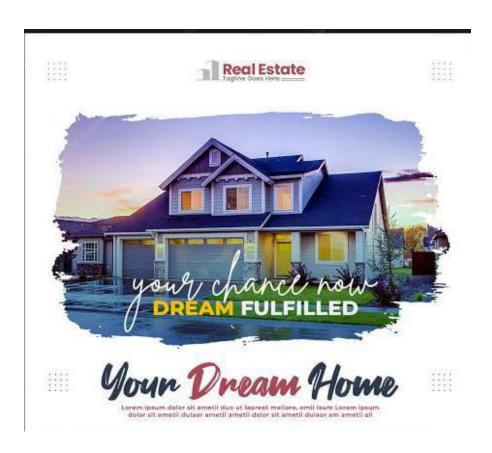
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#### 1. <u>Introduction</u> 1.1 Overview

### **Property Management**



Property management is the daily oversight of residential, commercial, or industrial real estate by a third-party contractor. Generally, property management take responsibility for day-to-day repairs and ongoing maintenance, security, and upkeep of properties. They usually work for the owners of investment properties such as apartment and condominium complexes, private home communities, shopping centers, and industrial parks.

The responsibilities of a property manager generally involve the following:

- Screening potential tenants
- Drafting, signing, and renewing leases on behalf of property owners
- Collecting rent
- Maintenance of properties, including landscaping and snow removal
- Arranging for necessary repairs to properties
- Setting up and adhering to budgets for property maintenance
- Understanding state and national landlord-tenant laws and regulations

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- Marketing properties
- Supervising other employees
- Handling taxes

### Types of Property Management

Just as property comes in many types, so do property managers. Some firms are specialized in providing management for a particular type of property, while others offer management services over a range of property types. A huge range of property types can be managed.

#### Residential Property Management

Residential property managers are typically hired for rental properties, and they manage the rental process. They can be hired to manage:

- Single-family homes
- Vacation rentals
- Multifamily homes
- Town houses
- Condominiums
- Apartments
- Manufactured homes

#### **Commercial Property Management**

Commercial property owners have different needs from those who own residential property. Commercial property management can apply to:

- Public accommodations like hotels
- Retail properties like malls, restaurants, and gas stations
- Office properties like real estate brokerages or doctors' offices
- Co-working spaces where professionals rent work space by the day or the hour

#### **Industrial Property Management**

Industrial properties that can benefit from management include:

- Heavy manufacturing facilities such as automotive plants and steel mills
- Light manufacturing factories such as food packaging
- Warehouses
- Distribution facilities



### **Special Property Management Considerations**

Property management licensing requirements vary by state.

Most states require property management companies to be licensed by the local real estate board, so property owners need to make sure that the firms they hire are properly licensed.

For instance, property managers in Florida are required to have real estate broker's licenses to operate in the state. That's because some of their responsibilities are deemed real estate activity. Holding a real estate broker's license allows property managers to list rental properties in the multiple listing service (MLS) and to market the properties by standard real estate marketing methods. Holding a real estate broker's license also allows the property management company to place a real estate board lock box on a property's door so that other licensed agents can show the property.

Florida also requires property managers to hold a broker's license if they deal with rentals or leases and receive a commission for their services. However, property managers who manage the properties that they own in the state don't need a license to do so.

Managers in Massachusetts don't require a broker's license. That's because certain duties considered to be real estate activities, such as listing and leasing properties, may be secondary to the main duties performed by the property manager.

#### 1.2 Purpose

The purpose of management is to plan, direct, organize and ensure the success of a business at various levels through a number of methods including customer satisfaction and employee training. Management, normally made of a manager and their assistants, is key to running an organization on what could be considered microscopic levels.

At the most fundamental level, management is a discipline that consists of a set of five general functions: **planning**, **organizing**, **staffing**, **leading** and **controlling**. These five functions are part of a body of practices and theories on how to be a successful manager.

A Management Company is a party to certain leases or transfer documents. The company's role is to be responsible for the management of the service charge and the



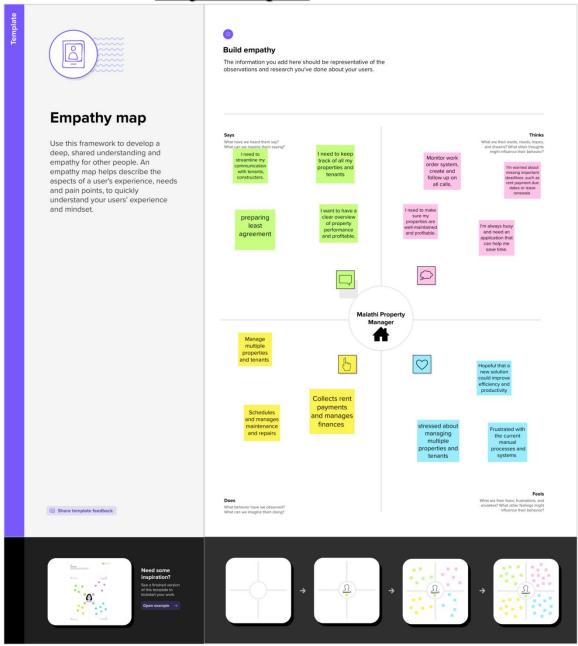
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The role of a manager is to provide common guidance and direction to the individual efforts for the fulfillment of organizational goals. Increasing the efficiency: Management helps in increasing the efficiency of the business by increasing productivity through efficient planning, organizing, controlling and directing.

### 2. Problem definition & design thinking

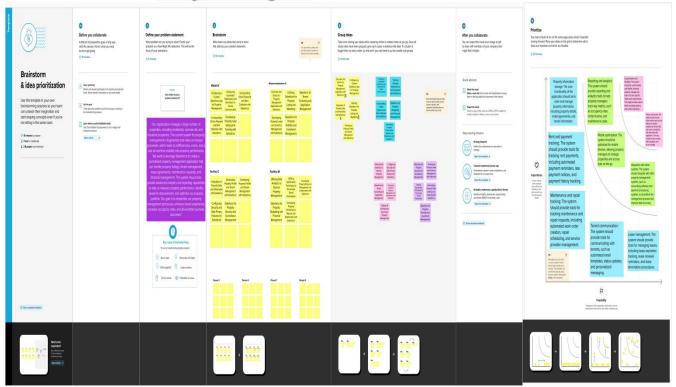
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2.2 Ideation and brainstorming map





# 3. Result 3.1 Data model

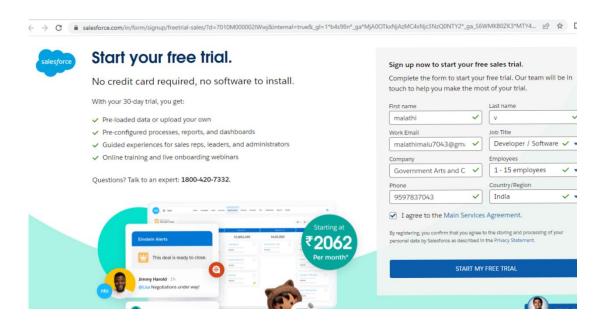
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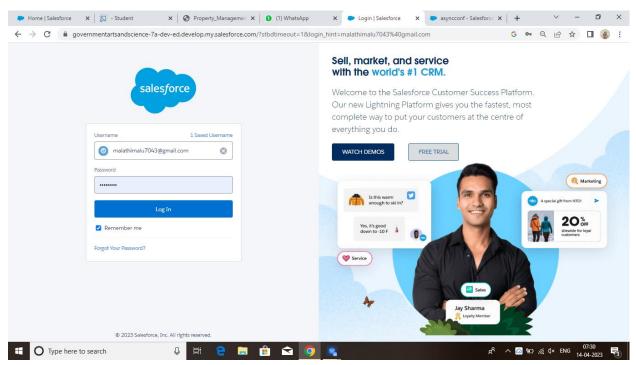
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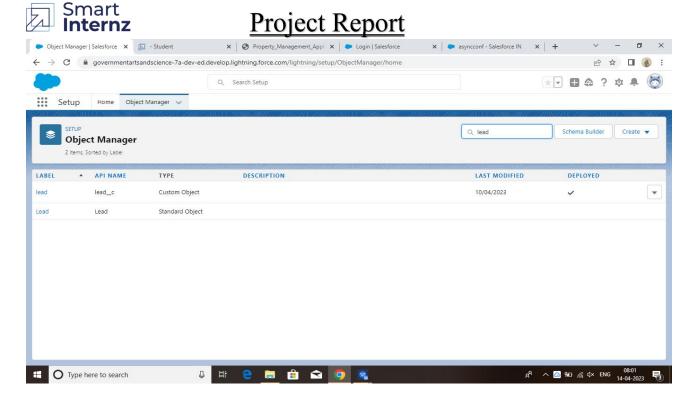


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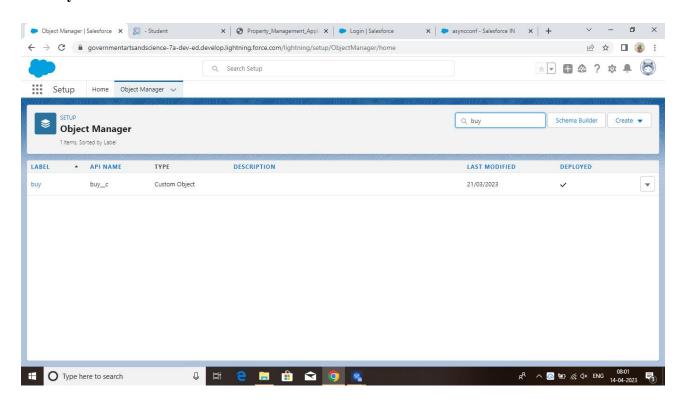


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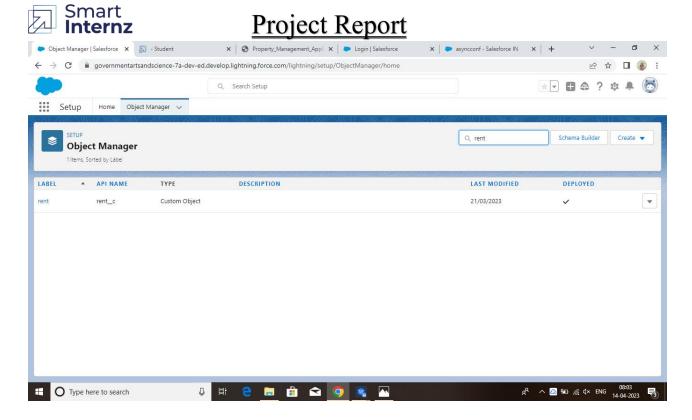
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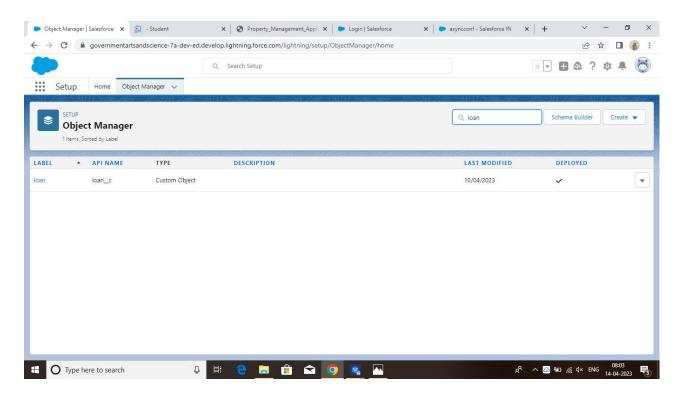
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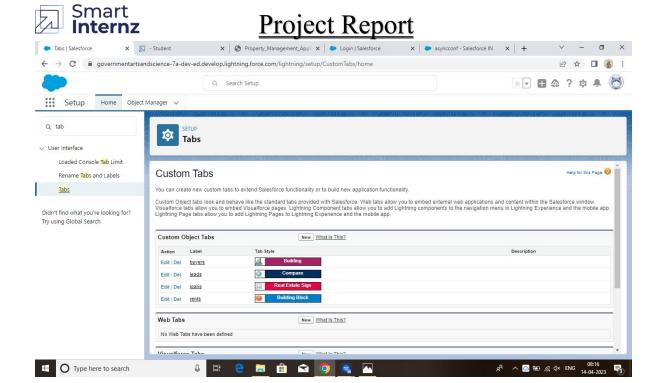


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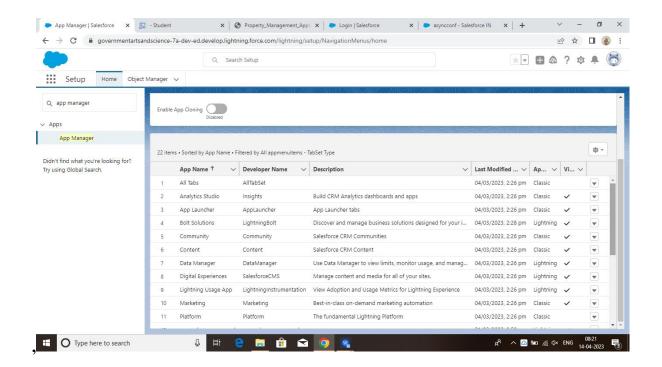
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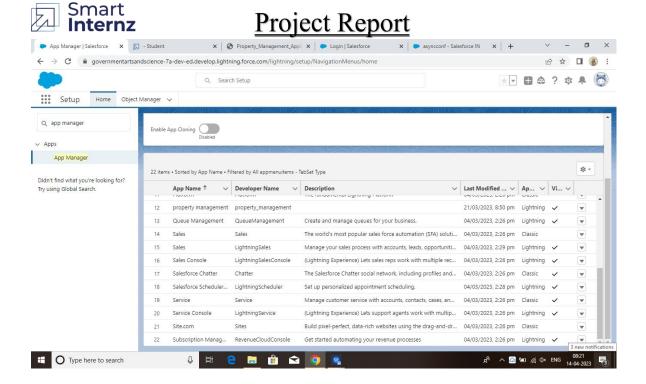
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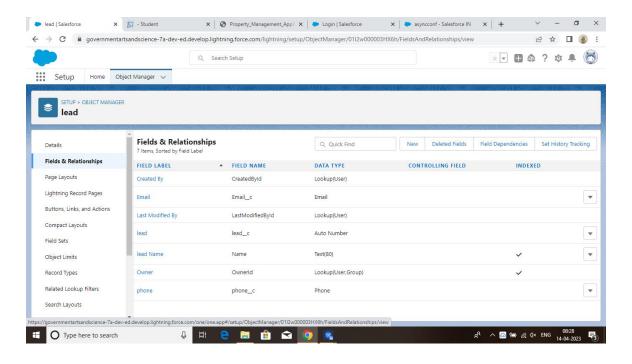
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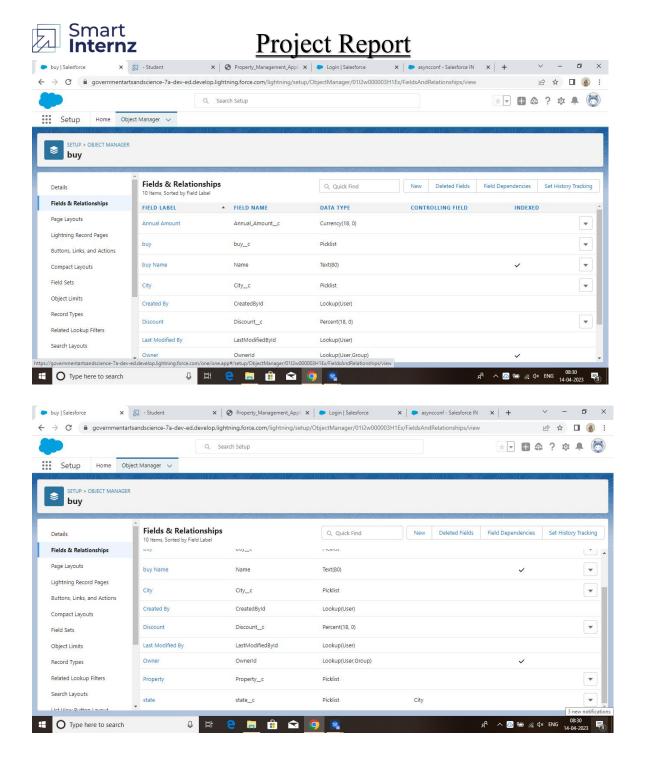


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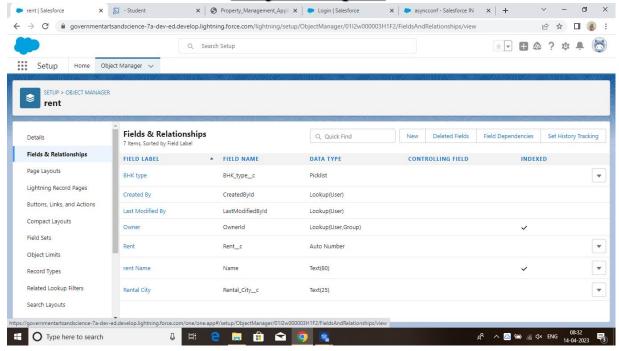


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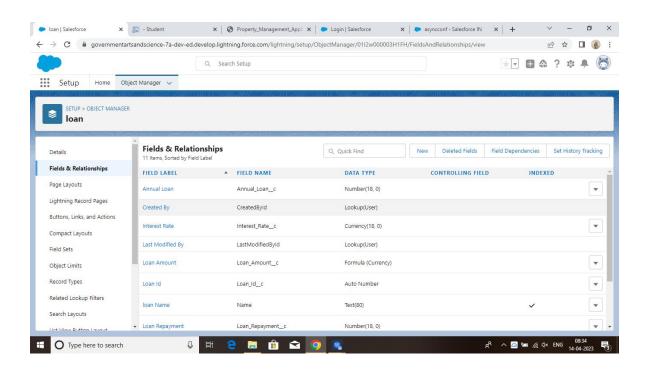


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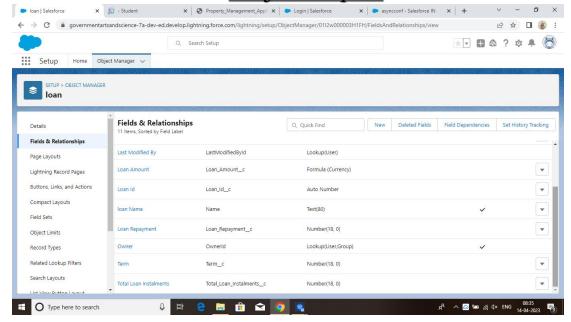




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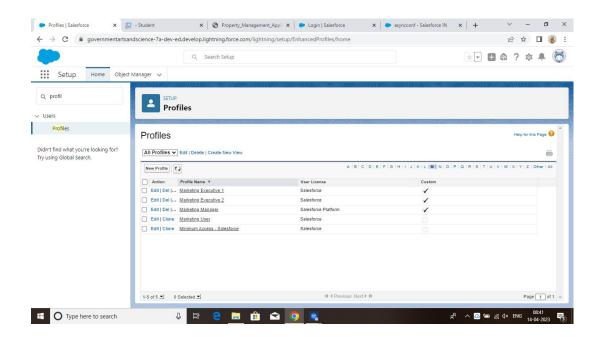


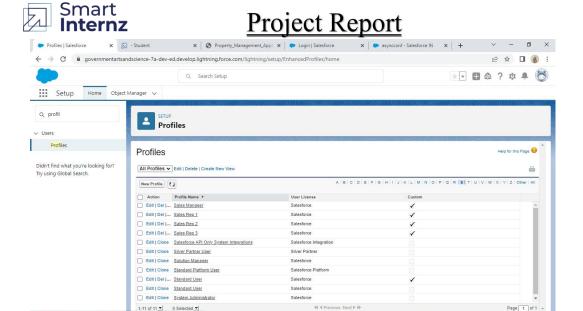




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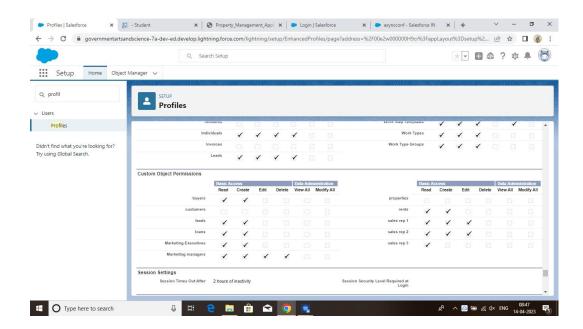


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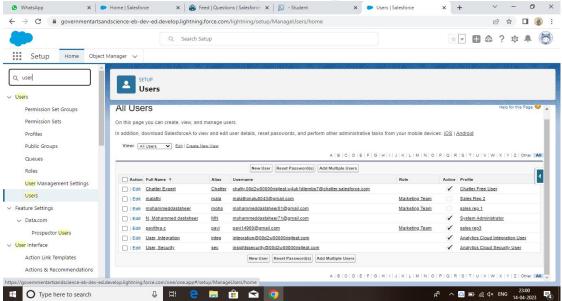
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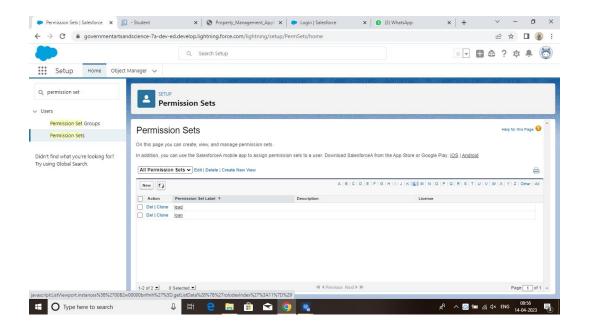
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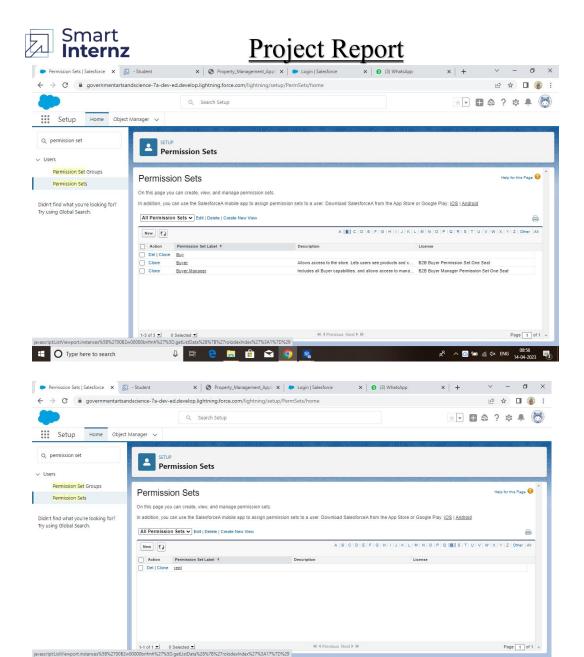






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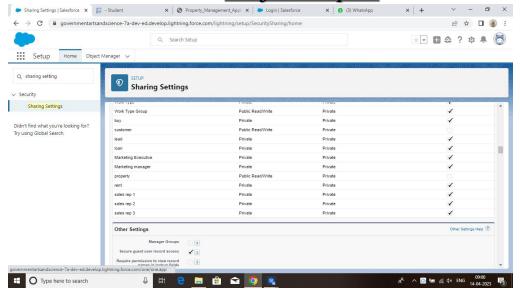




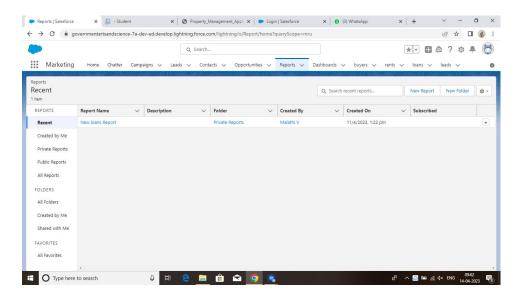
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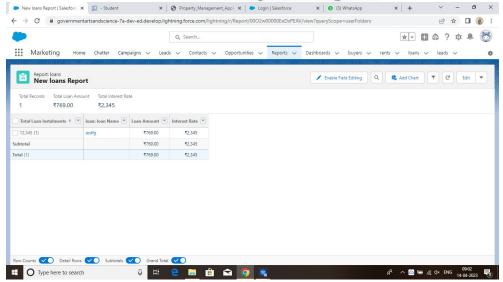




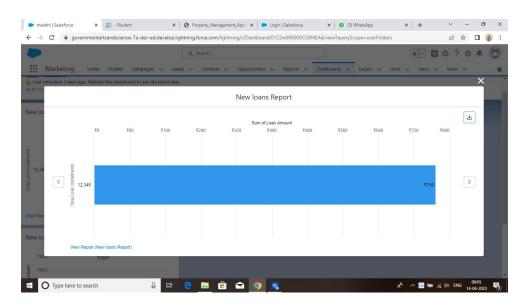
#### Milestone 10 - Report







#### Milestone 11: Dashboards



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#### 5. Advantages and disadvantages

### Advantages

Whether it's a multistory hotel in a busy market or a small property in a beautiful rural town, using a property management system has many advantages. You'll be able to streamline your operations, offer comprehensive training to your staff and ensure guests have a positive, stress-free experience.

### You can access your information from anywhere

A major advantage of a property management system in a hotel is having access to all of your information in one place, whether you're onsite, at home or out of town. Because many property management systems operate via the cloud, you'll have access to your information through all your devices. From a computer, tablet or smartphone, you'll be able to pull up information in real-time, including inventory, revenue, personnel information, accounts payable and receivable and more.

Being able to manage from anywhere means you'll be able to boost your sales on the fly. Just heard about a music festival in town that's sure to draw a crowd? Log into the property management system and adjust your rates to take advantage of early bookings and foot traffic on the day of the event. Increased traffic means you may need to increase staff – the property management system allows you to revise the employee schedule at any time.

### You'll save time and money by being more efficient

The number one job of an employee in the hospitality industry is to provide excellent customer service to guests. When employees spend hours on routine tasks such as reservation management, scheduling, housekeeping assignments, maintenance requests and other manual administrative tasks, guest services can suffer.

A property management system is integrated into every department within a hotel, allowing you to communicate effectively with both employees or outside contractors while keeping an eye on revenue, inventory, or sales. Automating routine tasks can save time for both you and your employees – housekeeping assignments, maintenance requests, reservation manifests and nightly audits are available at the touch of a button.



Without having to spend time shuffling papers and manually documenting every leaky faucet or burned out light bulb, your frontline employees can focus on providing top-notch customer service to your guests.

### Guest satisfaction may increase with a smooth check-in process

No one wants to arrive at their hotel after a long day of traveling only to be greeted with an awkward or burdensome check-in process. A property management system provides a single, efficient check-in procedure, requiring each of your employees to follow the same streamlined process. Your front desk will be able to handle both individual guests and tour bus rushes with ease, ensuring that each guest walks to his or her room with a positive first impression of your hotel.

### You'll increase bookings by refining your online presence

While the face of your hotel may be your front line staff, your guests' first impression of your property is often what they see and read online. One of the most effective benefits of a property management system in a hotel is the ability to integrate the software with your existing website. Services such as a direct booking engine, a 24-hour chat assistant or online concierge services add value to the guest experience from the first point of contact. Automating these tasks also means your employees are spending time taking care of guests.

You don't only depend on your own website for sales, however. There are a variety of third-party booking sites – think booking.com or hotels.com – offering rooms to potential guests. Your property management system allows you to manage your inventory across many different platforms using one simple application. Not only does this function allow you to shift inventory to meet demand, it can also prevent duplication errors that sometimes occur when manually processing reservations.

### You can optimize your revenue stream using built-in pricing tools

Most hotels change rates twice per year – peak occupancy season and low season. While it may be less time-consuming, you're also missing out on a lot of revenue. Selecting a property management system with built-in pricing tools can increase your revenue by allowing you to set several rate options, including weekend fluctuations, special event pricing, promotional offers, package rates, valued customer deals and group sales options.

### Personal benefits:

 Less stress - By hiring a specialist, you won't have to deal with late-night emergencies, evictions, chasing down rent, damages, paperwork, having to find contractors, and other tedious and timeconsuming tasks.



- More freedom If you hire a property manager, you can travel anywhere you want without having to worry about your tenants and about the regular inspections. You can live wherever you want and you can invest in other properties.
- More free time For a property investor, time is money, and your time would be better spent doing other things than micromanaging a property. If you focus on asset management, then you are working on growing your business, if you manage the properties yourself, then you work in it. Not to mention that you will also have more time to spend with your family and friends.

For more helpful advice on getting the most out of your property investment, sign up to our monthly newsletter.

### Disadvantages

While a property management system may ultimately help your business run more smoothly, it's important to consider the disadvantages to determine if it's right for your property before investing.

### You'll be dependent on one vendor

Property management systems allow you to connect every aspect of your business through one application. However, this may make it more difficult to use other third-party products that may be more useful to your business, such as payroll or accounting programs.

While some property management systems may allow integration with third-party products, the implementation is not always smooth and may cause both products to have operational issues. You may need to purchase additional products later if you want to add services that your software vendor doesn't offer, such as self-check-in kiosks, email marketing databases or guest communication platforms. If you choose different vendors for these products, you'll be back to managing several different systems instead of one property management solution.

### Cost can be prohibitive in the beginning

If you're a small, family-owned business in a non-tourist destination, it can be difficult to come up with the cash for an all-in-one property management system right away. Over time, these solutions pay for themselves in saved time and increased bookings, but you'll want to make sure you choose the right product for your type of business.



Because the software is often proprietary and may not accept or play well with other tech products, you may be forced to abandon your property management system if it doesn't work for you, or spend more money to find a more appropriate solution.

### All-in-one is not always best.

For larger hotels, relying on property management software that claims to do everything can be a hassle and may actually require you to purchase other products or services. Software products usually perform one to three core functions very well. For instance, your chosen property management system may do a very good job of collecting and organizing bookings, assigning staff and keeping an up-to-date, rotating log of maintenance requests.

However, the same system may not have an optimal accounting program, or may not have a marketing function at all. If these functions are essential to your business – and they often are for very large or very busy properties – you'll need to either purchase additional software or hire additional staff to ensure these functions are working properly.

### Your Bottom Line

While the benefits of a property management system in a hotel often outweigh the potential negatives, it's important to thoroughly consider your business procedures and plans for future growth before investing in the software. While expense may be an initial concern, the software generally pays for itself very quickly if you are able to take advantage of all the revenue-increasing tools it provides.

#### 6. Applications

A property management system (PMS) is a software application for the operations of hospitality accommodations and commercial residential rental properties. PMS is also used in manufacturing industries, local government and manufacturing. A property management system is sometimes referred to as a hotel operating system or hotel OS.

PMS provides a centralized computer system to organize, schedule and perform the day-to-day functions and transactions involved in accommodations businesses. Computer record keeping and PMS have increased the efficiency of hospitality industries significantly simply by making it possible to update and consult centralized records from multiple computers and devices. PMS solutions have been customized for the needs of the hospitality industry to further increase ease of operations.

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Functions managed by a PMS include automation of many common tasks, including:

- Bookings
- Check-in and check-out
- Telephone systems integration
- Point of sale (POS) integration
- Event planning
- Food and beverage costing
- Hotel inventory supply management
- Reporting of key performance indicators (KPI)
- Security and room locks

Local governments sometimes use PMS to manage numerous properties under their care, where centralized and electronic record keeping greatly increases efficiency. Facilities might include schools, sports and recreational facilities, community gardens and parks. In manufacturing, PMS is often used to keep track of materials and supplies, as well as employee-owned property and equipment.

#### 7. Conclusion

The purpose of sales force training is to make salespeople successful. Training programs need to change as capability gaps arise. A significant capability gap exists when a candidate is hired, and so most organizations have training programs for new salespeople. Changes in selling environments frequently induce capability gaps that require that a company modify its selling strategy and selling process. Too many companies are slow to make this adjustment. The training and development review process developed in this chapter can diagnose when and what training program change initiatives are necessary for enhanced sales force effectiveness.

Changing the sales force structure presents many challenges. However, sales managers should not be afraid to change a structure that is outdated. As stated earlier, progressive sales managers reevaluate the sales force structure every two to three years.

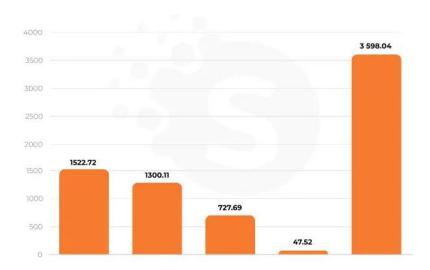


Even three years may be too long given how quickly the Internet is changing the selling landscape.

The sales force structure is a critical decision. It affects how customers see the firm. Will they see generalists or specialists, place orders via the Internet, or receive phone calls? The structure determines the selling skills and level of knowledge required of the sales force. This in turn affects recruitment, training, and coaching. Finally, the structure affects each salesperson.

#### 8. Future scope

Real estate technology has been rapidly evolving in recent years, and the introduction of cutting-edge technologies in real estate promises to change the way business is conducted in this age-old industry. The real estate market is a major component of the world's economy, with a global value of over \$7 196 billion.

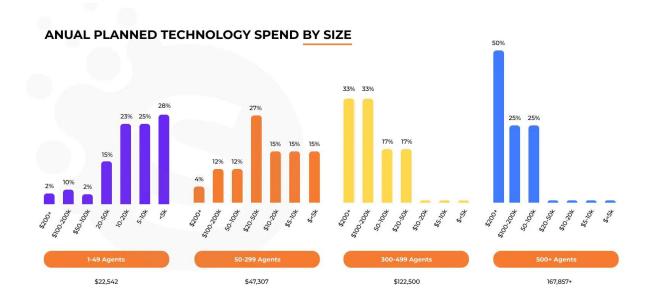


some respects, the adoption of technology in real estate has lagged behind its use in other business sectors. It was partially due to a reluctance to change methods that had worked well in the past. Another factor that slowed down the widespread use of real estate technology was major players' attempts to develop proprietary real estate technology tools.



But now, these issues are fading, and the market has seen an increase in real estate tech in recent years.

Moreover, the industry players are starting to understand the benefits of investing and using modern technologies. According to the Technology and The Future of Real Estate Investment Management report created by the University of Oxford, in 2020, 53% of digital real estate companies are now directly investing in technology. 42% of Statista respondents confessed they see potential in Smart Building technologies, while 56% of respondents have already noticed the impact from the tech sphere.



It is poised to see even more growth in how new technologies are genuine real estate disruptors and will affect everyone involved in the industry.

So if you want to learn more about the state of the real estate industry after the pandemic, technology trends in real estate for 2023, and software development trends in real estate based on Softermii's experience in creating successful real estate technology solutions such as Rently, Real Estate Association, Proper and Apartmii, read on!