**COST MANAGEMENT:**

**OVERVIEW:**

Cost management is essential to the success of Go Fit's marketing campaign, which has an available budget set at €175,000. This campaign is aligned with strategic priorities: more production; increased, deeper customer engagement activities; and a top-three position in the wearable technology market, all for an appropriate price point.

**BUDGET ALLOCATION:**

Breaking the budget down, here are four key areas where it is invested in order to achieve a great return on investment:

1. **Data Analytics** A large chunk of the budget will be allocated towards predictive analytics tools. Such tools will further enhance customer segmentation creating opportunities to better target and engage current & potential customers.
2. **Marketing Efforts**: Money will also be used to facilitate the production and distribution of marketing materials. Prioritizing wider digital platforms — social media and IoT — makes for a more versatile and affordable approach that reaches an optimal audience.
3. **Process Improvements**: Work with Customer Service to revise processes for the expanded product line It facilitates seamless operations and greater customer satisfaction..
4. **Regulatory Compliance**: This allocates resources to comply with neutrality regulation of the present and near future keeping marketing activities sustainable in long term.

**EXCLUSIONS:**

To maintain focus and cost efficiency, the campaign excludes:

* **Product Development**: No budget for R&D or new products
* **Extended Training**: Regular training for customer service is unsustainable after rollout phase of initial implementation.
* **Market Expansion**: Any efforts focused on new regional markets are excluded from consideration.

**CONSTRAINTS:**

The nature of a fixed budget is that effective cost management and prioritization around high ROI, low impact activities must be part of the plan. For resources to be well- utilized, interdepartmental collaboration between Marketing, IT, Finance and Customer Service must happen seamlessly. Expense management & cost tracking will keep this in check and mitigate cost overrun with real-time updates.

**DIAGRAM:**

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**CONCLUSION:**

Costs are controlled by targeting campaign dollars to the activities that can make a difference. Go Fit would like to meet its strategic goals in a proactive manner which is compliant with FSC regulation, avoiding weak monopolistic moves through efforts that appear only as process improvements but focus on data-driven marketing initiatives instead. Such sensible strategy underlines company long-term plan and gameplan for sustaining its competitive positioning in wearable technology sector.