

# Design and Implementation of FS-I Method to Improve Effectiveness of Product Advertising using Social Media, Based on Quality Function Deployment and Fuzzy Servqual

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**Abstract.** The development of advertising, many companies use social media as an alternative online advertising. It is more interactive to promote their product. The purpose of study is to determine the comparison of strategies to improve the quality of advertising services on several social media. The results of the validity and reliability test showed that the items of questions for the questionnaire were all valid and reliable. The method used in this study is fuzzy servqual and quality function deployment. The fuzzy logic integration aims to calculate the total weight, average, and gap values of the subjectivity of the results of the servqual method. The proposed improvement in this research is based on data processing using the quality function deployment method. The main target of the proposed improvement by making the most popular company advertisements, providing up-to-date information, lots of promotions, the most interesting features, and many customer interests.

**Keywords.** quality function deployment, effectiveness, advertising, social media

## 1 Introduction

The rapid development of technology makes changes in all aspects of life, especially in changes in the way humans consume information. An alternative attempt to marketing a product or service using the Internet and be more interactive can use social media (SocMed). Currently, online media have sprung up on social networks such as Twitter, Line, Instagram and corporate websites that are used for marketing [1]. The platform that refers to the use of social networking sites on mobile devices advertising for a company's products and brands is referred to as mobile social media advertising [2]. Marketing strategies using SocMed increase sales widely with relatively low costs. The availabilities of data in SocMeds are used

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by marketers to open markets digitally. Identification customer perceptions using data in the SocMed for marketing purposes, has a risk. The perceived risk of customers and the benefits of using the SocMed have something to do with the relationship and convenience of customers with marketers who are publicly available social media [3]. Customers find it easier to find product information that will be purchased because they do not need to go to the sales location. In line with the growth of the Internet and various companies promoting their product through their websites, and then advertise it through the SocMed [4]. The SocMed is a tool to access information, especially customers and other users, to help the innovation process and company performance.

However, this research uses limited variety of social media data [5]. Customers find it easier to find product information that will be purchased through social media with notifications. Choi, in 2018 concluded that the insight of a new theory of the emergence of added value to the company's prestige that advertising on social media will increase effectiveness in different markets [6]. SocMeds that are often used public to market, and sell products needs an evaluation tool for the effectiveness of the use of SocMed in corporate advertising. From various SocMeds advertisements like Instagram, Line, Twitter has different segmentation.

This research proposes a method to evaluate SocMed as an advertising tool to promote of products. Based on the changes, the expected outcome is the effective value of each SocMed. The proposed method used Quality Function Deployment method and the Fuzzy Servqual approach. The proposed method namely FS-I method. The choice of fuzzy method because several strategic objectives of activities to assess the effectiveness of advertising on social media. The fuzzy calculation structure is integrated with measuring and improving services to build a system of advertising effectiveness on social media [7]. The fuzzy logic integration aims to calculate the total weight, average, and gap values of the subjectivity of the results of the Servqual method. The proposed improvement in this research is based on data processing using the quality function deployment method. It, shows technical responses of the main target in FS-I method by making the most popular company advertisements, providing up-to-date information, lots of promotions, the most interesting features, and many customer interests.

First section explain introduction and previous research, second section describes materials and method, third section describes implementation of the validity test and reliable test of respondent, four section describes result and discussion explain priority and target goal, and finally section conclude SocMed ranking based on the smallest negative gap value.

## **2 Materials and Methods**

### **2.1 Materials**

Using advertising and SocMed research can be described as the objectives, strategies, attractiveness, and tactics of corporate advertising on social media [8]. Targeting techniques is a successful way for advertisers to increase the effectiveness of advertisements, but also have weaknesses such as lack of innovation in developing a promotion [9]. The results of these studies indicate the company's customer response to get negative or positive information. Therefore, marketers can influence customer perception, and ultimately the value of the effectiveness of advertising on social media can be measured. This shows the importance of considering aspects of the media environment when developing advertising [10].

The questions were prepared using the service quality criteria proposed in Servqual. To paper were using to this paper quality dimensions:

- Tangible – The ability of a company's brand to display promotional media that are attractive.
- Reliability – expectations regarding display, timeliness of providing information.
- Responsiveness – provides information through rapid media or responsiveness.
- Assurance – provide attractive promotions to customers accurate and specifically.
- Empathy – knowledge provided through social media, to grow customer trust.

The gap assessment was tested on 40 questionnaire respondents. Source of research data is to identify customers [11]. And then, giving 15 questionnaire questions to one customer. Some question categories have counts 5 questions for advertising on Instagram, 5 questions for advertising on Line, and 5 questions for advertising on Twitter. Data is collected in the middle of May 2020 come to a restaurant location, and then ask customers who are at the restaurant to answer the questionnaire is available on google form, by inputting customer self-data, and answer some questions that are already available.

Validity and reliability tests were performed. Validity test is done to find a correlation between the customer vote on the questionnaire with the total score. If the T-table value is 1.68, while the T-calculated coefficient value more than 1.68, it can be concluded the statement item is valid.

$$T_{count} = \frac{r_{xy}\sqrt{n-2}}{\sqrt{(1-r_{xy}^2)}} \quad (1)$$

Reliability test used Cronbach's alpha. A variable can be said to be reliable if the value of Cronbach's alpha is greater than 0.6 value [12].

$$r = \left(\frac{k}{k-1}\right) \left(1 - \frac{\sum \sigma b^2}{\sigma t^2}\right) \quad (2)$$

Questionnaires were distributed by determining the criteria weights for questions based on the servqual dimension approach Table 1. The weight of the quality criteria is assessed using a three-digit Likert scale, can be indicated in Table 2.

**Table 1.** The Code Attribute

No	Dimension	Code Attribute	Information
1	<i>tangible</i>	a1	Questions tangible for Instagram
		a2	Questions tangible for Line
		a3	Questions tangible for Twitter
2	<i>reliability</i>	b1	Questions reliability for Instagram
		b2	Questions reliability for Line
		b3	Questions reliability for Twitter
3	<i>responsiveness</i>	c1	Questions responsiveness for Instagram
		c2	Questions responsiveness for Line
		c3	Questions responsiveness for Twitter
4	<i>Assurance</i>	d1	Questions assurance for Instagram
		d2	Questions assurance for Line
		d3	Questions assurance for Twitter
5	<i>Empathy</i>	e1	Questions empathy for Instagram
		e2	Questions empathy for Line
		e3	Questions empathy for Twitter

**Table 2.** The questions Attribute

Code Attribute	The Questions Attribute
a1	A serving advertising for products on Instagram is very interesting
b1	The most recent Instagram advertising platform
c1	Upload of product on Instagram are always up to date
d1	A very many discount promo deals on Instagram
e1	Information products on Instagram is interested in customers
a2	A serving advertising for products on Line is very interesting
b2	The most recent Line advertising platform
c2	Upload of product on Line are always up to date
d2	A very many discount promo deals on Line
e2	Information products on Line is interested in customers
a3	A serving advertising for products on Twitter is very interesting
b3	The most recent Twitter advertising platform
c3	Upload of product on Twitter are always up to date
d3	A very many discount promo deals on Twitter
e3	Information products on Twitter is interested in customers

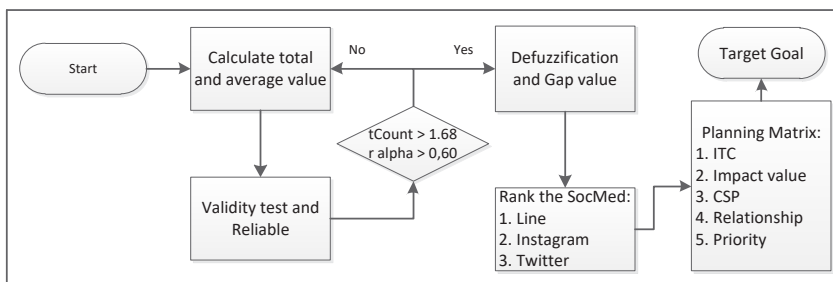
**Table 3.** Likert Scale

Number	Perception	value	Expectation	value
1	Good	3	High	3
2	Medium	2	Medium	2
3	Bad	1	Low	1

**2.2 Methods**

Fuzzy logic provides a means of presenting uncertainty and is an excellent tool for modelling. Fuzzy provides a simple way to draw definitive conclusions from ambiguous, or inaccurate information [13]. This research uses a combination of Fuzzy and Quality Function Deployment method to recommend the effectiveness of advertising from three SocMeds. Figure 1 shows the combination of the method.

**Combination of Fuzzy Logic and Quality Function Deployment**



**Figure 1.** Framework of the stage method

Step 1 : Calculate of the total value and average value of respondents.

The first step is to each value given by the respondent on the questionnaire in each attribute will be calculated totally and calculating the average. <sup>(3)</sup>

Step 2 : Defuzzification value is calculated which is the process of returning the value to a firm or real value.

$$\text{Defuzzification} = \frac{1}{6} (a + 4b + c) \tag{4}$$

After getting the defuzzification value for the level of perception and defuzzification for the level of expectation, the gap for each attribute can be calculated.

$$\text{Gap} = \text{perception} - \text{expectation} \tag{5}$$

Step 3 : Rank the SocMeds alternatives from calculate gap value.

Step 4 : Collection of planning matrix [14].

After data is determined about the attributes of complications, then prepared planning matrix containing about important information.

- Importance to costumer (ITC)  
 This column contains information about the level of importance of each customer's voting needs
- Impact value

symbol	Impact value	information
●	3	strong
○	2	less
△	1	weak
empty	0	nothing

- Customer satisfaction performer (CSP)  
 This column contains customer perceptions about the attractiveness of an advertisement promo on SocMed.

$$\text{CSP} = \frac{\sum \text{Attribute value}}{\sum \text{Number of Responden}} \tag{6}$$

- Relationship  
 The result of multiplying the impact value with the ITC of each customer. The calculation formula is as:  

$$\text{Relationship} = \text{impact value} \times \text{ITC} \tag{7}$$
- Priority, is the value that will be the highest and lowest priority scale

Step 5 : Target value stage.

The target or proposed improvement to be achieved from the calculated analysis results.

- Goal  
 Target value of satisfaction to be achieved for the product being developed. The specified goal value is able to improve the quality of advertising services or make the quality of advertising services better.

Target Goal Value:

goal	information
priority $\geq 4$	if it reaches the target, there will be an increase in effectiveness
$2 < \text{priority} < 4$	if it reaches the target, there will be an increase in effectiveness but not large

priority  $\leq 2$  if it reaches the target, there is no increase in effectiveness

### 3 Implementation

The implementation in the validity test, if  $t\text{-count} > t\text{-table}$  then the item is declared valid. Based on the value of the product moment with  $n = 40$  at the 5% significance level obtained  $t\text{-table} = 1.68$ . Table 4, 5 and 6 show the results of the validity test of the customer questionnaire on SocMeds.

**Table 4.** Validity test on Instagram

Validity test	INSTAGRAM				
	tTable 5% N = 40 ; tCount > tTable				
	a1	b1	c1	d1	e1
rxv	0,46	0,66	0,59	0,33	0,53
tCount	3,21	5,44	4,61	2,2	3,86
tTable	1,68	1,68	1,68	1,68	1,68
Valid/Not	valid	valid	valid	valid	valid

**Table 5.** Validity test on Line

Validity test	LINE				
	tTable 5% N = 40 ; tCount > tTable				
	a2	b2	c2	d2	e2
rxv	0,62	0,62	0,47	0,52	0,28
tCount	4,92	5,02	3,35	3,78	1,82
tTable	1,68	1,68	1,68	1,68	1,68
Valid/Not	valid	valid	valid	valid	valid

**Table 6.** Validity test on Twitter

Validity test	TWITTER				
	tTable 5% N = 40 ; tCount > tTable				
	a3	b3	c3	d3	e3
rxv	0,56	0,35	0,41	0,26	0,63
tCount	4,21	2,37	2,78	1,75	5,06
tTable	1,68	1,68	1,68	1,68	1,68
Valid/Not	valid	valid	valid	valid	valid

Information for valid and invalid is if the  $t\text{Count}$  is greater ( $>$ ) than the  $t\text{Table}$  can be said to be valid. And if the  $t\text{Count}$  is smaller ( $<$ ) than the  $t\text{Table}$  can be said to be invalid. The value limit for  $t\text{Table}$  is 1.68 because formula  $t\text{Table}$  in microsoft excel =TINV(2\*0.05);40).

The implementation a variable is said to be reliable if it gives a Cronbach alpha value > 0.6. can be seen the number of variances is 5.77436 and the total variance is 20.7462 and the results obtained are 0.77321, then the statement is said to be reliable in Table 7.

**Table 7.** Reliable to code attribute

Code Attribute	Rsp1	Rsp2	...n	Rsp40	Item Variance
a1	3	3	...	1	0,28
a2	3	2	...	1	0,30
a3	3	2	...	2	0,36
b1	3	3	...	3	0,20
b2	3	1	...	3	0,72
b3	3	2	...	2	0,30
c1	3	1	...	1	0,71
c2	3	1	...	2	0,40
c3	3	3	...	3	0,27
d1	3	3	...	3	0,21
d2	3	2	...	2	0,42
d3	3	3	...	2	0,23
e1	3	3	...	3	0,46
e2	2	2	...	2	0,35
e3	3	2	...	1	0,48
Number of Varians					5,77
Total Variance					20,74
r if alpha > 0,60					0,77

#### 4 Result and Discussion

The best ranking result on table 8 it can be seen that the smallest negative gap value is line. And the one with the largest negative gap value is Twitter. It can be said that customers prefer to see advertisement on line, and advertisement on Twitter are less interested in customers.

Table 8 show the results of discussions for the best social media selection by calculating the defuzzification value and the gap of each total respondent.

**Table 8.** Social media ranking from gap value

Social Media	Defuzzification		Ranking	Gap
	Perception	Expectation		
LINE	12	15	1	-3
INSTAGRAM	11,83	15	2	-3,16
TWITTER	11,67	15	3	-3,33

After accumulation of the best social media rankings, and then will be calculate the defuzzification and gap values in the question attribute in Table 9, the attributes (e1, e2, e3)

empathy have the highest negative gap value of -29,833. Through the negative gap value on the empathy attribute it can be seen that only some information through advertisements is of interest to the customer. Attribute (d1, d2, d3) assurance becomes the attribute that has the smallest negative gap value of -13.5 so it can be seen that many customers already know the discount information through advertisements.

**Table 9.** Attribute question ranking

Code attribute	Attribute	Defuzzification		Ranking	Gap
		Perception	Expectation		
(a1, a2, a3)	tangible	103,5	120	2	-16,5
(b1, b2, b3)	reliability	97,16	120	3	-22,83
(c1, c2, c3)	responsiveness	93	120	4	-27
(d1, d2, d3)	assurance	106,5	120	1	-13,5
(e1, e2, e3)	empathy	90,16	120	5	-29,83

After calculating the ranking of attribute will be done a solution, proposed solution to the improvement of the effectiveness of advertising on social media is to calculate, relationship, priority, and target goal:

- Condition 1 for Line : table that shows the impact value in the form of symbols

**Table 10.** Social media as Line

LINE	Expectation					ITC	CSP
	a2	b2	c2	d2	e2		
a2 ( <i>tangible</i> )	●					4	2,72
b2 ( <i>reliability</i> )		△				3	1,82
Perception c2 ( <i>responsiveness</i> )			△			2	2,27
d2 ( <i>assurance</i> )				○		5	2,67
e2 ( <i>empathy</i> )					●	1	2,8
<i>Relationship</i>	12	3	2	10	3		
<i>priority</i>	5	3	2	4	3		

- Condition 2 : Acceptable stability in decision making  
 The lowest ranking results on Line social media are attribute questions from the (c2) responsiveness that will be the result of proposed improvements on Line.
- Condition 1 for Instagram : table that shows the impact value in the form of symbols

**Table 11.** Social media as Instagram

INSTAGRAM	Expectation					ITC	CSP
	a1	b1	c1	d1	e1		
a1 ( <i>tangible</i> )	○					4	2,65
b1 ( <i>reliability</i> )		○				3	2,52
Perception c1 ( <i>responsiveness</i> )			○			2	2,3
d1 ( <i>assurance</i> )				●		5	2,72
e1 ( <i>empathy</i> )					△	1	2,12
<i>Relationship</i>	8	6	4	15	1		



<i>priority</i>	4	3	2	5	1
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- Condition 2 : Acceptable stability in decision making  
 The lowest ranking results on Instagram social media are attribute questions from the (e1) empathy that will be the result of proposed improvements on Instagram.
- Condition 1 for Twitter : table that shows the impact value in the form of symbols

**Table 12.** Social media as Twitter

TWITTER	Expectation					ITC	CSP
	a3	b3	c3	d3	e3		
a3 ( <i>tangible</i> )	Δ					4	2,2
b3 ( <i>reliability</i> )		●				3	2,65
Perception c3 ( <i>responsiveness</i> )			●			2	2,47
d3 ( <i>assurance</i> )				Δ		5	2,55
e3 ( <i>empathy</i> )					○	1	2,15
<i>Relationship</i>	4	9	6	5	2		
<i>priority</i>	2	5	4	3	1		

- Condition 2 : Acceptable stability in decision making  
 The lowest ranking results on Twitter social media are attribute questions from the (e3) empathy that will be the result of proposed improvements on Twitter.

## 5 Conclusions

The results of the analysis by the fuzzy servqual method show that the attributes are the main priority in influencing the effectiveness of advertising strategies on social media. To improve the quality function deployment method for the analysis the proposed method use specified targets of SocMeds.

Planning the effectiveness of advertising strategies on SocMed is implemented into advertising features that can attract the attention of customers, can make customers want to follow up on social media, must be always excellent at providing information every day, giving very attractive discounts, and making social media advertisements become posts that are always waiting for customers.

The results show that the Line SocMed application has the lowest negative gap value of -3. It can be concluded that the Line application is the most effective compared than the Instagram and Twitter. Negative gap value of the Instagram is -3.17 and then the Twitter is the higher than others with the gap value of -3.33.

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