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ABSTRACT

The researcher studied the positive influence of car attributes, emotional connection, accessibility, external Influence, brand-loving tendency, support environmental protection, drive for environmental responsibility, and vivacity towards purchase intention of automobile consumers at Thailand International Motor Expo 2015 in Bangkok. The 258 usable survey questionnaires were received from the attendants of Thailand International Motor Expo 2015 at IMPACT Muang Thong Thani Convention Centre between 5 December to 13 December in 2015. The data was analyzed using Multiple Regression Analysis found that vivacity ($\beta = 0.361$) and accessibility ($\beta = 0.141$) were positively affected purchase intention of the potential automobile consumers in the Expo at .05 level of significant, explaining 57% of the influence towards purchase intention of the consumers. However, car attribute, emotional connection, brand-loving tendency, supporting environmental protection, and drive for environmental responsibility were not found to be significantly affected purchase intention of working people in Bangkok.

Keywords: Purchase Intentions, Automobile, Vivacity, Accessibility

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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

This chapter presents background of the research, objectives of the research, scope of the research, problem statement, research questions, significance of the research, definition of terms, and limitation of research.

1.1 Background

Nowadays, selecting suitable transportation modes can help to manage time. There are many ways to travel around Bangkok. According to the traffic in Bangkok, BTS Skytrain and MRT subway maybe the most efficient way to reach the destination. Travel by road in Bangkok rush hour may not be a smart choice unless there are no other transportations. However, it is the other way to move from point A to B with more convenience.

Each person has a different reason to purchase a vehicle. Some people have to purchase due to their living area. Most of people in urban areas do not have many transportation choices. Some of them transport by buses, but some travel by driving their own cars. Then, families with children would take longer times to travel from their homes in urban areas into downtown areas of the cities. Next is a family with children. Parents would take their children to school even if the schools are located far away. So, families with children would take longer times to travel from their homes in urban areas into downtown areas of the cities. Moreover, Thai people often drive their own cars for their vacations or visits their ancestors in their hometowns. According to Thailand Board of Investment (BOI), the automobile industry has been the important key industry in Thailand, accounting for about 12% of the country's gross domestic product (GDP) (Thailand Board of Investment (BOI), 2015). In 2015, Thai automotive production capacity was at 2.85 million vehicles and the Industry employed more than 550,000 people in 2012 (Bangkokbiznews.com, 2015; Thailand Board of Investment (BOI), 2015). Then, the total number of vehicles under the motor vehicle act in Bangkok from 31 December 2014 to 2015 were increased from 8,476,590 units to 8,840,195 units, accounting for the increase of 4.29% (Transport statistic planning division, 2016). Registered vehicles can be divided into 4 major segments as in table 1.1

Type of Vehicle	vehicle amount (unit)		Change percentage
	31 Dec 2014	31 Dec 2015	2015/2014
		6	(increase,(decrease))
Sedan (Not more than 7	3,592,212	3,799,125	5.76
Pass.)	NDE		
Microbus & Passenger	217,717	214,394	(1.53)
Van			
Van & Pick Up	1,200,273	1,242,201	3.49
motorcycle	3,168,496	3,284,422	3.66

Table 1.1: Statistic of Number of Vehicle Registered in Thailand

Source: Department of Land Transport. (2016). Cumulative vehicle register number.

Retrieved from http://apps.dlt.go.th/statistics_web/vehicle.html

Thai government coordinated with the private sector have generated the vision development towards the Development of Thailand Automotive Industry in year 2021 together, determining Thailand to be a global green automotive production base with strong domestic supply chains which create high value added for the country (thaiauto.or.th, 2012). The new excise tax to reduce the carbon dioxide emission starting 1 January 2016 should be positive for the Thai automotive industry. In the past when the Thai government succeeded in formulating the tax policies push forward eco-car development projects. As a result, eco-car projects have been product champions for Thailand to attract foreign automobile producers to produce hybrid cars to decrease the use of energies and toxic emission, while increase product safety by automobile producers. With support of the Thai government, many regulations have been implemented to reduce the cost of domestic automobiles produced and sold in Thailand. The regulations included the development of eco-car phase one and two, the use of ethanol fuels, and the reduction of carbon dioxide emission policies. As the result, automobile industry in Thailand is growing year after years (Motorexpo.co.th, 2015).

Domestic sales volumes of top selling 7 brands in Thailand have been Toyota, Isuzu, Honda, Mitsubishi, Ford, Mazda, and Suzuki (Headlightmag.com, 2016). For example, Toyota Motor Company Limited forecasts for producing around 1.5 million cars in 2016 (Bangkokbiznews.com, 2015). The establishment of the ASEAN Economic Community (AEC) in 2015 has extended the regional economic integration, offering opportunities in the form of a huge market of US\$2.6 trillion and over 622 million people. In 2014, AEC was collectively the third largest economy in Asia and the seventh largest in the world (Asean.org, 2016). Then, Toyota has been interested to enter automobile markets of countries along the Mekong River, including Lao, Vietnam, Cambodia, and Myanmar. Nissan Motor Company Limited decided to invest more than 10,000 million baht building 2 factories in Thailand in order to be the center of producing and exporting to neighboring countries (Bangkokbiz news.com, 2015). Mazda Sales (Thailand) Company Limited pointed out 3 major trends, high-performance hybrid cars, the use of clean diesel technology, and electric cars (Bangkokbiznews.com, 2015).

As consumer perception change over time, it has an impact on purchase vehicles as well. With more variety of products, brands, and feedbacks from users, consumers have enough information to match the vehicles with their lifestyles. Table 1.2:Thailand Domestic Sales Volume: November 2015

Rank	Brand	Nov '15	Oct '15	%	Nov '14	% change	Jan '15 -
				change			Nov '15
1	Toyota	24,578	23,043	+6.6%	28,965	-15.1%	237,127
2	Isuzu	11,586	10,727	+8.0%	12,045	-3.8%	124,292
3	Honda	10,288	9,699	+6.0%	9,605	+7.1%	99,635
4	Mitsubishi	8,731	6,341	+37.6%	5,221	+67.2%	50,018
5	Nissan	4,899	4,259	+15.0%	4,762	+2.9%	44,851
6	Ford	4,500	3,457	+30.1%	2,905	+54.9%	33,838
7	Mazda	4,197	3,280	+27.9%	2,525	+66.2%	31,233
8	Suzuki	1,562	1,341	+16.4%	1,040	+50.2%	18,711
9	Chevrolet	1,399	1,713	-18.3%	2,003	-30.2%	15,152

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Table 1.2 (Continued): Thailand Domestic Sales Volume: November 2015

Total	76,426	67,910	+12.5%	73,608	+4.6%	654,857

Source: Headlightmag.com. (January 8,2016). Sale report divide by segment of

November 2015. Retrieved from http://www.headlightmag.com/salesreportnovember2015/

According to the change of vehicle taxes structure in 2016, panic of consumer and automobile campaign, unit sale of vehicle was increases in the last quarter of 2015(Formula magazine, 2015).

Table 1.3: Top 3 Vehicle Sale by Segment During January - December 2015

Vehicle Segment	Ranking	Sale amount	% Change	Market share
	1. Toyota	105,398	-30.6%	35.2%
Passenger car	2. Honda	77,959	-17.3%	26.1%
	3. Mazda	26,262	+66.7%	8.8%
	1. Toyota	120,112	-17.0%	36.6%
Pure Pick up	2. Isuzu	118,719	-7.2%	36.2%
	3. Mitsubishi	25,261	-23.7%	7.7%
Pick Up Vehicle	1. Toyota	31,005	-8.3%	38.1%
Passenger (PPV)	2. Mitsubishi	18,975	+12.0%	11.1%
	3. Isuzu	12,524	-10.7%	33.1%
Commercial	1. Toyota	160,607	-8.4%	32.1%
vehicle	2. Isuzu	144,295	-10.0%	28.8%
	3. Mitsubishi	44,236	+12.0%	8.8%

Source: Thairath. (January 25 ,2016). *Total car sales in December 2015*. Retrieved from http://www.thairath.co.th/content/566539 2016

Moreover, Thailand International Motor Expo 2015 was the 32nd of the motor expo organized in Thailand with the concept of "new standard automobile care for earth." The expo was claimed to include 39,125 cars booked, 5,749 motorcycles booked, 1.5 million visitors, and more than 50,000 billion money circulations (Motorexpo.co.th, 2016).

Narteh, Odoom, Braimah, and Buame (2012) conducted research on 1,020 vehicle owners in Ghana about key drivers of automobile brand choices and found that consumers are looking for style, design, comfort, and safety vehicle. Moreover, Kumar and Ghodeswar (2015) studied purchase intention of green products and found that Indian consumers opened to green products and would willing to purchase them. Meanwhile, they prefer products from green company than polluted one. Furthermore, Toldos-Tomero and Orozco-Gómez (2015) discovered that vivacity was the most powerful predictor on purchase intention. Teenagers were more concerned about brand vivacity than professional looks.

1.2 SWOT Analysis

Table 1.4: Toyota, Ford, Honda SWOT Analysis

	Toyota	Ford	Honda
Strength	1. Use worldwide	1. Using high	1. Brand Image
	quality control call	experience personnel	2. Petrol engine
	"Toyota Evaluation	from abroad.	technology.
	Quality Audit" to	2. High capital	3. Efficient
	verify product quality	3. Using high	performance.
	every year.	technology in product.	
	2. Variety range of	4. The organization	
	vehicle segment.	has an effective	
	3. Brand image.	management system	\prec
	4. Using technology	with a clear vision,	
	to save energy and	mission and goals.	
	reduce less pollution.	IFD 197	/
	5. Efficient vehicle	IED I	
	design.		
Weakness	1. Thailand has no	1. Disadvantage on	1. Interior material
	manufacturing	marker compare to	usage.
	technology and	Japanese brand.	2. No pick up vehicle
	design process.	2. Different team in	segment sold in
			Thailand.

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	Toyota	Ford	Honda
	2. Thailand gives less	management can	
	priority to research	cause delay in	
	and development	strategic planning.	
	compare to other	3. Less manufacturing	
	manufacturing	power cause queuing	
	country.	on purchase order.	
	O	4. Less showroom and	
	\geq	service center.	
<		5. Second hand selling	
2		price falling.	\prec
Opportunity	1. The rise of oil	1. Thai people become	1. Increase in demand
	prices make people	more interested in	of small vehicle.
	conscious of saving	vehicle with great	
	oil.	price with innovation.	
Threat	1. Increasing in parts	1. Increasing in parts	1. Increasing in parts
	and material prices	and material prices	and material prices
	2. Economic in	2. Economic in	2. Economic in
	Thailand and global	Thailand and global	Thailand and global
	are unpredictable.	are unpredictable.	are unpredictable.

Table 1.4 (Continued): Toyota, Ford, and Honda SWOT Analysis

Source: -YuadYan Newspaper.(2005). Knowledge. Retrieved from

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Ford Thailand (2011) .*Publications news*. Retrieved from http://www.ford.co.th/about/newsroom

1.3 Statement of Problem

Since the consumers change their behaviors, change of government regulations on automobile taxes, automotive technology advancements, and more variety of vehicles with wider price ranges. As the results, every car manufacturer compete with each other to provide the best option for consumers. However, each consumer has different intention to purchase vehicles, which is worth researching.

1.4 Objective of Research

The objective of this research was to study positive influence of factors affecting purchase intention of visitors at Thailand International Motor Expo 2015 in Bangkok. These positive factors were car attributes, emotional connection, accessibility, external Influence, brand-loving tendency, support environmental protection, drive for environmental responsibility and vivacity towards purchase intention of the visitors at Thailand International Motor Expo 2015 in Bangkok.

1.5 Scope of Research

1.5.1 Study on the following independent factors that positively affect purchase intention.

1.5.1.1 Car Attributes

1.5.1.2 Emotional Connection

1.5.1.3 Accessibility

1.5.1.4 External Influence

1.5.1.5 Brand-Loving Tendency

1.5.1.6 Supporting Environmental Protection

1.5.1.7 Drive for Environmental Responsibility

1.5.1.8 Vivacity

1.5.2 The data collected by using survey questionnaires from the workingpeople who attend the Thailand International Motor Expo 2015 at Impact Challenger,Bangkok, during 5 December 2015 to 13 December 2015 with the sample size of 258.

1.6 Research Question

1.6.1 Do car attributes, emotional connection, accessibility, external influence, brand-loving tendency, supporting environmental protection, drive for environmental responsibility, and vivacity have relationships with consumer purchase intention? 1.6.2 Do car attributes, emotional connection, accessibility, external influence, brand-loving tendency, supporting environmental protection, drive for environmental responsibility, and vivacity affect consumer purchase intention?

1.7 Significant of Research

1.7.1 The results of this research can be used in automobile marketing plan to launch the promotion or advertisement that related to the research factors.

1.7.2 To provide the information on factors affecting consumer purchase intention.

1.7.3 This research will expand the information on how car attributes, emotional connection, accessibility, external influence, brand-loving tendency, supporting environmental protection, drive for environmental responsibility, and vivacity affecting consumer purchase intention. This will benefit researchers in the future.

1.8 Limitations of Research

First, the data collection had been done in only one event which was at "Thailand International Motor Expo 2015 at IMPACT Muang Thong Thani Convention Centre between 5 to 13 December in 2015," then the results may not be able to generalized to all Motor Expos in the past or the future or in other areas. Moreover, this research was the preliminary one. Therefore, only independent and dependent variables were considered, mediating or mediator variables may not be taken into the account.

1.9 Definition of terms

1.9.1 ASEAN Economic Community (AEC) is the realization of the region's end goal of economic integration. It envisions ASEAN as a single market and production base, a highly competitive region, with equitable economic development, and fully integrated into the global economy.

1.9.2 Thailand board of investment (BOI) is an agency of the Government of Thailand to promote investment in Thailand. It provides investment information and services for investors, as well as many incentives.

1.9.3 Country-of-origin (COO) refer to the country that a manufacturer's product or brand is associated with.

1.9.4 Car Attribute refers to product quality encompasses the features and characteristics of a product or service that bears on its ability to satisfy stated or implied needs, can be defined as "fitness for use" or "conformance to requirement".

1.9.5 Emotional Connection refers to the intimate bond created from feelings and experiences between a consumer and a brand or a product.

1.9.6 Accessibility refers to comfortability of the brand, product, or service that is easy to find, purchase, and use. Including varieties of payment methods, flexibility of operation hours, and product availability.

1.9.7 External Influence refers to any external factors that affect consumer purchase intention such as COO. COO was based on stereotypical images associated with certain countries, which has impact on consumer perceptions and choice of brands.

1.9.8 Brand-Loving Tendency refers to relationship between consumer and object, product or brand.

1.9.9 Supporting Environmental Protection refers to consumer perception on environmental impact during manufacturing process and finished products.

1.9.10 Drive for Environmental Responsibility refers to consumer perception on environmental responsibility of the company. For example, factory that powered by green energy and used wasted treatment system during manufacturing process.

1.9.11Vivacity refers to youth, spirit, cool and cheerfulness that brand reflected.

1.9.12 Behavioral Intention refers to a plan that a person will perform some behavior in specific situations. The theory of planned behavior (TPB) stated that an individual behavioral intention was influenced by attitudes, subjective norms, and perceived behavior control.

CHAPTER 2

LITERATURE REVIEW

This chapter will present related literature, related theories, theoretical framework, and previous studies of factors positively affecting consumer vehicle purchase intention of automobile consumers at Thailand International Motor Expo 2015 respectively as follow:

- 2.1 Concept theories of Car Attribute
- 2.2 Concept theories of Emotional Connection
- 2.3 Concept theories of Accessibility
- 2.4 Concept theories of External Influence
- 2.5 Concept theories of Brand-Loving Tendency
- 2.6 Concept theories of Supporting Environmental Protection
- 2.7 Concept theories of Drive for Environmental Responsibility
- 2.8 Concept theories of Vivacity
- 2.9 Concept theories of Behavioral Intention
- 2.10 Related document and previous research
- 2.11 Hypothesis
- 2.12 Variable used in research
- 2.13 Theoretical Framework

2.1 Concept theories of Car Attribute

Consumers have many perceptions toward brand and quality. Recently product quality becomes an important issue between competitors. Product quality bears responsibility to satisfy consumer needs, usage, and reflects the brand standard. On the other hand, its uniqueness represent the brand. Product quality can be defined as "fitness for use" or "conformance to requirement" from the consumer's expected standards of the brand (Russell & Taylor, 2006).

Product design is another related attributes. Since consumers pay more attention toward design and style of the product (Kuksov, 2004). Product design is a process of making new innovative products to be sold to consumers. Design include styling, selecting materials, and processing (Robert, 2014). This made it an extremely powerful and unique tool in the modern marketing environment. In order to influence consumers, some marketers use design as opportunities and focus on designing a car instead of advertising. As the result, most of the cases show that style and designs have more influence on consumers perception toward car brand than advertising (Hofmeyr & Rice, 2000). Some car brands use only style and design as tools to communicate to consumers without the help of advertising and support (Rundh, 2005). When consumers know and familiar with the uniqueness design or components of the brand, for example, consumer recognized Porsche and Jeep by their exterior design, BMW by the front grill, and Roll-Royce by their iconic symbolic, known as the spirit of ecstasy, standing on the front of the bonnet. Consumer will acknowledged the brand without a doubt. Not only that, vehicle brands can reflect owner personality. Forbes magazine found that, Honda owners are usually pragmatic, well educated, and

technology guys. For Roll-Royce, every owners have passion for life (Greenburg, 2009).

2.2 Concept theories of Emotional Connection

Emotional connection refers to the intimate bond created from feelings and experiences between a consumer and a brand or a product (Narteh et al., 2012). Nowadays, branding is an important issue toward consumers perception. It also creates an emotional connection to consumers as well. It is not easy to crate this link between consumers and brands, but once they bound by emotional connection, it is harder for consumers to separate and finding another brand (Chaffey & Miller, 2012). The concept of emotional brand is consumers emotionally attach to their passionate brand. This bond is similar to the bond consumers crated among their close friend or family (Aggarwal, 2004). Consumers' perceived "emotional value" refers to their affective reactions to a brand. Feelings toward brands are usually reported in elicitation sessions such as "this brand make me feel confident" and usually express their feeling toward brands in mild, intense, negative, or positive (Keller, 2001). Morris et al. (2002) also found that emotional response to a brand is a strong predictor toward purchase intention. Nowadays, every companies used emotional branding to creates controls on consumer's emotions and makes them better receptors to brands (Gobe, 2001).

Lots of consumers have high emotional connection with their car. Some owners become emotionally attached towards vehicle brand based on ethical value considerations. Not only that, some owner gave their car gender, male or female, while owners with ages of 18 to 24 love to name their cars (Charlwood, 2014). This makes car brand more focus on creating emotional atmosphere through their brands or their car models instead of brand trustworthy (Rindfleisch, Burroughs, & Wong, 2009). With emotionally connected, car will be more than a type of transportation. Consumers will enjoy their moment while they travelling and have good experience with it.

2.3 Concept theories of Accessibility

Accessibility is another factor that consumers give priority to. Accessibility can change consumers decision on purchasing one product to another. Accessibility brand is a brand that consumers can easy to access. Consumers feel more comfortable with a brand or service that is easy to find, purchase, and use. Including varieties of payment methods, process simplicity, flexibility of operation hours, waiting times, and product availability (VanAuken, 2015). Brand accessibility can be expanded by using distribution. Switching brand is another serious issue. The studied of Emmelheinz et al. (1991) found that 32 percents of consumers switched brand due to out-of-stock. Raising price above the competitors in the same segment of substitution goods can also lead consumers to switching brands as well. Convenience of a brand had a significant impact on consumers' brand choices as well as distribution channels (Lin & Chang, 2003). In consumers decision making process, pre-purchase states, consumers only considering only three to five favorite brands in their mind for a certain product categories based on their accessibility and convenience (Schiffman & Kanuk, 2009). For the car company, having showroom and service center give more accessibility for consumers to stop by or service the car. Stocking is another issue related to accessibility. In the other word, car brand must be available where

consumers shopped or within a reasonable distance for it to be considered within the choice set (Schiffman & Kanuk, 2009). Since the number of older people is raising, 14.5% of U.S. population in 2014 which predicted to be 24.7% in 2040 (Administration for Community Living, 2015). Easy access to the vehicle become another issue. This included getting in and out of the vehicle, comfortable of the vehicles, and luggage space. For a large family market, especially in Thailand, that have to travel with elders (UNPFA Asia, 2016). Luggage space for wheelchair, seat position, and easiness of enter and exit vehicle become important issues.

2.4 Concept theories of External Influence

Now, consumers choose to be part of a group that they feel comfortable with. There are many types of group with various types of social power. Beside family, which has most influence power, 5 social power can be categorized. First is referent. This group compose of people who share the same lifestyle. Second is legitimate, created to achieve something with order and direction. Third is expert, this group share or give an information on expert expertise field. Forth is reward, this group provide reward to member who exceed the condition, Last one is coercive, penalty for misbehave members usually use in military (Friesner, 2014).

Consumers tend to find more information before purchasing products or services in order to get the most suitable one by searching through consumers experience, feedback, promotion, and etc (Friesner, 2014).

Nowadays, COO of the manufacturing becomes more important than the actual country of manufacture. COO refers to the country that a manufacturer's product or brand is associated with. As the result, car manufactures are looking for

consumers behaviors and find that birth place and manufacture location have relationship between brand personality of vehicle and consumers purchase intention (Wang & Yang, 2008). In the other word, Country-of-origin (COO) was known to affect consumers perceptions and choice of brands. COO was based on stereotypical images associated with certain countries and scholars argued that the construct could moderate the positive relationship between brand personality and purchase intention. A favorable COO increased the positive impact, while the opposite usually occurred when COO was negative. Then, brand selection could be influenced by external factors, including the consumer's status, role, family and other reference groups (Narteh, Odoom, Braimah, & Buame, 2012). However, a different type of product or service may have different effects (Wu & Lo, 2009).

2.5 Concept theories of Brand-Loving Tendency

Love combine many bonds of feeling together. Relationship between consumers and objects, products or brands, are as same as interpersonal love. Liking mean feeling toward the brand. Yearning mean strong emotion toward the brand. Decision mean personal perception of liking and yearning toward brand for short periods. Commitment mean long term repeat purchase perception toward the brand (Shimp & Madden, 1988).

Kind of relation	Liking	Yearning	Decision/
			Commitment
Nonliking	-	-	-
Liking	+	-	-
Infatuation	-	+	-
Functionalism	KU	VA	+
Inhibited desire	+	+	-
Utilitarianism	+	-	+
Succumbed desire	-	+	+
Loyalty	+	+	+

Table 2.1: Eight kinds of consumer-object relations (Shimp & Madden, 1988).

Note: cell entries represent the presence (+) or absence (-) of each conceptdefining component

Source: Shrimp and Madden (1988). Consumer-Object Relations: a Conceptual Framework Based Analogously on Sternberg's Triangular Theory of Love. Retrieved from http://acrwebsite.org/volumes/6810/volumes/v15/NA-15

The table show that inhibited desire has positive on liking and yearning but not decision and commitment. Consumers may like and yearn the brand but according to several external influences, such as income, has impact on purchasing behavior.

Feeling toward brand can come from brand experience as well. Product and service can express sensory through their design, packaging, and more. Brand experience will be more effective over a period of time and can lead to emotional connection toward brand (J. Joško Brakus, Bernd H. Schmitt, & Zarantonello, 2009). Satisfaction is another emotion toward brand. First impression toward product are far more important than post-consumption experience. Negative impression on first sight is vital to the brand.

After brand love conceptualization by Shrimp and Madden (1988), it become a topic of interest for every brand. Then Sternberg (1986) adapted the theory and newly categorize into three dimensions, composed of passion, intimacy, and commitment. The brand love relationship is deep and enduring, sometime it is irreplaceable. Consumers suffer when deprived of the brand for a period of time. Brand love also leads to negative or positive perceptions of the brand.

Consumers choose products and brands not only for their utilitarian values but also for their symbolic benefits. Consumers use brands to present themselves to others or achieve their identity goals (Escalas & Bettman, 2003). Brands also have the ability to reflect owner's identity. There are two sources of link between consumers and brands. First is "brand identification" which refers to brand's image, values, and personality. Second is "consumer identification" which refers to the focal consumer's identification with typical consumers of the brand (Escalas & Bettman, 2003; Fournier, 1998).

Another issue that affect brand love is brand trust. In a consumer-brand relationship, trust reflect reliability, honesty and selflessness that consumers attribute to brands (Hess, 1995).

2.6 Concept theories of Supporting Environmental Protection.

Every human share the same home called earth. Every life on earth depend on each other. Food chain and ecosystem are an example of system created by earth. Global warming confirmed that these two systems has been ruined by human for a long time (ODonnell, 2014). As global environment changing quickly, many environmental protection organizations such as NRDC (Natural Resource Defense Council) working together with government to legislate regulations and laws on environmental protection. As the result, protecting environment become an important issue for every company. For example Siemens using environmental management system to surpass the laws and regulation consist of EHS (Environmental Protection, Health Management and Safety) management system, "Serve the Environment" program to efficient energy and resource, "Product Eco Excellence", a modular design program, to innovative product (Siemen AGs, 2014).

As time passed, consumers have more concern about environmental issue. So product and service that proofed to be part of environmental protection grows among others and become one of the consumers choice (Gadenne, Sharma, Kerr, & Smith, 2011). Furthermore, environmental protection materials, design, and usage become more popular and more available. The consumers searched for products which were not harmful to the animals and nature, their ingredients were recyclable and produced lesser environmental pollution during their usage. Thus, they recognized the role of green products in improving the quality of environment and they exhibited support for environmental protection by purchasing and owning green products (Escalas & Bettman, 2005). For the automobile industry, regulation of carbon emission standard is increasing in a past few year. According to the EU regulation, since 2009, newly build passenger cars and light van are using Euro 5 standard and become Euro 6 in 2014. As the result, car brand develops new technology to reduce carbon emission. The result is green car, a vehicle that is more environmental friendly and consume less fuel than normal vehicle. Hybrid cars, electric cars, hydrogen cars, and solar cars are the example (PetrolPrices, 2014). Even the price is higher than a normal car. Green car show consumers the ability to support environmental protection with suitable for their lifestyle (Pickett-Baker & Ozaki, 2008).

2.7 Concept theories of Drive for Environmental Responsibility.

Since environmental problem issue becomes more serious. Many people demand companies to have more responsibility toward environmental including their research and development to manufacturing process (Gadenne et al., 2011). Due to the image of the company, modern company give more importance on environmental responsibility. Staring from using green energy to power factory, material of the factory, and wasted from the manufacturing process to product design and development (Apple, 2015). Same as car companies. Many car companies continue to designing and developing a better green vehicle. Lower consumption combustion engine to hybrid engine and become fully electric. As a reward green company and product getting more attention to consumers. Before consumers making purchase decision, green consumers focus on ingredients as well as energy usage during manufacturing process (Laroche, Bergeron, & Barbaro-Forleo, 2001). But not every consumers, environmental responsibility related to the perspective of consumers on environmental protection. Each consumer has different level of responsibility toward environment. Some consumers believe environmental protection lies with them (Gadenne et al., 2011). Some have emotionally attached to environmental protection (Lee, 2009).

With consumers concern about environmental problem that occur. Consumers perception as well as purchase decision change and having more responsibility on environment by purchase more green products (Kilbourne & Pickett, 2008). So, drive for environmental responsibility was related to consumers' personal commitment towards environmental protection issues and their individual-level activities intended to improve the quality of the environment (Gadenne et al., 2011).

2.8 Concept theories of Vivacity

Vivacity or hipness was a component of the brand personality and had been explained as included youth, spirit, cool and cheerfulness (Toldos-Romero & Orozco-Gómez, 2015). According to Aaker's methodology of brand personality, 42 traits can be divine to 5 main personality dimensions consist of Sincerity, Excitement, Competence, Sophistication and Ruggedness. Later on, Aaker's methodology has been use and developing all over the world with different in use of the methodology, dimension found, and outcome. For example, the study in Mexico with 7 factors: Success, Hipness/Vivacity, Sophistication, Sincerity, Domesticity/Emotionality, Ruggedness, and Professionalism use to analyze brand personality between male and female (Romero & Paz, 2012). The result show that women rated brand toward Success and Hipness/Vivacity, while men rated brand using Domesticity/ Emotionality, Ruggedness and Professionalism. Consumers express attitudes toward a brand using level of favor. Image and attitude toward brand create brand equity (Berger & Mitchell, 1989). Higher level of brand equity creates more attention, which lead to purchase and repurchase intention (Chang & Liu, 2009).

Nowadays, brand personality becomes an important matter for company since consumers purchase decision base on brand image than product (Dick, Chakravarti, & Biehal, 1990). In purchasing process, consumers will search for the preference of brand though memory. Positive brand image or personal experience has critical impact on purchasing decision and repurchase product or brand (Aaker, 1992). However, influence of brand personality dimension base on product type. Product attributes has more influence to consumers on a familiar product while brand personality is more effective on consumers toward unfamiliar product (Hoon, Ho, & Wook, 2003).

2.9 Concept theories of Behavioral Intention.

Behavioral intention is a plan that a person will perform some behavior in specific situations and usually measured by Likert scale. The question on intention to perform made by respondents show that behavioral intention has predicted to have highly relation toward behavior (Ajzen, 1991). There are 2 well known model of behavioral intention, theory of reasoned action (TRA) and theory of planned behavior (TPB).

Theory of reasoned action (TRA) was established by Martin Fishbein in 1960s, but was well known in 1970s after getting help from Icek Ajzen to expand the theory. TRA focus on individual intention to perform actions. In order to understand behavioral intention, TRA combine attitude, internal influence, and external influence that might affect people intention toward behavior (Lezin, 2007). For example, someone intends to climb the wall. TRA uses attitude and norm to predict the cat action. Attitude come from belief in outcome of behavior and evaluation of outcome. As the result from TRA, attitude on intention have impact on behavioral outcome. Positive attitude will lead to desirable outcomes while negative attitude lead to undesirable outcomes (Ajzen & Fishbein, 1975). The model of the theory is

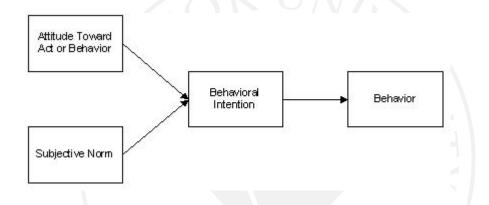


Figure 2.1: Theory of reasoned action

Source: Fishbein, M., & Ajzen, I. (1975). Belief, attitude, intention, and behavior: An introduction to theory and research. Reading, Mass: Addison-Wesley.

Theory of planned behavior (TPB) is an extension TRA. According to the limitation in certain circumstance, actual behavior change along with the limitation. In order to improve predicting power, Ajzen added new component called perceive behavioral control (Ajzen, 1991). Perceive behavioral control is a part of self-efficacy theory (SET). SET show that repeated expectation effect behavioral reaction, success and failure lead to different behavioral reaction. SET divides expectation into selfefficiency and outcome expectancy. Self-efficiency refers to the first step of facing behavior, the main reason for changing behavior. On the other hand, outcome expectancy shows person belief that behavior will lead to the exact result (Bandura, 1977). The models of the theory is

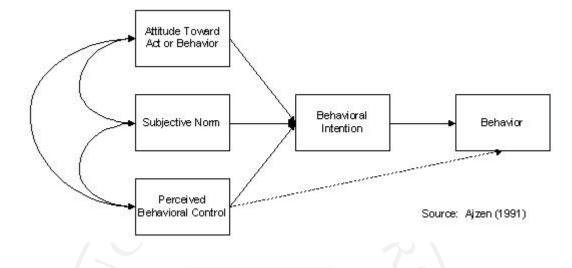


Figure 2.2: Theory of planned behavior

Source: Ajzen, I. (1991). The theory of planned behavior. *Organizational behavior* and human decision processes, 50, 179-211.

Purchase intention is a bond between consumers behavior and purchased product or service. Good experience and satisfaction that consumers sense from products or services will lead to purchase intention. Moreover, consumers may continue to use the same product or service, repurchase, and recommended product or service to others (Papagiannidis, See-To, & Bourlakis, 2014). Intention has ability to form a solid choice of action in the future base on past experience (Magistris & Gracia, 2008). Purchase intention can determine the probability of purchasing products by consumers, more purchase intention mean more enthusiasm to purchase.

Consumers behavior can be influenced by cultural, social, personal, and psychological. These following factors are external influence that affect consumers

behavior on purchasing product (Armstrong, Kotler, Harker, & Brennan, 2009). Another influence is consumers personal characteristic such as gender, age, income, lifestyle, and more (Kotler & Armstrong, 2010).

Consumers buying decision can be divided into 4 types. The first type is complex buying behavior. Consumers in the first type are very concern on purchase and clearly understand the different between brands. Usually take effect on high risk and expensive product. Second is dissonance-reducing buying behavior, second type consumers has bad experience or unsatisfied after purchasing the product but still believe in their decision. Third is habitual buying behavior, this type of behavior occurring in daily use product. So consumers takes a few involvements on purchasing. Last type called variety seeking buying behavior; consumers have no brand loyalty and usually switching brands (Kotler & Armstrong, 2010).

From the theory of Kotler (1993), consumers buying decision process has 5 steps. But in reality, this process can be shorten depends on the complexity of buying decision like daily use product or product that consumers used before.

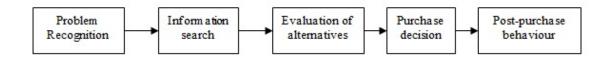


Figure 2.3: Consumer buying decision process.

5 steps in consumer buying decision process start from problem recognition. Problem recognition occurs when consumers needed product and aware of the problem. Consumers feel the different between the burden of the real needs and desires. The demand may be triggered by internal or external stimuli. Second is information search. As the effect of stimuli, consumers will find more information about the product to satisfy the need. The information comes from internal search, based on psychology, and external search. External search includes personal source, commercial source, public source, and experimental source.

Third is evaluation of alternative. Once gather enough information, consumers will process on branding advantage and value of the brand. Next step is pulling out the alternative criteria of belief and attitude that buried in consumers' minds. Each consumer has different alternative criteria. Some consider on interested specific features or benefits to purchase the product. Then compare product and choose the best one. However, different person has different perspective and measurement.

Fourth is purchase decision. End of the buying process. The variables that have influence in this stage are motivation, attitude, culture, product feedback and situation.

The last step is post-purchase behavior. Post-purchase behaviors include consumers satisfaction toward products or services. Positive and negative satisfaction affect consumers belief and attitude on repurchase the product, word of mouth, and brand changing.

2.10 Related document and previous research

Naeteh, Odoom, Braimah, & Buame (2012) study on automobile brand choice in Ghana through a survey of 1,020 respondents. The factors are brand awareness, brand image, accessibility, emotional connection, price, automobile attributes, and external influence. The results show that automobile attributes, emotional connection, external influences, brand awareness, and accessibility show significant effect on automobile brand choice in Ghana. Consumers are more familiar with famous or wellknown brand as well as unique vehicle attributes which have significant impact on purchase decisions. Positive emotional attachment on car brand as well as positive brand country origin and manufactory origin are another factor that impact purchase decision and can lead to repurchase product depend on consumers reference. Consumers purchase decision lies on convenient as well. More factors that increase accessibility make consumers more convince to purchase the product. Last positive factor mention in this study is automobile attribute. Style and design of the vehicle reflect market segmentation and positioning, which has more influence on consumers than advertising.

Kumar & Ghodeswar (2015) study the factors that affect consumers purchase decisions on green product in Asian market. The study method is snowball sampling on 38-item questionnaires from 403 respondents in Mumbai, India. The result shows that Indian consumers are concerned about existing environmental problem and willing to cooperate by purchasing and using green products. Indian consumers searching information on green product and experience them. Indian consumers also prefers to purchase product from companies that supporting environmental protection and denied to purchase product from companies that polluted the environment. Supporting environmental protection and drive for environmental responsibility factors require consumers experience and emotional involvement on green products. In the other words, consumers have an environmental friendly lifestyle. Woo, Ahn, Lee, & Koo (2015) study to explore the influence of media channels on purchase decision. Nowadays, consumers receive product information from many different sources depend on their personal interest and product categories. Non-durable goods, durable goods, and services are used against 10 media channels. Base on lifestyle, the result show that broadcast TV and word of mouth are most effective channel on consumers purchase decision while newspapers and magazine are least effective. Base on ages, newspaper ads and word of mouth works well for older consumers while teenager consumers more information from internet ads. Based on gender, effective media channel for male consumers are a newspaper while female consumers are magazine. Based on education level, newspaper and internet ads have most impact on educated consumers. For brand-loving consumers. Broadcast TV and magazines are the most effective way. As the result, consumers prefers information on word of mouth and broadcast TV before purchase a car.

Toldos-Romero & Orozco-Gómez (2015) study the influence of brand personality on purchase intention. The participants in this study are 400 undergraduate students. Factors in this study are vivacity, success, sincerity, sophistication, emotionality and professionalism. The result of the research found that vivacity, success, sincerity, and sophistication powerful predictor on purchase intention but not emotionality and professionalism. Among all powerful predictors, vivacity is the best predictor follow by success. In the other word, teenagers looking for vivacity of the brand not the professional of the brand. However, consumers purchase intention is based on product type and category. Shiau & Chau (2015) study on behavioral intention to use a cloud computing classroom. Reasearchers tested 6 theories: service quality, self-efficacy, the motivational model, the technology acceptance model, theory of planned behavior, and innovation diffusion theory using online questionnaires with 478 samples. As the result, 6 theoretical models show strong capability toward behavioral intention on using cloud computing classroom. The result also shows the reference on managing, planning, and implementing system on cloud computing classroom.

Moslehpour, Aulia, & Masarie (2015) study on perception and purchase intention of consumers toward bakery products. Since there are many Indonesian in Taiwan, it is an opportunity for Taiwanese bakery owner to develop new strategy for Indonesian consumers. So, the sample group of this study is Indonesian consumers. Independent factors in this study are product characteristics, perceived price, and perceived servicescape. While perceived quality and purchase intentions are dependent factors. The result of this study found that product characteristic is the most important matters of Indonesian consumers follow by perceived price. In contrast, no influence on perceived servicescape toward perceived quality and purchase intention.

Pungchoo, Kanthawongs, & Chitcharoen (2014) study on the effect of label product, communications of organic distinctiveness, global socioeconomic conditions, resource availability of organicity, assessment of statements about organic farming, healthy and environmentally friendly, and buying motivation on purchase intention of organic product at shop A using survey method. Hypotheses testing analyzed by Multiple Regression Analysis. The result shows that most of the participants were female, ages between 21-30, bachelor's degree, company employees, and income range of 10,001-20,000 baht. After analysis at 0.05 levels of significance by Multiple Regression, Buying Motivation has beta equal to 0.258, Assessment of Statement about Organic Farming has beta equal to 0.242, Communications of Organic Distinctiveness has beta equal to 0.211, and Healthy and Environmentally Friendly has beta equal to 0.158 have effect on purchase intention of the organic product shop "A" in Pathumthani Province. Hence, organic product shop should consider the following factors and use in future marketing strategy.

Siraiyara, Kanthawongs, & Chitcharoen (2014) research on influence of celebrities' Instagram references, customer review, cost and time savings, convenience, risk, product variety, and consumers resources and skills on purchase intention of facial skin care products through Instagram application of females in Bangkok. The data in this research were collected by using survey method with 300 sample size. Hypotheses testing analyzed by Multiple Regression Analysis. The result shows that most of the participants were aged between 26-35, bachelor's degree, single, student, income range of 10,001-20,000 baht, using Instragram more than 15 times a month, using Instragram 1-5 hours a week, and never bought product through Instragram before. After analysis at 0.01 levels of significance by Multiple Regression, only celebrities' Instagram references, customer review, and cost and time savings have significance effect on purchase intention of facial skin care products through Instagram. The result from this research will benefit facial skin care products sellers on Instragram.

Saengrattanachaiyakul, Kanthawongs, & Kanthawongs (2014) studied on the influence of convenience, social conscience, behavioral loyalty, product-based satisfaction, transaction-based satisfaction, and unconstrained eating toward purchase

intention of consumers in Bangkok. The data in this research were collected by using survey method with 300 sample size. Hypotheses testing analyzed by Multiple Regression Analysis. The result shows that most of the participants were female, ages between 25-35, bachelor's degree, business owner, income below 30,000 baht, single, live in a detached house, consume fast food 1 time a week, favorite fast food menu were fried chicken, and consume fast food at the store. After analysis at 0.01 level of significance by Multiple Regression, only product-base satisfaction, convenience, and behavioral loyalty have significance effect on purchase intention of fast food in Bangkok. The result from this research will benefit fast food brand and store.

2.11 Hypothesis

From related literature, related theories, theories framework, and previous studies can be hypothesized as follows.

2.11.1 There is positive relationship between Car Attribute and Behavioral Intention.

2.11.2 There is positive relationship between Emotional Connection and Behavioral Intention.

2.11.3 There is positive relationship between Accessibility and Behavioral Intention.

2.11.4 There is positive relationship between External Influence and Behavioral Intention.

2.11.5 There is positive relationship between Brand-Loving Tendency and Behavioral Intention.

2.11.6 There is positive relationship between Supporting Environmental Protection and Behavioral Intention.

2.11.7 There is positive relationship between Drive for Environmental Protection and Behavioral Intention.

2.11.8 There is positive relationship between Vivacity and Behavioral Intention.

2.11.9 Car Attribute, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Supporting Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Protection has positively influence on Behavioral Intention of working people in Bangkok.

2.12 Variable used in research.

2.12.1 Independent Variable categorized into

2.12.1.1 Car Attribute.

2.12.1.2 Emotional Connection.

2.12.1.3 Accessibility.

2.12.1.4 External Influence.

2.12.1.5 Brand-Loving Tendency.

2.12.1.6 Supporting Environmental Protection.

2.12.1.7 Drive for Environmental Protection.

2.12.1.8 Vivacity.

2.12.2 Dependent Variable is Behavioral Intention.

2.13 Theoretical Framework.

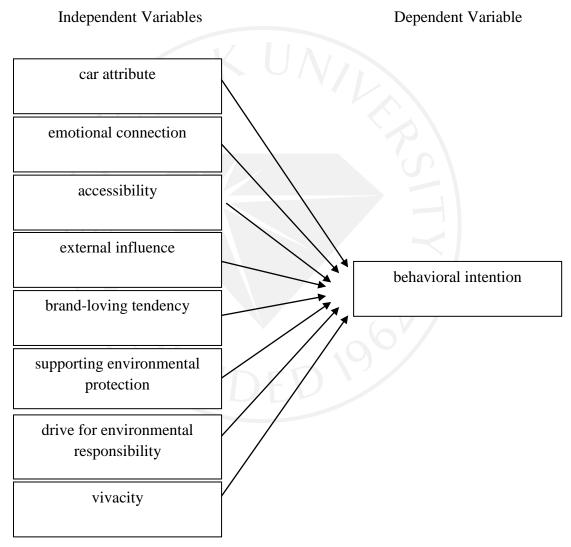


Figure 2.4: Theoretical framework for purchase intention

CHAPTER 3

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

To study factors positively affecting purchase intention of automobile consumers at Thailand International Motor Expo 2015 in Bangkok. The researcher conducts research on the following order.

3.1 Research Design

- 3.2 Population and Sample Selection
- 3.3 Research Instrument
- 3.4 Testing Research Instrument
- 3.5 Data Collection
- 3.6 Preparation and Data Analysis
- 3.7 Statistic Method

3.1 Research Design

This research objective is to explore the factor positively affecting automobile consumer purchase intention in Thailand International Motor Expo 2015. The methodology of this research is based on quantitative approaches. This research use survey method and collect data by questionnaire.

3.2 Population and Sample Selection

3.2.1 Population in Research

Population in this research are working people who attend to 32nd Bangkok International Motor Expo 2015 at Impact Challenge. Total number of visitors during the exhibition are 1.5 million (Redlinelap, 2015).

3.2.2 Sample Size in Research

The sample size for this study was based on a Cohen (1977) formula to determine the sample size from 40 questionnaires done by working people that attend to 32nd Bangkok International Motor Expo 2015. According to the formula, Cohen (1977), using in G*power and an approval from several researchers (Erdfelder, Faul, & Buchner, 1996; Wiratchai, 2012). G*power version 3.1.9.2 is using to calculate 40 sets of Pilot Test with the Power (1– β) of 0.80, Alpha (α) of 0.20, Number of Test Predictor of 8, Effect Size of 0.03702 (Calculated by Partial R² of 0.0357). The result shows that the minimum of the total sample size is 258 (Cohen, 1977). Thus, 300 sets of questionnaire have been collected.

3.2.3 Sample Selection in Research

The sample of this research is selected by using one of the non-probability sampling methods called Convenience Sampling; participants are working people who attend to 32nd Bangkok Motor Expo 2015 and willing to cooperate with researcher by doing questionnaire.

3.3 Research Instrument

The researcher conduct research instrument in the following order

1.1 Research from books, documents, articles, and Journals that relate to the customer purchase intention, customer purchase decision, customer satisfaction, and environmental responsibility, together with guidance and assistance from an advisor.

1.2 Creating a questionnaire from theory in related researches, which are car attributes, emotional connection, accessibility, external influence, brand-loving tendency, supporting environmental protection, drive for environmental responsibility, vivacity, and behavioral intention, with the approval of an advisor.

1.3 After complete questionnaire form, passing content validity of the questionnaire by approval from the advisor, Dr. Penjira Kanthawongs, and 2 automotive experts, Mr. Nontapant Chongthong, Toyota Mahanakorn Manager, and Mr. Aekkarak Khongkay, Siam Nissan Bangkok Human Resource Manager.

1.4 Using comment and guidance from the advisor and 2 experts to remake the questionnaire. After that, launch 40 pilot test questionnaires and analyze the reliability of each variable in each factor using Cronbach's Alpha Coefficient. Value of Cronbach's Alpha is between $0 \le \alpha \le 1$, higher value mean higher reliability and closely related of section.

1.5 Conduct Construct Validity by using Factor Analysis on 40 pilot test to ensure that the grouping of questions for each factor is also consistent with the theory that study.

This research using questionnaire, which created from a related literature review, for collected data. The questionnaire can be divide into 4 parts:

Part 1: 6 Close-ended Response Question about participant demographic and general information consist of Gender, Age, Status, Education, Salary, and Occupation.

Part 2: 5 Close-ended Response Question about buying behavioral consist of How many cars you owned?, What types of car are you interested to purchase?, How long do you intend to purchase a car?, Who has an influence on purchase a car?, and Main reason to purchase a car?

Part 3: 39 Close-ended Response Question about "Factor Positively Affecting Automobile Consumer Purchase Intention of Working People in Bangkok " consist of

Car Attributes	4	Questions
Emotional Connection	4	Questions
Accessibility	4	Questions
External Influence	4	Questions
Brand-Loving Tendency	4	Questions
Support Environmental Protection	6	Questions
Drive for Environmental Responsibility	5	Questions
Vivacity	4	Questions
Behavioral Intention	4	Questions

This part is measured in interval scale by using a five-level Likert Scale to measure the level of agreement.

Strongly Agree	5	points
Agree	4	points
Neutral	3	points
Disagree	2	points
Strongly Disagree	1	points

To get the result, using Class Interval formula to find the value of the class width.

 $Class Interval = \frac{Highest Value - Lowest Value}{number of classes you want to have}$

= <u>5-1</u>

5

= 0.8

In the segment that use Interval Scale, researcher uses average measurement as

At 4.21-5.00 mean participants' acceptance level on Car Attributes, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Support Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, Vivacity, and Behavioral Intention are at the highest level.

At 3.41-4.20 mean participants' acceptance level on Car Attributes, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Support Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, Vivacity, and Behavioral Intention are at high level.

At 2.61-3.40 mean participants' acceptance level on Car Attributes, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Support Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, Vivacity, and Behavioral Intention are at normal level.

At 1.81-2.60 mean participants' acceptance level on Car Attributes, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Support Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, Vivacity, and Behavioral Intention are at low level.

At 1.00-1.80 mean participants' acceptance level on Car Attributes, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Support Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, Vivacity, and Behavioral Intention are at the lowest level.

Part 4: An Open–Ended Response Question that allows participants to leave some advice or comment for researcher.

3.4 Testing Research Instrument

After analyzing 40 pilot test. The Cronbach's Alpha Coefficient of Car Attribute equal 0.647, Emotional Connection equals 0.755, Accessibility equals 0.695, External Influence equals 0.653, Brand-Loving Tendency equals 0.833, Supporting Environmental Protection equals 0.862, Drive for Environmental Responsibility equals 0.873, Vivacity equals 0.758, Behavioral Intention equals 0.645. Almost all alpha coefficients passed the 0.65 (Nunnally, 1978) recommended level and had proven to be reliable. However, the Cronbach's Alpha Coefficient of Car Attribute of 0.647 is likely to be increased with larger sample size for actual data collection in the next step.

Moreover, researcher has conducted Construct Validity by using the following Factor Analysis

1) Car Attributes	4	Questions
2) Emotional Connection	4	Questions
3) Accessibility	4	Questions
4) External Influence	4	Questions
5) Brand-Loving Tendency	4	Questions
6) Support Environmental Protection	6	Questions
7) Drive for Environmental Responsibility	5	Questions
8) Vivacity	4	Questions
9) Behavioral Intention	4	Questions

All of 39 Questions are analyzed by using Principle Component Analysis to find the structural component of each factor. Setting Eigenvalue at 1, the lowest value. Then, using Varimax Orthogonal rotation to make certain that every set of questions has the most suitable component. The result after 5 axis rotation, researcher will consider factor loading value of each question and rearrange the component with the condition that each factor loading value exceed 0.3 (Nitiphong, 2012; Piyapimonsit C., 2005 & Sririkanon R., 2012).

Table 3.1: Factor Analysis of factor positively affect automobile purchase intention of working people in Bangkok.

	CA	EC	AC	EI	BL	EP	ER	VV	BI
CA1	<u>-0.52</u>			T					
CA2	0.653		DK	U	\mathbb{N}				
CA3	0.771								
CA4	0.793					7			
EC1		0.725					-		
EC2	B	0.665							
EC3		<u>0.036</u>							
EC4		0.587				0			
AC1			0.572			6			
AC2			0.753	DE		2			
AC3			0.845						
AC4			0.824						
EI1				<u>0.164</u>					
EI2				0.806					
EI3				0.743					
EI4				0.232					

(Continued)

BL1				0.548				
BL2				0.593				
BL3				0.739				
BL4				0.638				
EP1				JN	0.507			
EP2					0.600			
EP3					0.294	2		
EP4	$\langle \langle \rangle$				0.465	5		
EP5	Z				0.679			
EP6					0.703	X		
ER1						0.775		
ER2					6	0.883		
ER3		/]]			9	0.863		
ER4			Dt	\mathcal{V}		0.828		
ER5						0.834		
VV1							0.736	
VV2							0.718	
VV3							0.798	
VV4							0.595	
BI1								0.090

Table 3.1 (Continued): Factor Analysis of factor positively affect automobile

purchase intention of working people in Bangkok.

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purchase intention of working people in Bangkok.

BI2					0.530
BI3					0.889
BI4					0.896

From table 3.1: All factor can be explain as:

Car Attribute

From factor analysis of Car Attribute, independent factor can be organize as 1 group. Consist of 4 questions. Which are "I buy car of high price" (CA1), "I prefer attractive and well-designed cars" (CA2), "I choose car that is safer" (CA3), and "I will buy a car that is durable" (CA4).

Emotional Connection

From factor analysis of Emotional Connection, independent factor can be organize as 1 group. Consist of 4 questions. Which are "My brand of car stand for something important for me" (EC1), "My car brand socially connects me to people" (EC2), "I buy unique and admirable cars" (EC3), and "My brand of car makes me feel confident" (EC4).

Accessibility

From factor analysis of Accessibility, independent factor can be organize as 1 group. Consist of 4 questions. Which are "I prefer a car which is widely available" (AC1), "I buy a car which has showrooms all over the country" (AC2), "I buy a car

which has spare parts readily available" (AC3), and "I choose cars with maintenance and repair services" (AC4).

External Influence

From factor analysis of External Influence, independent factor can be organize as 1 group. Consist of 4 questions. Which are "I buy a car because of its country origin" (EI1), "I buy a car recommended by my family and friends" (EI2), "I buy a car used by my family and friends" (EI3), and "My car brand reflects my social status" (EI4).

Brand-Loving Tendency

From factor analysis of Brand-Loving Tendency, independent factor can be organize as 1 group. Consist of 4 questions. Which are "I tend to care about brands when I buy things" (BL1), "I tend to repurchase brands that I have bought before" (BL2), "I tend to consider company image when I buy things" (BL3), and "I tend to buy products from famous brands even though they are expensive" (BL4).

Supporting Environmental Protection

From factor analysis of Supporting Environmental Protection, independent factor can be organize as 1 group. Consist of 6 questions. Which are "Supporting environmental protection in automobile makes me feel meaningful" (EP1), "The price for environmental friendly vehicles should be appropriate in relation to value for money" (EP2), "Components of an environmentally friendly vehicles are recyclable" (EP3), "I find environmental friendly vehicles really relevant to my lifestyle" (EP4), "An environmental friendly vehicles should produces the least pollution in its usage" (EP5), and "I prefer environmental friendly vehicles over non- environmental friendly vehicles when their product qualities are similar" (EP6).

Drive for Environmental Responsibility

From factor analysis of Drive for Environmental Responsibility, independent factor can be organize as 1 group. Consist of 5 questions. Which are "Supporting environmental protection makes me feel as an environmentally responsible person" (ER1), "I should be responsible for protecting our environment" (ER2), "Environmental protection start with me" (ER3), "I would say I am emotionally involved in environmental protection issue" (ER4), and "Supporting environmental protection makes me special" (ER5).

Vivacity

From factor analysis of Vivacity, independent factor can be organize as 1 group. Consist of 4 questions. Which are "Car design should reflect your youth" (VV1), "Car design should reflect your spirit" (VV2), "I Car design should reflect your coolness" (VV3), and "Car design should reflect your cheerfulness" (VV4).

Behavioral Intention

From factor analysis of Behavioral Intention, independent factor can be organize as 1 group. Consist of 4 questions. Which are "I would like to purchase vehicle that has good price" (BI1), "I intend to purchase vehicle soon" (BI2), "I will recommended my friend to purchase vehicle by considering factors in this questionnaire" (BI3), and "I encourage my relative to purchase vehicle by considering factors in this questionnaire" (BI4).

3.5 Data Collection

There are two types of data collection in this research.

3.5.1 Primary Data is the data from the questionnaire by following step

3.5.1.1 Researcher research from related hypothesis, idea, and documents to create research ideas through research procedure. 280 questionnaires were collected during 32nd Bangkok International Motor Expo 2015.

3.5.1.2 Correct and check the finished questionnaire along with the advice from the advisor and experts before analyzing the data.

3.5.1.3 Keying raw data from completed questionnaire in suitable tools. Compute and analyze the data.

3.5.2 Secondary Data is data collected from books, tables, articles, researched research, and internet that related to the automobile, customer decision, and purchase intention to narrow the scope of research and using as a reference.

3.6 Preparation and Data Analysis

This research uses SPSS as a software for statistical analysis. Each part of the questionnaire uses different tools to analyze the data. The steps are

- 1. Classify complete and useable questionnaire.
- 2. Coding classified questionnaire.
- Saving coding questionnaire in SPSS by using Level of Significance of 0.05.

4. Questionnaire data will be analyzed for statistics.

4.1 Descriptive Statistic Analysis

4.1.1 Question about participant demographic and general information are analyzed by using Frequency and Percentage.

4.1.2 Question about buying behavioral analyze by using frequency and Percentage.

4.1.3 Likert Scale question about Car Attributes, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Support Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, Vivacity, and Behavioral Intention analyze by using Mean (\overline{X}) and Standard Deviation (S.D)

4.2 Inferential Statistic Analysis

4.2.1 Each independent variable consist of Car Attributes, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Support Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, and Vivacity analyzes by using Pearson Product-Moment Correlation Coefficient.

4.2.2 All independent variable (Car Attributes, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Support Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, and Vivacity) with dependent variable (Behavioral Intention) analyze by using Multiple Regression Analysis.

3.7 Statistic Method

Statistic analysis method in this research consist of

3.7.1 Reliability of the Test using Cronbach's Alpha Coefficient

(Vanichbuncha, 2009)

$$\alpha = \frac{n}{n-1} \left[1 - \frac{\sum S_i^2}{S_i^2} \right]$$

$$\alpha \quad \text{reliability value of total questionnaire}$$

$$n \quad \sum S_i^2 \quad \text{number of question}$$

$$S_i^2 \quad \text{total variability of questionnaire}$$

$$\text{variability of total questionnaire}$$

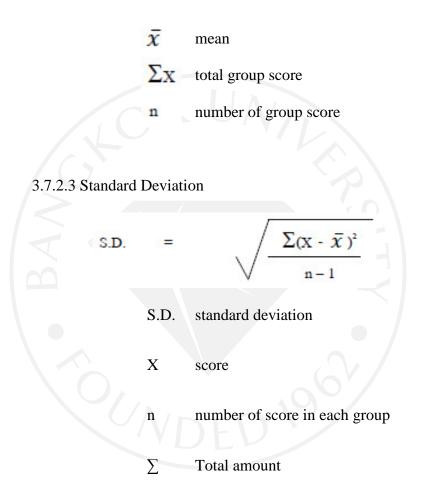
3.7.2 Descriptive Statistics Analysis

3.7.2.1 Percentage

$$p = \frac{f}{N} \times 100$$

- **P** percentage
- *f* percentage frequency
- *N* frequency

$$\overline{x} = \underline{\sum x}_{n}$$



3.7.3 Inferential Statistics

3.7.3.1 Multiple Regression Analysis (MRA) is an analysis progress to find relationship between Dependent Variable and Independent Variable (Vanichbuncha, 2009).

- $\acute{\mathbf{Y}} = b\mathbf{0} + b\mathbf{1}X\mathbf{1} + \mathbf{b}\mathbf{2}X\mathbf{2} + \dots + b\mathbf{k}X\mathbf{k}$
- Ý predicted dependent variable
- b0value of Y when all of the independent variables are equal to zero

*b*1,...,*b*k estimated regression coefficients

*X*0,..., *X*k predictor variables

3.7.3.2 ANOVA Analysis compare to H1 : with at least 1 β i at $\neq 0$ (i=1,...,k) 3.7.3.2 ANOVA Analysis has hypothesis that H0 : $\beta 1 = \beta 2 = ... = \beta k = 0$

Source of	df	Sum Square:	Mean Square:	F-Statistics
Variance		SS	MS	
Regression	k	SSR	MSR = <u>SSR</u> K	F = <u>MSR</u>
Error/ Residual	n-k-1	SSE	MSE = <u>SSE</u> n-k-1	MSE
Total	n-1	SST		

Source: Vanichbuncha K. (2008) Multiple Variable Analysis. Bangkok:

Chulalongkorn University.

k	number of independent variable
n	number of example
SST	Sum Square of Total
SSR	Sum Square of Regression
SSE	Sum Square of Error/ Sum Square of Residual

MSR	Mean Square of Regression
MSE	Mean Square of Error
F	F-Statistic

3.7.3.3 Pearson Product-Moment Correlation Coefficient

r	$=\frac{n\sum XY - \sum X\sum Y}{\sqrt{\left[N\sum X^2 - (\sum X)^2\right]\left[n\sum Y^2 - (\sum Y)^2\right]}}$
R _{xy}	Pearson Correlation Coefficient
x	Values in the first set of data
у	Values in second set of data
n	Total number of value

The value of Pearson Correlation Coefficient is between $-1 \le r \le 1$. The

positive and negative value of r determine the direction of relationship.

Positive r show that 2 variable have same direction of relationship.

Negative r show that 2 variable have opposite direction of relationship.

The size of the relationship can be determine by value of r

r value nearly +1 show that 2 variable have close relationship in the same direction.

r value nearly -1 show that 2 variable have least relationship in opposite direction.

r value equal to 0 mean there is no correlation between 2 variable. r value close to 0 mean that 2 variable has few relationship.

CHAPTER 4

FINDING

Since the purposes of this research is to explore factors positively affecting automobile consumer purchase intention of working people in Bangkok. The data are collected by passing a survey questionnaire in 32nd Bangkok International Motor Expo 2015 at Impact Arena, Muang Thong Thani. During 5 to 11 December 2015, the questionnaire was sent to 258 people, whose buying an exhibition ticket, with a hundred percent response rate.

The value of Cronbach's Alpha Coefficient of 8 factors are shown as follows. Car Attributes equal to 0.712, Emotional Connection equal to 0.739, Accessibility equal to 0.792, External Influence equal to 0.631, Brand-Loving Tendency equal to 0.734, Supporting Environmental Protection equal to 0.852, Drive For Environmental Protection equal to 0.916, Vivacity equal to 0.797, and Behavioral Intention equal to 0.704. Every factor except External Influence exceeds the minimal coefficient, 0.65. All alpha coefficients passed the 0.65 (Nunnally, 1978) recommended level and had proven to be reliable.

According to this, data can be analyzed and can be presented below.

4.1 Demographic data

Data will be present in frequencies and percentage of gender, ages, status, educational level, monthly salary, occupation, number of vehicles owned, interested vehicle segment, vehicle buying period, buying decision influenced, and buying objective.

Gender	Frequency	Percent
Male	127	49.2
Female	131	50.8
Total	258	100.0

There are 131 female out of 258 respondents, which is 50.8% of the total. The number of females is greater or nearly as equal as male respondents. The results show that, nowadays female interested in choosing a vehicle as much as or even higher than male.

Table 4.2: Age of respondents

Age	Frequency	Percent
under 26	43	16.7
26-35	84	32.6
36-45	72	27.9
46-55	47	18.2
over 55	12	4.7
Total	258	100.0

Age of the respondents shows that 32.6% of the total is between 26-35 years old is looking for vehicle most. The second is 36-45 year old with the ratio of 27.9%. This show that new generation people have an intention to purchase vehicle more than

middle age. But it may be due to most of the elder owned at least one vehicle so they have less intention to purchase another.

Frequency	Percent
143	55.4
108	41.9
7	2.7
258	100.0
	143 108 7

Table 4.3: Marital status of respondents

55.4% of respondents are single while 41.9% are married and only 2.7% divorced.

 Table 4.4: Educational level of respondents

Education	Frequency	Percent
under bachelor	33	12.8
bachelor	151	58.5
master	74	28.7
Total	258	100.0

Most of the respondents are Bachelor degree with the number of 151 out of 258, which is 58.5%. Next is Master degree at 28.7% and last is under bachelor degree.

Table 4.5: Monthly salary of respondents

Salary	Frequency	Percent
under 30001	110	42.6
30001-50000	59	22.9
50001-70000	51	19.8
70001-90000	18	7.0
90001-150000	15	5.8
over 150000	5	1.9
Total	258	100.0

Nearly half of the respondents earn less than 30,001 baht a month, 110 respondents at 42.6%. Follow by 30,001-50,000 salary of 59 respondents at 22.9%. Third is 50,001-70,000 salary of 51 respondents at 19.8%.

Table 4.6: Occupation of respondents

Occupation	Frequency	Percent
government	53	20.5
officer		
private	185	71.7
employee		
owner	20	7.8
Total	258	100.0

Most of the respondents occupation are private employee, 185 respondents at 71.7%. Follow by government officers, 53 respondents at 20.5%. The rest 7.8% is owner.

Owned Vehicle Frequency Percent None 68 26.4 1 141 54.7 2 34 13.2 3 6 2.3 9 over 3 3.5 Total 258 100.0

Table 4.7: Number of vehicle own of respondents

Nearly half of the respondents owned 1 vehicle, 141 respondents at 54.7%.

Follow by no vehicles, 68 respondents at 26.4%. Third is owned 2 vehicles, 34

respondents at 13.2%.

Vehicle	Frequency	Percent
Segment		
sedan	145	56.2
pick up	24	9.3
sport	6	2.3
SUV/PPV	66	25.6
MPV	17	6.6
Total	258	100.0

Table 4.8: Interested vehicle segment of respondents

Nearly half of the respondents looking for a sedan car, 145 respondents at 56.2%. Follow by SUV and PPV, 66 respondents at 25.6%. Third is pick up vehicle, 24 respondents at 9.3%. Fourth is MPV, 17 respondents at 6.6%. and last is sport car, 6 respondents at 2.3%.

Table 4.9: Vehicle buying intention period of respondents

Buy period	Frequency	Percent
in a month	7	2.7
2-6 month	21	8.1
6-12 month	33	12.8
over a year	197	76.4
Total	258	100.0

Most of the respondents intend to buy vehicle over a year, 197 respondents at 76.4%. Follow by 6-12 month, 33 respondents at 12.8%. Third is 2-6 month, 21 respondents at 8.1%. Last is in a month, 7 respondents at 2.7%.

uence	Frequency	Percent
	134	51.9
	105	40.7
	2	0.8
	6	2.3
	4	1.6
;	7	2.7
	258	100.0
	uence	134 105 2 6 4 2 7

Table 4.10: Buying decision influence of respondents

Top buying influence is themselves,134 respondents at 51.9%. Follow by family, 134 respondents at 40.7%.

Table 4.11: Buying objective of respondents	Table 4.11:	Buying	objective	of respondents
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Buy objective	Frequency	Percent
work	172	66.7
travel	73	28.3
commerce	11	4.3
attractive	2	0.8
Total	258	100.0

Top buying objective is drive to work,172 respondents at 66.7%. Follow by use for travel, 73 respondents at 28.3%.

4.2 Mean, Standard Deviation and Respondents perception

Table 4.12: Mean, Standard Deviation and Respondents perception of Car Attribute

Car Attribute	MEAN	S.D.	Perception
	MEAN	5.D.	Level
I buy car of high price	2.63	0.84	Normal
I prefer attractive and well-designed cars	4.14	0.67	High
I choose car that is safer	4.31	0.67	Highest
I will buy a car that is durable	4.28	0.65	Highest
Total	3.84	0.70	High

Table 4.12 shown that Car Attribute has a total Mean in high level (Mean =

3.84) and Standard Deviation of 0.70. This research found that "I choose car that is

safer" has the highest Mean (Mean = 4.31). Follow by "I will buy a car that is durable" (Mean = 4.28) and "I prefer attractive and well-design cars" (Mean = 4.14). The lowest Mean (Mean = 2.63) is "I buy car of high price".

Table 4.12 also shown that "I buy car of high price" has the most deviation of information among 4 elements(S.D. = 0.84). While the least deviation of information among 4 elements is "I will buy a car that is durable" (S.D. = 0.65).

Table 4.13: Mean, Standard Deviation and Respondents perception of Emotional

			Perception
Emotional Connection	MEAN	S.D.	
			Level
My brand of car stand for something			
	3.68	0.81	High
important for me			
My car brand socially connects me to people	3.31	0.92	High
I buy unique and admirable cars	4.24	0.67	Highest
My brand of car makes me feel confident	3.69	0.82	High
Total	3.73	0.80	High

Connection

Table 4.13 shown that Emotional Connection has a total Mean in high level (Mean = 3.73) and Standard Deviation of 0.80. This research found that "I buy unique and admirable cars" has the highest Mean (Mean = 4.24). Follow by "My brand of car makes me feel confident" (Mean = 3.69) and "My brand of car stand for something important for me" (Mean = 3.68). The lowest Mean (Mean = 3.31) is "My car brand socially connects me to people".

Table 4.13 also shown that "My car brand socially connects me to people" has the most deviation of information among 4 elements (S.D. = 0.92). While the least deviation of information among 4 elements is " I buy unique and admirable cars" (S.D. = 0.67).

Accessibility	MEAN	S.D.	Perception
		5.2.	Level
I prefer a car which is widely available	3.58	0.96	High
I buy a car which has showrooms all over	4.06	0.73	High
the country			C
I buy a car which has spare parts readily	4.26	0.63	Highest
available			C
I choose cars with maintenance and repair	4.20	0.67	High
services available		54/	0
Total	4.02	0.74	High

Table 4.14: Mean, Standard Deviation and Respondents perception of Accessibility

Table 4.14 shown that Accessibility has a total Mean in high level (Mean = 4.02) and Standard Deviation of 0.74. This research found that "I buy a car which has spare parts readily available" has the highest Mean (Mean = 4.26). Follow by "I choose cars with maintenance and repair services" (Mean = 4.20) and "I buy a car which has showrooms all over the country" (Mean = 4.06). The lowest Mean (Mean = 3.58) is "I prefer a car which is widely available".

Table 4.14 also shown that "I prefer a car which is widely available" has the most deviation of information among 4 elements (S.D. = 0.96). While the least

deviation of information among 4 elements is "I buy a car which has spare parts readily available" (S.D. = 0.63).

Table 4.15: Mean, Standard Deviation and Respondents perception of External

Influence

External Influence	MEAN	S.D.	Perception Level
I buy a car because of its country origin	3.44	0.89	High
I buy a car recommended by my family and friends	3.27	0.92	Normal
I buy a car used by my family and friends	2.89	0.94	Normal
My car brand reflects my social status	3.38	0.87	Normal
Total	3.24	0.90	Normal

Table 4.15 shown that External Influence has a total Mean in normal level (Mean = 3.24) and Standard Deviation of 0.90. This research found that "I buy a car because of its country origin" has the highest Mean (Mean = 3.44). Follow by "My car brand reflects my social status" (Mean = 3.38) and "I buy a car recommended by my family and friends" (Mean = 3.27). The lowest Mean (Mean = 2.89) is "I buy a car used by my family and friends".

Table 4.15 also shown that "I buy a car used by my family and friends" has the most deviation of information among 4 elements (S.D. = 0.94). While the least deviation of information among 4 elements is "My car brand reflects my social status" (S.D. = 0.87).

Brand-Loving Tendency	MEAN	S.D.	Perception
Brand-Loving Tendency	MEAN	3.D.	Level
I tend to care about brands when I buy	3.54	0.78	High
things	0.01	0.70	
I tend to repurchase brands that I have	3.48	0.70	High
bought before	5.40	0.70	mgn
I tend to consider company image when I	3.60	0.65	High
buy things		S.	
I tend to buy products from famous brands	3.30	0.81	Normal
even though they are expensive		K	
Total	3.48	0.73	High

Table 4.16: Mean, Standard Deviation and Respondents perception of Brand-Loving

Tendency

Table 4.16 shown that Brand-Loving Tendency has a total Mean in high level (Mean = 3.48) and Standard Deviation of 0.73. This research found that "I tend to consider company image when I buy things" has the highest Mean (Mean = 3.60). Follow by "I tend to care about brands when I buy things" (Mean = 3.54) and "I tend to repurchase brands that I have bought before" (Mean = 3.48). The lowest Mean (Mean = 3.30) is "I tend to buy products from famous brands even though they are expensive".

Table 4.16 also shown that "I tend to buy products from famous brands even though they are expensive" has the most deviation of information among 4 elements (S.D. = 0.81). While the least deviation of information among 4 elements is "I tend to consider company image when I buy things" (S.D. = 0.65).

Table 4.17: Mean, Standard Deviation and Respondents perception of Supporting

Environmental Protection

		C D	Perception
Supporting Environmental Protection	MEAN	S.D.	Level
Supporting environmental protection in automobile makes me feel meaningful	3.72	0.83	High
The price for environmental friendly		71	
vehicles should be appropriate in relation to	4.08	0.70	High
value for money			
Components of an environmentally friendly vehicles are recyclable	3.16	0.84	Normal
I find environmental friendly vehicles really relevant to my lifestyle	3.42	0.94	High
An environmental friendly vehicles should produces the least pollution in its usage	4.16	0.84	High
I prefer environmental friendly vehicles over non- environmental friendly vehicles when their product qualities are similar	4.01	0.79	High
Total	3.75	0.82	High

Table 4.17 shown that Supporting Environmental Protection has a total Mean in high level (Mean = 3.75) and Standard Deviation of 0.82. This research found that "An environmental friendly vehicles should produces the least pollution in its usage" has the highest Mean (Mean = 4.16). Follow by "The price for environmental friendly vehicles should be appropriate in relation to value for money" (Mean = 4.08), "I prefer environmental friendly vehicles over non-environmental friendly vehicles when their product qualities are similar" (Mean = 4.01), "Supporting environmental protection in automobile makes me feel meaningful" (Mean = 3.72), and "I find environmental friendly vehicles really relevant to my lifestyle" (Mean = 3.42). The lowest Mean (Mean = 3.16) is "Components of an environmentally friendly vehicles are recyclable".

Table 4.17 also shown that "I find environmental friendly vehicles really relevant to my lifestyle" has the most deviation of information among 6 elements (S.D. = 0.94). While the least deviation of information among 6 elements is "I prefer environmental friendly vehicles over non- environmental friendly vehicles when their product qualities are similar" (S.D. = 0.79).

Table 4.18: Mean, Standard Deviation and Respondents perception of Drive for

Environmental Responsibility.

Drive for Environmental Responsibility	MEAN	S.D.	Perception Level
Supporting environmental protection makes me feel as an environmentally responsible person	3.94	0.79	High
I should be responsible for protecting our environment	4.09	0.68	High
Environmental protection start with me	4.15	0.73	High
I would say I am emotionally involved in environmental protection issue	3.87	0.76	High
Supporting environmental protection makes me special	3.94	0.78	High
Total	3.99	0.74	High

Table 4.18 shown that Drive for Environmental Responsibility has a total Mean in high level (Mean = 3.99) and Standard Deviation of 0.74. This research found that "Environmental protection start with me" has the highest Mean (Mean = 4.15). Follow by "I should be responsible for protecting our environment" (Mean = 4.09), "Supporting environmental protection makes me feel as an environmentally responsible person" (Mean = 3.94), and "Supporting environmental protection makes me special" (Mean = 3.94). The lowest Mean (Mean = 3.87) is "I would say I am emotionally involved in environmental protection issue".

Table 4.18 also shown that "I find environmental friendly vehicles really relevant to my lifestyle" has the most deviation of information among 5 elements (S.D. = 0.94). While the least deviation of information among 5 elements is "I should be responsible for protecting our environment" (S.D. = 0.68).

Vivacity	MEAN	S.D.	Perception Level
Car design should reflect your youth	3.41	0.86	High
Car design should reflect your spirit	3.05	1.04	Normal
Car design should reflect your coolness	3.38	0.86	Normal
Car design should reflect your cheerfulness	3.83	0.80	High
Total	3.41	0.89	High

Table 4.19: Mean, Standard Deviation and Respondents perception of Vivacity.

Table 4.19 shown that Vivacity has a total Mean in high level (Mean = 3.41) and Standard Deviation of 0.89. This research found that "Car design should reflect your cheerfulness" has the highest Mean (Mean = 3.83). Follow by "Car design should reflect your youth" (Mean = 3.41) and "Car design should reflect your coolness" (Mean = 3.38). The lowest Mean (Mean = 3.05) is "Car design should reflect your spirit".

Table 4.19 also shown that "Car design should reflect your spirit" has the most deviation of information among 4 elements (S.D. = 1.04). While the least deviation of information among 4 elements is "Car design should reflect your cheerfulness" (S.D. = 0.80).

Table 4.20: Mean, Standard Deviation and Respondents perception of Behavioral

Intention.

Behavioral Intention	MEAN	S.D.	Perception
			Level
I would like to purchase vehicle that has	4.28	0.66	Highest
good price	4.20	0.00	ringnest
I intend to purchase vehicle soon	2.62	1.17	High
I will recommended my friend to purchase		\sim	
vehicle by considering factors in this	3.20	0.89	High
questionnaire		S.	
I encourage my relative to purchase vehicle	3.21	0.92	High
by considering factors in this questionnaire		K	8
Total	3.32	0.91	Normal

Table 4.20 shown that Behavioral Intention has a total Mean in normal level (Mean = 3.32) and Standard Deviation of 0.91. This research found that "I would like to purchase vehicle that has good price" has the highest Mean (Mean = 4.28). Follow by "I encourage my relative to purchase vehicle by considering factors in this questionnaire" (Mean = 3.21) and "I will recommended my friend to purchase vehicle" (Mean = 3.20). The lowest Mean (Mean = 2.62) is "I intend to purchase vehicle soon".

Table 4.20 also shown that "I intend to purchase vehicle soon" has the most deviation of information among 4 elements (S.D. = 1.17). While the least deviation of

information among 4 elements is "I would like to purchase vehicle that has good price" (S.D. = 0.66).

4.3 Analysis of the data based on assumptions

Consists of Car Attributes, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Supporting Environmental Protection, Drive For Environmental Protection, Vivacity, and Behavioral Intention



Table 4.21: Analysis of correlation between independent variables and the dependent variable using Pearson's Correlation Coefficient of Car Attribute, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Supporting Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, and Vivacity that positively affect Behavioral Intention of working people in Bangkok.

Variable	Mean	S.D.	Cronbach's	CA	EC	AC	BL	EP	ER	VV	BI
			Alpha				0				
Car Attribute(CA)	4.24	0.53	0.712	1							
Emotional Connection(EC)	3.73	0.61	0.739	0.384**	1		X				
Accessibility(AC)	4.03	0.60	0.792	0.296**	0.352**	1					
Brand-Loving Tendency	3.48	0.55	0.734	0.275^{**}	0.599**	0.314**	1				
(BL)					гŊ	9					
Supporting Environmental	3.76	0.63	0.852	0.305**	0.142^{*}	0.289**	0.161**	1			
Protection (EP)											

(Continued)

Table 4.21 (Continued): Analysis of correlation between independent variables and the dependent variable using Pearson's Correlation

Coefficient of Car Attribute, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Supporting Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, and Vivacity that positively affect Behavioral Intention of working people in Bangkok.

Drive for Environmental	4.00	0.65	0.916	0.310**	0.210**	0.234**	0.185^{**}	0.693**	1		
Responsibility (ER)	4.00	0.65	0.916	0.310	0.210	0.234	0.185	0.095	1		
Vivacity (VV)	3.41	0.71	0.797	0.220**	0.498**	0.225**	0.451**	0206**	0.175**	1	
Behavioral Intention (BI)	3.33	0.68	0.704	0.250**	0.377**	0.299**	0.377**	0.235**	0.253**	0.505**	1

**Correlation is significant at the .01 level.

*Correlation is significant at the .05 level.

From table 4.21: Hypothesis can be explain as

Hypothesis 1, Car Attribute factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis show that Car Attribute has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention (Pearson's Correlation = 0.250) at 0.01 significant level.

Hypothesis 2, Emotional Connection factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis show that Emotional Connection has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention (Pearson's Correlation = 0.377) at 0.01 significant level.

Hypothesis 3, Accessibility factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis show that Accessibility has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention (Pearson's Correlation = 0.299) at 0.01 significant level.

Hypothesis 4, Brand-Loving Tendency factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis show that Brand-Loving Tendency has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention (Pearson's Correlation = 0.377) at 0.01 significant level.

Hypothesis 5, Supporting Environmental Protection factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis show that Supporting Environmental Protection has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention (Pearson's Correlation = 0.235) at 0.01 significant level.

Hypothesis 6, Drive for Environmental Responsibility factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis show that Drive for Environmental Responsibility has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention (Pearson's Correlation = 0.253) at 0.01 significant level.

Hypothesis 7, Vivacity factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis show that Vivacity has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention (Pearson's Correlation = 0.505) at 0.01 significant level.

Table 4.22: Analysis of variance using ANOVA of Car Attribute, Emotional
 Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency,
 Supporting Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental
 Responsibility, and Vivacity that positively affect Behavioral Intention of
 working people in Bangkok

	Model	Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
1	Regression	38.293	7	5.470	17.172	.000 ^b
	Residual	79.644	250	.319		
	Total	117.937	257			

From table 4.22, ANOVA analysis confirmed that independent variable consist of Car Attribute, Emotional Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Supporting Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, and Vivacity have influence on dependent variable, Behavioral Intention due to Sig. of the equation equal 0.000 at 0.01 significant level.

Table 4.23: Multiple Regression Analysis of Car Attribute, Emotional Connection,

Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Supporting Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, and Vivacity that positively affect Behavioral Intention of working people in Bangkok.

Dependent Variable: Behavioral Intention, $R = 0.570$, $R^2 = 0.325$, Constant(a) = 0.147								
Independent		-2	0	Std		2	Toleran	
Variables	R	\mathbb{R}^2	β	Error	t	Sig	ce	VIF
(Constant)				0.366	0.403	0.687		
Car Attribute (CA)	0.250	0.062	0.063	0.076	0.831	0.407	0.769	1.301
Emotional					6			
Connection	0.377	0.142	0.040	0.081	0.493	0.662	0.515	1.942
(EC)								
Accessibility	0.299	0.089	0.141*	0.066	2.133	0.034	0.795	1.258
(AC)	0.299	0.089	0.141	0.000	2.133	0.034	0.795	1.230
Brand-Loving								
Tendency	0.377	0.142	0.137	0.082	1.665	0.097	0.599	1.668
(BL)								

(Continued)

Table 4.23 (Continued) : Multiple Regression Analysis of Car Attribute, Emotional

Connection, Accessibility, External Influence, Brand-Loving Tendency, Supporting Environmental Protection, Drive for Environmental Responsibility, and Vivacity that positively affect Behavioral Intention of working people in Bangkok.

Supporting				Λ				
Environmental	0.235	0.055	0.008	0.081	0.095	0.925	0.485	2.061
Protection	0.255	0.055	0.008	0.081	0.093	0.923	0.483	2.001
(EP)						S		
Drive for								
Environmental	0.253	0.064	0.114	0.076	1.497	0.136	0.502	1.992
Responsibility	0.235	0.004	0.114	0.076	1.497	0.130	0.302	1.992
(ER)	1				6			
Vivacity	0.505	0.255	0.361*	0.059	6.069	0.000	0.701	1.427
(VV)	0.303	0.233	0.301	0.039	0.009	0.000	0.701	1.427

*significant at the .05 level

From table 4.23, Hypothesis can be explain from Multiple Regression Analysis. Independent variable can predict behavioral intention and Vivacity (Sig. = 0.000) and Accessibility (Sig. = 0.034) can predict behavioral intention significantly. On the other hand, Car Attribute (Sig. = 0.407), Emotional Connection (Sig = 0.622), Brand-Loving Tendency (Sig. = 0.097), Supporting Environmental Protection (Sig. = 0.925), and Drive for Environmental Responsibility (Sig. = 0.136) cannot predict behavioral intention significantly. The most predictive independent variable is Vivacity ($\beta = 0.361$) follow by Accessibility ($\beta = 0.141$), Brand-Loving Tendency ($\beta = 0.137$), Drive for Environmental Responsibility ($\beta = 0.114$), Car Attribute ($\beta = 0.063$), and Emotional Connection ($\beta = 0.040$). These following variable can explain influence on behavioral intention of working people in Bangkok at 32.5%. Another67.5% are influence from others variable that are not use in this research. The standard error is ± 0.366 using the following equation.

Y (Behavioral Intention) = 0.147 + 0.361 (Vivacity)+ 0.141 (Accessibility)

From this equation

If Vivacity increase by 1 point and other factors remain the same. Behavioral Intention will increase by 0.361 point.

If Accessibility increase by 1 point and other factors remain the same. Behavioral Intention will increase by 0.141 point.

Data from table 4.23 used to test following hypothesis.

Hypothesis 8, by using Multiple Regression Analysis. The result show that Vivacity, and Accessibility have positive influence on Behavioral Intention at statistical significant level of 0.05. While Car Attribute, Emotional Connection, Brand-Loving Tendency, Supporting Environmental Protection, and Drive for Environmental Responsibility have no positive influence on Behavioral Intention at 0.05 statistical significant.

4.4 Other Analysis

Multicollinearity is multiple correlation among independent variables (more than 2 independent variable) (Nitiphong, 2012) or relation among group of independent variables.

In high multicollinearity relation, high degree of relation can affect deviation from true value. In the other word, muticollinearity should not occur while using Multiple Linear Regression.

Multicollinearity can be tested by Variance Inflation Factor (VIF) value or Tolerance value. Variance Inflation Factor (VIF) value should not exceed 4 and Tolerance value should exceed 0.2 (Miles & Shevlin, 2001).

Independent Variable	Tolerance	Variance Inflation Factor (VIF)
Car Attribute (CA)	0.769	1.301
Emotional Connection (EC)	0.515	1.942
Accessibility (AC)	0.795	1.258
Brand-Loving Tendency (BL)	0.599	1.668
Supporting Environmental Protection (EP)	0.485	2.061
Drive for Environmental Responsibility (ER)	0.502	1.992
Vivacity (VV)	0.701	1.427

Table 4.24: Testing Collinearity of independent variable.

Result from table 4.24 found that less Tolerance value is 0.502, which exceed 0.2, and Variance Inflation Factor (VIF) value id 2.100, which not exceed 4. So there are no Multicollinearity.

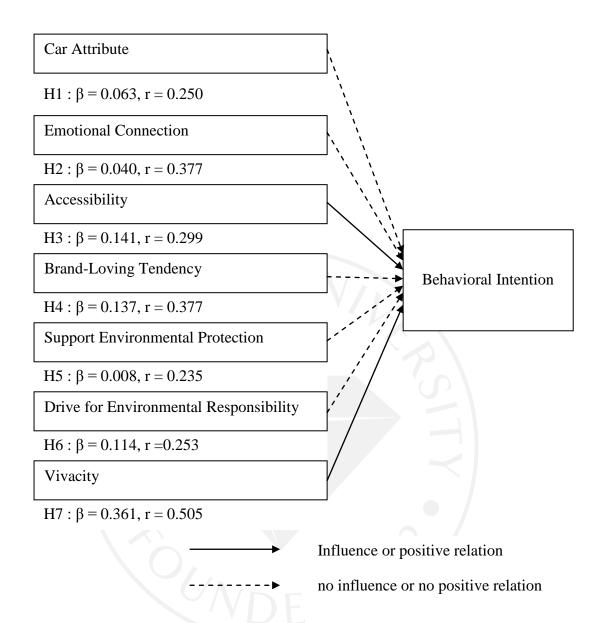


Figure 4.1: Result of Multiple Regression Analysis from scope of research

Figure 4.1 show that Accessibility and Vivacity have positive relationship or positive influence toward behavioral intention of working people in Bangkok. While Car Attribute, Emotional Connection, Brand-Loving Tendency, Support Environmental Protection, and Drive for Environmental Responsibility have no positive relationship or positive influence toward behavioral intention of working people in Bangkok.

CHAPTER 5

CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The research on the positive influence of car attributes, emotional connection, accessibility, external Influence, brand-loving tendency, support environmental protection, drive for environmental responsibility, and vivacity toward consumer purchase intention of working people in Bangkok is a survey research using questionnaires to collect data.

Populations in this research are working people who attend to 32nd Bangkok International Motor Expo 2015 at Impact Challenge during 5 December 2015 to 13 December 2015. The sample size of this research is 258. The result of this research analyzed in quantitative approach using SPSS program. The result can be concluded as follows.

5.1 Hypothesis Assumption.

The important factors studied in this research are car attributes, emotional connection, accessibility, external Influence, brand-loving tendency, support environmental protection, drive for environmental responsibility, and vivacity influenced on automobile consumer purchase intention found that most of the respondents are female, ages between 26-35 years old, single, bachelor education background, has salary under 30,000 baht per month, private employee, owned at least 1 vehicle, interested in sedan vehicle segment, has intention to purchase vehicle over a year, have their own influence on purchase decision, and main objective to

purchase vehicle is using for work. Research result base on hypothesis can be concluded as

Hypothesis 1, Car Attribute factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis shows that Car Attribute has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention at 0.05 significant levels. So hypothesis accepted.

Hypothesis 2, Emotional Connection factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis shows that Emotional Connection has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention at 0.05 significant level. So hypothesis accepted.

Hypothesis 3, Accessibility factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis shows that Accessibility has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention at 0.05 significant levels. So hypothesis accepted.

Hypothesis 4, Brand-Loving Tendency factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis show that Brand-Loving Tendency has a positive relationship toward Behavioral at 0.05 significant level. So hypothesis accepted.

Hypothesis 5, Supporting Environmental Protection factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis shows that Supporting Environmental Protection has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention at 0.05 significant levels. So hypothesis accepted.

Hypothesis 6, Drive for Environmental Responsibility factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis show that Drive for Environmental Responsibility has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention at 0.05 significant levels. So hypothesis accepted.

Hypothesis 7, Vivacity factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The result from the analysis shows that Vivacity has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention at 0.05 significant levels. So hypothesis accepted.

Hypothesis 8, Factors that can predict automobile consumer purchase intentions (Y) are vivacity and accessibility which has 32.5% influence. Another 67.5% are influence from others variable that are not used in this research. The standard error is ± 0.366 using the following equation.

Y (Behavioral Intention) = 0.147 + 0.361 (Vivacity) + 0.141 (Accessibility)

5.2 Summary

The research on the positive influence of car attributes, emotional connection, accessibility, external Influence, brand-loving tendency, support environmental protection, drive for environmental responsibility, and vivacity toward consumer purchase intention of working people in Bangkok is a survey research using questionnaires to collected data found the interesting issue as follows.

Hypothesis 1, Car Attribute factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The results from Pearson correlation analysis show that Car Attribute has no positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention at 0.05 significant levels which accepted hypothesis. Quality, feature, and characteristic in car attribute are factors that consumer consider in purchase decision, but are not as important as accessibility and vivacity. Russell & Taylor (2006) state that consumers expect the feature that suitable to use from the brand. However, every car manufacturing gives nearly the same feature on the vehicle in order to compete with competitors which cause consumers to look over this issue. Another attribute state by Kuksov (2004) is product design and style. Design and style have a lot of influence on consumers. However, Thai people always looking for brand and accessibility.

Hypothesis 2, Emotional Connection factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The results from Pearson correlation analysis show that Emotional Connection has no positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention at 0.05 significant levels which accepted hypothesis. Emotional connection refers to a bond between consumers and brands or products. According to Travis (2010) and Gobe (2001), brand control the emotional feeling on consumers. Thus, new generation people and teenagers in Thailand are more attached to luxury brand while middle age people tend to balance functionality, brand, and price. Consumers memorable experience with a vehicle brand will last long in their memory.

Hypothesis 3, Accessibility factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The results from Pearson correlation analysis show that Accessibility has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention at 0.05 significant levels which accepted hypothesis. Consumers in Thailand belief that accessibility provides by vehicle brand make their life less complex conform with Lin & Chang (2003), convenience offered by a brand impact consumer purchase intention. Plenty of showrooms, service centers, and stocked spare parts to reduce transportation time and waiting time. Due to high vehicle price, Thai people use vehicle longer than Japanese, American, and European people. In order to service the vehicle after warrantee, consumers are looking for fast services with professional work at reasonable prices. Furthermore, beside the authorize service center, there are many choices of private garage in Thailand. In the other word, after warranty service affect the vehicle purchase decision. European vehicle has higher maintenance cost and less private garage than Japanese vehicle. So, accessibility has a lot of influence to Thai consumer purchase intention.

Hypothesis 4, Brand-Loving Tendency factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The results from Pearson correlation analysis show that Brand-Loving Tendency has no positive relationship toward Behavioral at 0.05 significant levels which accepted hypothesis. From Shimp & Madden (1988), inhibited desire has positive on liking and yearning but not decision and commitment. Consumers may like and yearn the brand, but according to several external influences, such as income, has an impact on purchasing behavior. As well as purchasing the vehicle. In reality, admired vehicle brand may unreachable. Another issue is brand royalty. At the same brand level, new generation consumers tend to purchase product base on giving feature.

Hypothesis 5, Supporting Environmental Protection factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The results from Pearson correlation analysis show that Supporting Environmental Protection has no positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention at 0.05 significant levels which accepted hypothesis. As the global environment changing quickly, consumers have more concern about environmental issues. Pickett-Baker & Ozaki (2008) state that green vehicle show consumer the ability to support environmental protection with suitable for their lifestyle. But in reality, even green vehicle suitable for consumers, but the price of the vehicle is higher than petrol car as well as the maintenance cost. There are only a few green vehicles sold in Thailand and almost of them are hybrid vehicle. High technology came with high price and high maintenance cost. In order to set the selling price reachable, some luxury materials are replaced with plastic which make consumers feel the vehicle is overprice. Not to mention the long term maintenance on a complex engine system which has nearly 3 times more expensive than normal vehicle and can only maintenance at authorize service center. As the result, petrol and diesel vehicle are consumer choice.

Hypothesis 6, Drive for Environmental Responsibility factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The results from Pearson correlation analysis show that Drive for Environmental Responsibility has no positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention at 0.05 significant levels which accepted hypothesis. According to Gadenne et al. (2011), since environmental problem issue becomes more serious. Companies have to create more responsibility toward environmental. For this reason, every heavy factory and manufacturing factory have to pass the pollution test which becomes less concern to consumers. Another study by Kilbourne & Pickett (2008) found that consumer perception as well as purchase decision change and having more responsibility on environment by purchasing more green products. However, environmental responsibility related to the perspective of consumer on environmental protection. Each consumer has different levels of responsibility toward environment.

Hypothesis 7, Vivacity factor has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention or not. The results from Pearson correlation analysis show that Vivacity has a positive relationship toward Behavioral Intention at 0.05 significant levels which accepted hypothesis. Conform to the study of Dick, Chakravarti, & Biehal (1990), brand personality become an important matter for company since consumer purchase decision based on brand image than products. In the purchasing process, consumers will search for preferences of the brand though memory. Together with Aaker (1992), positive brand image or personal experience has critical impact on purchasing decision and repurchase products or brands.

Hypothesis 8, by using multiple regression analysis on hypothesis found that factors affecting consumer purchase intention are vivacity and accessibility at significant levels of 0.05. Together with the Toldos-Romero & Orozco-Gómez (2015), show that dimensions success, vivacity, sophistication, and sincerity can explain purchase intention. The most predictor among these dimensions is vivacity. Furthermore, teenager prefers to purchase vivacity brands to reflect their lifestyle conform to the main participants in this study. The result in this research is also as same as Narteh, Odoom, Braimah, & Buame (2012), which found that a major factor that influences consumer vehicle purchase was accessibility. Accessibility provides convenience to consumers in term of dealer's showrooms, service centers, available spare parts, location, and open hours. Poor accessibility can make consumer switching brand as well.

5.3 Suggestion

From the result of the research on the positive influence of car attributes, emotional connection, accessibility, external Influence, brand-loving tendency, support environmental protection, drive for environmental responsibility, and vivacity toward consumer purchase intention of working people in Bangkok. Marketers or automobile company should consider new development on product and service strategies as follows

5.3.1 Automobile brands should focus more on accessibility for customers, open more showrooms and service centers, stock more spare parts, and provide after sales services. Nowadays, customers intend to purchase a vehicle that has easily access to service and maintenance, have wide range of genuine and aftermarket spare parts, can service through private garage, and memorable after sales service. Another issue is flexibility of service hours. Some customers are not comfortable to bring the car in and out of the service center during open hours. So vehicle delivering services are becoming more popular. Some car brands and private garage already offer this service without charging. This can be concluded that convenient service and easy access have an influence on customer satisfaction which can lead to purchase and repurchase intention.

5.3.2 Since vivacity or hipness reflects the brand and product characteristic. Automobile brands should consider vivacity in the research and development process of new car models. Each automobile brand has a different personality, for example Mercedes-Benz reflects luxury and wealth, Mazda reflect youthfulness. New generation consumers in Thailand tend to stick to the brand less than older people. They started to choose the vehicle that suits them most. Female and male consumers have a different perspective on purchasing vehicles. Male consumers focus more on mechanical and technological issue while females are looking for practicality and trusted brand. To satisfy the both male and female customers, automobile should combine mechanical, technological, and practical together to maximize the probability of selling vehicles. (Erdfelder, Faul, & Buchner, 1996; Wiratchai, 2012)

5.4 Recommendation

Researcher should consider the following issue in the future research

5.4.1 Respondents of this research are mostly having intention to purchase vehicle over a year. Purchasing a vehicle need a lot of research on interested car segment and brand. Unlike consumers who intend to purchase a vehicle in a month, respondents who have an intention to purchase within a year may change perception easily due to unpredictable external influence. According to this, purchase intention to ward vehicle may be different from the respondents who have an intention to purchase in a month. As a result, researcher recommend to collect data from the respondents who intend to purchase vehicle within a month.

5.4.2 In this research, only accessibility and vivacity can predict consumer purchase intention. Some respondents mention about second hand selling price and after sale service in the comment of the questionnaire. According to this, second hand selling price and after sale service might have influence on consumer purchase intention and should be added in the future research. 5.4.3 During factor analysis in this research found that some question has factor loading value less than 0.3 which should be deleted from the group or using confirmatory factor analysis in the future research. The question that are not exceed factor loading value are question 1: I buy car with high price (CA1) in car attribute grouping, question 3: I buy unique and admirable cars (EC3) in emotional connection grouping, question 1: I buy a car because of its country origin (EI1) and question 4: My car brand reflect my social status (EI4) in external influence grouping, question 3: Components of an environmental friendly vehicles are recyclable (EP3) in supporting environmental protection grouping, and question 1: I would like to purchase vehicle that has good price (BI1) in behavioral intention grouping.

5.4.4 For business benefits, the result from this study showed that vivacity and accessibility had an impact on purchase intention of the consumers. Therefore, car dealers and manufacturers should first aim to show vivacity or hipness as a component of the brand personality by making the consumers believe that the physical appearances of their cars reflect their youth, spirits, coolness, and cheerfulness. Second, car dealers and manufacturers should be certain that the cars are widely available, showrooms easy to access all over the country, spare parts readily available, as well as easy to access for maintenance and repair services. Then, the consumers are likely to purchase the automobiles.

5.4.5 For academic benefits, theories and knowledge on vivacity and accessibility toward purchase intention had been expanded. Future research includes data collection in other big cities like Chiangmai or Phuket to compare the results.

Also, the data can be collected, compared, and analyzed between the Thai and the foreign automobile consumers in Thailand.



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APPENDIX A

Survey Questions (English)



NO.....

Questionnaire

on

Factors Positively Affecting Purchase Intention of Automobile Consumers at Thailand International Motor Expo 2015 in Bangkok

Instruction : Objective of this survey is to collected data for use in master of business administration research, Bangkok University. The result of this research will be benefit to automobile industry. In this regard, cooperation from the respondents are needed. I, Chiratt Chaisamran, master's degree of business administration student from Bangkok University thankfully for your cooperation

Instruction : Please answer the following question and put \checkmark in \Box that matches you most.

1. Gender

□ 1) Male □ 2) Female 2. Age □ 1) Under 24 years old □ 2) 25–35 years old □ 3) 36–45 years old □ 4) 46–55 years old □ 5) Over 56 years old 104

3. Status

\Box 1) Single	\Box 2) Married							
□ 3) Divorced/ Widowed/ Separat	ed							
4. Level of education								
\Box 1) Under Bachelor Degree	□ 2) Bachelor Degree							
□ 3) Master Degree	□ 4) Doctorate Degree							
□ 5) Others								
5. Monthly income								
\Box 1) Less than 30,000 baht	□ 2) 30,001–50,000 baht							
□ 3) 50,001–70,000 baht	□ 4) 70,001–90,000 baht							
□ 5) 90,001–150,000 baht	□ 6) More than 150,000 baht							
6. Occupation								
□ 1) State enterprise employee	□ 2) Private employee							
\Box 3) Self-Employed	□ 4) Others							
8.Owned vehicle								
□ 1) None	□ 2) 1 vehicle							
\Box 3) 2 vehicles	\Box 4) 3 vehicles							
\Box 5) More than 3 vehicles								
9. Interested vehicle segment								
□ 1) Sedan	□ 2) Pick-up							
□ 3) Sport	□ 4) SUV/PPV							

□ 5) MPV e.g. Toyota Alphard/Vellfire, Volkswagen Caravelle

10.Owned vehicle potential in

\Box 1) in a month	□ 2) 2-6 month
\Box 3) 6 month - 1 year	□ 4) Over a year

11. Most influence factor on vehicle purchase decision

□ 2) Usage
□ 4) Fuel saving
□ 6) Promotion

□ 7) Other

12. Who has most influence on vehicle purchase decision

□ 1) Yourself	□ 2) Family
□ 3) Advertising	\Box 4) Vehicle review
□ 5) Friend	□ 6) Test Drive
□ 7) Other	

13.Main objective of purchasing vehicle

□ 1) For work/ study

- \Box 2) For vacation/ Visit family
- \Box 3) Commercial use
- \Box 4) For good image

Please mark every question with only one \checkmark in the box that most corresponds to your comments.

			Agre	eable 1	Level	
		Hig	Hi	Mo	Lo	Lo
		hest	gh	dera	W	wes
				te		t
		(5)	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
Са	ar Attributes		<u> </u>			
1	I purchase car with high price	Ċ,	2			
2	I prefer attractive and well-designed cars		S			
3	I choose car that is safer					
4	I will buy a car that is durable		Y			
Er	notional Connection					
1	My brand of car stand for something important					
	for me	0				
2	My car brand socially connected me to people					
3	I purchase unique and admirable cars					
4	My brand of car makes me feel confident					
A	ccessibility		I			
1	I prefer a car which is widely available					
2	I purchase a car which is widely available	<u> </u>				
3	I purchase a car which has spare parts readily					
	available					

			Agre	eable	Level	
		Hig	Hi	Mo	Lo	Lo
		hest	gh	dera	w	wes
				te		t
		(5)	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
4	I choose cars with maintenance and repair					
	services available					
Ex	ternal Influence					
1	I purchase a car because of its country origin					
	e.g. Toyota, Honda from Japan. Mercedes-					
	Benz, BMW from Germany					
2	I purchase a car recommended by my family					
	and friends					
3	I purchase a car used by my family and friends					
4	My car brand reflects my social status	20				
Br	and-Loving Tendency			<u> </u>	1	
1	I tend to care about brands when I buy car					
2	I tend to repurchase car brand that I have					
	bought before					
3	I tend to consider company image when I buy					
	car					
4	I tend to purchase car from famous brands even					
	though they are expensive					

			Agre	eable	Level	
		Hig	Hi	Mo	Lo	Lo
		hest	gh	dera	W	wes
				te		t
		(5)	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
Su	pporting Environmental Protection	I	I	<u> </u>		
1	Supporting environmental protection in automobile make me feel meaningful					
2	The price for environmental friendly vehicles					
	should be appropriate in relation to value for					
	money					
3	Components of an environmentally friendly		Y			
	vehicles are recyclable					
4	I find environmental friendly vehicles really					
	relevant to my lifestyle	6				
5	An environmental friendly vehicles should					
	produces the least pollution in its usage					
6	I prefer environmental friendly vehicles over					
	non-environmental friendly vehicles when their					
	product qualities are similar					
Dı	ive for Environmental Responsibility					
1	Supporting environmental protection makes me					
	feel as an environmentally responsible person					

		Agreeable Level				
		Hig	Hi	Mo	Lo	Lo
		hest	gh	dera	w	wes
				te		t
		(5)	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
2	I should be responsible for protecting our					
	environment					
3	Environmental protection start with me					
4	I would say I am emotionally involved in		2			
	environmental protection issue		S			
5	Supporting environmental protection makes me					
	special					
Vi	vacity	<u> </u>			<u> </u>	
1	Car design should reflect your youth					
2	Car design should reflect your spirit	0				
3	Car design should reflect your coolness					
4	Car design should reflect your cheerfulness					
Be	ehavioral Intention	I	1	1	I	
1	I would like to purchase vehicle that has good					
	price					
2	I intend to purchase vehicle soon					
3	I will recommended my friend to purchase					
	vehicle by considering factors in this					

			Agre	eable	Level	
		Hig	Hi	Mo	Lo	Lo
		hest	gh	dera	W	wes
				te		t
		(5)	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
	questionnaire					
4	I encourage my relative to purchase vehicle by					
	considering factors in this questionnaire					

Please recommend for other factors that might affect vehicle purchase

intention

Thank you for your cooperation

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APPENDIX B

Survey Questions (Thai)



NO.....

แบบสอบถาม

เรื่อง

ปัจจัยที่มีอิทธิพลต่อความตั้งใจซื้อรถยนต์ของพนักงานบริษัทเอกชนในกรุงเทพมหานคร คำชื้แจง: แบบสอบถามนี้มีวัตถุประสงค์เก็บรวบรวมข้อมูล เพื่อนำไปประกอบการศึกษาระดับ ปริญญาโท บริหารธุรกิจมหาบัณฑิต มหาวิทยาลัยกรุงเทพ และสามารถนำผลการวิจัยไปใช้ประโยชน์ ได้อย่างมีประสิทธิภาพต่อธุรกิจยานยนต์ ดังนั้นจึงใคร่ขอความร่วมมือจากท่านในการตอบ แบบสอบถามให้ตรงตามความเห็นของท่านมากที่สุด โอกาสนี้ผู้ศึกษาวิจัยนาย จิรัฏฐ์ ใจสำราญ นักศึกษาปริญญาโท สาขาวิชาเอกบริหารธุรกิจ คณะบริหารธุรกิจ มหาวิทยาลัยกรุงเทพ ขอขอบคุณ ในความร่วมมือของท่านเป็นอย่างสูง

คำชี้แจง: โปรดทำเครื่องหมาย ✔ลงในช่องที่ตรงกับความคิดเห็นของท่านมากที่สุดในแต่ละข้อเพียง ข้อละหนึ่งคำตอบและโปรดทำให้ครบทุกข้อ

1. เพศ

	🔲 1) ชาย	🔲 2) หญิง
2. อายุ		
	🔲 1) ต่ำกว่า 24 ปี	🔲 2) 25-35ปี
	่ □ 3) 36-45ปี	🔲 4) 46-55ปี
	🔲 5) 56ปีขึ้นไป	

	🔲 1) โสด	🔲 2) สมรส
	🔲 3) หย่าร้าง/หม้าย/แยกกันอยู่	
4.ระดับก	ารศึกษา	
	🔲 1) ต่ำกว่าปริญญาตรี	🔲 2) ปริญญาตรี
	🔲 3) ปริญญาโท	🗖 4) ปริญญาเอก
	🗖 5) อื่นๆ โปรดระบุ	Λ
5.รายได้	ต่อเดือน	
	🔲 1) ต่ำกว่า 30,000 บาท	🔲 2) 30,001–50,000 บาท
	🗖 3) 50,001–70,000 บาท	🔲 4) 70,001–90,000 บาท
	🗖 5) 90,001–150,000 บาท	🔲 6) 150,000 บาท ขึ้นไป
6.อาชีพ		
	🗖 1) พนักงานรัฐวิสาหกิจ/รับราชการ	🔲 2) พนักงานบริษัทเอกชน/ รับจ้าง
	🔲 3) ธุรกิจส่วนตัว/ ค้าขาย	🔲 5) อื่นๆ
8. ท่านมี	รถยนต์จำนวนกี่คัน	
	🔲 1) ไม่มี	🔲 2) 1คัน
	🔲 3) 2 คัน	🔲 4)3 คัน
	🗖 5) มากกว่า 3 คัน	

9. ท่านสนใจที่จะซื้อรถยนต์ประเภทใด

🔲 1) รถเก๋ง	🗖 2) รถกระบะ						
🔲 3) รถสปอร์ต	4) รถ SUV/PPV						
🔲 5) รถตู้/MPV เช่น โตโยต้า อัลพาร์ด,	โฟล์ค คาราเวล						
10. ท่านมีแนวโน้มที่จะซื้อรถยนต์ ในระยะเวลา	0. ท่านมีแนวโน้มที่จะซื้อรถยนต์ ในระยะเวลา						
🔲 1) ภายใน 1 เดือน	🔲 2) 2 เดือน -6 เดือน						
🔲 3) 6 เดือน - 1 ปี	🔲 4) 1 ปี ขึ่นไป						
11.ปัจจัยที่มีความสำคัญที่สุดในการเลือกซื้อรถยา	เต์ของท่าน						
🔲 1) ราคา	🗖 2) การใช้งาน						
🛛 3) แบรนด์	🗖 4) ความประหยัด						
🔲 5) การบริการหลังการขาย	🗖 6) โปรโมชั่น						
🔲 7) อื่นๆ							
12. ใครมีอิทธิพลในการตัดสินใจซื้อรถยนต์ของท่	าน						
🔲 1)ตัวเอง	🗖 2) ครอบครัว						
□ 3) โฆษณา	🗖 4) รีวิวรถยนต์						
🔲 5) เพื่อน	🗖 6) การทดลองขับ (Test Drive)						
🔲 7) อื่นๆ							
13. เหตุผลหลักในการซื้อรถยนต์ของท่าน							
🔲 1) ใช้ไปทำงาน/ไปเรียน	🔲 2) ใช้ไปเที่ยว/กลับบ้านต่างจังหวัด						
🔲 3) ใช้เพื่อการพาณิชย์	🔲 4) เสริมภาพลักษณ์						

โปรดทำเครื่องหมาย ✔ลงในช่องที่ตรงกับความคิดเห็นของท่านมากที่สุดในแต่ละข้อเพียงข้อละหนึ่ง คำตอบและโปรดทำให้ครบทุกข้อ

		ระดับความเห็นด้วย				
		มาก	มาก	ปาน	น้อย	น้อย
		ที่สุด		กลาง		ที่สุด
		(5)	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
คุถ	เล้กษณะของรถยนต์ (Car Attributes)				1	1
1	ท่านจะซื้อรถที่มีราคาแพง		2			
2	ท่านชอบรถยนต์ที่มีรูปลักษณ์และการออกแบบที่ดี		S			
3	ท่านเลือกรถยนต์โดยเน้นความปลอดภัยเป็นหลัก					
4	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์ที่มีความทนทาน		Y			
กา	รเชื่อมต่อทางอารมณ์ (Emotional Connection)					
1	ท่านมีความเชื่อว่าแบรนด์ของรถยนต์มีความสำคัญต่อ	6				
	ท่าน)				
2	ท่านเชื่อว่าแบรนด์ของรถยนต์ที่ท่านเลือกใช้จะส่งผลต่อ					
	กลุ่มคนที่ท่านพบปะ					
3	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์ที่ท่านชื่นชอบและมีเอกลักษณ์					
4	ท่านเชื่อว่าแบรนด์ของรถยนต์ส่งเสริมความมั่นใจของ					
4	ท่าน					
กา	รเข้าถึง (Accessibility)	Ι	1		I	

		ระดับความเห็นด้วย				
		มาก	มาก	ปาน	น้อย	น้อย
		ที่สุด		กลาง		ที่สุด
		(5)	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
1	ท่านชอบรถยนต์ที่มีอยู่ในตลาดจำนานมาก เช่น โตโยต้า					
2	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์ที่มีโซว์รูมทั่วประเทศ					
3	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์ที่สามารถหาอะไหล่ทดแทนได้โดยง่าย					
4	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์ที่หาศูนย์บริการได้ง่าย		0			
อิท	เธิพลภายนอก (External Influence)	<u> </u>			<u> </u>	<u> </u>
1	ท่านจะซื้อแบรนด์รถยนต์ที่บ่งบอกถึงประเทศผู้ผลิต เช่น			-		
	โตโยต้าจากประเทศญี่ปุ่น เบนซ์จากประเทศเยอรมัน		Y			
2	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์จากคำแนะนำของคนในครอบครัวและ			/		
	เพื่อน	6				
3	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์แบบเดียวกับที่คนในครอบครัวหรือ	2				
	เพื่อนของท่านใช้					
4	ท่านเชื่อว่าแบรนด์ของรถยนต์บ่งบอกถึงสถานะทาง					
	สังคม					
คว	ามชอบต่อแบรนด์(Brand-Loving Tendency)	I	I		1	1
1	ท่านมักให้ความใส่ใจกับแบรนด์ของสินค้าเมื่อท่านซื้อ					
	รถยนต์					

		ระดับความเห็นด้วย				
		มาก	มาก	ปาน	น้อย	น้อย
		ที่สุด		กลาง		ที่สุด
		(5)	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
2	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์จากแบรนด์ที่ท่านเคยซื้อมาก่อนแล้ว					
3	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์จากภาพลักษณ์ของบริษัทผลิตรถยนต์					
	เป็นหลัก					
4	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์โดยดูจากความมีชื่อเสียงของแบรนด์		2			
	ถึงแม้ว่าจะมีราคาที่แพงกว่าก็ตาม		S			
สน	ับสนุนการปกป้องสิ่งแวดล้อม (Supporting Environment	tal Pro	tectio	n)		
1	ท่านตั้งใจที่จะซื้อรถยนต์ที่สนับสนุนต่อการอนุรักษ์		Y			
	สิ่งแวดล้อม					
2	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์ที่ช่วยอนุรักษ์สิ่งแวดล้อม ถ้ามีราคา	6				
	สมเหตุสมผล					
3	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์ที่มีการผลิตจากวัสดุรีไซเคิล					
4	ท่านเชื่อว่ารถยนต์ที่ช่วยอนุรักษ์สิ่งแวดล้อมจะตรง					
	กับไลฟ์สไตล์ของท่าน					
5	ท่านต้องการให้รถยนต์ปลดปล่อยมลพิษน้อยลงกว่า					
	ปัจจุบัน					
6	ท่านชอบรถยนต์ที่ช่วยอนุรักษ์สิ่งแวดล้อมถ้าคุณภาพ					

	ระดับความเห็นด้วย				
	มาก	มาก	ปาน	น้อย	น้อย
	ที่สุด		กลาง		ที่สุด
	(5)	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
ของตัวรถเทียบเท่ารถยนต์ทั่วไป					
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รับผิดชอบต่อสิ่งแวดล้อม					
ท่านคิดว่าท่านควรมีส่วนร่วมในการปกป้องสิ่งแวดล้อม		S			
ท่านคิดว่าการปกป้องสิ่งแวดล้อมควรเริ่มจากตัวท่านเอง					
ท่านพูดได้ว่าท่านมีอารมณ์ร่วมในการช่วยปกป้อง		Y			
สิ่งแวดล้อม					
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ท่านเชื่อว่ารูปลักษณ์ของรถยนต์บ่งบอกถึงบุคลิกที่					
เยาว์วัยของท่านได้					
ท่านเชื่อว่ารถยนต์คือจิตวิญญาณของท่าน					
ท่านเชื่อว่ารถยนต์จะแสดงออกถึงความทันสมัยของท่าน					
ท่านเชื่อว่าตัวรถยนต์จะทำให้ท่านเพลิดเพลินไปกับการ					
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		ระดับความเห็นด้วย				
		มาก	มาก	ปาน	น้อย	น้อย
		ที่สุด		กลาง		ที่สุด
		(5)	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
WE	ุติกรรมความตั้งใจ (Behavioral Intention)	<u> </u>	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	
1	ท่านจะซื้อรถยนต์ถ้ารถยนต์มีราคาที่เหมาะสม					
2	ท่านตั้งใจจะซื้อรถยนต์เร็วๆนี้					
3	ท่านจะแนะนำให้เพื่อนๆ ของท่านซื้อรถยนต์โดย		2			
	พิจารณาจากปัจจัยในแบบสอบถามนี้		S			
4	ท่านจะแนะนำให้ญาติพี่น้องของท่านซื้อรถยนต์โดย					
	พิจารณาจากปัจจัยในแบบสอบถามนี้		Y			

ขอให้ท่านแนะนำเพิ่มเติมสำหรับปัจจัยอื่นๆ ที่มีผลต่อความตั้งใจที่จะซื้อรถยนต์

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APPENDIX C

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To Dr. Penjira Kanthawongs

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I, Chiratt Chaisamran, a Master of Business Administration's student majoring in Business Administration at Bangkok University is conducting a research as a part of Independent Study titled, Factor Positively Affecting Automobile Consumer Purchase Intention of Working People in Bangkok. Due to your expertise in your business, I would like to ask you to review the questionnaire items in terms of wordings and content validities by using Index of Item Objective Congruence : IOC with ±1 as **comprehensible**, **O** as **uncertain**, or **-1** as **incomprehensible** by the target group of this research. I greatly appreciated your kind assistance.

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Best Regards,

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2 ธันวาคม 2558

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เรียน คุณ นนทพัทธ์ จงทอง ผู้จัดการ บริษัท โคโยด้ามหานคร จำกัด

กระผม นาย จิรัฏฐ์ ใจสำราญ นักศึกษาปริญญาโท สาขาวิชาเอก บริหารธุรกิจ มหาวิทยาลัยกรุงเทพ กำลังคำเนินการ ศึกษาวิจัยเรื่อง ปัจจัยที่มีอิทธิพลเชิงบวกต่อความตั้งใจซื้อรถยนต์ของพนักงานบริษัทเอกชนในกรุงเทพมหานคร เนื่องจากกระผม ทราบว่าท่านเป็นผู้เชี่ยวชาญในธุรกิจขานยนต์นี้ดี ดังนั้น ประสบการณ์ ความคิดเห็น ของท่านจะช่วยให้แบบสอบถามงานวิจัยมีคำ เขียนที่ถูกต้อง เข้าใจได้ง่ายโดยผู้บริโภคของธุรกิจนี้เป็นอย่างดี ดังนั้น กระผม ใคร่ขอให้ท่าน พิจารณาประเมินว่า เป็นคะแนน ก่า ดัชนีความสอดคล้อง (Index of Item Objective Congruence : IOC) ดังนี้ "+ 1" หมายถึง ข้อกำถามนั้น มีกำเขียนที่ถูกต้อง เข้าใจ ใค้ง่ายโดยผู้บริโภคของธุรกิจนี้เป็นอย่างดี "0" หมายถึง ไม่แน่ใจหรือตัดสินไม่ได้"- 1" หมายถึง ข้อกำถามนั้นมีกำเขียนที่ไม่ ถูกต้อง หรือไม่น่าจะถูกต้อง หรือไม่สามารถเข้าใจได้ง่ายโดยผู้บริโภคของธุรกิจนี้

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เรื่อง ใกร่ขอความอนุเคราะห์ผู้เชี่ยวชาญพิจารณาคำถามเพื่อใช้ในแบบสอบถามสำหรับงานวิจัย (Independent Study) นักศึกษา ปริญญาโท สาขาวิชาเอก การบริหารและจัคการ มหาวิทยาลัยกรุงเทพ

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กระผม นาย จรัฏฐ์ ใจสำราญ นักศึกษาปริญญาโท สาขาวิชาเอก บริหารธุรกิจ มหาวิทยาลัยกรุงเทพ กำลังคำเนินการ ศึกษาวิจัยเรื่อง ปัจจัยที่มีอิทธิพลเชิงบวกต่อกวามตั้งใจซื้อรถยนต์ของพนักงานบริษัทเอกชนในกรุงเทพมหานคร เนื่องจากกระผม ทราบว่าท่านเป็นผู้เชี่ยวชาญในธุรกิจยานยนต์นี้ดี ดังนั้น ประสบการณ์ ความคิดเห็น ของท่านจะช่วยให้แบบสอบถามงานวิจัยมีคำ เขียนที่ถูกต้อง เข้าใจได้ง่ายโดยผู้บริโภคของธุรกิจนี้เป็นอย่างดี ดังนั้น กระผม ใกร่ขอให้ท่าน พิจารณาประเมินว่า เป็นคะแนน ก่า ดัชนีกวามสอดกล้อง (Index of Item Objective Congruence : IOC) ดังนี้ "+ 1" หมายถึง ข้อกำถามนั้น มีกำเขียนที่ถูกต้อง เข้าใจ ใค้ง่ายโดยผู้บริโภคของธุรกิจนี้เป็นอย่างดี "o" หมายถึง ไม่แน่ใจหรือตัดสินไม่ได้"- 1" หมายถึง ข้อกำถามนั้นมีกำเขียนที่ไม่ ถูกต้อง หรือไม่น่าจะถูกต้อง หรือไม่สามารถเข้าใจได้ง่ายโดยผู้บริโภคของธุรกิจนี้



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car attributes	CA1: I buy car of	CA1: ท่านจะซื้อรถ			
(CA)	high price.	ที่มีราคาแพง			
(Narteh,					
Odoom,	V	III			
Braimah, &	JOK.	UND			
Buame, 2012)					
-			7		
	CA2: I prefer	CA2: ท่านชอบ	U		
	attractive and	รถยนต์ที่มีรูปลักษณ์	-		
	well-designed	และการออกแบบที่ดี		<	
	cars.				
	CA3: I choose car	CA3: ท่านเลือก			
	that is safer.	รถยนต์โดยเน้นความ	0'		
	INT	ปลอดภัยเป็นหลัก			
	CA4: I will buy a	CA4: ท่านจะซื้อ			
	car that is durable.	รถยนต์ที่มีความ			
		ทนทาน			
emotional	EC1: My brand of	EC1: ท่านมีความ			
connection	car stand for	เชื่อว่า แบรนด์ของ			
(EC)	something	รถยนต์มีความสำคัญ			

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(Narteh,	important for me.	ต่อท่าน			
Odoom,					
Braimah, &					
Buame, 2012)	OK	UNA			
	EC2: My car	EC2: ท่านเชื่อว่าแบ			
	brand socially	รนด์ของรถยนต์ที่			
	connects me to	ท่านเลือกใช้จะส่งผล	Ŭ,		
N N	people.	ต่อกลุ่มคนที่พบเจอ	I	-	
		กับท่าน		\leq	
	EC3: I buy unique	EC3: ท่านจะซื้อ	Ċ		
	and admirable	รถยนต์ที่ท่านชื่นชอบ	0		
	cars.	และมีเอกลักษณ์ตรง			
		กับความชื่นชอบของ			
		ท่าน			
	EC4: My brand of	EC4: ท่านเชื่อว่าแบ			
	car makes me feel	รนด์ของรถยนต์			
	confident.	ส่งเสริมความมั่นใจ			
		ของท่าน			

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accessibility	AC1: I prefer a	AC1: ท่านชอบ			
(AC)	car which is	รถยนต์ที่มีอยู่ใน			
(Narteh,	widely available.	ตลาดจำนวนมาก			
Odoom,	V	เช่น โตโยต้า, ฮอนด้า			
Braimah, &	101				
Buame, 2012)	\mathcal{O}				
	AC2: I buy a car	AC2: ท่านจะซื้อ			
	which has	รถยนต์ที่มีโชว์รูมและ			
	showrooms all	ศูนย์บริการทั่ว			
	over the country.	ประเทศ			
	AC3: I buy a car	AC3: ท่านจะซื้อ	Y.		
	which has spare	รถยนต์ที่สามารถหา			
	parts readily	อะไหล่ทดแทนได้			
	available.	โดยง่าย			
	AC4: I choose	AC4: ท่านจะซื้อ			
	cars with	รถยนต์ที่มี			
	maintenance and	ศูนย์บริการเยอะหรือ			
	repair services available.	มีศูนย์บริการใกล้			
		บ้านท่าน			

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				<u>expert</u>	points
external	EI1: I buy a car	EI1: ท่านจะซื้อแบ			
influence	because of its	รนด์รถยนต์ที่บ่งบอก			
(EI)	country origin.	ถึงประเทศผู้ผลิต			
(Narteh,	X	เช่น โตโยต้าจาก			
Odoom,	LON	ประเทศยี่ปุ่น เบนซ์			
Braimah, &	6	จากประเทศเยอรมัน			
Buame, 2012)		1 110 12 MULTOD 171 M	0		
	EI2: I buy a car	EI2: ท่านจะซื้อ			
	recommended by	รถยนต์จาก			
	my family and	คำแนะนำของคนใน			
	friends.	ครอบครัวหรือเพื่อน	\sim		
		ร่วมงาน)		
	EI3: I buy a car	EI3: ท่านจะซื้อ			
	used by my family	รถยนต์แบบเดียวกับ			
	and friends.	ที่คนในครอบครัว			
		หรือเพื่อนของท่านใช้			
	EI4: My car brand	EI4: ท่านเชื่อว่าแบ			
	reflects my social	รนด์ของรถยนต์บ่ง			
	status.	บอกถึงสถานะทาง			

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		สังคม			
brand-loving	BL1: I tend to	BL1: ท่านมักให้			
tendency	care about brands	ความใสใจกับแบรนด์			
(BL)	when I buy things.	ของสินค้าเมื่อท่านซื้อ			
(Kumar &	A01				
Ghodeswar,		รถยนต์			
2015)			7		
		~	0	-	
	BL2: I tend to	BL2: ท่านจะซื้อ		-	
	repurchase brands	รถยนต์จากแบรนด์ที่		<	
	that I have bought	ท่านเคยซื้อมาก่อน			
	before.	แล้ว	2		
		แถ J	0/		
	BL3: I tend to	BL3: ท่านจะซื้อ			
	consider company	รถยนต์จาก			
	image when I buy	ภาพลักษณ์ของ			
	things.				
		บริษัทผลิตรถยนต์			
		เป็นหลัก			
	BL4: I tend to buy	BL4: ท่านจะซื้อ			
	products from	รถยนต์โดยดูจาก			
	famous brands	V.			

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	even though they	ความมีชื่อเสียงของ			
	are expensive.	แบรนด์ ถึงแม้ว่าจะมี			
		ราคาที่แพงกว่าก็ตาม			
supporting	EP1: Supporting	EP1: ท่านมีความ			
environmental	environmental	ตั้งใจที่จะซื้อรถยนต์			
protection	protection in	ที่เป็นมิตรต่อ	P		
(EP)	automobile makes	สิ่งแวดล้อม	Ú	2	
(Woo, Ahn,	me feel			H	
Lee, & Koo,	meaningful.			<	
2015)					
		8/			
	EP2: The price for	EP2: ท่านจะซื้อ	o^{\vee}		
	environmental	รถยนต์ที่เป็นมิตรต่อ			
	friendly vehicles	สิ่งแวดล้อม ถ้ามี			
	should be	ราคาที่น่าพอใจและ			
	appropriate in				
	relation to value	สมเหตุสมผล			
	for money.				
	EP3: Components	EP3: ท่านจะซื้อ			
	of an	รถยนต์ที่มีการผลิต			
	environmentally				

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	friendly vehicles	จากวัสดุรีไซเคิล เช่น			
	are recyclable.	กันชน, วัสดุตกแต่ง			
		ภายใน			
	EP4: I find	EP4: ท่านมีความ			
	environmental	เชื่อว่ารถยนต์ที่เป็น			
-	friendly vehicles	มิตรต่อสิ่งแวดล้อม	P		
	really relevant to my lifestyle.	จะตรงกับไลฟ์สไตล์			
		ในการใช้			
		ชีวิตประจำวันของ			
	~	ท่าน			
	EP5: An	EP5: ท่านต้องการ			
	environmental	ให้รถยนต์ปลดปล่อย			
	friendly vehicles	มลพิษน้อยลงกว่า			
	should produces	ปัจจุบัน			
	the least pollution				
	in its usage.				
	EP6: I prefer	EP6: ท่านชอบ			
	environmental	รถยนต์ที่เป็นมิตรต่อ			
	friendly vehicles	สิ่งแวดล้อมถ้า			

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	over non-	คุณภาพของตัวรถ			
	environmental	เทียบเท่ารถยนต์			
	friendly vehicles	ทั่วไป			
	when their	IIA			
	product qualities				
	are similar.				
drive for	ER1: Supporting	ER1: การที่รถช่วย			
environmental	environmental	อนุรักษ์สิ่งแวดล้อม		-	
responsibility	protection makes	และเป็นมิตรต่อ			
(ER)	me feel as an	สิ่งแวดล้อมทำให้			
(Woo, Ahn,	environmentally				
Lee, & Koo,	responsible	ท่านรู้สึกเป็นเหมือน	OV/		
2015)	person.	ผู้มีความรับผิดชอบ			
		ต่อสิ่งแวดล้อม			
	ER2: I should be	ER2: ท่านคิดว่าท่าน			
	responsible for	ควรมีส่วนร่วมในการ			
	protecting our	ปกป้องสิ่งแวดล้อม			
	environment.				
	ER3:	ER3: ท่านคิดว่าการ			
	Environmental	ปกป้องสิ่งแวดล้อม			

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				<u>expert</u>	<u>points</u>
	protection start	ควรเริ่มจากตัวท่าน			
	with me.	เอง			
	ER4: I would say	ER4: ท่านพูดได้ว่า			
	I am emotionally	ท่านมีอารมณ์ร่วมใน			
	involved in	การช่วยปกป้อง			
-	environmental	สิ่งแวดล้อม	2		
	protection issue.		Ū.	2	
	ER5: Supporting	ER5: ท่านรู้สึกพิเศษ		-	
	environmental	ที่ได้สนับสนุนการ	1	<	
	protection makes	ปกป้องสิ่งแวดล้อม			
	me special.				
	VUNI	19			
vivacity	VV1: Car design	VV1: ท่านเชื่อว่า			
(VV)	should reflect	รูปลักษณ์ของรถยนต์			
(Toldos-	your youth.	บ่งบอกถึงบุคลิกที่			
Romero &		เยาว์วัยของท่านได้			
Orozco-					
Gómez, 2015)					
	VV2: Car design	VV2: ท่านเชื่อว่า			

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	should reflect	รถยนต์คือจิต			
	your spirit.	วิญญาณของท่าน			
	VV3: Car design	VV3: ท่านเชื่อว่า			
	should reflect	รถยนต์จะแสดงออก			
	your coolness.	ถึงความทันสมัยของ			
		ท่าน	P		
	VV4: Car design	VV4: ท่านเชื่อว่าตัว			
a	should reflect	รถยนต์จะทำให้ท่าน			
	your cheerfulness.	เพลิดเพลินไปกับการ			
		ขับขี่			
behavioral	BI1: I would like	BI1: ท่านจะซื้อ			
intention (BI)	to purchase	รถยนต์ถ้ารถยนต์มี			
(Mouakket,	vehicle that has	ราคาที่เหมาะสม			
Moslehpour,	good price				
Massoud,					
Aulia, Carrine					
K., & Masarie					
,2015)					

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	BI2: I intend to	BI2: ท่านตั้งใจจะซื้อ			
	use cloud	รถยนต์เร็วๆ นี้			
	computing	BI2: I intend to			
	classroom to print	purchase vehicle			
	project, papers or	soon.			
	assignments this				
	term.				
	BI3: I encourage	BI3: ท่านจะแนะนำ			
	my friends to try	ให้เพื่อนๆ ของท่าน			
	Taiwanese bakery	ซื้อรถยนต์โดย			
	product.	พิจารณาจากปัจจัย	2		
		ในแบบสอบถามนี้	0/		
	N N	BI3: I will			
		recommended my			
		friend to purchase			
		vehicle by			
		considering			
		factors in this			
		questionnaire.			
	BI4: I will	BI4: ท่านจะแนะนำ			

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	recommended	ให้ญาติพี่น้องของ			
	cloud computing	ท่านซื้อรถยนต์โดย			
	classroom to	พิจารณาจากปัจจัย			
	others.	ในแบบสอบถามนี้			
	A CONTRACT	BI4: I encourage			
	0	my relative to	3		
		purchase vehicle	Ú		
		by considering		Ŧ	
		factors in this			
		questionnaire.			
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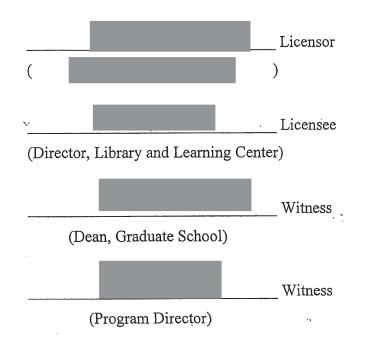
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