

## MARKET SEGMENTATION (BUSINESS PLAN)

Department: SALES & MARKETING



## **Project Description:**

Segment your market. Market segmentation is used to help the company focus on different types of potential customers. Identified markets may be divided into workable segments such as: age, income, product type, geography, buying patterns, customer needs, etc.

## **Guidelines:**

- 1. Conduct online research to better understand the characteristics of market segmentation. *Do not rely solely on the above explanation!*
- 2. Segment the company's target market
  - a. Age real and virtual
  - b. Income real and virtual
  - c. Product Type
  - d. Geography real and virtual
  - e. Buying Patterns real and virtual
  - f. Customer Needs real and virtual
    - i. You must submit documents to substantiate your decision
      - 1. print out relevant data
      - 2. explain your decision
- 3. Document your finding and save
  - a. Type your findings in a well-organized format
    - i. Use paragraph headings
      - 1. Age, income, etc
  - b. Save in the current year's > Business Plan folder
    - i. File name: Market Segmentation, Division name (i.e., Market Segmentation, Video Cameras
- 4. Submit for grading with attachments
  - a. Attach in this order from top to bottom
    - i. Task Sheet
    - ii. Market Analysis Rubric with Expanded Explanations for the Market Segmentation from the Business Plan Written Document – Judges' Rubric
    - iii. Market Rubric with Expanded Explanations for the Market Segmentation from the Business Plan Oral Presentation – Judges' Rubric
    - iv. Printout of finished assignment