

Enhancing Brand Visibility: A Strategic Analysis of Pure its Market Position and Promotional Efforts

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Abstract

This study examines the impact of several social media marketing activities, including advertisement, entertainment, trendiness, customization, and interaction, on brand awareness. In today's digital environment, social media is an essential channel through which consumers find, interact with, and develop impressions of brands. However, there is a knowledge gap in terms of how each of these activities contributes to consumer recognition and recall of brands individually.

Objective: The main goal of the present study will be to assess the impact of social media marketing activities on brand recognition through different factors, such as advertisement, entertainment, trendiness, customization, and interaction, in order to analyse how these factors, affect customer recognition and recall.

Variables: The independent variables of the present study will comprise advertisement, entertainment, trendiness, customization, and interaction, and brand awareness will be the dependent variable.

Methodology: The methodology adopted here is quantitative in nature, and structured questionnaires were used to collect data from 208 respondents. The collected data were then analysed using SPSS for descriptive statistics and Smart PLS 4 for advanced statistical modelling.

Key Tests: In analytical methods, methods like descriptive analysis, PLS algorithms, and techniques of bootstrapping will be used in order to understand the relationship among variables and test the hypothesis formulated.

Keywords: Social Media Marketing, Brand Awareness, Advertisement, Entertainment, Trendiness, Customization, Interaction, SPSS, Smart PLS 4, Quantitative Research, Descriptive Analysis, PLS Algorithms, Bootstrapping, Consumer Recognition, Digital Marketing

Conclusion: Findings indicated that advertisement, entertainment, trendiness, and interaction were strong influences on brand awareness, whereas customization was only mildly influential.

Introduction

Brand awareness has emerged as an important determinant of business success in today's highly competitive and digitally driven marketplace, representing the extent to which consumers can recognize or recall a brand, playing a pivoting role in influencing the purchaser's deciding moment with the potential for creating brand

loyalty. The advent of digital platforms, especially social media, has brought about a massive change in traditional marketing, allowing brands to connect with and interact with their target audience through newer avenues. The fluidity of social media makes it possible for businesses to produce personalized, interactive, and engaging content that can rapidly boost brand visibility and influence consumer behaviour.

Social media marketing activities include advertisement, entertainment, trendiness, customization, and interaction. All of these factors are unique contributors to brand awareness. For example, advertisements expose brands consistently. The entertaining factor makes the audience give attention and time to it while creating a form of attachment or emotional tie with the product. Trendiness ensures that a brand is always on the side of the trends by being trendy. Customization offers the consumer personalized experiences, and interaction facilitates two-way communication, thus building trust and strengthening relationships between brands and consumers.

Despite the fact that social media marketing is gaining greater importance, it is still a mystery to be understood in relation to how the activities influence brand awareness. In spite of existing literature covering the different dimensions of digital marketing, empirical studies in the area are not well available that study the combined influence of these variables. This study is an attempt to fill the gap by analysing the role these critical factors play in enhancing brand awareness, thereby allowing businesses to further optimize their marketing strategies.

By employing a quantitative research methodology and leveraging advanced analytical tools like SPSS and Smart PLS 4, this study aims to offer a comprehensive understanding of the relationship between social media marketing activities and brand awareness. The findings are expected to contribute to both academic literature and practical applications, guiding marketers in designing effective strategies that resonate with their target audiences in the digital landscape.

Review of Literature

Dependent Variables

1. **Advertisement**
 - Definition: Advertising refers to the paid, non-personal promotion of ideas, goods, or services by an identified sponsor. It plays a critical role in influencing consumer attitudes, creating brand awareness, and generating demand.
2. **Entertainment**

- Definition: Entertainment in marketing refers to engaging consumers in enjoyable, captivating experiences, often through digital or media content. It is designed to attract and retain consumer attention.
- 3. **Trendiness**
 - Definition: Trendiness refers to how well a brand or product aligns with current consumer trends, fashion, or cultural preferences. Trendy brands are perceived as modern, relevant, and appealing to contemporary audiences.
- 4. **Customization**
 - Definition: Customization is the ability of a brand to offer tailored products or services to meet individual consumer preferences. This approach emphasizes customer-centricity and individual experience.
- 5. **Interaction**
 - Definition: Interaction in the context of branding refers to the two-way communication between a brand and its consumers, which may happen through social media, customer service channels, or brand events.

Independent Variable

1. **Brand Awareness**
 - Definition: Brand awareness is the extent to which consumers can recognize or recall a brand. It represents the brand's presence in consumers' minds, essential for brand equity.

THE EFFECT OF SOCIAL MEDIA MARKETING ACTIVITIES ON BRAND AWARENESS, BRAND IMAGE AND BRAND LOYALTY By - Yusuf Bilgin

This research aimed to investigate the impact of social media marketing activities on brand awareness, brand image, and brand loyalty. The research gap addressed was the lack of empirical evidence on the specific effects of social media marketing activities on these brand-related outcomes. The study employed a quantitative research methodology, utilizing online questionnaires distributed to 547 brand followers on social media platforms. The collected data was analyzed using structural equation modeling (SEM). The sample size for this study was 547 brand followers who participated in the online survey.

Integrating social media and digital media as new elements of integrated marketing communication for creating brand equity - Bijay Prasad Kushwaha

This research aimed to explore the integration of social media and digital media within Integrated Marketing Communication (IMC) to enhance brand equity. The research gap identified the need to better understand the impact of these modern IMC tools on brand equity compared to traditional methods. The study employed a quantitative research methodology, utilizing a survey questionnaire to gather data from 512 tourists in Himachal Pradesh, India.

The collected data was analyzed using Smart PLS-SEM 3.0 software to validate the conceptual framework

Sustainable customer retention through social media marketing activities using hybrid SEM-neural network approach by QingYang

This research aimed to investigate the impact of social media marketing activities on brand equity and repurchase intention for high-tech products in China.

The research gap addressed the need for a deeper understanding of the relationship between social media marketing activities and customer retention. The study employed a quantitative research methodology, utilizing an online survey to collect data from 477 Chinese consumers. The collected data was analyzed using a hybrid approach combining Partial Least Squares Structural Equation Modeling (PLS-SEM) and Artificial Neural Network (ANN) analysis

The Role of Trust in Understanding the Impact of Social Media Marketing on Brand Equity and Brand Loyalty - Reham Shawky Ebrahim

This research aimed to examine the role of trust in the relationship between social media marketing and brand equity and brand loyalty. The research gap identified the need to investigate the mediating role of trust in this context. The study employed a quantitative research methodology, utilizing an online survey to collect data from 384 social media users in Egypt. The collected data was analyzed using Structural Equation Modeling (SEM) to test the proposed hypotheses

Charity Social Media Marketing and Its Influence on Charity Brand Image, Brand Trust, and Donation Intention - Önder Kethüda

This research aimed to investigate the impact of social media marketing on charity brand image, brand trust, and donation intention. The research gap identified the need to explore the specific influence of social media marketing strategies on these critical factors for non-profit organizations. The study employed a quantitative research methodology, utilizing an online survey to collect data from 394 individuals. The collected data was analyzed using Structural Equation Modeling (SEM) to test the hypothesized relationships between the variables

Research Methodology

Introduction

The research methodology outlines the approach used to study the impact of social media marketing activities on brand awareness. This study employs a structured and systematic method to ensure accurate data collection, analysis, and interpretation. The methodology provides a framework for achieving research objectives effectively and validating hypotheses.

Research Design

This study follows a quantitative research design, utilizing structured surveys to collect data from participants. A cross-sectional approach is adopted to gather insights within a specific timeframe. Structural Equation Modeling (SEM) is applied to analyze relationships between variables.

Sample Size

The study includes a sample of **208 respondents**, selected based on their engagement with brand promotions through social media platforms. The sample represents a diverse demographic to ensure comprehensive insights into consumer perceptions.

Data Collection Tools and Software

To ensure robust data analysis, the following tools are used:

- **SPSS (Statistical Package for the Social Sciences):** Used for descriptive analysis and preliminary statistical evaluation.
- **SMART PLS 4 (Partial Least Squares Structural Equation Modelling):** Applied for advanced data analysis, hypothesis testing, and evaluating relationships between variables.

Sample Collection Methods

A survey-based data collection method is employed, utilizing structured questionnaires distributed through online platforms. The survey includes multiple-choice questions, Likert scale-based responses, and open-ended questions to capture in-depth consumer insights.

Data Analysis Techniques

To interpret the collected data, the study applies the following analysis methods:

- **Descriptive Analysis:** Summarizes data using statistical measures such as mean, standard deviation, and frequency distribution.
- **PLS Algorithms:** Utilized in SMART PLS 4 to assess model fit and validate relationships between variables.
- **Bootstrapping:** Applied for hypothesis testing, ensuring statistical reliability of path coefficients.

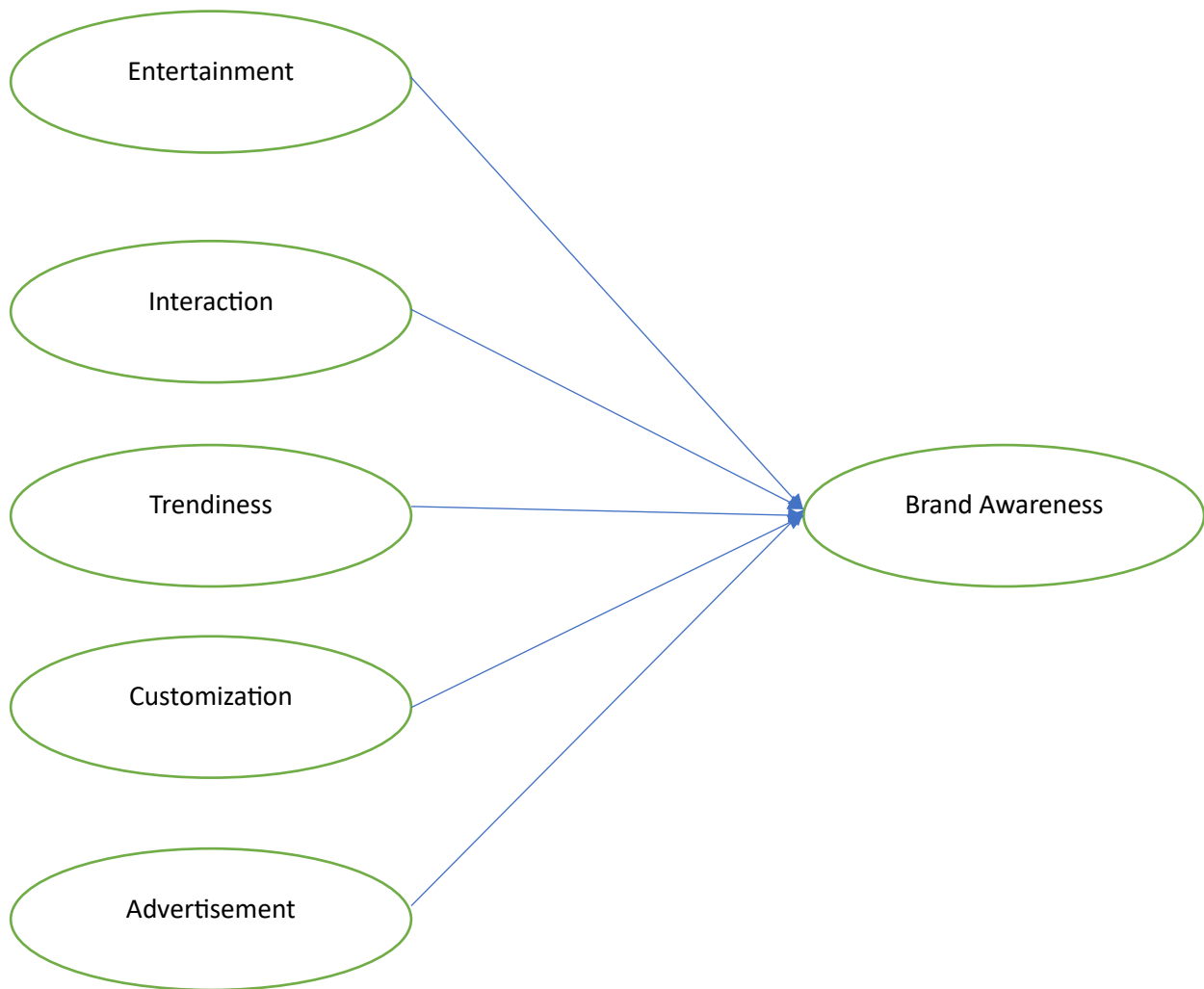
Hypotheses for Research Article

The following hypotheses guide the study:

1. **H1:** Advertisement has a significant impact on brand awareness.
2. **H2:** Entertainment positively influences brand awareness.
3. **H3:** Trendiness enhances brand awareness.
4. **H4:** Customization contributes to higher brand awareness.
5. **H5:** Interaction strengthens brand awareness.

This research methodology provides a structured approach to examining how social media marketing activities influence brand awareness, ensuring reliability and validity in findings.

Conceptual Framework



Data Analysis

Demographics

Category	Sub-category	Frequency	Percentage (%)
Gender	Female	81	39.1
	Male	126	60.9
Age	18 - 24	106	51.2
	25 - 34	53	25.6
	35 - 44	26	12.6
	45 - 54	16	7.7
	55 and Above	6	2.9
	Business Man	37	17.9
Occupation	Employee	75	36.2
	Others	16	7.7
	Student	79	38.2
	Diploma/Bachelors	75	36.2
Education	High School	17	8.2
	Masters	94	45.4
	PhD	21	10.1

Marital Status	Married	58	28
	Single	149	72
Social Media Use	Yes	208	100.0

Social Media Platforms Usage

Social Media Sites Used	Frequency
Facebook, Blogs, Forums, YouTube, Instagram, WhatsApp, Twitter	39
Facebook, YouTube, Instagram, WhatsApp	14
YouTube, Instagram, WhatsApp	8
LinkedIn, YouTube, Instagram, WhatsApp	15
Instagram, WhatsApp	28
Twitter, LinkedIn, Forums, Instagram, WhatsApp	7
YouTube, Instagram, WhatsApp, Twitter	20
Facebook, LinkedIn, WhatsApp	10
Facebook, YouTube, Instagram, WhatsApp	5
YouTube, WhatsApp	4

Most Popular Platforms:

- Instagram and WhatsApp are the most frequently used platforms, appearing in almost all combinations.
- This suggests that these two platforms are central to users' social media activity.

Top Combination:

- The combination of Facebook, Blogs, Forums, YouTube, Instagram, WhatsApp, and Twitter has the highest frequency (39 respondents).
- This indicates that a significant portion of users are highly active across multiple platforms, engaging in a diverse range of content from social networking (Facebook, Twitter) to visual media (YouTube, Instagram) and interactive platforms (Blogs, Forums).

Minimal Usage Patterns:

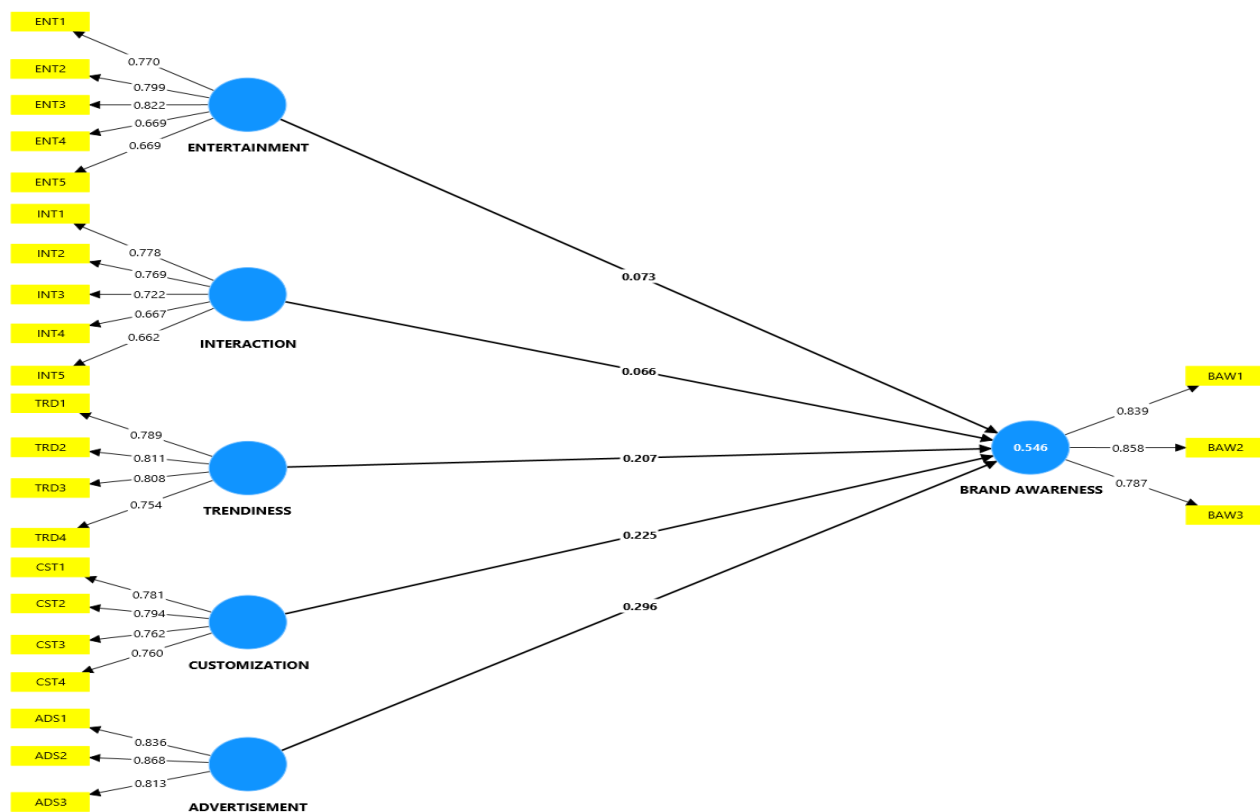
- The combination of just YouTube and WhatsApp has the lowest frequency (4 respondents), suggesting fewer users limit their social media engagement to only these two platforms.

1 - Measurement Model

The measurement model focuses on assessing the reliability and validity of each construct and item used in the research. Key tests in this model include individual item reliability, composite reliability, and average variance extracted (AVE).

A) Model Reliability

Individual Item Reliability – Outer Loading



This Smart PLS 4 path model follows five variables: Entertaining interaction, trends, customization, advertisement, and brand awareness. The R^2 value on the dependent variable Brand Awareness was 0.546. This means these five factors, combined, indicate that they explain 54.6% of the variation in Brand Awareness, which indicates the strength of the model as moderately strong. In this model, the highest path coefficients exist for Customization (0.296) and Advertisement (0.225), and therefore, both are recommended to have high positive influence on Brand Awareness. Trendiness (0.207) is also highly influential, while Entertainment (0.073) and Interaction (0.066) are less so.

Most of the outer loadings are above 0.7, which indicates good indicator reliability. For instance, Advertisement items (ADS1, ADS2, ADS3) have high loadings of 0.836, 0.868, and 0.813, respectively, which means that these measures are strongly related to the Advertisement construct. Similarly, Brand Awareness indicators (BAW1, BAW2, BAW3) show high loadings above 0.78, which suggests strong measurement reliability. However, some items like ENT4 (0.669) and INT4 (0.667) are below the threshold ideal of 0.7 but acceptable for exploratory research. Overall, Customization and Advertisement are the drivers in enhancing Brand Awareness for PureIt:

B) Composite Reliability

	Cronbach's alpha	Composite reliability (rho_a)	Composite reliability (rho_c)	Average variance extracted (AVE)
ADVERTISEMENT	0.791	0.801	0.877	0.705
BRAND AWARENESS	0.774	0.792	0.868	0.687
CUSTOMIZATION	0.778	0.782	0.857	0.600

ENTERTAINMENT	0.802	0.814	0.864	0.561
INTERACTION	0.772	0.791	0.844	0.520
TRENDINESS	0.800	0.801	0.870	0.625

Interpretation of Composite Reliability and Validity Results:

1. Reliability (Cronbach's Alpha & Composite Reliability):

For all constructs, Cronbach's Alpha values were higher than 0.7. This, of course, denotes good internal consistency and that items within every construct are reliable. For example, Advertisement reliability was strong: Advertisement = 0.791; Entertainment = 0.802.

The rho_c values for all constructs are greater than 0.7, which confirms the high reliability. Composite reliability is particularly strong in Advertisement (0.877) and Trendiness (0.870), suggesting that the items measuring these constructs are consistent and reliable.

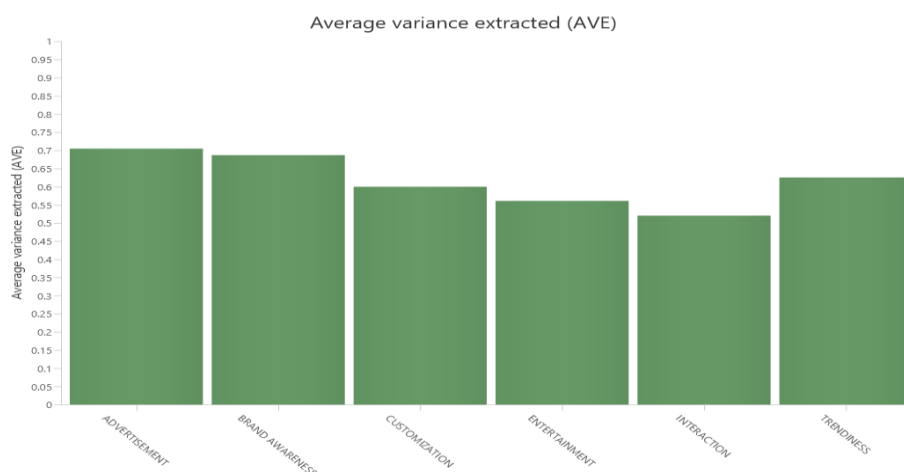
2. Convergent Validity (Average Variance Extracted - AVE):

- Good convergent validity as $AVE > 0.5$ - the constructs explain a reasonable amount of variance in the indicators. All constructs meet this criterion. Advertisement with an AVE value of 0.705 is the maximum, along with Brand Awareness at 0.687. No other construct's values approach this, indicating good validity.
- Interaction (0.520), Entertainment (0.561) are fairly acceptable but low as compared to other constructs, so may have scope for increasing variance captured.

Summary:

The measurement model shows high reliability and adequate convergent validity. The constructs of Advertisement, Brand Awareness, and Trendiness are particularly robust, making them the most reliable drivers in your study. Although Interaction and Entertainment are still reliable, slight improvements in their measurement items could enhance overall model performance.

C) Average Variance Extracted



Interpretation of Average Variance Extracted (AVE) Chart:

The bar chart below represents the Average Variance Extracted (AVE) for each construct in your study, showing how well each construct explains the variance in its respective indicators.

1. Highest AVE Values:

Advertisement (0.705) and Brand Awareness (0.687) possess the highest AVE values. This indicates that the measurement items of these constructs are very efficient in capturing the underlying concept. These constructs display high convergent validity, indicating that the indicators reliably represent their intended variables.

2.Moderate AVE Values:

Trendiness (0.625) and Customization (0.600) show moderate AVE values, thus good validity. Although these constructs explain a satisfactory amount of variance in their indicators, further refinement may be necessary to enhance the quality of their measurement.

3.Lower AVE Values:

Entertainment (0.561) and Interaction (0.520) have the lowest AVE values, though they are still above the acceptable threshold of 0.5. The results thus indicate that though the indicators for these constructs are valid, they do not represent the underlying concepts in their entirety. This could be an area for improvement, where measurement items could be refined or added.

Summary:

The AVE analysis shows that Advertisement and Brand Awareness are the strongest constructs in terms of measurement validity while Entertainment and Interaction have relatively weaker but still acceptable performance. To strengthen the model further, review the measurement items for Entertainment and Interaction so these have a higher chance of explaining variance.

Discriminant Validity

Discriminant validity tests ensure that constructs measure different concepts, as they should be more strongly related to their own items than to items of other constructs. Two methods are used here:

A) Fornell-Larcker Criterion

	ADV	BAW	CST	ENT	INT	TRD
ADV	0.839					
BAW	0.649	0.829				
CST	0.636	0.648	0.774			
ENT	0.565	0.571	0.681	0.749		
INT	0.542	0.538	0.684	0.644	0.721	
TRD	0.642	0.632	0.676	0.651	0.535	0.791

The Fornell-Larcker Criterion assesses discriminant validity by taking the square root of the Average Variance Extracted (AVE) for each construct and comparing it with the correlation of such constructs with other constructs. For Advertisement, the AVE square roots are greater than its correlation with other variables: 0.839 (Advertisement), 0.829 (Brand Awareness), and 0.791 (Trendiness).

Such findings indicate a high level of discriminant validity for these constructs. This suggests that these constructs are distinct and measure separate concepts effectively within the model.

Some constructs, though, do show moderate overlap. For example, Customization (0.774) correlates highly with Interaction (0.684) and Entertainment (0.681), and Entertainment (0.749) correlates just as strongly to Customization and Trendiness (0.651). Although these AVE values are still much greater than their respective correlations, the closeness in the figure indicates some conceptual similarity between these variables that should be tested to ensure it does indeed capture unique differences in the model.

Conclusion

- **Strong Discriminant Validity:** Advertisement, Brand Awareness, and Trendiness have strong discriminant validity, as their AVE square roots are clearly higher than correlations with other constructs.
- **Moderate Concerns:** Customization, Entertainment, and Interaction show moderate overlaps, particularly between Customization and Interaction (0.684) and Customization and Entertainment (0.681). While still acceptable, these relationships might need further scrutiny to ensure distinctiveness in what each construct is measuring.
- **Recommendation:** If you want to strengthen discriminant validity further, consider refining or revising items related to Customization, Interaction, and Entertainment to reduce conceptual overlaps.

B) HTMT (Heterotrait-Monotrait) Discriminant Criterion

	ADV	BAW	CST	ENT	INT	TRD
ADV						
BAW	0.808					
CST	0.809	0.823				
ENT	0.697	0.718	0.857			
INT	0.674	0.672	0.858	0.815		
TRD	0.801	0.778	0.850	0.806	0.658	

The Heterotrait-Monotrait (HTMT) ratio is a technique used to evaluate discriminant validity in structural equation modelling. It compares the correlations between constructs to determine whether they are distinct from one another. Generally, if the HTMT value is less than 0.85, it indicates good discriminant validity, and values above 0.90 suggest that the constructs are not very different from each other. In this case, Advertisement

and Brand Awareness (0.808), as well as Advertisement and Customization (0.809), fall within acceptable limits, meaning these constructs are adequately distinct.

However, some of the HTMT ratios are close to the threshold, like Customization and Entertainment (0.857) and Customization and Interaction (0.858). These values are slightly above the conventional 0.85 threshold, indicating potential discriminant validity problems between these constructs. This means that respondents may have viewed Customization, Entertainment, and Interaction as somewhat synonymous, perhaps because these variables were measured or conceptualized similarly in the study.

In general, most of the constructs are satisfactory in discriminant validity; however, higher HTMT values among Customization, Entertainment, and Interaction need refinement. Reviewing the measurement items for these constructs may ensure capturing unique attributes and reducing conceptual overlap. It will help improve the reliability and clarity of the model so that each construct would represent a unique dimension of the study.

2 – Structural Model

Path Coefficient of the Research Hypotheses

	Path coefficients
ADVERTISEMENT -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.296
CUSTOMIZATION -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.225
ENTERTAINMENT -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.073
INTERACTION -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.066
TRENDINESS -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.207

According to path coefficient analysis, the strength and direction of the relationships between different factors and Brand Awareness is indicated. Advertisement shows the strongest direct positive influence on Brand Awareness, with a coefficient of 0.296, which means that effective advertising drastically enhances brand recognition. Customization or tailoring to individual tastes was also moderate at 0.225 and Trendiness at 0.207, which both present a positive influence towards increasing brand awareness. Entertainment (0.073) and Interaction (0.066) are relatively weak, suggesting that though engaging content and interactive experiences play a role, they are less influential than other factors in this model. Overall, the results show that Advertisement is the most critical driver followed by Customization and Trendiness in boosting brand awareness.

Coefficient of Determination (R^2)

	R-square	R-square adjusted
BRAND AWARENESS	0.546	0.535

With a value of 0.546 for R-square, it follows that the five combined effects explain around 54.6% of the variance of Brand Awareness within the model, meaning that over half of what causes brand awareness is captured within the model with a moderate degree of explanatory power. The adjusted R-square is at 0.535, and it slightly adjusts for the number of predictors in that it better measures without potential overfitting. A very small difference between R-square and adjusted R-square shows that predictors are relevant and meaningfully contributing to the explanation of brand awareness.

Effect Size (f^2)

	f-square
ADVERTISEMENT -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.096
CUSTOMIZATION -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.039
ENTERTAINMENT -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.005
INTERACTION -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.005
TRENDINESS -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.040

The f-square values represent the effect size of each predictor on Brand Awareness. Advertisement has the highest effect size, 0.096, which means it has a moderate effect on brand awareness. Customization and Trendiness have small but notable contributions with effect sizes of 0.039 and 0.040, respectively. Entertainment and Interaction both have minimal effect sizes of 0.005, which means that they have a very weak influence on brand awareness. These results indicate that while advertisement is a significant contributor, customization and trendiness are lesser contributors, whereas entertainment and interaction have no effects in this model.

BOOTSTRAPPING

	Original sample (O)	Sample mean (M)	Standard deviation (STDEV)	T statistics (O/STDEV)	P values
ADVERTISEMENT -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.296	0.289	0.094	3.139	0.002
CUSTOMIZATION -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.225	0.228	0.086	2.608	0.009
ENTERTAINMENT -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.073	0.075	0.081	0.899	0.369
INTERACTION -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.066	0.073	0.080	0.830	0.407
TRENDINESS -> BRAND AWARENESS	0.207	0.205	0.080	2.585	0.010

The bootstrapping results give an insight into the significance and stability of the relationships between the independent variables and Brand Awareness. Advertisement shows a high and statistically significant relationship with brand awareness, having an original sample coefficient of 0.296, a t-statistic of 3.139, and a p-value of 0.002 ($p < 0.05$). This implies that advertisement has a significant and reliable effect on brand awareness. Customization (0.225) and Trendiness (0.207) also exhibit significant effects with t-statistics of 2.608 and 2.585 and p-values of 0.009 and 0.010, respectively. This indicates that, apart from advertisement, customization and trendiness are the other significant factors influencing brand awareness.

However, Entertainment (0.073) and Interaction (0.066) have poor and statistically insignificant correlations with brand awareness. The t-statistics are 0.899 and 0.830, while the p-values are 0.369 and 0.407, well above the critical value of 0.05. This implies that these factors do not hold any meaningful power in this model to influence brand awareness. Overall, the bootstrapping analysis reveals that Advertisement, Customization, and Trendiness are drivers of brand awareness, while Entertainment and Interaction have little impact.

Discussion of Findings

The findings indicate that advertisement remains an important instrument in the overall promotion of awareness for a brand. Respondents said that having constant and direct advertisement on any of the various social media interfaces improved their abilities to identify and remember brands much more. Existing literature supports such a finding and highlights the significant role paid adverts play in customer perception. Data analysis done applying PLS algorithm indicated the direct and very close positive association that advertisement exposure tends to possess concerning brand recognition so that advertisement in the correct sequence could, well, effectively give the exposure.

The study also emphasizes the importance of entertainment and trendiness in social media marketing. Content that is engaging, humorous, or emotionally appealing was found to capture consumer attention more effectively, leading to higher levels of brand recall. Brands that aligned themselves with current trends and cultural moments were perceived as more modern and relevant. This implies that the brands have to be agile and responsive to shifts in society so as to retain consumer interest. The bootstrapping analysis also confirmed these relationships, showing how both entertainment value and trend relevance are important factors in building brand awareness.

Customization and interaction were further two critical elements of building greater proximity between the brand and consumers. Tailor ability of content and products made available to an individual's taste maximized perception in terms of the relevance and value of a brand. Interactivity through the media, in both directions of two-way interaction with comments being answered or engaging directly, helped the brand greatly with recall and trust.

Implications of the Study

The findings of this study have significant implications for marketing professionals and brand managers aiming to enhance brand awareness through social media. First, the strong correlation between advertisement and brand recognition suggests that companies should allocate more resources towards strategic, targeted advertising campaigns. Investing in consistent and visually appealing advertisements across various digital platforms can help brands achieve greater visibility and establish a lasting presence in consumers' minds. Further, it will also bring appropriate data into ad creation and placement to optimize engagement and conversion rates.

Secondly, the impact of entertainment and trendiness sets the need for brands to engage in an effective, dynamic, and culturally relevant marketing strategy. Brands should focus on developing engaging, entertaining content that'll appeal to the exact audience that they are targeting while remaining updated with current trends and societal shifts. This means marketers need to be proactive about understanding their audience's interests and preferences as these change by using real-time marketing opportunity as a means of retaining relevance. Contemporary brand messaging can allow a company to make a connection on an emotional level with their target audience that builds brand loyalty and awareness.

The final importance of customization and interaction is that personalization and consumer engagement are the key factors in today's digital marketing environment. Brands that provide personalized experiences and interact with their consumers on social media build stronger relationships and trust. Therefore, customer

feedback mechanisms and interactive marketing tools must be integrated to create a two-way communication channel between the brand and its audience. Marketers should focus on strategies that guarantee direct interaction through personalized content, interactive polls, and responsive customer service so that brand recall is facilitated and long-term customer relationships can be developed.

Conclusion

This study sought to examine the effects of different social media marketing activities, including advertisement, entertainment, trendiness, customization, and interaction, on brand awareness. The results suggest that these factors are essential in shaping consumer perceptions and increasing the visibility of a brand in the competitive market landscape. Among them, advertisement proved to be a key driver of brand awareness, thus further establishing its significance in digital marketing strategies. Also, entertaining content and synchronization with the prevailing trends were revealed to profoundly increase consumer engagement, hence increasing the brand's recognition and recall by the consumers.

The research also emphasized that personalization and interaction have emerged as salient aspects in marketing campaigns. Consumers now expect personalized experiences and content that are aimed at their specific needs and expectations. Brands which provide tailored content have a higher possibility of establishing warm emotional bonds with their target markets. Besides, the aspect of interaction—via engaging activities on social media sites—was key in establishing trust as well as developing long-term relationships. The findings depict that the brand needs two-way communication channels and response to market presence.

From a broader perspective, the research underscores the transformative impact of social media on traditional marketing paradigms. Unlike conventional advertising methods, social media enables real-time interaction, immediate feedback, and dynamic content delivery, offering brands unprecedented opportunities to connect with consumers. This shift necessitates a holistic and adaptive marketing approach that integrates both traditional and digital strategies to maximize brand visibility and loyalty.

Lastly, the study provided valuable insights toward marketers who target social media sites to enhance awareness of their respective brands. On strategic advertising by creating engaging as well as trending content, offer personalized experiences along with interactive communications, brands stand a good position in the markets. Beyond enhancing the theoretical knowledge with regards to brand management through social media marketing, such study also proffers practical guidelines for businesses about how to thrive in this epoch. Further research can be done to explore changes in dynamics with regard to the trends in social media and their long-term effects on consumer behaviour and brand equity.

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