

## Terminology for MMM

1. Linear regression equation “ $Y = bX + C$ ”

$Y = DV$

$X = IV$

$b = \text{Slope (coefficient of } X)$

$C = \text{Intercept}$

2.  $Y = b_1X_1 + b_2X_2 + b_3X_3 + \dots + b_nX_n + C$

Having different IVs

3. Coefficient ( $b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n$ ): Coefficient indicates the direction of the relationship between a predictor variable and the response variable and 1 unit change in IV will change DV according to the coefficient.

4. Base: Outcome is achieved without any advertisements. It is due to brand equity built over the years. Base outcomes are usually fixed, unless there are any economic or environmental changes.

E.g.: Distribution (+ve coefficient)

Price (-ve coefficient)

5. Incremental: Business outcomes generated by marketing activities like TV and print ads, digital spends, price discounts, promotions, social outreach etc

E.g.: GRP, TRP, Impressions etc.

6. Effectiveness: Based on the volumes.

7. Efficiency: Based on the revenue or monetary term.

8. Dimensions: They are channels, states, regions, outlets etc.

9. Model Type: Pooled and un-pooled

- Pooled: Commonality between different market by pooling it together  
Every market or section has different intercepts.
- Un pooled: Treat every section in the same category. Having same intercept for every IV.

10. Additive: Same impact in every variable in any factor. (Additive process). Synergy is missing.

11. Multiplicative: Calculated in Percentage as percentage will be same but absolute value can be different. Synergy is between the variables.

12. P value: Significance value where  $H_0$  can be true.

13. Ad stock: Impact carried out by the advertisement over from the period from the start of advertisement.

E.g.: Multiple iteration.

14. Gamma: Capturing multiple impact

- Degree of freedom: Minimum time required for ad to make impact to the target cliental.
- Lag Transform: Represent the effect of a previous value of a lagged variable.

E.g.: Coupon System

- Log: Variable having diminishing returns.

E.g.: Price

- Exponential decay: Definite time period or cut of time.

E.g.: Expire date

15. Priors: Information that we are putting in the models.

16. Support: The Raw data that we have from where we are doing the modelling.

17. Contribution: Percentage contribution of a variable with respect to the all the total contributions of the variables.

18. Decom: Percentage incremental of the sales value. (Like contribution)

19. Due to: Comparing percentage change for two years

20. MAPE: Measures the average magnitude of the errors in a set of predictions.

21. R square: How close the data are to the fitted regression line.

- Range from 0 to 100%

22. VIF: Variance inflation factor (VIF) detects multicollinearity in regression analysis.