Marketing Information Systems:

part 2

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Timetable

 Part 1:
 Oct.22 Mon
 14:00–17:50 C525

 Part 2:
 Oct.23 Tue 8:00–11:50 G101

 Part 3:
 Nov. 05 Mon
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 Part 4:
 Nov. 05 Tue
 8:00–11:50 G101

 Part 5:
 Dec.10 Mon
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 Part 6:
 Dec.11 Tue 8:00–11:50 G101

 Assessment session:
 1-2nd week of January

Syllabus 2

- Types and functions of management information systems
- Their usage for the marketing purposes: operational, analytical, OLAP, expert, executive, decision-support systems.
- Applying ERP, business intelligence, integrated software for marketing tasks.
- ∞ Cloud based and open source solutions
- ∞ Big Data issues
- Dashboards (static & dynamics)
- ERP, BI demo (MS Axapta Dyn)
 Tools &software: Sugar CRM
 Lab work training for cloud-based marketing application Sugar CRM
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Interrelationship of MIS, MkIS and IT concepts

	Marketing IS concepts	Management IS creation concepts (O'Brien, 1990)	IT concepts (O'Brien, 1990), Zikmund et al 2003)		
~	1 Integration of functional modules	Management operations processing	Transactional processing		
	2 Project and campaign	Creating strategic	Analytic applications,		
	3 Value chain system	advantage	EAI (enterprise application		
	4 Competitive system	ERP (enterprise resource planning)	integration), CRM		
	5 End-user "ad hoc" support	CRM			
1843	6 Support for marketing	Decision making	data warehouses, data		
D	management processes	support (DSS) Expert systems (ES)	mining, OLAP (online analytical processing)		
	7 Marketing intelligence	Executive information			
nea	system	systems (EIS) Business intelligence			
+	8 Multidimensional MkIS	systems (BI)			

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Systems

- Definition
 - a collection of interrelated parts which taken together forms a whole such that:
 - The collection has some purpose.
 - A change in any of the parts leads to or results from a change in some other part(s).
- Characteristics
 - inputs, outputs, processes, storage
- Control: feedback, feedforward

Feedback control



Feedforward control



Systems

- Systems objectives
 - objective(s)
 - measure of performance
- Inputs and outputs
 - one system's output is another's input
- Systems environment
- Boundary
- Open and Closed Systems

Analyzing Data and Information

- Decision support systems (DSS)
- Expert systems (ES)
- Executive information systems (EIS)
- Group decision support (GDS)
- Transaction processing systems (TPS)
- Document management systems
- Digital dashboards
- OnLine analytical processing (OLAP)
- Data warehousing,
- Data miai Rigsciuniene, MKIS 2012, Brno

Analyzing Data and Information



Simon's model of Decision Making



Figure 1.3 Stages in making a decision

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Phases of the Decision-Making Process



Decision Making: The Implementation Phase



Support for the intelligence phase

- The ability to scan external and internal information sources for opportunities and problems and to interpret what the scanning discovers
 - Web tools and sources are extremely useful for environmental scanning
 - Web browsers provide useful front ends for a variety of tools (OLAP, data mining, data warehouses)
 - Internal data sources may be accessible via a corporate intranet
 - External sources are many and varied

Support for the design phase

 The generation of alternatives for complex problems requires expertise that can be provided only by a human, brainstorming software, or an ES

Support for the choice phase

- DSS can support the choice phase through what-if and goal-seeking analyses
- Different scenarios can be tested for the selected option to reinforce the final decision
- KMS helps identify similar past experiences
- CRM, ERP, and SCM systems are used to test the impacts of decisions in establishing their value, leading to an intelligent choice
- An ES can be used to assess the desirability of certain solutions and to recommend an appropriate solution
- A GSS can provide support to lead to consensus in a group Dalia Kriksciuniene, MKIS 2012, Brno

Support for the implementation phase

- DSS can be used in implementation activities such as decision communication, explanation, and justification
- DSS benefits are partly due to the vividness and detail of analyses and reports

- New technology support for decision making
 - Mobile commerce (m-commerce)
 - Personal devices
 - Personal digital assistants [PDAs]
 - Cell phones
 - Tablet computers
 - :aptop computers

Levels of Decision Making

- Strategic Planning
- Tactical Planning and Control
- Operational Planning and Control



A DECISION SUPPORT SYSTEM (DSS)

Formulates question

Generates response

Acts or formulates new question

Generates response

MARKETING MANAGER

Acts or formulates new question

Personal computer with access to databases and analytical methods

DSS

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Decision Support Systems

Interactive support

- what if?
- goal seeking
- optimization
- Flexible access to data
- DSS are often fragmented systems
- DSS development and end users

Types of Decision Support Systems

- Data retrieval and analysis
 - simple entry and enquiry systems
 - data analysis systems
 - accounting information systems
- Computational support for structured decisions
- Modelling
 - spreadsheet models
 - probabilistic models
 - optimization modeling

The Major Tools and Techniques of Managerial Decision Support

Computerized Tools for Decision Support

- Data management
- Reporting status
 tracking
- Visualization
- Business analytics
- Strategy and performance management

- Communication and collaboration
- Knowledge
 management
- Intelligent systems
- Enterprise systems

The Major Tools and Techniques of Managerial Decision Support

- **Tools-Web connection**
 - All of these tools are available in both web-based and non web-based formats
- Hybrid (integrated) support systems

A support system that uses several tools and techniques to assist management in solving managerial or organizational problems and assess opportunities and strategies

Spreadsheets in DSS

- Rows and columns format
- What if analysis?
- Standard and advanced mathematical functions
- Linked spreadsheets, worksheets
- Report production (e.g. P&L, balance sheet)

Spreadsheet Design



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Figure 7.3 The five main areas of spreadsheet design

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The Internet and DSS

Heterogeneous information sources

- structured data (e.g. database table)
- semi-structured data (e.g. HTML web pages)
- unstructured (e.g. word processed document)
- Integrating data from different sources

Group Decision Support

Group Decision Support Systems

- decision networks
- decision rooms
- tele/computer conferencing
- Software support
 - brainstorming
 - voting
 - policy formation

Group Decision Support –shared expertise

The problem of distributed knowledge: finding the right person who knows



Enterprise knowledge taxonomy

Consequences of a change of the rate of exchange for hedging in export business	Knowledge	Pragmatic (Integration, Application, Context)
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		Semantic (Meaning)
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Knowledge taxonomy can be extended by adding "wisdom". Wisdom is a new stage of knowledge, created out of previous knowledge.

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Model of Semiotic process



Ambiguity on receiver's side: Fuzziness caused by interpretation

- The participants of the process: sender(s) and receiver
- The problem of receiver: interpretation of the received message.
 The message can be assigned to various levels of knowledge taxonomy. The receiver needs high level of expertise to bring it to the level of knowledge and wisdom for making decision

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Enterprise Knowledge Management Solutions



Enterprise-Wide Knowledge Management Systems



Expert Systems

- Knowledge area or domain
- Mimic 'expert behaviour'
- Interconnected rules
- Reasoning rather than computation
- Development through
 - programming language
 - expert system shell

Expert systems





Capturing Knowledge: Expert Systems

Knowledge Base: Model of human knowledge The task: to elicit information and expertise from other professionals and translate it into set of rules for an expert system

- Rule-based Expert System: Collection in an AI system represented in the the form of IF-THEN
- Capturing knowledge in natural setting (by enterprise storytelling, observing, application of concept mapping) Al shell: programming environment
- Inference Engine: strategy used to search through the rule base

Forward Chaining: strategy for searching the rules base that begins with the information entered by user and searches the rule base to arrive at a conclusion Backward Chaining: Strategy for searching the rule base in an expert system that acts as a problem solver
Concept Map about Concept Maps:

Based on Ausubel's learning psychology theory



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Example: A Concept Map Segment from Nuclear Cardiology Domain



Example: Knowledge Capture Systems: CmapTools

- To capture and formalize knowledge resulting in context rich knowledge representation models to be viewed and shared through the Internet
- Alleviates navigation problem with concept maps
- Serve as the browsing interface to a domain of knowledge
- Icons below the concept nodes provide access to auxiliary information
- Linked media resources and concept maps can be located anywhere on the Internet
- Browser provides a window showing the hierarchical ordering of maps

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Example: Expert system (Nuclear Cardiology, application of CmapTools)



Expert knowledge explanation subsystem



Application for marketing

- How to arrange goods in the shelves
- How to guide the customer in a shop, that he should visit more shelves
- Where to build a new store (according to people density, type of district, competitors)
- How to create new promotion idea related to pricing, buying behavior of selected customer segment
- What values make biggest impact for introducing new product ?

Features of Document Management Systems

• Hardware

- Document input
- Retrieval
- Integration and sharing
- Security
- Versioning

Benefits of Document Management Systems

- Reduced physical storage space
- Flexible retrieval
 - targeted search, speed of retrieval and availability
- Managed availability of documentation distribution
 - different entitlements for different users for different classes of documentation can easily be specified
- Improved security of access
 - compliance with data legislation
- Enhanced internal communication and operations
- Ability to implement workflow for the production and approval of documents
- Share knowledge within the enterprise

The Major Theories and Characteristics of Business Intelligence

 online transaction processing systems (OLTP)

Systems that handle a company's routine ongoing business

 online analytic processing (OLAP)

An information system that enables the user, while at a PC, to query the system, conduct an analysis, and so on. The result is generated in

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OLAP

Involves trend analysis and forecasting

- Uses summarized historical data (from operational databases)
- Entails complex queries, often building very large tables
- Is read-intensive
- The decisions it informs are strategic, so response is time-critical
- The users are managers/analysts

- Data Warehousing : cube and processes **Cube is a** subset of highly interrelated data that is organized to allow users to combine any attributes in a cube (e.g., stores, products, customers, suppliers) with any metrics in the cube (e.g., sales, profit, units, age) to create various two-dimensional views, or *slices*, that can be displayed on a computer screen
- Processes:
 - Pivoting
 - Roll-up
 - Drill-down, drill-through, drill-across
 - Slice cain Ck Cilo e, MKIS 2012, Brno

Data Warehousing:Process Overview

FIGURE 2.1

Data Warehouse Framework and Views



Data Warehousing (Processes)

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Pivoting data to provide different perspectives Dalia Kriksciuniene, MKIS 2012, Brno

Data Mining

The non-trivial extraction of implicit, previously unknown, and potentially useful information from data.'

Uses machine learning, statistical and visualization techniques to discover and present knowledge in a form which is easily comprehensible to humans

- Decision tables
- Nearest neighbour classification
- Neural networks
- Rule induction
- K-means clustering Dalia Kriksciuniene, Wals 2012, Brno

Operation (transaction processing system



Transaction processing system: context diagram (system in the context of its environment)



Data Integration and the Extraction, Transformation, and Load (ETL) Process

Enterprise application integration (EAI) technology for pushing data from source systems into data warehouse Enterprise information integration (EII) tool space that enables real-time data integration from a variety of sources, such as relational databases, Web services, and multidimensional databases



Real-Time Data Warehousing



Analytic applications

- Analytic applications (AA) are the packaged software products that provide value along three dimensions :
- **Process support**: structuring and automating business tasks for optimization of business operations and discovering opportunities
- Separation of function: functioning independently of organizations core transactional applications, yet dependent on transactional data and able to send results back to these applications.
- Time-oriented, integrated data: integrating data from multiple sources (internal or external to business), able of time-basis analysis. The integration of heterogeneous data enables organization to measure its performance against its own stated goals or industry benchmarks.

The Business Analytics (BA)



Business analytics: Gartner

- Business intelligence (BI) platforms enable all types of users from IT staff to consultants to business users to build applications
- that help organizations learn about and understand their business. Gartner defines a BI platform as a software platform that delivers
- the 14 capabilities listed in the document *. These capabilities are organized into three categories of functionality: integration, information delivery and analysis.

* http://businessintelligence.info/docs/estudios/Magic-Quadrant-for-Business-Intelligence-Platforms-2012.pdf

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Business analytics: Microstrategy

5 categories of business analytics : (<u>www.strategy.com</u>)

- <u>Scorecards & Dashboards</u>
- Enterprise Reporting
- OLAP Analysis
- <u>Adv. & Predictive Analysis</u>
- Alerts & Notification

Reports and Queries

Reports

- Routine reports
- Ad hoc (or on-demand) reports
- Multilingual support
- Scorecards and dashboards
- Report delivery and alerting
 - Report distribution through any touchpoint
 - Self-subscription as well as administrator-based distribution
 - Delivery on-demand, on-schedule, or on-event
 - Automatic content personalization

Data Visualization

A graphical, animation, or video presentation of data and the results of data analysis

- The ability to quickly identify important trends in corporate and market data can provide competitive advantage
- Check their magnitude of trends by using predictive models that provide significant business advantages in applications that drive content, transactions, or processes
- Mainstream computing, where it is integrated with decision support tools and applications
- Intelligent visualization, which includes data (information) interpretation

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Data Visualization problem: how many dimensions is it possible to show in 2-dim space?



Data Visualization

- Dashboards and scorecards
- Visual analysis
- Financial data visualization
- Interactive visualization
- Dynamic visualization

Geographic Information Systems (GIS)

An information system that uses spatial data, such as digitized maps. A GIS is a combination of text, graphics, icons, and symbols on maps

- As GIS tools become increasingly sophisticated and affordable, they help more companies and governments plan service for customer, the best distribution channels and gain competitive intelligence
- Some firms are deploying GIS on the Internet for internal use or for use by their customers (locate the closest store location, find hotels. Also link to mobile devices.
- E.g. ESRI solutions <u>http://www.esri.com/</u> aim to use maps for market research, mapping business competitors, resources, customer density, etc

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Real-Time BI, Automated Decision Support, and Competitive Intelligence

- ADS are most suitable for decisions that must be made frequently and/or rapidly, using information that is available electronically
- Rapidly build rules-based applications and deploy them into almost any operating environment
- Inject predictive analytics into rule-based applications, provide services to legacy systems

Combine business rules, predictive models, and optimization strategies flexibly into state-of-the-art decision-management applications

Ensure learning from decision criteria into strategy design, execution, and refinement Dalia Kriksciuniene, MKIS 2012, Brno

Real-Time BI, Automated Decision Support, and Competitive Intelligence

Tasks:

- Product or service configuration, yield (price) optimization
- Routing or segmentation decisions
- Corporate and regulatory compliance
- Fraud detection
- Dynamic forecasting, operational control
- Software companies provide these components to ADS:
 - Rule engines
 - Mathematical and statistical algorithms
 - Industry-specific packages
 - Enterprise systems
 - Workflow applications

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BA, Web Intelligence and Analytics

The application of business analytics activities to Webbased processes, including e-commerce

Clickstream analysis

The analysis of data that occur in the Web environment.

Clickstream data

Data that provide a trail of the user's activities and show the user's browsing patterns (e.g., which sites are visited, which pages, how long)

Social network data

Data emanating from natural communication among people, their personal interrelationships, attitudes to businesses and products. It is expected to be enormous wealth for marketing, however requiring new analytical balia Kriksciuniene, MKIS 2012, Brno

The Executive Information System



Executive systems

Executive information and support systems

Provides rapid access to timely and relevant information aiding in monitoring an organization's performance

- A firm's EIS usually includes executive workstations networked to a central. Some executives prefer more detail, so EIS designers build in flexibility so their systems fit the preferences of all executives, whatever they are
- One approach is to provide a drill-down capability, giving executives the ability to bring up a summary display and then display successively greater levels of detail

A Framework for Business Intelligence



A Framework for Business Intelligence (BI)



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Business Intelligence From Data To Information

- Analyze the various trades of the company to ٠ improve the processes, to increase the effectiveness and to reduce costs
- To detect the market trends, to understand the behavior and to improve the client relationship, to identify opportunities and to increase competitiveness



Data Integration Exposition, Transformation, & Unit

MkIS for decision making


Digital Dashboards



Figure 7.5 An example of a digital dashboard

Performance dashboard sample



- What to look for in a dashboard
 - Use of visual components (e.g., charts, performance bars, sparklines, gauges, meters, stoplights) to highlight, at a glance, the data and exceptions that require action.
 - Transparent to the user, meaning that they require minimal training and are extremely easy to use
 - Combine data from a variety of systems into a single, summarized, unified view of the business

Dashboards versus scorecards

- Three types of performance dashboards:
 - 1. Operational dashboards
 - 2. Tactical dashboards
 - 3. Strategic dashboards
- Dashboard design
 - "The fundamental challenge of dashboard design is to display all the required information on a single screen, clearly and without distraction, in a manner that can be assimilated quickly" (Few, 2005)

- What to look for in a dashboard
 - Enable drill-down or drill-through to underlying data sources or reports
 - Present a dynamic, real-world view with timely data refreshes, enabling the end user to stay up-to-date with any recent changes in the business.
 - Require little, if any, customized coding to implement, deploy, and maintain

Example: Microstrategy dashboards

http://www.microstrategy.com/software/businessintelligence/dashboards-and-scorecards/ The criteria: Align the Organization Polished and personalized High Scale and Performance Empower Operational Workers Replace Dense Reports Embedded Analytical Workflows

Dashboards versus scorecards

Performance dashboards

Visual display used to monitor operational performance

Performance scorecards

Visual display used to chart progress against strategic and tactical goals and targets

Performance dashboard is a multilayered application built on a business intelligence and data integration infrastructure that enables organizations to measure, monitor, and manage business performance more effectively (Eckerson) Dalia Kriksciuniene, MKIS 2012, Brno

Balanced scorecard model

The model suggested by Kaplan & Norton (1996). The results of the Fortune 500 company survey revealed the "strategy gap" and importance to measure executing strategy:

Awareness

95% of the typical workforce does not understand the strategy

Resources

60% of organizations do not link budgets to strategy

They Don't Manage Strategy!

Incentives

70% of organizations do not link middle management incentives to strategy Dalia Kriksciuniene, MKIS 2012, Brno

Executive Agenda

85% of executive teams spend less than one hour per month discussing strategy

The Balanced Scorecard Model: four perspectives, cause – effect principle

The Balanced Scorecard describes strategy by focusing on the its cause and effect relationships.



The Balanced Scorecard Model: four perspectives, cause – effect principle, several views for reporting

- Defining vision, mission, strategy
- Decomposing strategy to strategic themes
- Defining objectives for each theme building "strategy map"
- Designing measures
- Defining target values building "balanced scorecard"
- Planning strategic initiatives for improving measures (e.g.by marketing promotion, launching product, implementing IS) or for measuring them (e.g. survey for evaluation of customer satisfaction or customer characteristics (e.g. VALS survey)
 - Balancing the scorecard if it sufficient to achieve strategy
- Cascading balanced scorecard for each department, each Sole Permission from Harvard Business School Press. From *The Balanced Scorecard*: *Translating Strategy into Action*, by Kaplan, R. S. and Norton, D. P., Boston,

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BSC: Application of balanced scorecard for marketing strategic approach

Strategy can be expressed as several parallel and complementary strategic themes.



Composing balanced scorecard

The initial view of the balanced scorecard is "**strategy map**". Its structure- four perspectives, strategic themes with their objectives expressed in "bubbles", linked by causal relationships.

Each enterprise is advised to have not more than 20 -25 strategic objectives in the 4 perspectives



"strategy map" is further transformed into "balanced scorecard" by creating measures for each objective

How to design measures for the objectives

Measure Template

Strategic Objective: Names the objective Frequency of Update: Measure: Names the measure Identifies how often it is Measurement Intent: Describes the measure and the reasoning behind its Identifies how often it is selection as an indicator of progress against this strategic objective. Units of Measure: Identifies Units of Measure: in which the measure will be reported Units of Measure: Identifies								
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Each **objective** can have **several measures** Each **measure** is derived from variables found in the transaction systems, ERP, composed by formulas or evaluated by surveys. Distinct feature- each measure has **several targets** for its evaluation:

Current value Forecasted value Intolerable value Best value existing in the business branch Desired ideal value (search for new ideas) Value presentation methods: numeric, textual, color, graph, etc.

Components: objectives, measures, targets, initiatives

Aligning strategic initiatives ensures that the strategy is translated into action.



Example of strategy map of consumer bank



Linking strategy map with balanced scorecard and action plan (initiatives)

Strategy Map	Balanced Scored	ard	Action Plan		
Dramatically Increase	Measure	Target	Initiative	Budget	
Add & Retain High Value Customers	 Net Income Growth (Volume contribution) Revenue Mix (Relationship Customer) 	+\$100M +\$67M 70%	Customer Profitability Database	\$AAA	
Trusted One-Stop Financial Advisor	Customer Satisfaction Share of Wallet	90% 50%	Segmentation Initiative Improved Customer Surveys	\$BBB \$CCC	
Shift Customers to Appropriate Channels	Channel Mix Change	40%	 Telemarketing Campaign List Purchase Direct Mail Support 	\$DDD \$EEE \$FFF	
Strategic Job Telemarketers	Strategic Job Readiness	100%	Telemarket Skills Training Program	\$GGG	
Strategic Systems CRM Lead Management	 Information System Availability 	100%	CRM System Rollout	SHHH	
Create Organization Readiness	Customer Focused Culture Leadership Survey Strategic Awareness Best Practice Sharing	100% 70% 90% 100%	 Internal Education Leadership Development Program Employee Community Weekly Team Meetings 	SIII SJJJ SKKK SLLL	
			Total Budget	SMMM	

Example of balanced scorecard

	Perspective	Strategic Objectives	Strategic Measures	Targets	
Financ	ial Perspective	 F1 Increase earnings per share F2 Add and retain high value customers F3 Increase revenue per customer F4 Reduce cost per customer 	 Net income (vs. plan) Revenue mix (by target segment) Revenue per customer Cost per customer 	+\$100M 30%(A) 70%(B) \$300 \$75	
Custon	ner Perspective	C1 Become a trusted financial advisor C2 Provide superior service	 Customer satisfaction (survey) Share of wallet Target customer retention 	90% 50% 90%	
ke -	Customer Management	 I1 Understand customer segments I2 Shift to appropriate channel I3 Cross-sell the product line 	 Share of segment Channel mix change Cross-sell ratio 	30% 40% 2.5	
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Internal Perspective	Operations Management	I5 Minimize problemsI6 Provide rapid response	Service error rateRequest fulfillment time	0.% < 24hrs	
	Responsible Citizen	I7 Build diversity reflecting community	Diversity mix versus community	1.0	
f	Human Capital	L1 Insure readiness of strategic jobs	Strategic job readiness	100%	
Growth tive	Information Capital	L2 Insure availability of strategic info	Information portfolio readiness	100%	
Learning & Gro Perspective	Organization Capital	L3 Create a customer-focused culture L4 Build cadre of leaders L5 Align the organization L6 Best practice sharing	 Customer survey 360° Survey (leadership model) Strategic awareness survey Personal goals aligned to BSC (%) KMS utilization/currency 	100% 70% 90% 100% 100%	

BSC: Planning strategy



BSC: Balancing the strategic plan

Each strategic theme contributes to meeting the stretch financial target.

Strategic Theme	Add and Retain High Value Customers	Increase Revenue per Customer	Decrease Cost per Customer	
Target for Improvement	+ /5%		-20%	
Targeted quantity	125,000 customers	Revenue of \$20/customer per month	Cost of \$4/customer per month	

Targeted Profit: 125,000 * (20 – 4) = \$ 2,000,000 per month

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BSC: Strategic initiatives for measurement or improving the indicators

Purpose of Strategic Initiatives

Initiatives Are Short-Term Programs Defined to Help Close the Performance Gap.



BSC: Strategy map

Lanier 15th MTP Strategy Map

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BSC: measurement process

Dashboards articulate the critical link between strategy management and operations management.



- Identify operational processes key to executing strategy and manage those processes using analytical models rather than instincts
- Analytical models identify drivers to the process and display these drivers on a dashboard accessible to managers that can make an impact

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BSC: Example of strategy map

A Strategy Map provides the basis for building a Key Risk Indicator dashboard



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BSC: Example- linking to measures

Determine an understanding of the underlying drivers of your strategic objectives.



Cascading balanced scorecard: builds common understanding from strategic to operational level persons



Building computerized systems for Balanced Scorecard

- Software solutions are numerous, fully of only partly following the method.
- Part of them are certified by consulting company Palladium group established by creators of method (Kaplan and Norton).
- Requirements and software providers
 <u>http://www.thepalladiumgroup.com/about/soft</u>
 warecertification/Pages/overview.aspx
- Among certified are MS Dynamics (Axapta), SAP, Hyperion, Cognos, Peoplesoft

Example: COGNOS software



Example: QPR software

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Example: QPR various views of bsc (reporting)



Requirements for computation for implementing BSC

- Defining variables for measurements and key performance indicators, selected by managers
- Collecting data in legacy systems, external systems
- Supplementing necessary data by organizing marketing surveys
- Collecting data from experts, internal communication observations
- Creating new variables derived from the available data
- Processing data for research of root-cause relationships getting analytical insights, forecasting, evaluation, classification, indicating problems and providing alternatives for solutions. Dalia Kriksciuniene, MKIS 2012, Brno

Cloud services

- Software-as-a-Service (SaaS) layer applications are hosted by cloud computing providers and are available to customers over Internet, such as CRM, ERP, project management systems, document management systems, office suite programs etc. These solutions are targeted for business and home users.
- Platform-as-a-Service (PaaS) layer is targeted at software developers' needs, it offers both development environment and tools as a service.
- Infrastructure-as-a-Service (IaaS) layer delivers platform virtualization environment as a service [5]. Target users are system administrators, who analyse the needs for resources and ensure computing power

Cloud allows moving local software to internet: service instead of product



Cloud architecture



Benefits of cloud solutions

Easy to start, as they do not require specific programming or administration knowledge and could be especially suitable for small and medium enterprises that lack financial and human resources for investing to IT infrastructure: installing and maintaining hardware infrastructure and software applications

By using "pay as you go" subscription model the enterprise can avoid costs of starting capital, and the running costs can be further regulated by subscribing resources and services that company needs at the time.

Other benefits include scalability, reliability, security, ease of deployment, and ease of management for customers

Problem of moving to cloud -Vendor lock-in

If company subscribes some cloud services, it could be hard or impossible to make backup of all data and ensure that data could be reused of moved to other cloud vendor.



Threats and risks of cloud

- Major threats of cloud computing can be summarized to the following risk categories :
- Policy and organizational risks: lock-in, loss of governance, compliance challenges, loss of business reputation, and cloud service termination or failure;
- Technical risks: unavailability of service, resource exhaustion, intercepting data in transit, data transfer bottlenecks, and distributed denial of service;
- Legal risks: subpoena and e-discovery, changes of jurisdiction, data privacy, and licensing.

Threats and risks of cloud

 Policy and organizational risks can lead to difficulty of extracting data from the cloud service, and this is important reason why some companies refuse start using it. It is recomended that cloud computing customers should have an alternative location for services, and the cloud provider would give proper data backup to ensure continuity even if the cloud computing provider went broke or acquired and swallowed up by a larger company

Scopes of risk: many users, their specific needs

Salesforce.com can serve as a case study of managing company data in cloud. In 2010 it had over 87 200 customers (a world leading CRM provider indicated) by Gartner. It provides export possibility of all company data once a week only for subscribers of highest priced versions - Enterprise and Unlimited Editions, paid for other versions. The provided backup is flat file format without any object relations.

SugarCRM:<u>http://www.sugarcrm.com/company-overview</u>

company is headquartered in Cupertino, California with European headquarters in Munich, Germany and Asia Pacific headquarters in Sydney, Australia

* News from partner In Czech:

Akce: Integrace a inovace s SugarCRM Datum: 20.11.2012 / 9:00-14:00 Místo: HUB Praha (Drtinova 10, Praha 5) http://www.corenet.cz/registrace Dalia Kriksciuniene, MKIS 2012, Brno

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1 Wholesale	329	37771	40.5	2.5	5000	53	26033	5
2 Fin	178	48107	42.5	3.5	200	112	105275	5
3	72	117392	35	3.5 1	500	50	61283	3
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5 Retail	144	363599	44.5	0.5	900	167	204016	7
6 Wholesale	39	4380	12.5	0.5	500	15	1802	0
7 Advertise	52	32760	57.5	0.5	100	27	7746	0
8 Advertise	120	782	13.5	0.5	50	28	12252	5
9 Service	56	4320	21	0	20	15	8634	0
10 Retail	26	420	2.5	0	220	9	1890	3
11 Wholesale	0	0	1	0	5	5	567	0
12 Service	20	28	0	0	70	7	989	0
13 Service	8	150	5	0	200	8	290	0
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Example of Sugar CRM usage Workload estimation for updating customized customer files due to development of vendor's cloud environment (Empirical data from 15 SME companies in LT)

Customer data collections become "big data"

Facebook revealed some stats on its **big** data:http://techcrunch.com/2012/08/22/how-big-isfacebooks-data-2-5-billion-pieces-of-content-and-500-terabytes-ingested-every-day/

Big Data

- 2.5B content items shared
- 2.7B 'Likes'
- 300M photos uploaded
- 100+PB disk space in a single HDFS cluste
- 105TB data scanned via Hive (30min)
- 70,000 queries executed
- 500+TB new data ingested

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If you want to insert one more field into Facebook customer record it would take 3 months (told at hosting service providers' seminar 2012)

Assignment 2

Tools &software: Sugar CRM, MS Excel pivot module, *Statistica* advanced models, *Viscovery SoMine 2nd team assignment and lab work training:*

•Operational CRM (Sugar CRM)

• Analytical CRM (CRM performance analysis by applying computational intelligence methods: neural networks, fuzzy rules, Kohonen self organizing networks)

Assignment 2

Tools &software: Sugar CRM, lab work training: Operational CRM (Sugar CRM) <u>https://demo.sugaropencloud.eu/optimus/ Masaryk</u> Username : sugarcrm0 Password: mkis0 (0-your number of enrolment in PV250 MkIS)

Lab work

- 1. Access the system
- 2. Register new customer and his data
- 3. Register new task, related to the customer. Services (reminder, topic categories)
- 4. Plan the meeting, fulfill it
- 5. Assign the task to your colleague
- 6. Create sales operation for the customer.
- 7. Find the sales transaction in the analytical area.
- 8. Define the time period of analysis
- 9. Create project. Define tasks for the project
- 10. Get acquainted to the environment, find 5 other functions and make them.

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