



ABBOTT BUSINESS CHALLENGE 2.0

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PRIMARY RESEARCH

We conducted the primary research over 122 young adults among the students from NIT Calicut and IIM Kozhikode. The important points of the survey are:

40%

of the customers check the detailed product review/ description before making a purchase

5 IN 8

customers are driven by the expert(Doctor/-Pharmacist) advice.

3 OUT OF 10

customers buy products from professional Spas (Naturals hair saloons, Greentrends)

3/4TH

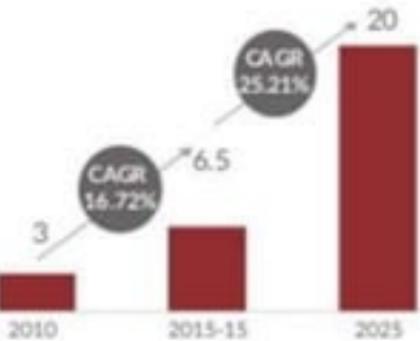
of the people choose product based on the functionality of the product

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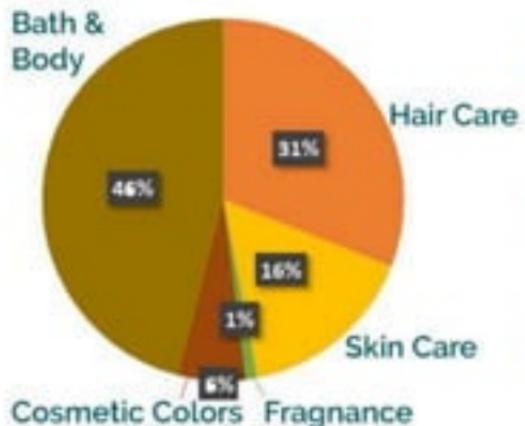
out of 120 of the customers are willing to experiment and try new skin/hair care products

Both quality and value for money are being sought by consumers. Also, there has been a rising aspiration among Indian men to look better groomed

MARKET OVERVIEW

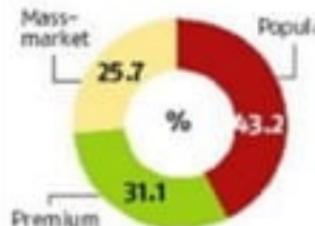


- The Indian personal care industry is majorly categorised into skin care, hair care, oral care, fragrances, and colour cosmetics segments.
- It currently has an overall market standing of USD 6.5 billion and is expected to grow to - USD 20bn by 2025 with a CAGR of 25%.



- Under Hair Care Hair oil has a market share of about 57%, followed by hair shampoo
- Under Skin care ,facial care products share 34% of total market share
- Increase in demand for herbal (Natural) products especially in South India

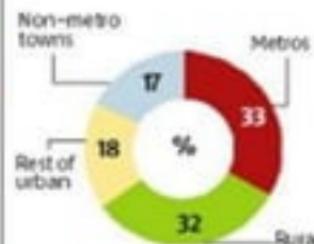
BREAK-UP OF BEAUTY & PERSONAL CARE MARKET BY SEGMENT



Popular and premium segments lead the market

There is no advantage in stepping in Mass-Market

URBAN VERSUS RURAL SPLIT OF MARKET BY SALES



Sources:

- IBHA- Atkerney 'Demistifying Future of beauty and personal care'
- ARGUS CPMO survey

EVOLUTION OF CHANNELS

Pre 2000

- Departmental Stores
- Price
- Direct Selling

2000-15

- Supermarkets
- Brand Outlets
- Online Stores
- Via Kiosks

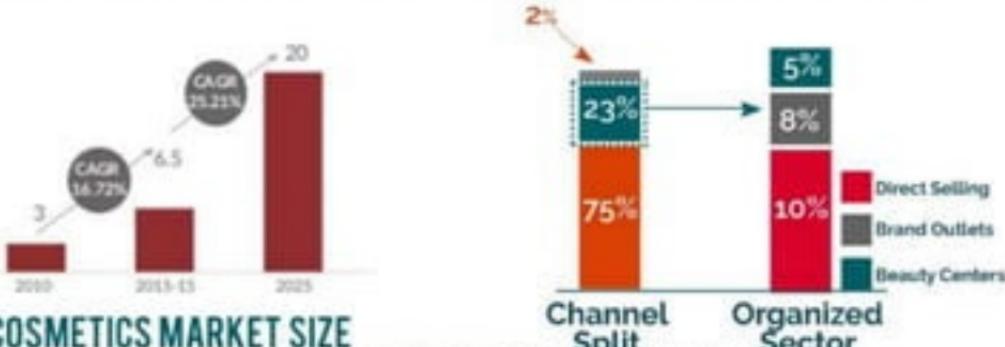
2015 +

- Internet Retailing
- Bloggers stealing Consumer trends
- Professional Hairdressers/ beauticians
- Beauty Technique Training to E-commerce

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Blogs, Social Media Write-ups etc are important tools in online promotion
- Online health consultation platforms are boosting in the age of information
- Advice of beauticians and Hairdressers also plays a major level of importance

ORGANIZED VS UNORGANIZED SECTOR



KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Unorganized channel caters 75% of total cosmetics market
- Organized sector caters to 23% of channel split, in which online sector serves only 2%
- The unorganized sector keep inventory of the price not more than 1000 per product.

CONSUMER BEHAVIOUR

Factors affecting Product Choice



Factors affecting Brand Choice



KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Functionality of the Product (like anti-acne, anti-ageing) is given highest preference in choosing a product
- Brand Image and Advertising play a major role in preferring a brand
- Advice of sales person & word of mouth also plays a moderate level of importance

INFLUENCERS

Source : NASCOM Report

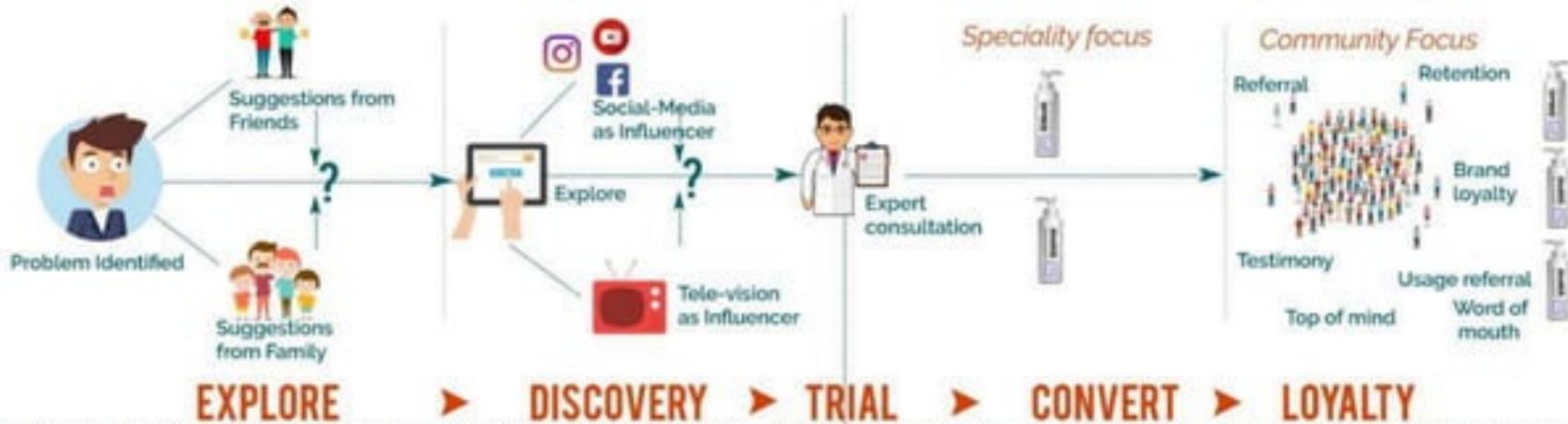
Cosmeceutical Product Type								
S.No	Influencer	Anti-Aging products	Acne products	Anti-Wrinkle Products	Suns Cream Products	Facial Foams	Fairness Creams	Day and Night
1.	Myself	4.2	3.3	3.3	18.3	22.5	20.2	30.8
2.	Male Friend/Husband	0	0.8	1.7	6.7	5.8	5.0	0.8
3.	Wife/Girlfriend	0	0.0	1.7	0.8	10.8	2.5	8.3
4.	Parents/Relative	0	3.3	13.3	1.7	8.3	1.7	17.5
5.	Doctors	6.7	30.8	2.5	1.7	5.8	3.4	1.7
6.	Parlours/Saloon	0.8	1.7	10.8	8.3	14.2	40.3	4.2

DRIVERS



Source : Indian Cosmeceutical Market: A Study of Consumer Preferences and Consumption Patterns

CUSTOMER JOURNEY MAP



► In the initial two phases customers identify the problem and looks for ready solutions (from family, Close peers) Explores Media (online and Offline)

► **Data Source:** Online serach data, TRP views , Advertisements, product equity

► **EXPLORE:**
In the initial two steps the idea is make the customers discover the product as a solution to their problem and market the functionality

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► **Data Source:** Saloon sales data, Dermatologists database, online expert reviews, referral sales

► **CONVERSION:**
In the next two steps, the motive is to get the customers to try the product and convert the trial to repurchase.

BENCHMARKING

TOUCH POINTS



Hair/Beauty
care centers



Pharmacists



Dermatologists



E-Commerce

MEDI DERMA

Consumer Touch Areas

- Medical Stores
- Pharmacist/Doctor Prescription
- Health care centers
- E-commerce (Healthkart, 1mg etc)

Usage

- Under Medical Supervision

Pricing

- Driven by Regulations

Packing

- Labelling restrictions
- Moderate Packing



COSMO DERMA

Consumer Touch Areas

- General Stores
- Branded Outlets
- Super Markets
- Professional Saloons

Usage

- Can be self, (or) by usage instructions

Pricing

- Driven by market forces

Packing

- Usage instructions
- Better packing



TOUCH POINTS



Hair/Beauty
saloons



Super Markets



Branded Outlets
(EBO's, MBO's)



E-Commerce

MIDDLE SEGMENT

Companies like Dr. Reddys, Dr. Batra lie in this segment. They leverage the advantage of Brand name, pharmaceutical expertise and push the sales in FMCG and retail outlets

TARGET GROUP



18-35
years

CUSTOMER PERSONA

- Young Professionals and college Graduates
- Result oriented
- Trend Followers
- Active Internet users
- Rational Thinkers
- Impatient aspirers
- Balance Seekers

SEGMENTATION



POSITIONING STRATEGY



- Segmentation is done based geographical locations based on customers persona and their behavioural psych into Metros, Tier 1 and Tier 2
- Focus on Metros and Tier 1 cities.
- Product segmentation is done based on the customer need type and utility

- Positioning is based on Product value vs Brand Value and the efficacy of the products

- Abbott OTC is positioned as personal care value enhancer with high levels of efficacy

AWARENESS

Focus is on the **customer problem**
Introduction to the product as an effective solution

Questionnaire Design

1. Used many personal care products ended with no admirable results
 Yes No

2. Did multi functional products resulted in side effects
 Yes No

3. Confused on the prescribed usage of personal care products (OTC drugs)
 Yes No

Then Abbott faircare is for you.

Action Plan

- ▶ Float questionnaire through all customer touch points in the target areas
- ▶ Maintain extensive available product data base and answers queries
- ▶ Promote Product trials

FUNCTIONALITY

Focus is on the KPI of the Functionality, to push Awareness -> Trial -> Conversion

Product segmentation is done based on the **customer need analysis**

Metrics are developed to track the progress of the **trial usage**

Differentiation to the cosmetic products is based on the **product functionality and performance assurance**

Week	W1	W2	W3	W4	W5	W6	W7	W8	W9	W10
Initial	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Customer Feedback	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Product Functionality	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Performance Assurance	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓



Action Plan

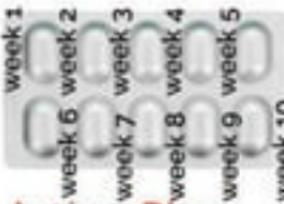
- ▶ Trials are rolled out with metric indicators to track the progress
- ▶ KPI of usage is the key

ASSURANCE

Focus is on the conversion -> Re-purchase -> Retention

Differentiation to the Derma cosmetic products (used under medical supervision) is based on **customized packaging based on dosage**

Customized packaging enhances the utility reducing the scope of side effects



Action Plan

- ▶ Customized packs based on the usage (De blister- weekly usage)
- ▶ Dosage based packs are made available at the target locations
- ▶ After purchase data is tracked using online platforms
- ▶ Referrals are promoted after product usage

EASE OF USE

IMPROVED PACKAGING

- Press and Drop Packing for Selsun
- Squeeze and Roll packing for Melaglow
- Remind-A-Cap Packing for Follihair



MELAGLOW



FOLLIHAIR



PERFORMANCE TRACKERS

- Dandruff Testing Scale for Selsun
- Skintone Testing Scale for Melaglow
- Daily usage indications for Follihair tablets



Cost: Rs. 7-10 per strip



USAGE INSTRUCTIONS

Usage instructions on how to use Performance Trackers are provided within the package



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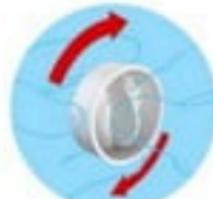
Cost: Rs. 5-7 per strip

Sat	Mon
Sun	Tues
Mon	Wed
Tues	Thurs
Wed	Fri

Cost: Rs. 1-2

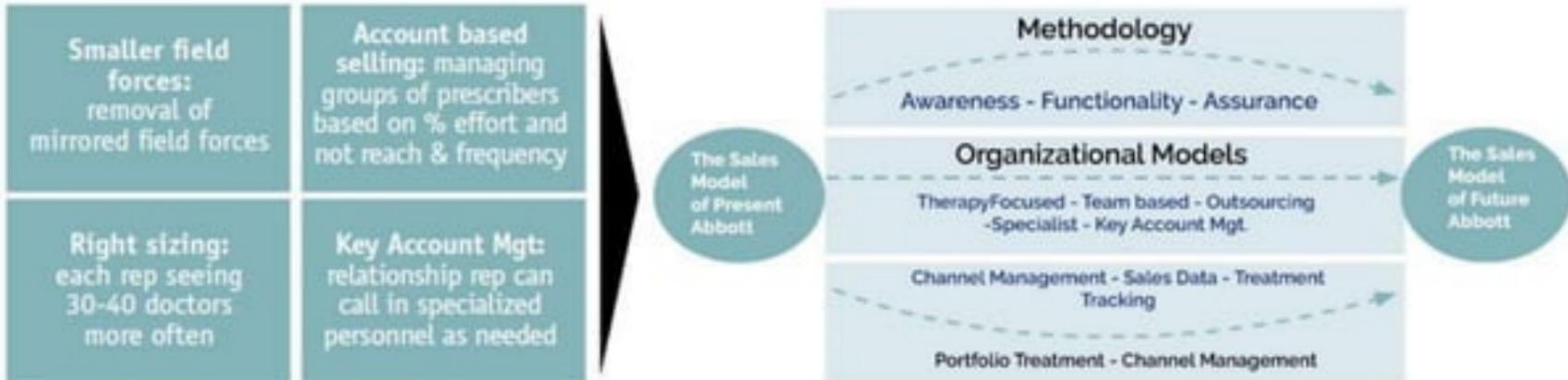


Cost: Rs. 10-12 additional cost

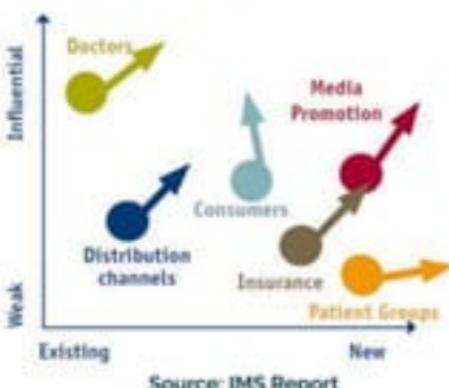


These are just our suggestions, however there may be certain regulations and patents

SHIFTING SALES AND MARKETING DYNAMICS



Indian Scenario



- Doctors act as crucial Influencers in impacting consumers trust and improving assurance
- When entering into new markets, Media Promotion and ATL marketing plays a key role.

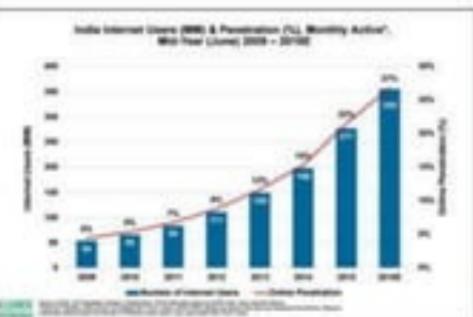
- By adopting AFA(Awareness - Organizational Models - Assurance) strategy, we promote product differentiation and capture new markets
- This can be done using TherapyFocused - Team based - Outsourcing - Specialist - Key Account Mgt.
- There are about 7000 registered dermatologists, in the country
- Abbott creates a FairStyle platform to enable the interaction between customers and Personal Care Experts

ONLINE PLATFORM



Internet penetration: 29%
CAGR of Internet Usage 30%
Internet penetration by the end of 2021: 59%

Source: CISCO Report



ABBOTT FAIRSTYLE (DEDICATED PERSONAL CARE WEBSITE)

The homepage features a banner for "Flat 50% Off on Health Tests" with an additional 15% cashback via a coupon. It includes sections for "Generic Medicines", "Maximum Savings", and "Same Day Delivery". The navigation bar includes links for MEDICINES, LAB TESTS, ASK DOCTOR, ARTICLES, and various categories like Winter Care, Fitness & Supplements, Diabetics, etc.

A prominent call-to-action button says "UPLOAD PHOTO (OR) GET YOUR TRYCHO TEST DONE". Below it, there's a section for "HAIR/ SKIN TESTS".

Customer can upload skin/hair images for primary analysis. They can book trichometric analysis or fair analysis online. We outsource the lab tests to external centres.

A screenshot of a web browser showing a consultation form titled "New Consultation". It asks for "Upload your Health Photos" and provides a file input field.

ONLINE CONSULTING

Customers can get online consulting through our website. This helps in early conversion

A thumbnail for an article titled "How To Remove Dark Spots On Your Face" featuring two women's faces.

ARTICLES

Publishing articles helps in SEO, back-linking and better search results

WHATSAPP PLATFORM (FOR ONLINE MEDICAL SUPERVISION)

- A VERIFIED WHATSAPP BUSINESS



- Once the product is brought, assurance from the doctor plays a key role in retaining customers
- As per our research there is a healthy(80-85%) overlap between the Target Group and whatsapp users

If we intend to remove doctors before point of purchase, then we can place them after point of purchase to improve assurance

Why not app?

- It takes \$1 to make an user download an app in India
- Only top 3 apps are used more than 85% of time



Expert Usage Guide

Certified Dermatologist mentors the usage and guides the progress of whatsapp group members.



Expanding Target Groups

Develop content in Vernacular languages and reach untapped markets



Offers and Rewards

Address the unstated needs of the customers by using big data and sending customized offers



Directing to E-Commerce

Incase if customer enquires about a product, we directly send the links of E-commerce to them through whatsapp



Responsive Service

Send reminders about product repurchase, new articles well in time so as to ensure compliance without hassles



MANAGING THE MARKETING PLAN



REVISE COMMUNICATION

"We would recommend tilt from traditional marketing communication to non-traditional communication"

- >Create an advertisement strategy : "Personal care is not about aesthetics, it is about assurance" and design innovative marketing campaigns
- Increase awareness about the special concern for personal care
- Focus more on the attitude shift of the people thereby improving Brand Loyalty

EXPLORE RELAVANT CHANNELS AND EXECUTION

Facebook

Being primary social network for Young Adults, ads are more focused to get traction from the young and also elder generation

Information Kiosk/Display

Setting up Kiosk/ Displays at most frequent places by Young professionals: post offices, banks and gardens

Online

Youtube : Video series on how to use the products

Email: regular and reminder mails

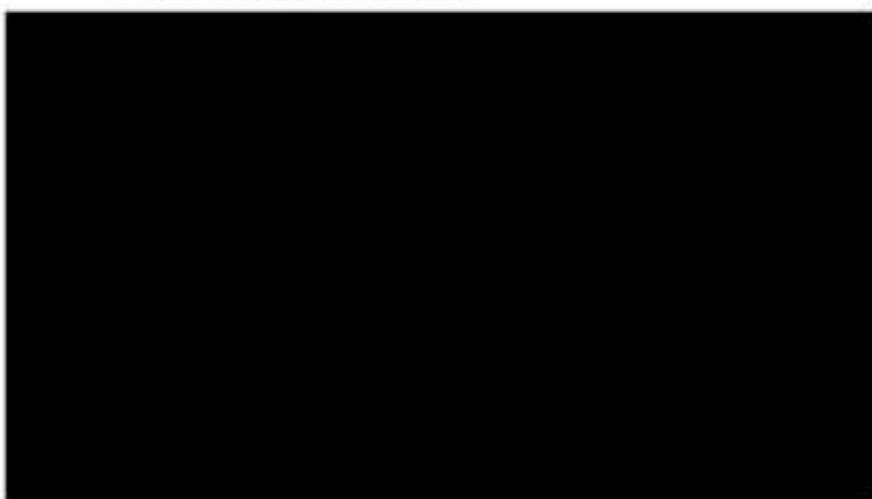
Blogging: Guest blogs by adults and curated content

ATL ADVERTISEMENT

We intent to convey our AFA strategy through our advertisement

Key Focus should be on

- Increasing awareness
- Featuring Functionality
- Conveying ease of use



BTL AWARENESS CAMPAIGNS



Did you Know?

About 50% of hairloss is due to lack of nutrition

Abbott
A Promise for Life

Hospital Billboards

To make the advertisements reach the specific TG, we place the billboards in the dermatologist departments of major hospitals

Hair saloons/ Beauty Spas



We input our Stock Keeping Units in Non-Franchised Hair saloons and beauty Spas

Billboards at Organized Stores



Did you Know?

Melaglow is rated 2nd best anti-darkspot product

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Click on the blank to play the video

FINANCIALS

Assumptions

- current Sales break up **90%** in (pharmacies and Pharma chains),**10%** rest (mom and pop ,traditional stores, direct sales)
- The total Revenues are expected to **grow at 35%** (maximum of all channels)
- In the first year we don't intend to enter in unorganised sector and hence sales are zero, the first year sales percentage for Organised retail and baranded outlets is **40%** and **30%** respectively

Target	Folli Hair	Selsun	Melaglow
Current Sales Year 0	28.3	24.3	14.7
Target Sales at the end of Year 3 (2020)	84.8	72.8	44.2

Target 2020: 3x in 3 years		Folli Hair and products			Selsun			Melaglow		
Existing Channels (rx)	CAGR (%)	Year 1 (2018)	Year 2 (2019)	Year 3 (2020)	Year 1 (2018)	Year 2 (2019)	Year 3 (2020)	Year 1 (2018)	Year 2 (2019)	Year 3 (2020)
Pharmacies (chemists/practitioners)	18	26.05	30.74	36.27	22.18	26.17	30.89	11.53	15.97	18.84
Pharma chains (Appolos, Medplus, Tulas)	20	4.08	4.89	5.87	3.47	4.10	4.83	2.12	2.50	2.95
Traditional stores	8	3.06	3.30	3.56	2.50	2.95	3.48	1.52	1.80	2.12
Existing Channel Revenues		33.18	38.93	45.70	28.15	31.21	39.19	17.17	20.26	23.91
Total Revenues [3*Current Revenues]		46.5844	62.889	84.90	39.67	53.56	72.30	24.20	32.67	44.30
Target Sales (DTC)		13.41	23.96	39.20	11.52	20.34	33.11	7.03	12.41	20.19
Proposed Channels For DTC market	% of (Target Sales (DTC))									
online (amazon,mykaa,1mg +13 of pharma)	10	1.34	2.40	3.92	1.15	2.03	3.31	0.70	1.24	2.02
Organised Retail (Super markets, Hypermarkets, metros)	35	5.36	8.39	13.72	4.61	7.12	11.59	2.81	4.34	7.07
Branded Outlets (MBO's,Departmental Stores,Lifestyle)	25	4.02	5.99	9.80	3.46	5.09	8.28	2.11	3.10	5.05
Hair and beauty chain Stores (Naturals, Beauty parlours, Evertrieds, Anos)	15	2.01	3.59	5.88	1.73	3.05	4.97	1.05	1.86	3.03
Mom and Pop (Unorganised retail ,General Stores)	10	0.00	2.40	3.92	0.00	2.03	3.31	0.00	1.24	2.02
Website (referral , B2B, platform sales)	5	0.67	0.18	1.96	0.58	1.02	1.66	0.35	0.62	1.01
Target Sales (DTC)	100	13.41	22.94	39.20	11.52	20.34	33.11	7.03	12.41	20.19

Approach

- The Sales at the end of **3rd Year** should be **3 Times** the current sales
- Based on the 3x sales target back calculations are done ,to arrive at the breakup for each proposed channel

FINANCIALS (CUSTOMER ACQUISITION COST)

Folli Hair Revenue in (Cr)	Units	Online	Organised Retail	Branded Outlets	Hair and Beauty Chain Stores	Mom And Pop	Website [Rs Cr]
Individual sales break up (Self)	Crre	1.34	5.36	4.62	2.01	0.00	0.67
Marketing budget % sales (20% of sales)	Crre	0.268	1.072	0.804	0.402	0.000	0.134
Price per sale (3 months)	Rupees	1500	1500	1500	1500	1500	1500
Sales City	Units	8937	35733	26800	13400	0	4467
No. of New Customers	Sales City/2	4468	17867	13400	6700	0	2233
Conversion Ratio	%	3	15	18	20	20	40
Potential Reach	Number	148949	119111	74448	35500	0	5583
Cost of Customer Acquisition	Rs	18	90	108	120	0	240

Online:	Organized Retail:	Branded Outlets	Hair/Beauty chain stores
Amazon	More	Care	Naturals
Nykaa	Heritage	Lifestyle	Beauty parlours
1mg	Reliance fresh	Departmental Store	Anoos
13OL Pharma	Spencers	MBO/CBO's	Ever Trends

Assumptions

- Conversion ratio in Online - 3% , Organised retail - 12-15% (Source IBEF)
- Branded reatil - 18% , Hair and Beauty Saloons - 20% (Primary Research) ,
- Mom and Pop store - 20% , Website - 40%

- No traditional (unorganised reatil Stores are targeted in year 1

% of sales	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
Marketing Budget	20	25	30

B2B

Bulk Orders, Institutional buying

ROAD MAP OF ABBOTT FAIRSTYLE



a: Presence in 13 oil pharmacies
 Horizontal : Amazon
 Specialized: Nykaa
 tie up with Beauty centres ,
 professional hair saloons

b: Presence in Organised,
 Departmental ,
 Branded retail stores

c: Tie up with registered dermatologists and beauticians
 Guided usage of first time users through whatsapp platform

d: Open up to Traditional mom and pop stores **e:** encouraging referral campaigns



THANK YOU

We are open to Questions