

MINSYST

MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS

11:30AM - 01:30PM

3RD TERM SY2014-15

Week 1: Agenda

Moodle Class

Syllabus

Important Dates to Remember

Important Reminders

Week 1: Lecture / Discussion

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Weeks 1, 2, 6, 12 and 13:

Meetings are once per week

JAN 22-23:

Bookfair

FEB 9 :

PAASCU VISIT – *no absence, no tardiness*

APR 6 :

Final Project Presentation

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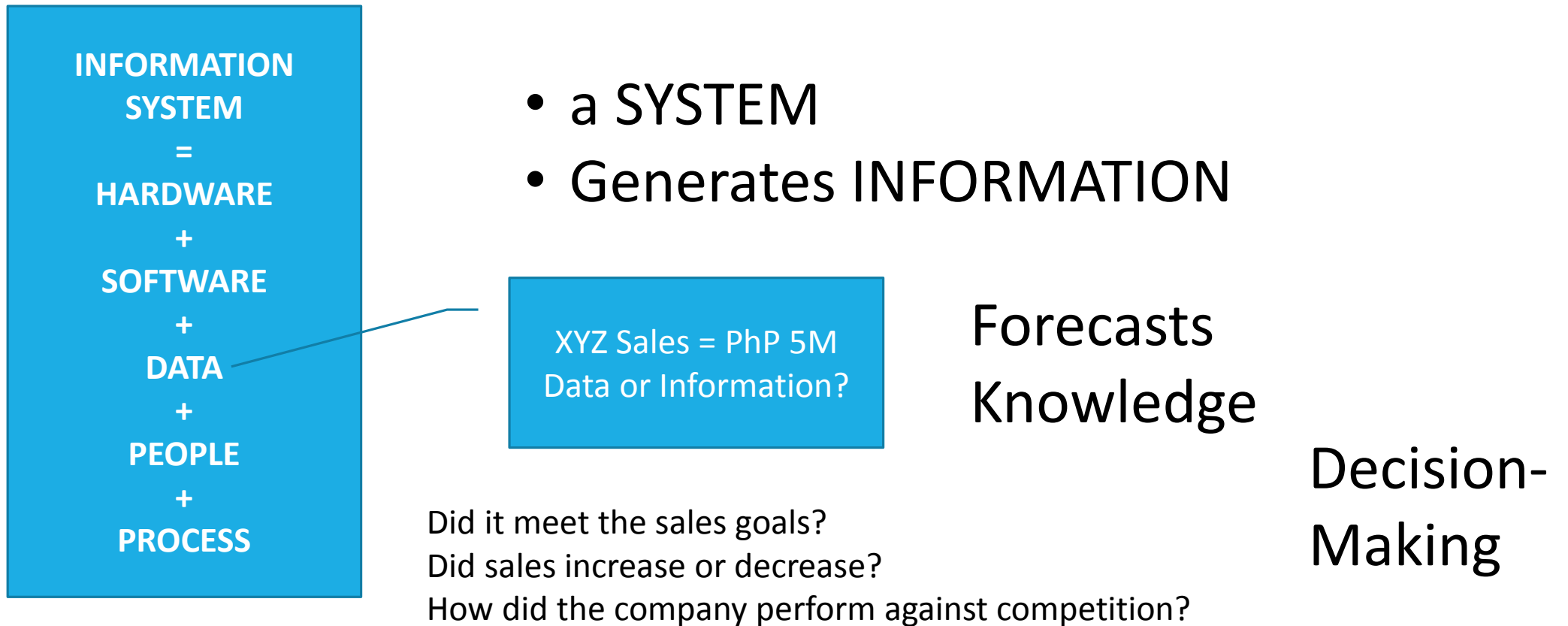
Homework & Case 1

- **Sign the attendance sheet every meeting:**
Goal: Proof of your attendance
- **Prepare for quizzes almost every meeting:**
Goal: Retention
- **Be sure to read homework / cases before coming to class:**
Goal: Serious studying & ensure participation in class discussions
- **Bring notebooks AND take down notes:**
Goal: Better understanding

Week 1 Modules

- Describe the components of Information Systems (IS) in the business.
- Explain why IS is necessary to business

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- a SYSTEM
- Generates INFORMATION

BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE

Provides historical, current, predictive runs of business operations and environment for strategy and competitive advantage

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Knowledge

Decision-
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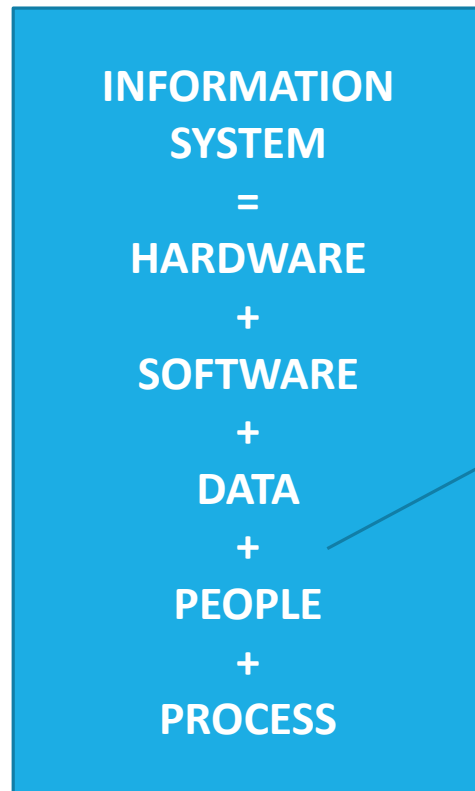
Has skills in use of
SW, HW, Net, etc.

Has understanding role of Info in
generating **Business Intelligence (BI)**

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KNOWLEDGE WORKERS should know:

- Internal & external SOURCES of data
- How & why data is collected
- What type of data should be collected
- How data is converted, indexed & updated to info to BI
- How data is used in competitive advantage



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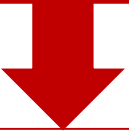
- **Transaction Processing System (TPS)**
 - Structured tasks of record keeping, clerical operations, inventory control
- **Personal IS (PIS) or Human Resource IS (HRIS)**
 - Choosing best candidate, scheduling & assigning employees, predicting the org's future personnel needs, providing reports & statistics on employee demographics, allocating human & financial resources
- **Logistics IS (LIS)**
 - Reduces the cost of transporting materials yet maintaining safe & reliable delivery (improving routing & delivery schedules, selecting the best modes of transportation, improving transportation budgeting and shipment planning)

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- **Manufacturing Information System (MFIS)**
 - Manages manufacturing resources to reduce costs, increase product quality, & improve inventory decisions (improve ordering decisions, product cost calculations, space utilization, bid evaluation process, analysis of price changes and discounts)
- **Financial IS (FIS)**
 - Provides info to financial executives in a timely manner to improve budget allocation, minimize capital investment risks, monitor cost trends, manage cash flows.
- **Marketing IS (MKIS)**
 - Improve marketing decisions from info about marketing mix (price, promotion, place and product; analyze market share, sales and sales personnel, sales forecasting)

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**Therefore,
An
Information
System
is a CRITICAL
TOOL!**



*How does this
related to you as
a CS/IT student?
As a future
graduate?*

- **Supply Chain Management Systems (SCM)**
- **Customer Relations Management Systems (CRM)**
- **Management Information System (MIS)**
 - Organized INTEGRATION of HW, SW, data, process & human elements designed to produce **TIMELY, INTEGRATED, RELEVANT, ACCURATE** and **USEFUL** information for DECISION-MAKING.

Else: results are :

- Incorrect decisions
- Miscalculation of resources
- Overlooked windows of opportunities
- Anxiety (and death?)

Form of
graphics (pie
charts, bar
graphs), tables,
exception
reports

- Homework* also found in moodle:

1. Homework 1:

Research about Facebook and Twitter, the 2 popular social networking sites. Write a 2-page report on how these sites are used for business and personal purposes.

(Use page numbers, left and right justification, font (Times New Roma), font size 12, single-space, include sources in APA format).

To be submitted next meeting. Late submissions will not be accepted.

2. Case 1:

Using IT at Federal Express. Answer the question: Is technology alone enough to ensure high-quality customer service? To be submitted next meeting (online).