DECLARATION OF ORIGINAL WORK



BACHELOR IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (HONS) MARKETING FACULTY OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

I, MEOR HAZWAN BIN MAT HASSAN I/C NUMBER: 861106-29-5471

Hereby declare that:

- This work has not been accepted in substance for any degree, locally or overseas and is not being concurrently submitted for this degree or any other degrees.
- This project paper is the result of my independent work and investigation, except where otherwise stated.
- All verbatim extracts have been distinguished by quotation marks and sources of my information have been specifically acknowledged.

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

Meor Hazwan Bin Mat Hassan Bachelor of Business Administration (Hons) Marketing Faculty of Business Management Universiti Teknologi MARA Kampus Kota Bharu 15050 Kota Bharu Kelantan

APRIL 2011

Head of Program Bachelor of Business Administration (Hons) Marketing Faculty of Busines Management Universiti Teknolgi MARA Kampus Kota Bharu 15050 Kota Bharu Kelantan

Dear Sir,

SUBMISSION OF MARKETING PROJECT PAPER (MKT 662)

Attached is the copy of Marketing Project Paper (MKT662) entitled "Consumer Preferences towards Broadband Internet Services: A Study in Kota Bharu, Kelantan" to fulfill the requirement as needed by the Faculty of Business Management, Universiti Teknologi MARA.

Thank You.

Yours Faithfully,

MEOR HAZWAN BIN MAT HASSAN 2009660084

Bachelor of Business Administration (Hons) Marketing

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT



"With the name of Allah, the Most Merciful and Most Compassionate"

Alhamdullillah, I am most grateful that I have completed this project paper. With His Blessing, I received support and encouragement from many individuals and organizations to complete my thesis.

First of all, I would like to thanks to my first advisor, En Nor Aidil Bin Abdul Aziz, for his support and commitment on this project. His professional support and advice through our weekly routine discussions, his comments and suggestions help me to complete this research on time. I am grateful to En Nor Aidil Bin Abdul Aziz for giving me guidance and help in my academic years. My thanks and gratitude also goes to my second advisor, Tuan Hj Ismail Ishak for his helps and comments which have made it possible for me to complete this research.

I would like also to express my high appreciation to Telekom Malaysia Kota Bharu consumer sales department's director, En Lokman Bin Awang for encourage and help me to find the resources that I need to complete this research. I also would like to thank my supervisor, En Zuki bin Yaacob for his guidance during my practical training and also to other staff at Consumer Sales Department, Telekom Malaysia Kota Bharu Kelantan especially for cooperation, information and assisted me in the completion of my research.

My deepest love and appreciation is also dedicated to my family, who always give me support and sparkling inspiration to finish my studies. Last but not least, my special thanks go to all my friends for their constructive opinions and help in the preparation and completion of this project.

Thank You

TABLE OF CONTENTS

CONTENT		PAGE
DECLARATION OF WORK		i
LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL		ii
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT		iii
TABLE OF CONTENTS		iv-viii
ABSTRACT		ix
CHAPTER 1: INTRODUCTION		
1.0 INTRODUCTION		1
1.1 BACKGROUND OF STUDY		1-2
1.2 BACKGROUND OF ORGANIZATION		3
1.2.1	Telekom Malaysia (TM) Berhad	3-5
1.2.2	Maxis	5-6
1.2.3	Celcom	7-8
1.3 PROBLEM STATEMENT		9
1.4 RESEARCH OBJECTIVES		10-11
1.5 RESEARCH QUESTIONS		11-12
1.6 SIGNIFICANCE OF THE STUDY		12
1.6.1	SIGNIFICANT TO RESEARCHER	12
1.6.2	SIGNIFICANT TO THE BROADBAND INTERNET	
	SERVICE PROVIDERS (TM, MAXIS AND CELCOM)	
	IN KOTA BHARU	13
1.7 RESEARCH HYPOTHESIS		13
1.7.1	Hypothesis 1	13
1.7.2	Hypothesis 2	14
1.7.3	Hypothesis 3	14
1.7.4	Hypothesis 4	14
1.8 LIMITATION OF THE STUDY		15
1.8.1	Time Constraint	15
1.8.2	Lack of Skills and Experiences	15-16
1.8.3	Difficulty Obtaining Confidential Information	16

ABSTRACT

The aim of this study was to examine the consumer preferences impact on choosing broadband internet service by consumer in Kota Bharu. There are four (4) independent variables that been studied, which were price, service quality, brand image and promotion. This study also was conduct to examine the most factor from consumer preferences that consumer choose when they want to buy the broadband internet services. Moreover, questionnaires had been used in order to get feedback from consumers. Researcher had distributed 90 questionnaires to consumer around Kota Bharu. The sampling is convenient sampling. The method that been use are simple convenient sampling. The data collected was then tested on its frequency and reliability analysis, regression analysis and Pearson correlation analysis were used to test the hypothesis in this study. The finding on reliability was excellent and it considers that all dependent are acceptable. The findings of this paper suggest four factors are significant factors for explaining consumer preferences. Based from the results obtained in this study, researcher suggests some recommendations to make sure the broadband internet service providers can improve and increase their efforts to meet the requirements of consumer when they want to buy products.