





Customer Relationship Management (CRM)

Trends and Concepts of Business Application Architecture

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Course Overview

Trends and Concepts of Business Application Architecture



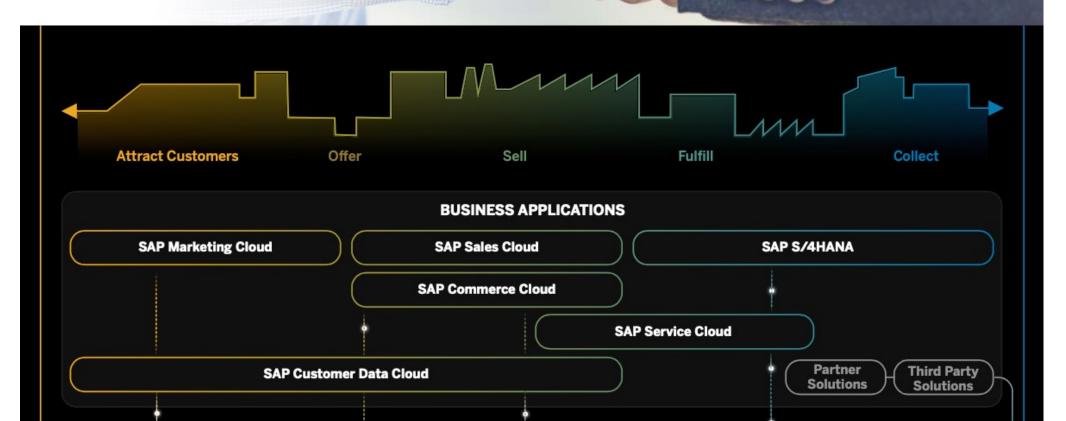


- Digitalization of Business Processes
- Enterprise Resource Planning
 - Sales and Distribution
 - Finance, Accounting, and Controlling
 - Human Resources
 - Material Management and Production Planning
- In-Memory Databases for Business Applications
- Customer Relationship Management
- Enterprise Cloud Platforms for Integration and Extensions
- Block Week: Architecture Deep Dives

Lead to Cash

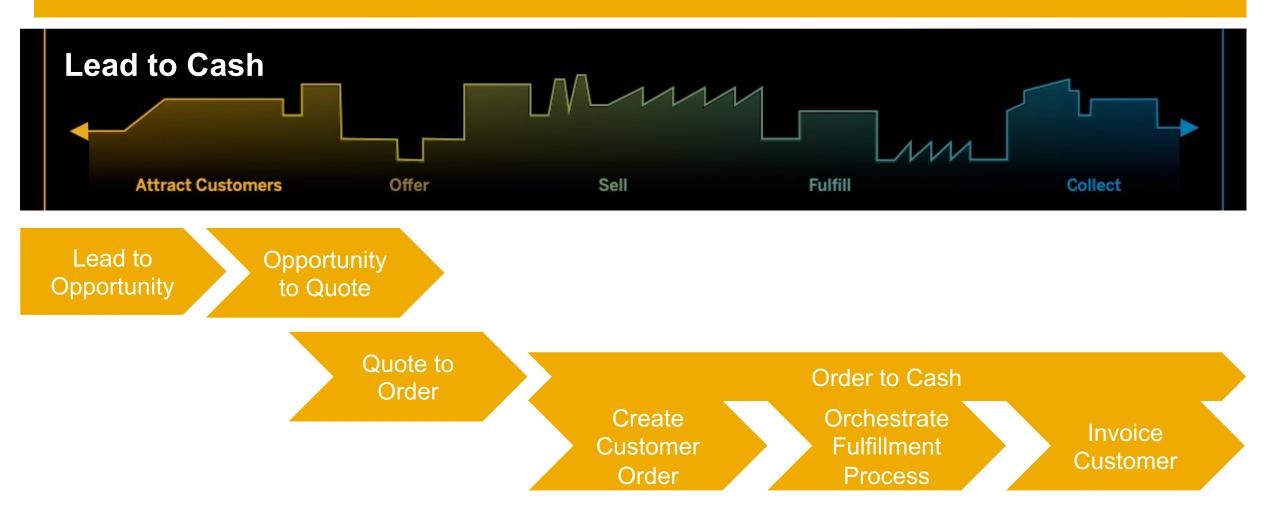
Manage all aspects of the customer experience, from the initial interaction to order fulfillment and service delivery. Drive and realize revenue along the customer journey.

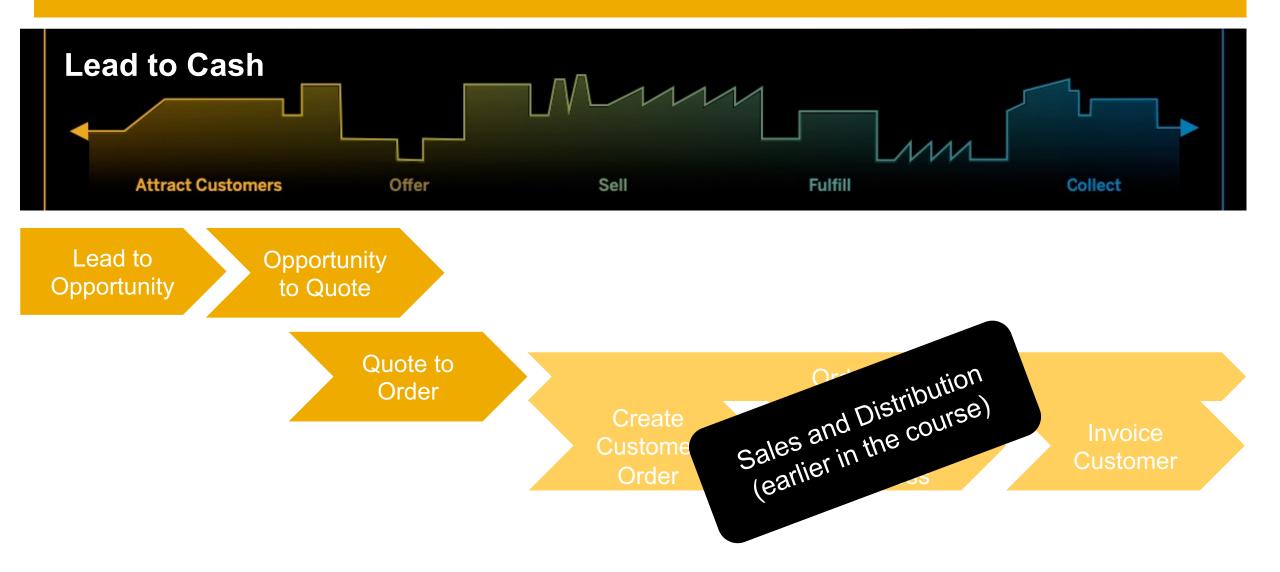












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Customer Relationship Management



CRM in general

- Organisational structure
- Master data
- CRM for Marketing Marketing to Lead Process
- CRM for Sales Lead-to-Order Process
- CRM for Service Sustain to Retain Process
- Summary

CRM Definition



CRM can be understood as a strategic approach, which is used for the complete planning, controlling and execution of all interactive processes with customers. CRM covers the entire company and the entire customer life cycle and includes the Database Marketing and corresponding CRM software as a management tool.*

Database Marketing - target group-oriented marketing based on detailed information about customers. This information is stored in a database. As specific information, the customer database contains master data as well as transactional data (e.g. sales data) on people or companies, i.e. address data, profile data (for specific identification and classification), campaign and reaction data. *

What is customer relationship management?



More than just selling:

CRM is a strategy for your company / business to serve your customers needs

- Gain new customers
- Serve the needs of existing customers

The overall goal is to gain revenue and sell the products and services of your company...

Customer Lifecycle



Customer Lifecycle is a 5-Step Process:

Reach Acquire Develop Retain Advocacy

- Start contact with the customer, e.g. ad in a magazine
- Analyze the effective marketing campaign
- Contact the customer directly with personalized communication, e.g. E-Mail
- Build a relationship with the customer
- Ensure customer satisfaction
- Maintain a relationship with a customer
- Up-Selling, Cross-Selling

- Customer spread awareness within their social circles
- Reach potential new customers
- Not every customer will reach this step

CRM from the IT perspective



A CRM Tool is the software that enables users to perform the tasks within the area of CRM:

- Central tool for all activities with customer interaction
- Connected and integrated to other systems within the solution landscape of a company and (if necessary) its partners
- Covers the whole customer lifecycle
- Interface to customers
- Analysis of customers to provide best fitting offer to a specific customer

Types of CRM



Operative CRM

- Supports customer interaction
- Optimize business processes for the customer interaction in the area of marketing, distribution and service
- Tools for automation and optimization from customer activities e.g. tools for sales force
- Operative data (e.g. phone number or product preferences) can be used for the analytic CRM

Analytic CRM

CRM

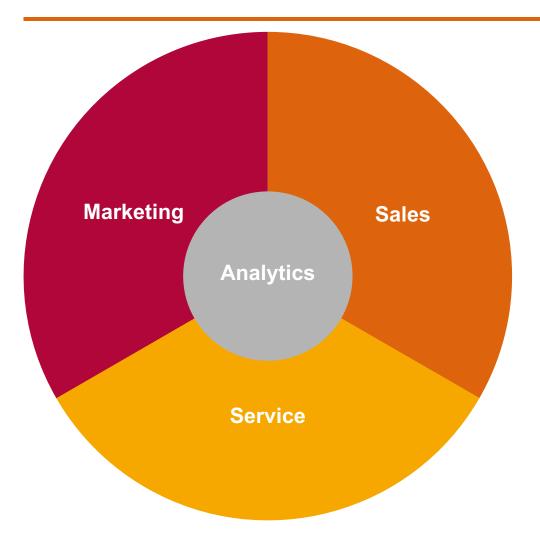
- Analyze customer data, e.g.
 Data Mining
- Gain customer information from the customer data, e.g. target group characteristics
- Identify customer characteristics, behaviors and value-added potential of customer

Collaborative CRM

- CRM can be used in corporation with e.g. customers, partners and external suppliers
- Integration of all participants of the processes in the field of marketing, sales and service
- Optimization along the value chain results in:
 - Lower process cost,
 - Intensive media use
 - Higher process speed

CRM Key Functions





- Functionalities divided into different subprocesses
- Chosen extent defines functions in use
- Communication channels connect functionalities with subprocesses

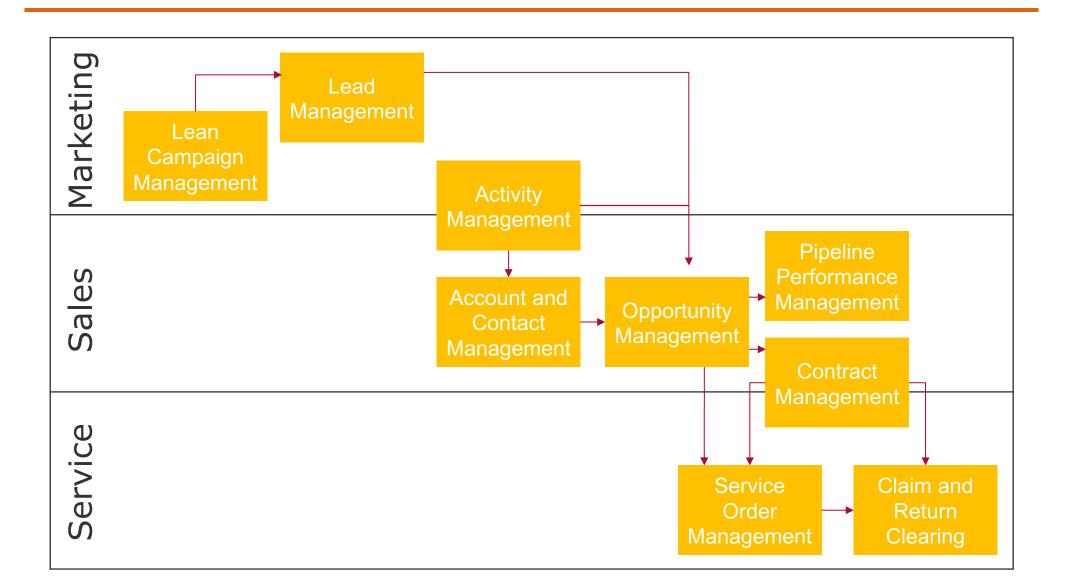
CRM Functions ordered by Key Functions



Marketing	Marketing Planning		Campaign Management		Lead Management		Trade Promotion Management		Segmentation		Pe	Personalization	
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Service	Servie Plannin Forecasting		tomer Serv port	ices &				Service Operations Management		Professional Services			
Analytics	Customer Analytics				Marke Analy		Sales Analytics		Service Analytics			Interaction Channel Analytics	

Subset of Interacting CRM processes





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Organizational Structure

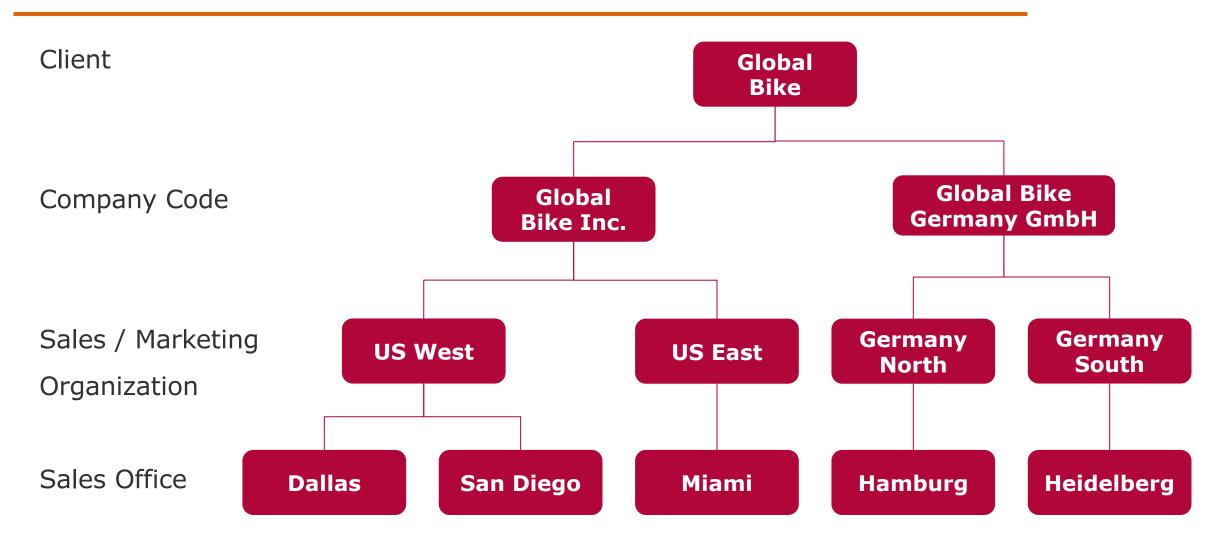
- Client (Mandant)
 - An independent environment in the system
- Company Code (Buchungskreis)
 - Smallest org unit for which you can maintain a legal set of books
- Marketing Area
- Sales Organization (Verkaufsorganisation)
 - An organizational unit responsible for the sale of certain products or services
 - The responsibility of a sales organization may include legal liability for products and customer claims
- Distribution Channel (Vertriebsweg)
 - The way in which products or services reach the customer
 - Typical examples of distribution channels are wholesale, retail, or direct sales

Organizational Structure

- Division (Sparte)
 - A way of grouping materials, products, or services
- Sales Area (Vertriebsbereich)
 - Combination of Sales Organization, Distribution Channel and Division
 - Determines conditions (i.e. pricing) for sales activities
- Plant (here: Delivering Plant)
 - Plant from which the goods should be delivered to the customer
- Other CRM organization units:
 - Shipping Point
 - Loading Point
 - Sales Office
 - Sales Group
 - Sales Person

Organizational Model





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CRM Master Data



- Business Partner
- Business Roles
- Organizational Management
- Marketing Attributes
- Service Agreements
- Products
- Sales Cycle

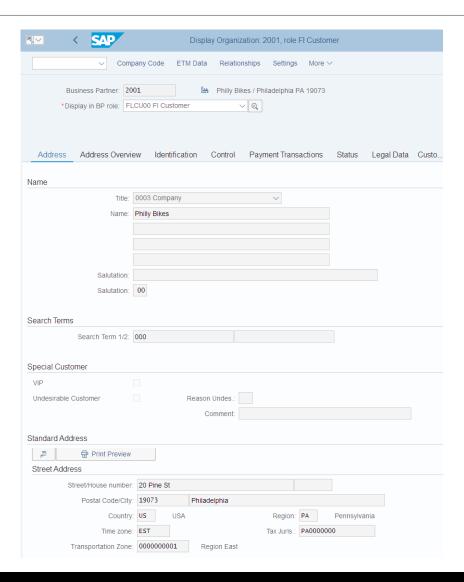
Business Partner



- Account
 - Individual Account (a person)
 - Corporate Account (legal entity or part thereof e.g., company or department)
 - Group Account (shared living agrrement e.g. married couple or executive board)
- Contact
 - Person
- Employee
 - Person

Customer Master Data

- Customer Master
 - Contains all of the information necessary for processing orders, deliveries, invoices and customer payment as well as marketing attributes, contact information, roles and relationships
 - Every customer MUST have a master record
 - But you can have one-time customers
- Created by Sales Area
 - Sales Organization
 - Distribution Channel
 - Division
- The customer master information is divided into 3 areas:
 - General Data (Name, address, communication)
 - Company Code Data (Accounts, bank)
 - Sales Area Data (Sales office, currency)



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CRM for Marketing



- CRM for Marketing supports complex customer relationships within the total marketing process. It aims to
 - strengthen customer loyalty through better segmentation, personalized offers and efficient marketing campaigns
 - help using the marketing budget in the most efficient way.

Benefits:

- better transparency
- stronger relationship to customers
- rentable marketing investments
- lean processes
- loyal customers

Top 3 Marketing Goals:

- 1. Generate demand
- 2. Create Brand Awareness
- 3. Build long-term profitable relationships

CRM Functions ordered by Key Functions



Plan all marketing activities centrally and implement them across the enterprise

Enable sales professionals to use the CRM for gathering, qualifying, and distributing leads

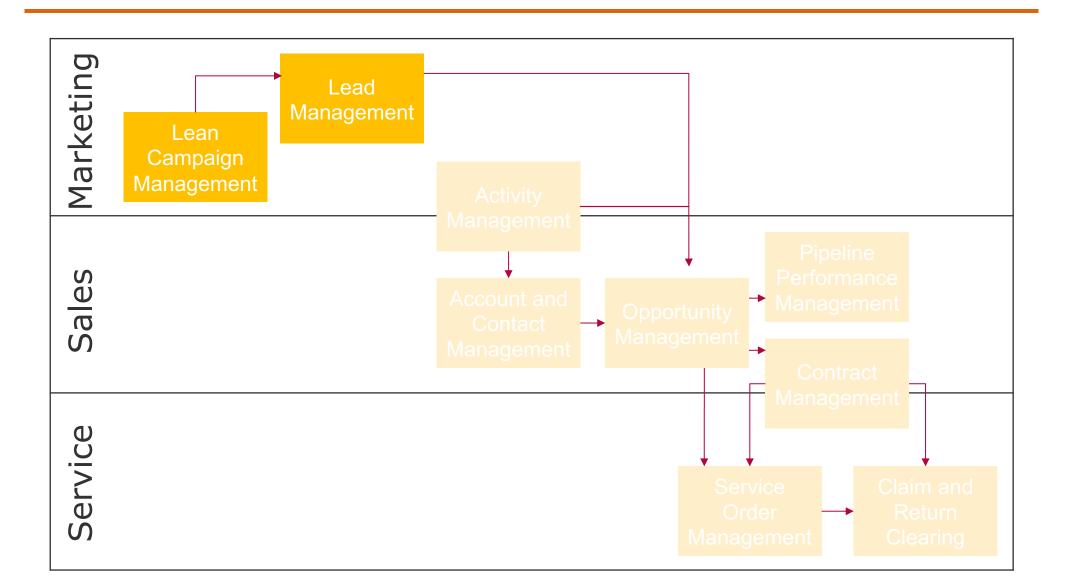
Create personalized product proposals

Marketing	Marketing Planning	Campaign Management	Lead Management	Trade Promotion Management		Segmentation	Personalization		
Sales Service	Forecastin des	ntrol the complete m mpaign process, inclusing, execution, coor timization, and monit	ding gement dination, toring	Opportunity Managemen anning &	highly targeted segments at the customer, partner, organizational, prospect, and group levels		ive & ission ement		
	Forecasting	Support	Optimizatio		Manage	ement	orcosional oc	ressional Services	
			Marketing Analytics	Sales Analyt					

Analyze customer behavior, segments, competitors, products, market channels, trends, profitability, and third-party market data

Interacting CRM Subprocesses





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Customer Relationship Management



- CRM for Marketing Marketing to Lead Process
 - □ General Marketing Functionality
 - □ Lean Campaign Management
 - □ Lead Management

External List Management (ELM)



External Lists contain information about new prospects and can be created and maintained using external data.

- Beneficial for transferring new prospects on a **huge scale** into your CRM System
- Can be obtainted from external providers
- formats like .csv or Excel spreadsheets

External data can contain:

- Name and address of business partners and marketing prospects
- Marketing attributes
- Information about business processes, activities and leads
- Survey details

External list management includes:

- Data procurement
- Defining mapping formats
- Maintaining and actualizing data
- Creation of business partners and marketing prospects and their usage in campaigns
- Analysis of used methods (Reporting)

Segmentation and Target Groups



- Define exact business partners for selective marketing
- combine business partners in Target Groups by similar marketing attributes
- used for customer oriented Campaigns
- estimate customers with most potential / value

■ Target Group is created using Customer Segmentation

Segmentation and Target Groups



- Segmentation in enterprises is used to better manage and collect information about customers in groups
 - Better and more complete information about customers increase the market value respectively
 - For executing selective marketing procedures you assign common marketing attributes and other general attributes of customers to target groups
 - Segmentation itself consists of several process steps

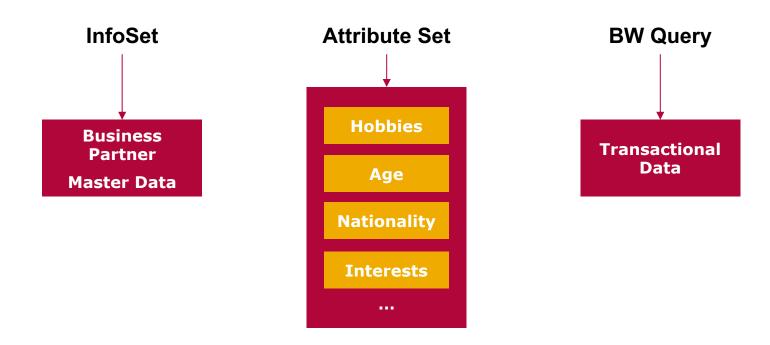


Segmentation and Target Groups

I. Define Master Data

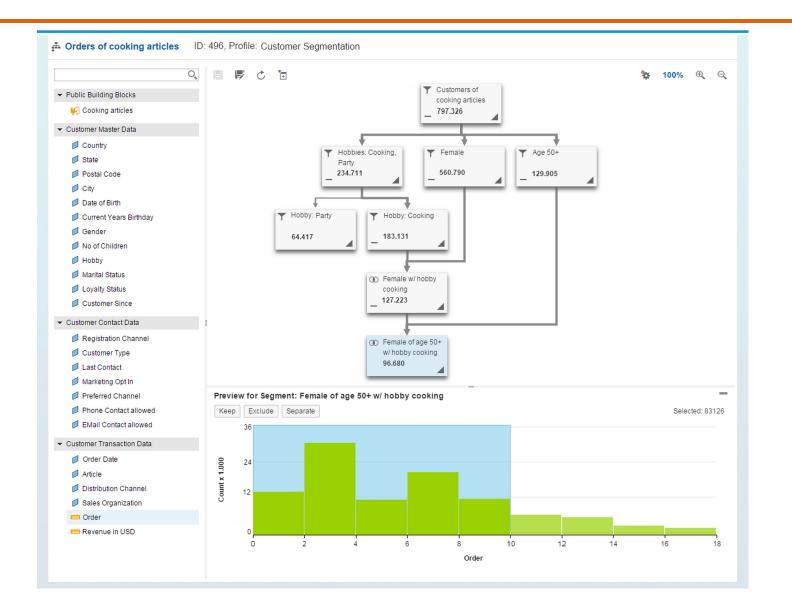


- There is no specific "Marketing Master Data" object
- Different Business Objects can be Selected for Marketing Master Data



Customer Segmentation - UI





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Lean Campaign ManagementDefinitions



A **Marketing Campaign** represents **a specific marketing operation** – a way in which business partners in a target group are contacted through a communication channel.

The target group represents a specific section of the market (see Segmentation).

The communication channel represents the way by which the business partners are contacted, e.g. E-mails, letters, phone calls, activities etc.

Marketing Campaigns form the operative basis in marketing planning and are used to plan, perform and analyze marketing operations efficiently.

Lean Campaign Management describes the process of planning executing and analyzing these campaigns

Lean Campaign Management

Process and Workflow



Marketing Leader Create
Overall
Marketing
Plan

Plan Campaign

Execute Campaign

Monitor Campaign

Analyze Campaign

Marketing Plan and Marketing Plan Elements are created in the CRM system Marketing Campaign is created in the Marketing Calendar and relates to the Marketing Plan Elements

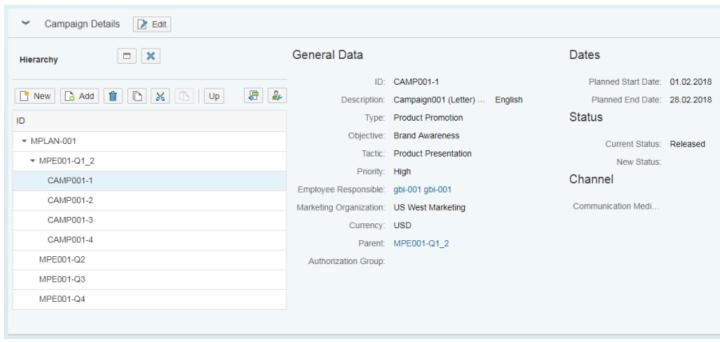
Campaign Execution via multiple Communication Channels

I. Marketing Planning



- A Marketing Plan is used to get an overview about the planned campaign steps
- create, delete or edit single marketing plan elements
- a hierarchy of marketing plan elements can be displayed





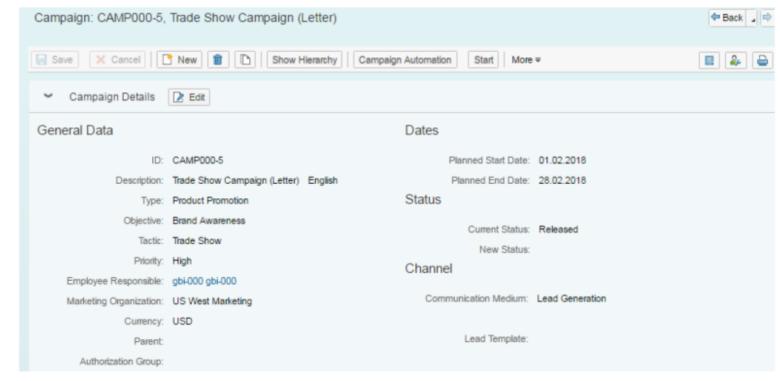
II. Campaign Planning



Marketing Campaign is created in the Marketing Calendar and relates to

the Marketing Plan Elements

- General Data such as:
 - Objective
 - Tactic
 - Priority
 - Type
 - Currency etc.



II. Campaign Planning



Campaign Planning is a 4 step process:

- Define product groups
 - Which products shall be offered to customers?
 - □ Bicycles, air pumps, other accessories etc.?
- Find target groups
 - Which customers shall be informed about your products via communication channel?
 - Setting filters to find meaningful target groups
- Decide for communication channel
- Resource planning

II.II Campaign Execution – Example: Personalized Email



Personalized Email is used to send Mails to target groups or to provide lists of marketing prospects with marketing information that are designed especially for these people.

- Mail formulas are used to create personalized mails
- Badge processes send out emails to assigned Target Group

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Lead ManagementDefinitions



A **Lead** represents

- a new potential business
- the basic interest in a product or service through a specific person or organization.

A **lead is a connection between marketing and sales**. Marketing can attract and increase the interest of a (new customer). The lead captures data for validation and prioritization of their interest. Once the interest is high enough the lead is handed over to sales and becomes an opportunity.

Lead Management is the process of collecting, updating and managing the interest of a business partner over time.

Lead Management

Process and Workflow



Customer Contact (Incoming **Activity**) **Address List** Customer contacts enterprise/ shows interest in product

The Lead is distributed to the Sales and Distribution Department



Execute Address List **Create Target** Group

Create Leads

Qualify Leads

Distribute Leads

Marketing **Employee creates Target Group**

Marketing Employee creates Lead for customer **Employee** qualifies Lead (as hot/cold/warm)

Distribute Leads to Sales



Lead Evaluation determines if the Lead becomes an Opportunity

Qualify Leads

EMployee Marketing Leader

Sales

Marketing Employee

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Lead Management

Qualification of Leads

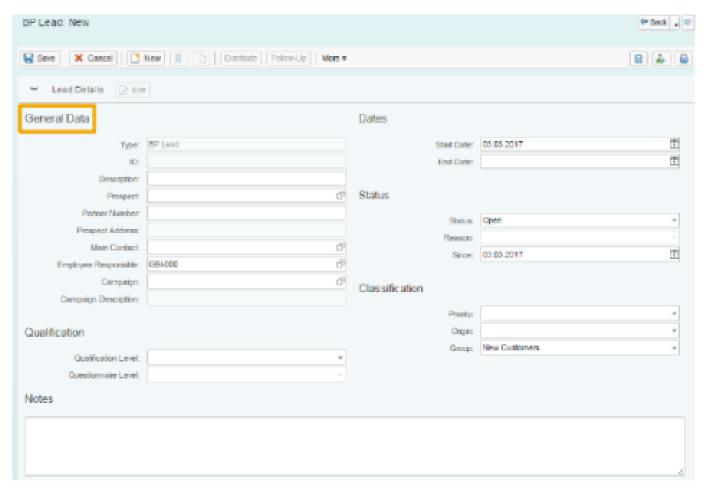


Status	777	Process
Business Partner	Leads from different Channels	Lead Creation and Targeting
Lead	Cold	Lead Qualification
	Warm	
— — — Qualified Lead- — —	Hot	— —Qualified Lead- — — —
Qualifica Load	D	Qualifica Ecaa
Opportunity	C	Salas Pinalina
Opportunity	В	Sales Pipeline
	A	
Customer	Analyze, learn, and grow customer	Selling Contracting

Lead Management in SAP CRM



- The Marketing person creates a Lead which can be qualified directly within the creation
- The campaign type can be added



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CRM for Sales



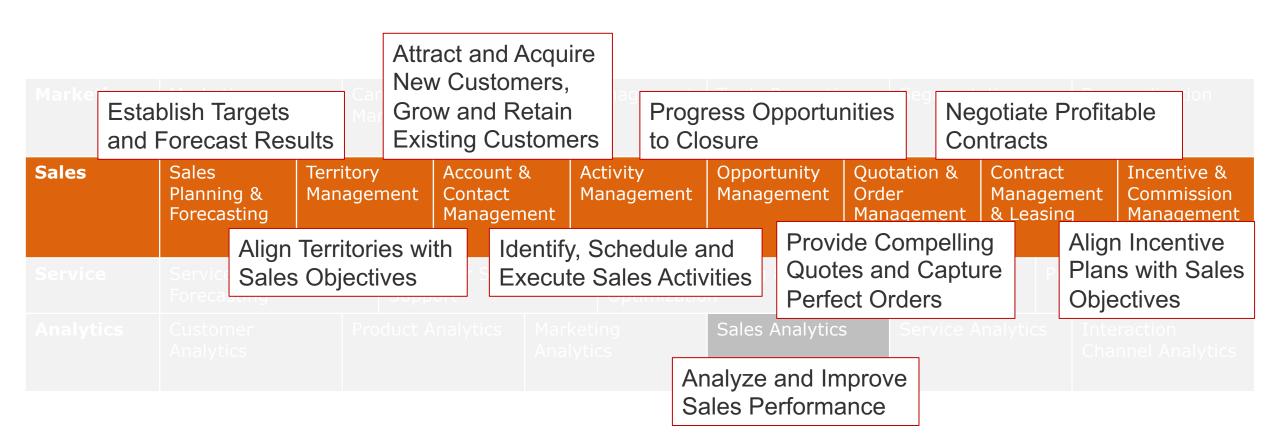
■ CRM for Sales covers the planning, managing, execution and analysis of sales activities.

Benefits:

- efficient and goal-oriented Sales Execution and Target-Setting
- overall customer knowledge.
- shorten sales cycles
- increase revenues
- maximize sales team productivity,
- ensure customer loyalty
- and optimize indirect selling channels

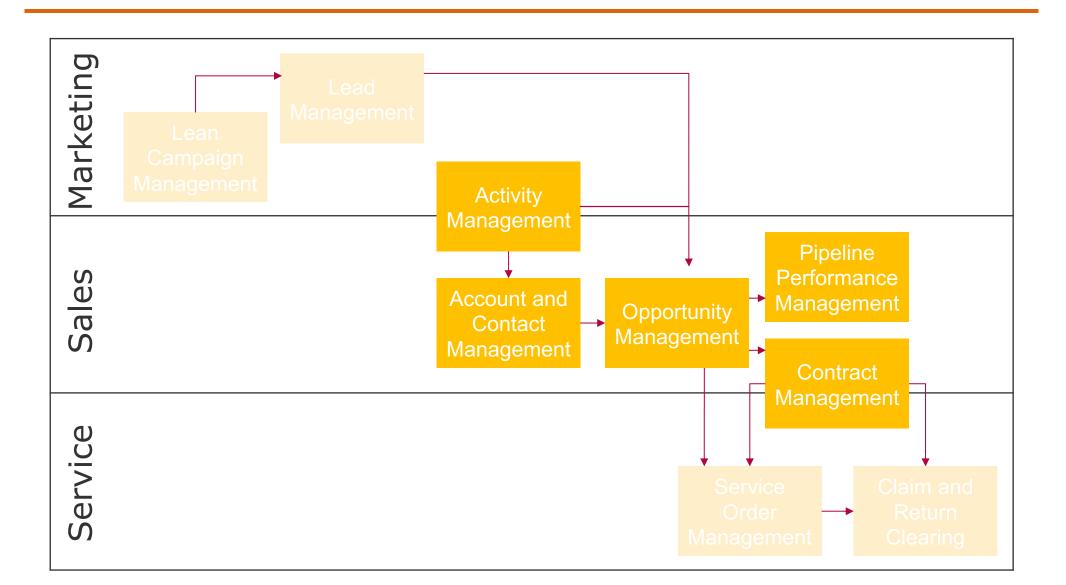
CRM Functions ordered by Key Functions





Interacting CRM Subprocesses





Account and Contact ManagementDefinitions



■ **Account Management** comprises Information about customers, prospects or contact persons in master data, activity information and analysis.

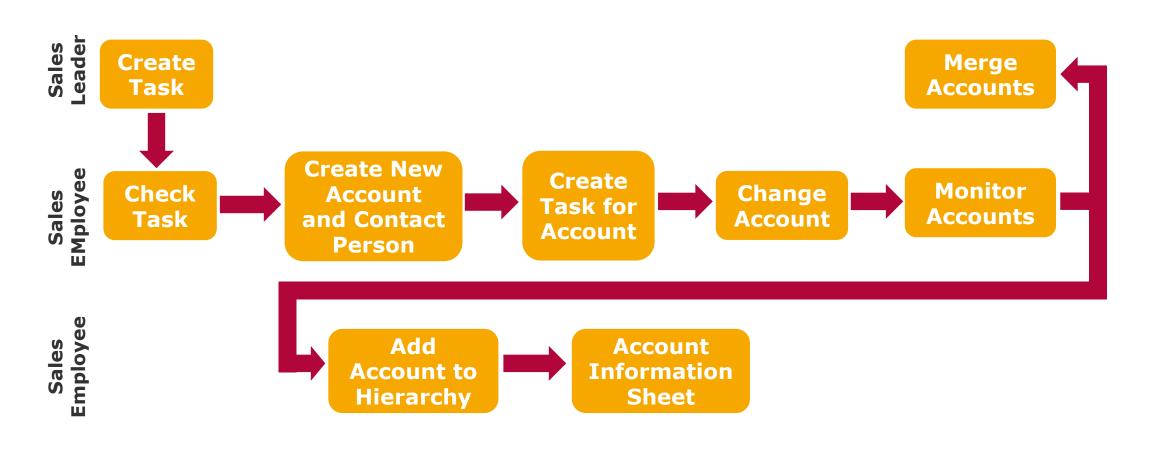
■ Features:

- Overview
- Accounts
- □ Information Sheet
- Contact Person
- Account Planning
- Price Lists

Account and Contact Management

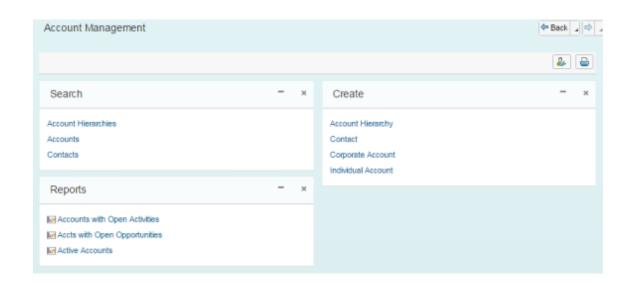
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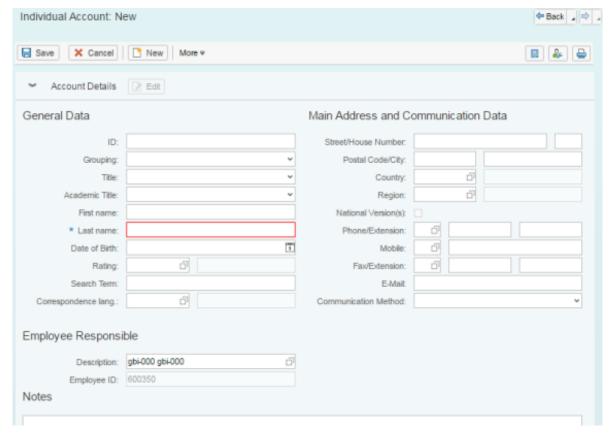




Account and Contact Management in SAP CRM







Activity ManagementDefinitions

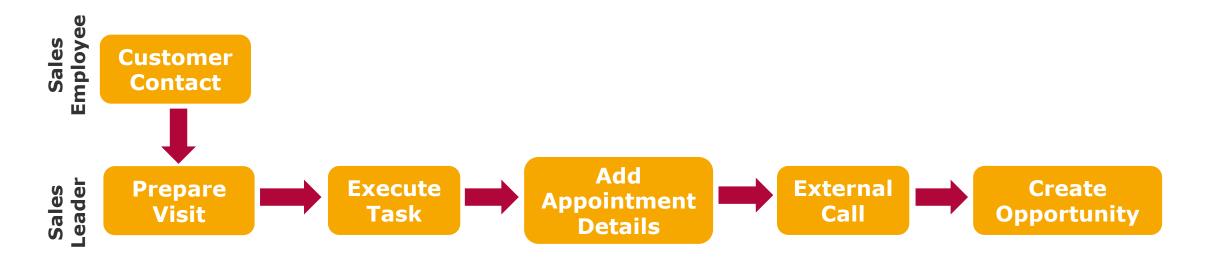


- Activity Management supports the sales and service process across all phases and provides information about all activities carried out to serve the customer.
- Features:
 - □ Incoming call or e-mail and follow-up visit
 - Preparing visit
 - Customer visit
 - Visit report
 - Activity monitor
 - Opportunity

Activity Management

Process

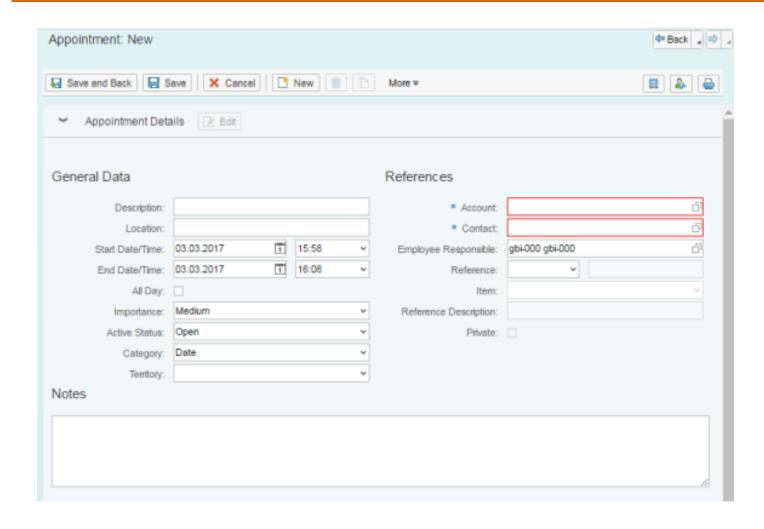




Monitor Activity

Activity Management in SAP CRM





Opportunity ManagementDefinitions



■ The Opportunity Management scenario creates a framework for pursuing sales projects from the start, as they progress, and provides the basis for a target-oriented analysis and optimization of your sales processes.

- Features:
 - Opportunity identification
 - Opportunity qualification
 - Quotation creation
 - Decision
 - Closure
 - Sales Order creation

Opportunity Management

an activity, e.g. a

as a result of the

Lead Management

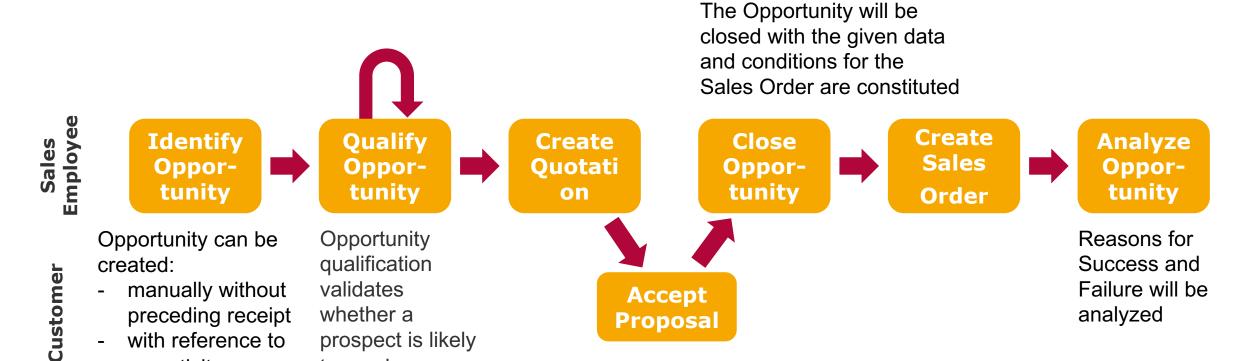
customer visit

Process

to purchase.

Process



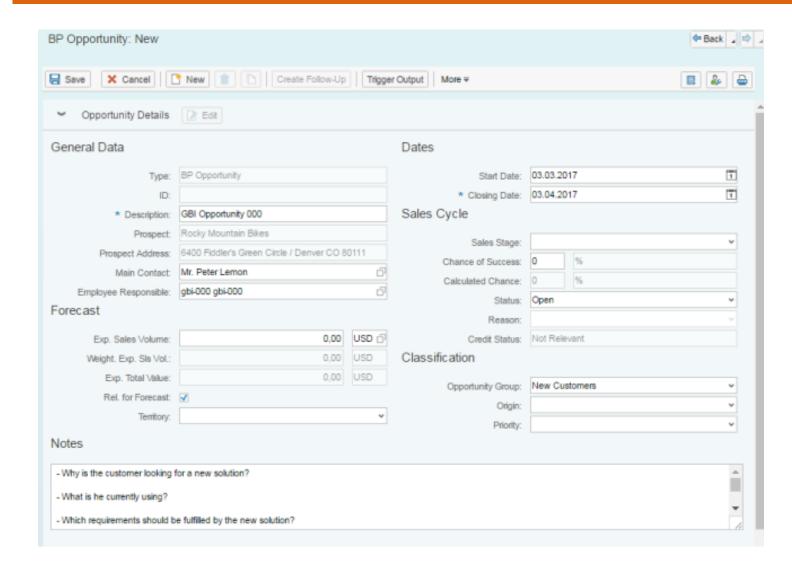


Quotation is created and converted to Sales Order

Opportunity Management

in SAP CRM





Quotation and Order ManagementDefinitions



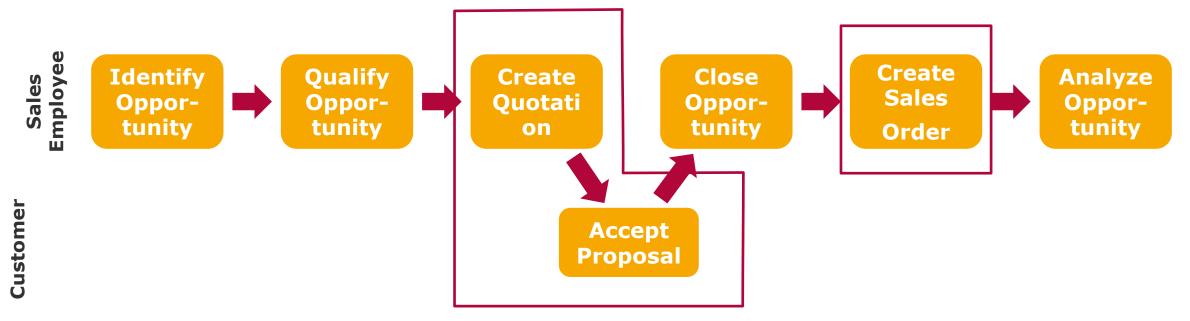
- **Quotation and Order Management** helps you to offer, sell and deliver products to the customers, mostly serial or bulk products that you procure externally.
- Features:
 - Processing via various communication channels
 - □ Integrated processes
 - Extensive information
 - Automatic determination procedures
 - Billing takes place in SAP ERP

Quotation and Order Management

Process



Quotation and Order Management were already represented as part of Opportunity Management



Quotation & Order Management: Quotation Functionalities







Sales Order Process

Lead to Quote / Lead to Order

Order to Cash

Quote to Order

Pre-Sales Activities

- Inquiry
- Quotation

Lead to Opportunity

Opportunity to Quote

Create
Customer
Order

Create Sales Order

- Delivery Scheduling
- Shipping & Route Determination
- Availability Check
- Pricing
- Credit Check

Material Provision

- Delivery Creation
- Picking
- Loading and Packing
- Goods Issue

Orchestrate
Fulfillment
Process

Invoice Customer

Pipeline Performance ManagementDefinitions

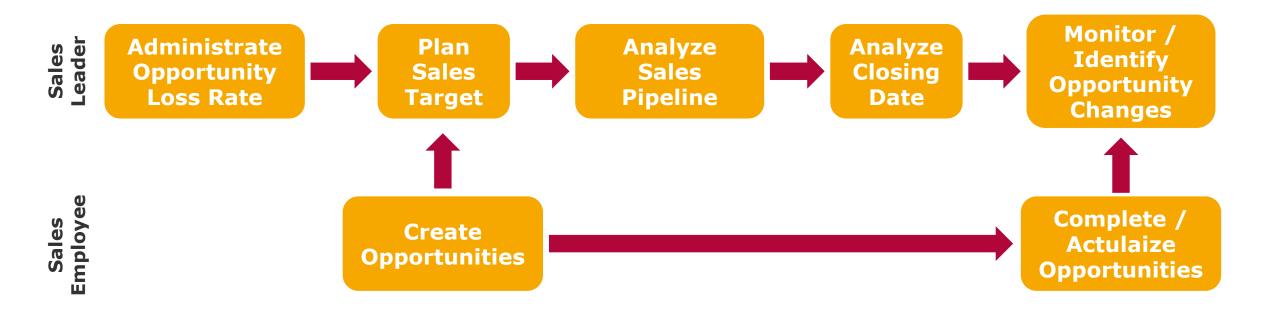


- Pipeline Performance Management supports Sales Employees when analyzing their Sales Pipeline. The process is using standard sales processes in the CRM System:
 - Opportunity Management
 - Activity Management
 - Account and Contact Management
- Features:
 - Administration of Sales Targets with integrated planning of Sales Rate
 - Identification of critical Opportunities
 - Simulation of Opportunity Changes and What if Scenarios

Pipeline Performance Management

Process





Territory Management

Definitions



- Territories are market based groupings of customers. They serve criteria that help to manage and control Sales and Marketing operations of an organization. The Main objective is to help establish sales territories
- Territory are Defined in terms of:
 - geographic segments
 - market segments
 - product or product lines
 - size of customer groups
 - specific customers or prospects

- Features
 - Increase Market and Customer Coverage
 - Control Selling Expenses
 - Improve Sales Force Performance Evaluation
 - Improve Customer Relationships
 - Improve Co-Ordination
 - □ Benefits for Sales People and Companies

Territory Management

Process



Sales Leader designs territory hierarchy and territories

Sales Leader

Rule Determination

Hierarchy Assignment

Attribute Assignment Changing Territory Hierarchy

Change in Territory

Opportunity Design

Sales Employee

Contract ManagementDefinitions

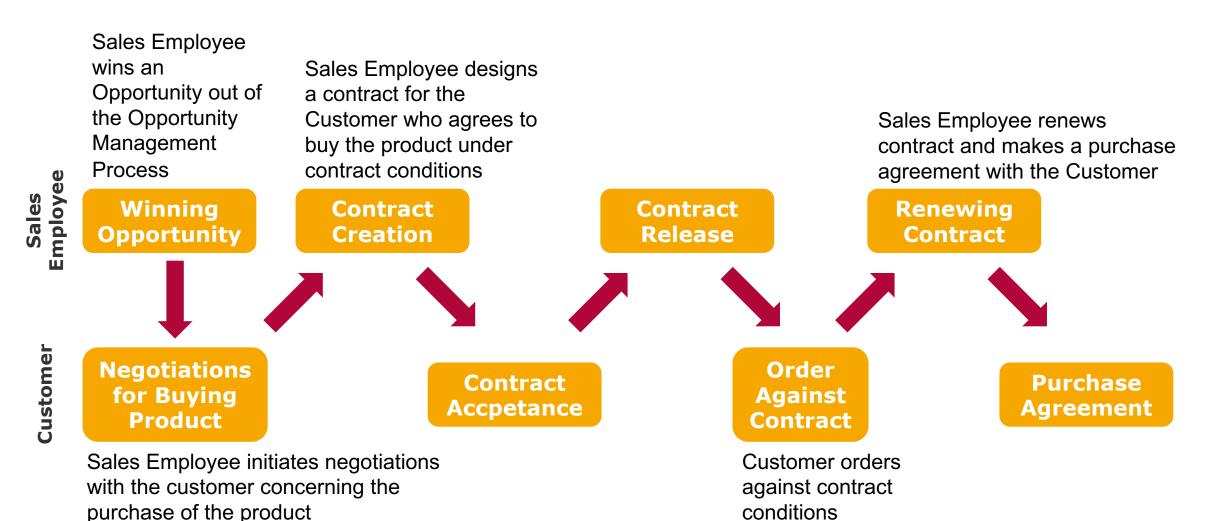


- Contracts are based on the concept of business transactions and contain general data as well as specific product and customer data
- Status possible:
 - Open
 - □ In Process
 - Released
 - Completed

Contract Management

Process





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CRM for Service



 CRM for Service helps organizations manage the complexities of operating a service business.

Benefits:

- consolidated, operational insight enabling service and fulfillment appropriately matched to customer revenue potential
- It provides comprehensive Capabilities to organizations in the following areas:
 - ServiceRequest, ServiceOrder
 - Complaint Management
 - Service Planning and Analytics
 - and more

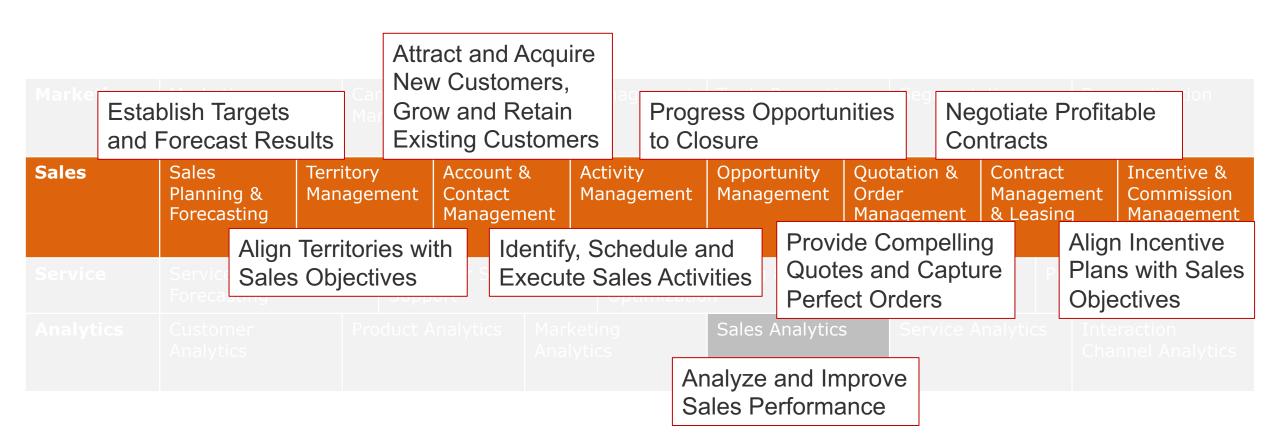
Different Services Require Different Processes



- General Service Management Processes:
 - Service Marketing, Sales and Contracts follow similar processes to Product Marketing,
 Sales and Contracts.
 - Service Logistics & Finance
 - □ Field Service Management
- Specialized Service Management Processes:
 - □ Installation & Maintenance
 - Customer Service & Support
 - Returns & Depot Repairs
 - Warranty and Claim Management
 - Personnel Services

CRM Functions ordered by Key Functions





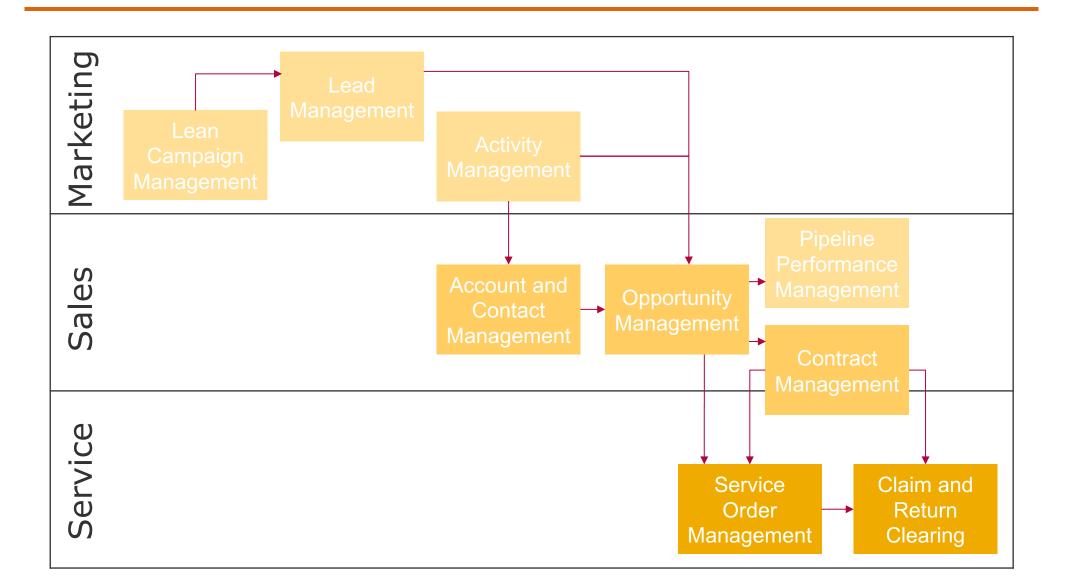
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	Planning & Manager Forecasting	Manage Servi Activities Rela Customer Re	ated to		Managem	Man	age daily rations of service	ment Commission ng Management es		
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Interacting CRM Subprocesses





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 - Service Order Management
 - Claim and Return Clearing

Service Order ManagementDefinitions



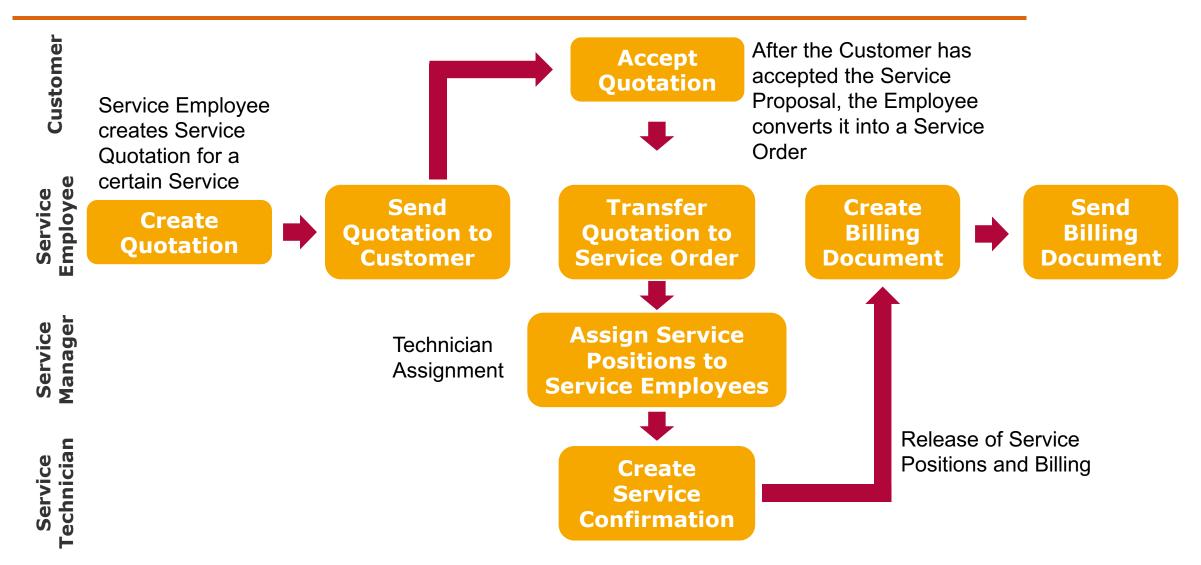
Service Order is the equivalent of the Sales Order when selling Services

- Features
 - Preparation of Service Quotations and Printout of Bills
 - Preparation of Service Orders (Creation, Confirmation, Billing)
 - Resource Planning
 - Printout of Billing Documents and other Documents
 - Optional: Evaluation of Service in BW

Service Order Management

Process





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Claim and Return Clearing Definitions



- Claims and Returns are a common service when selling any goods.
- Claims defects on the product, errors in fulfillment or billing, ...
- Returns Returning goods as part of canceling the sale, returning goods to be exchanged for different sizes, ...
- Features
 - Execution of Returns in Frontend
 - Preparation of Returns in Backend
 - Optional Evaluation of Returns in BW

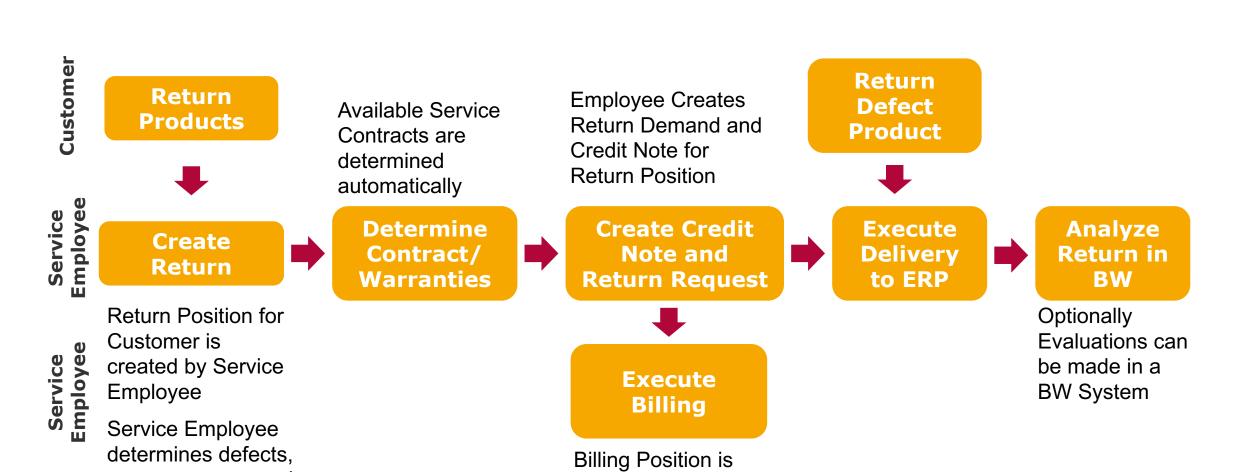
Claim and Return Clearing

causes, reason and

location using codes

Process





created by Service

Employee

Summary



- The CRM system is th central tool for all activities with customer interaction
- It is connected and integrated to other systems
- It supports processes in Marketing, Sales and Service and allows for Analysis in these areas

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