A Study on implication of Service Quality Model on services offered by Kiran Motors Limited at Surat city.

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Abstract:

Services are integral part of the products, especially when the products are durable or semi durable in nature. Nowadays there are lots of models in Maruti Suzuki car manufacturing company and Kiran Motors Limited is the one and largest dealers of Maruti Suzuki’s cars whereas lots of models came up with lots of different design, development and parts. Service Quality is related to profitability, costs, customer satisfaction and retention. Any business entity or industry cannot survive in this highly competitive environment until it satisfies its customers by providing good quality service. Service quality is the difference between service expectation of the customer and the service received by the customer that is service perception. The aim of this study is to understand the implication of Service Quality Model on services offered by Kiran Motors Limited at Surat city. The main objective of the research study is to examine the overall service quality towards customers service at Kiran Motors Limited. The data is collected through a structured questionnaire from 110 people who are taking any category of vehicle services from the Kiran Motors Limited at Surat city. The questionnaire consists of multiple-choice questions, multi-response, and five-point Likert scale. The data in this research study has been analyzed through various statistical tools such as central tendency, Chi-square test to find out the association between demographic variables and examining overall service quality towards customers service. The collected data are analyzed using statistical software like SPSS and MS Office tools. The study suggested that Kiran Motors Limited services aren’t good in the aspect of empathy and reliability dimensions whereas their services good in dimension of tangibility, responsiveness and assurances.

Keywords: Service Quality Model, Customer Services, Tangibility, Assurances, Empathy, Responsiveness and Reliability.

1. Introduction

When characterizing the idea of service quality, one ought to consistently begin with clients, as quality is the main factor for clients and furthermore it is their premise of their assessment, which will at that point bring about the way that help quality is accomplished if the client
assumptions are accomplished. While doing the assistance item configuration measure, a huge component is the help quality, as it impacts the volume of interest for a given assistance item, just as client profile of this assistance item. The main situating apparatus of specialist organizations and their proposal on the contemporary help market is the assistance quality.

The subject of service quality has stimulated extensive late interest among finance managers and scholastics. Obviously, purchasers have consistently been worried about quality, however the expanding cutthroat market for some, administrations has driven shoppers to turn out to be more particular in the administrations they pick. Conceptualizing the quality for administrations is more intricate than for merchandise. On account of the shortfall of unmistakable appearances, estimating service quality can be troublesome yet there are conceivable examination draws near.

Thorough models of service quality and their impediments can be considered. Seeing exactly what measurements of value are of significance to clients isn't in every case simple in their assessment cycle. It isn't adequate for organizations to set quality guidelines as per misinformed suppositions of clients' assumptions. A further issue in characterizing service quality lies in the significance which clients regularly append to the quality if the specialist co-op is particular from its administration offers – the two can't be isolated as promptly as on account of products. At long last, issues identifying with the setting of value guidelines and execution of value the executives ought to be examined. Service quality Model estimates how well a help is conveyed contrasted with clients assumptions. Service quality Model portrays how to accomplish wanted quality in administrations. What's more, assuming we are meaning to imply Service Quality Model on autos administrations, the quality goes ahead the most earlier spot in the interest/need of the clients. Service quality Model is essentially worked through its own five measurements which are Substance, Dependability, Affirmation, Responsiveness and Sympathy. Though Substance alludes to actual offices, hardware and presence of staff. Effects are the actual highlights of the help gave like appearance of the structure, tidiness of the offices, and the presence of the faculty. Affirmation is characterized as the capacity of the support of rouse trust and trust in the help conveyance. It alludes to information and graciousness of the assistance company's representatives and their capacity to move trust and confidence in the clients toward the organization. Responsiveness is the association's ability to help client and offer brief support with speedy and in a prompt non time squandering way to the clients. Compassion is mindful and individualized consideration paid to clients and Unwavering quality is the company's capacity to perform or give the guaranteed administration precisely and reliability.

So in the wake of taking these every one of the five component of Service quality model. We will contemplate a ramifications of Service quality Model on administrations offered by Kiran Engines Restricted at Surat city. Kiran Engines Ltd. being the most established and probably the biggest vendor of Maruti Suzuki India Restricted has its essence in the territory of Gujarat since 1986 and has acquired the standing of being perhaps the most reliable businesses having a propelled labor force. The main part of Kiran Engines Restricted was begun by Mr. Kiran.
KiranMotors Restricted just arrangements with the result of Maruti Suzuki. It sells all vehicles just as gives administrations Maruti Suzuki. Though Maruti Suzuki India Restricted (MSIL), it's an auxiliary of Suzuki Engine Enterprise, Japan, is India's biggest traveler vehicle producer. The Organization is occupied with the matter of assembling and offer of traveler vehicles in India. The Organization, officially known as MarutiUdyog Restricted, was consolidated as a joint endeavor between the Public authority of India and Suzuki Engines Enterprise, Japan in February, 1981. As of now, Suzuki Engine Company claims value of 56.2%. The Organization shares are exchanged on the Public Stock Trade (NSE) and Bombay Stock Exchange(BSE).

2. Literature Review

NaushadAlam, HaninAbdulrhman AL-AMRI (2020) concentrated on assistance quality discernment and consumer loyalty in Islamic banks of Oman. The destinations of this examination paper were, client fulfillments level toward the nature of administration offered by the Islamic banks in Oman. This examination paper depended on essential information. Information assortment utilized in this examination paper were, 100 surveys dispersed to Islamic financial clients and it was taken in Oman. Test utilized for information investigation was connection examination and numerous relapse investigation. The significant finding of the investigation was demonstrated that the Islamic bank client is by and large fulfilled by the administrations offered by the Islamic bank.

W Muhammad Zainuddin Wan Abdullah, Muhammad Ridhwan Abdominal muscle. Aziz, and Wan NurRahiniAznicZainuddin (2019) concentrated on the linkages impact of service quality, consumer loyalty and client dedication of auto financing inside the Malaysia Islamic financial industry. The goals of this examination paper were, to research the linkage impact of service quality (effectiveness) on consumer loyalty and client devotion of Islamic auto financing in Malaysia. This exploration paper depended on essential information. Information assortments utilized in this examination paper were, 600 surveys disseminated to 750 stroll in clients chose banks and it was taken in Selangor, Malaysia. Test utilized for information investigation was exploratory factor examination and corroborative factor investigation. The significant finding of the examination was consumer loyalty and client dedication were decidedly influenced by nature of administration offered by Islamic banks.
finding of the investigation was uncovered that by adding three measurements access, monetary angles, and representative abilities to the SERVQUAL model, we can make a superior instrument for surveying consumer loyalty.

Pathirana, U.P.G.Y. (2019) concentrated on effect of SERVQUAL model measurements for consumer loyalty towards vehicle renting suppliers in Sri Lanka. The destinations of this examination paper were, to recognize the assistance quality measurements influencing for consumer loyalty towards vehicle renting suppliers in Sri Lanka. This exploration paper depended on essential and auxiliary information. Information assortment device utilized in this exploration paper were selfadministrated polls from 100 clients and it was taken in Sri Lanka. Test utilized for information examination was a connection and relapse investigation. The significant finding of the investigation was clients are tolerably fulfilled about the vehicle renting suppliers.

Emmanuel Baffour-Awuah (2018) concentrated on Information hole: an exploratory estimation of service quality in the engine vehicle support and fix industry. The destinations of this examination paper were, to discover the idea of information hole in the engine vehicle support and fix industry in the Cape Coast City in Ghana. This examination paper depended on essential information. Information assortment apparatus utilized in this exploration paper were 200 polls and it was taken in Cape Coast, Ghana. Test utilized for information examination was a poll procedure. The significant finding of the examination was shown that there were positive holes in term of effects, unwavering quality, affirmation, costing and correspondence inferring disappointment among clients.

3. Research Objectives

- To examine the overall service quality towards customers service at Kiran Motors Limited.
- To determine whether there is a relationship between service quality dimensions and demographics of customers.

4. Research Methodology

The problem statement for study is on A Study on implication of Service Quality Model on services offered by Kiran Motors Limited at Surat city. A descriptive research design has been adopted to conduct this survey where data has been collected via structured questionnaire specifically designed for the purpose of understanding the implication of Service Quality Model on services offered by Kiran Motors Limited at Surat city. The sample size was 110. The sampling method used was convenience sampling, a type of non-probability sampling. Frequency distribution, Measure of central tendency through mean and mode and Chi-square technique has been used to analyze data.
5. Data Analysis

➢ Measure of Central tendency

Mean and Mode values of responses have been derived to know the overall service quality towards customers services. The factors have been rated on a 5 point Likert scale ranging from 1-Strongly Disagree to 5-Strongly Agree.

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<td>110</td>
<td>0</td>
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<td>Quick solution to the problems of customers.</td>
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<td>Their behavior towards customers.</td>
<td>110</td>
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From the above table it can be interpreted that the value of mean of the factors no. 5, 1, 9, 2 and 4 are 2.91, 2.93, 2.98, 3.01 and 3.32 respectively whereas mode values for these factors is 3 which represents Neutral. The mean value of the factors no. 3, 10, 6 and 8 are 3.58, 3.75, 4.46 and 4.46 respectively whereas mode value for these factors is 4 which represents Moderately Agree. The value of mean for factor no. 7 is 4.51 respectively whereas the value of mode is 5 which represent Strongly Agree.

➢ Chi-square test

Data analysis has been performed using SPSS and has been represented in the form of tables for better understanding using MS Office tools. Statistical test namely Chi-square test has been used along with mean and mode as measure of central tendency. The Chi-square test has been used to determine the association between the demographics and service quality dimensions to determine whether there is a relationship is or not. The general statements of hypotheses are as follows:

$H_0$: There is no significant association between gender and service quality dimension

$H_1$: There is significant association between gender and service quality dimensions.
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<td>They are busy to respond customers.</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>Reasonable pricing.</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>Entry, Exit and Parking Area are convenient.</td>
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From the above table it is found that the Chi-square values (0.920) for the Services are provided according to the promises, (0.756) for they are busy to respond customers, (0.102) for reasonable pricing, (0.641) for entry, exit and parking area are convenient,(0.877) for delivery of the service at the time promised, (0.237) for usage of original products and spaces,(0.215) for accurate detection of the errors and problems, (0.237) for trustable services, (0.268)for quick solution to the problems of customers, (0.110) for their behavior towards customers, which are all more than the threshold value of 0.05. Thus, if for all the statements included, the **null hypothesis is accepted** so there is no association that exists between gender and service quality dimensions.

### 6. Conclusion

Service Quality Model describes how to achieve desired quality in services. SERVQUAL method to identify and solve problems related to quality of services. SERVQUAL is built on the expectancy-disconfirmation paradigm, which means, the Service quality is understood as the extent to which customers’ pre-consumption expectations of quality are confirmed or disconfirmed by their actual perceptions of the service experience. It is used for measuring potential service quality problems and to help diagnose possible causes of the problem in businesses. From the 5 Dimensions of the Service Quality Model, Our factor was “Service provided according to the promises, Busy to respond, Reasonable pricing, Entry-Exit and Parking Area, Delivery at the time, Usage of original products, accurate detection, Trustable services, Their behaviors towards customers, and Quick solutions. And these factors have been major impact on maintaining the service quality and customer satisfaction. From the research it is found that customers were satisfied with Tangible, Assurance and Responsiveness Dimensions. At the other side they are dissatisfied with Reliability and Empathy Dimension. And there is no relationship between service quality and demographics of customers. For the customer Kiran Motors Ltd. is having time convenient issue. But the service centre never compromises with any quality minorities. Which is the best thing and All the customers point they should continue with the service but if they solve their time issue and give more attention to the customers so that’ll be too good for them as well as for customers.

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