in a market that can be attributed to a firm 13. В. 14. A. It can lead to market leadership 15. B. **Social marketing** Increase market share by 5% within the next 18 months 16. C. People, Physical evidence and Process 17. D. C. **Ethical marketing** 18. 19. Physical evidence D. 20. C. To gain higher market share

Unit 4.2 Marketing planning

Task 1 – Vocab Quiz

Identify the key terms from the clues given. *Hint*: the answers are in alphabetical order!

Key Term	
Ethical marketing	
Market segment	
Marketing planning	
Marketing strategy	
Packaging	
Positioning (perception map)	
Unique Selling Point	

Task 2 - True or False?

	True / False
a.	T
b.	T
c.	T
d.	F
e.	F
f.	F
g.	F
h.	T