# MARKETING AND SALES

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#### **OBJECTIVES:**

- 01 Definition
- O2 Sales in ERP
- **SAP Modules Involved**

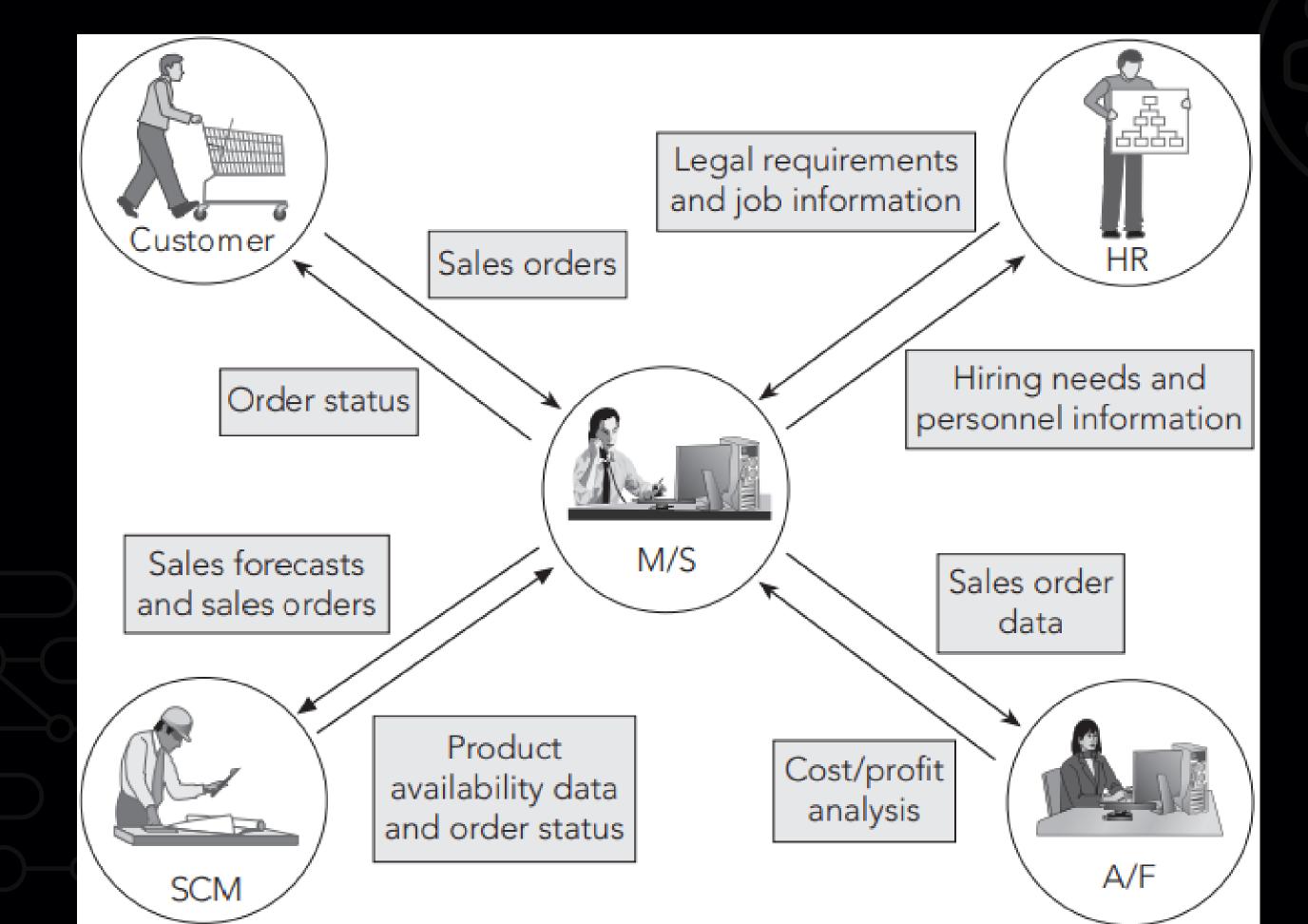
the exchange of a commodity for money

the action of selling something

 the activity or business of promoting and selling products or services

includes market research and advertising

#### 2.1 Sales in ERP



 customers can get pricing information about the company's products

an inquiry or a sales quotation

#### Presales Activities

 include marketing activities such as tracking customer contacts—including sales calls, visits, and mailings

enhances targeted marketing efforts

 series of activities that must take place to record a sales order

can start from a quotation or inquiry

 Any information that was collected from the customer to support the quotation (contact name, address, phone number) is immediately included

 include recording the items to be purchased, determining the selling price, and recording the order quantities

 can use product-specific pricing, such as establishing quantity discounts for a particular item

 SAP ERP system checks the accounts receivable tables in the SAP ERP database to confirm the customer's available credit

#### nventory Sourcing

 SAP ERP system checks the company's inventory records and the production planning records to see whether the requested material is available and can be delivered on the date the customer desires

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 This available-to-promise (ATP) check includes the expected shipping time, taking into account weekends and holidays

#### Inventory Sourcing

 availability is automatically checked, and the system can recommend an increase in planned production if a shortfall is expected

#### Inventory Sourcing

 also keeps a record of all open orders, so even if product for a particular order is still in the warehouse, the system will not allow it to be sold to another customer

#### Delivery

 creating a delivery means releasing the documents that the warehouse uses to pick, pack, and ship orders consider a policy of either FOB
 Destination or Shipping Point

 process allows deliveries to be created so the warehouse and shipping activities are carried out efficiently  Once the system has created the documents for picking, packing, and shipping, the documents are transferred to the Materials Management module, where the warehouse activities of picking, packing, and shipping are carried out

#### Billing

 creates an invoice by copying the sales order data into the invoice document

 Accounting can print this document and mail it, fax it, or transmit it electronically to the customer

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 Accounting records are also updated at this point

#### Payment

 timely recording of this transaction has an effect on the timeliness and accuracy of any credit checks for the customer

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 If the payment is made electronically, it can be automatically processed by the SAP ERP system, which records the payment as an electronic sales order document

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 If the customer sends a check, a clerk must manually enter the payment information, at which point the system updates all information related to the sale

#### Sales and Distribution (SD)

to record prices, sales, and the delivery

### Customer relationship management (CRM)

to record customer information

#### Controlling (CO)

 tracks the costs associated with producing products

## Human capital management (HCM)

• also termed as "SuccessFactors"

is responsible for Human Resource
 Management

#### Production planning (PP)

Forecast inventory and production

### Investment management (IM)

To maintain stock and update stock level

### Supply chain management (SCM)

to take note of delivery status

#### Customer service (CS)

to take care of any concerns after delivery

## Enterprise performance management (EPM)

to produce figures on status of company