

Title of the Module/Unit	Sustainability and Corporate Stewardship
Module/Unit Description In this section kindly provide a brief description of the module	This unit delves into the integration of sustainability principles into business strategies and the role of effective corporate governance in driving ethical and responsible business practices. It examines how organizations can align their strategic decision-making with environmental and social considerations, while also fostering transparency, accountability, and ethical behaviour at the corporate level. Through theoretical exploration, case studies, and practical exercises, students will gain insights into designing and implementing sustainable business strategies while upholding strong corporate governance standards.
Learning Outcomes Autonomy and Responsibility: Collaborate, comply, deal with, ensure, be responsible for, carry out tasks, guide, supervise, monitor, authorise, manage, create, produce, represent, advise, negotiate, sell, etc. Knowledge and Understanding: count, define, describe, draw, find, identify, label, list, match, name, quote, recall, recite, sequence, tell, write, etc. (Example of learning outcome structure: Action Verb + Object + Context <i>Identify basic different range of glassware and state their use.</i>)	Competences:
	<p>At the end of the module/unit the learner will have acquired the responsibility and autonomy to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Integrate sustainability principles into business strategies to drive ethical and responsible practices. b) Foster effective corporate governance to ensure transparency, accountability, and ethical behavior in organizations. c) Align strategic decision-making with environmental and social considerations for sustainable business practices. d) Analyze the ethical implications of business decisions and identify strategies to promote responsible corporate stewardship. e) Implement responsible practices that uphold sustainability principles and strong corporate governance standards.
	Knowledge:
	<p>At the end of the module/unit the learner will have been exposed to the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Define the integration of sustainability principles into business strategies, emphasizing its critical role in enhancing long-term corporate resilience and stakeholder value.

Applying Knowledge and Understanding:

apply, practice, demonstrate, show, plan, design, operate, assemble, use, construct, prepare, create, compose, arrange

(Example of learning outcome structure:

Action Verb + Object + Context

Apply principles of good practice to dispense, supply and administer medicinal products and other activities in a pharmacy.)

- b) Identify the key components of effective corporate governance and explore their significance in ensuring ethical conduct and strategic alignment within organizations.
- c) Describe the methodologies by which organizations can align their strategic decision-making processes with environmental and social considerations to promote sustainability.
- d) Discuss the various ethical theories and frameworks that support responsible business practices and corporate stewardship, detailing their application in real-world scenarios.
- e) Analyse the challenges and benefits of fostering transparency, accountability, and ethical behavior in corporate governance, highlighting the impacts on organizational integrity and public trust.

Skills:

At the end of the module/unit the learner will have acquired the following skills:

- a) Apply sustainability principles to design business strategies that prioritize ethical and responsible practices.
- b) Evaluate the effectiveness of corporate governance to ensure transparency and accountability.
- c) Demonstrate proficiency in aligning strategic decision-making with environmental and social considerations.
- d) Analyze business decisions to identify ethical implications and propose strategies for responsible corporate stewardship.
- e) Show the ability to implement responsible practices that uphold sustainability principles and corporate governance standards.

	<p>Module-Specific Learner Skills <i>(Over and above those mentioned in Section B)</i></p> <p>At the end of the module/unit the learner will be able to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Analyze case studies to assess the effectiveness of sustainability integration in business strategies. b) Engage in practical exercises to develop skills in promoting ethical behavior and accountability within organizations. c) Apply critical thinking skills to evaluate the ethical implications of business decisions and recommend responsible practices. <hr/> <p>Module-Specific Digital Skills and Competences <i>(Over and above those mentioned in Section B)</i></p> <p>At the end of the module/unit, the learner will be able to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Utilize digital resources to research and analyze best practices in sustainability integration and corporate governance. b) Engage in online discussions and collaborative platforms to explore diverse perspectives on responsible business practices. c) Apply digital tools to assess and report on the transparency and accountability of organizations' corporate governance practices.
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