## Level of Impact High Impact

Critical Work Functions	Today	Within 3 Years			
Achieve sales	<ul> <li>Interact with customers to sell products and services</li> <li>Handle after-retail sales services and provide advice on products and services</li> <li>Document sales transactions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>[NEW] Support the streamlining of the buying process for customers across physical and digital channels</li> <li>[NEW] Leverage data analytics to understand customer needs and purchase patterns to provide product recommendations and personalised services</li> <li>Utilise technologies such as mobile applications to provide product demonstrations and enhance customer experience</li> <li>[SUBSTITUTED] Use RPA and Al-enabled platforms to automate documentation of sales transactions</li> <li>[SUBSTITUTED] Use Al chatbots to facilitate first-level support on routine enquiries regarding products and services</li> <li>Support in addressing complex enquires by leveraging an in-depth knowledge of products and services</li> <li>[NEW] Analyse customers' feedback to improve after-retail sales services</li> </ul>			
Deliver service excellence	<ul> <li>Respond to service challenges and provide go-the-extra-mile services</li> <li>Deliver excellent customer service</li> <li>Acquire industry information and engage in service innovation initiatives</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Deliver service while ensuring professional image and persona aligns with organisation's service commitment</li> <li>Guide customers on the use of self-service technologies to enhance customer experience</li> <li>[SUBSTITUTED] Use Al-enabled systems and RPA to automate data collation, cleaning and checking of customer information</li> <li>[NEW] Anticipate customer needs by obtaining insights from CRM systems to deliver personalised services</li> </ul>			
Deliver operations excellence	<ul> <li>Perform stock control operations</li> <li>Apply security, workplace emergency, safety and health, and hygiene policies and procedures</li> <li>Handle merchandise display and operations of promotions and events</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>[SUBSTITUTED] Leverage predictive analytics to track and forecast stock levels</li> <li>[NEW] Support the integration of technologies between business systems of suppliers and partners to manage purchasing, stockholding and distribution efficiencies</li> <li>[AUGMENTED] Leverage autonomous technology such as robots to perform physically challenging tasks, minimising WSH risks</li> <li>Apply creative thinking to manage merchandise display, roadshows, promotions and events to increase sales potential</li> </ul>			

## SALES ASSOCIATE/BRAND ASSOCIATE

Job Expectations within the next 3 years						
Critical Work Functions	Today	Within 3 Years				
Execute customer order fulfilment	Handle the fulfilment of customers' orders across store pick or delivery service	<ul> <li>[SUBSTITUTED] Use Al-enabled systems and RPA to enable self-service and automate standard fulfilment orders</li> <li>Handle the fulfilment of complex orders from key customers</li> </ul>				
Engage in innovative and productivity initiatives	Generate ideas and support the implementation of productivity and innovation initiatives	Support the review of work processes using <b>data analytics</b> to provide insights on performance as well as generate new ideas to enhance productivity				

Job Adjacency					
	WITHIN WHOLESALE TRADE			OUTSIDE WHOLESALE TRADE	
Business Process Improvement Coordinator	Data Coordinator	Senior Excellence Coordinator	Customer Insights Coordinator	Product Coordinator (Sales)	Social Media Coordinator

## Roles Specific SKILL DESCRIPTIONS Customer Experience Transformation Customer Experience Transformation Comni-channel Strategy Implementation Comni-channel Strategy Implementation Comni-channel Strategy Implementation SKILL DESCRIPTIONS Conduct research and identify potential touchpoints and key moments that matter across the customer journey. Synthesise insights on gaps to provide recommendations for enhancement for various customer segments. Identify innovative technologies and recommend initiatives for enhancing the customer experience journey. Apply principles of omni-channel communication to ensure integrated and seamless customer experience across the interactions and services. Monitor the communications and suggest changes to enhance experience and engagement through new content or channels.

Interpret performance data to develop insights to improve business performance.

## IN THE NEXT 3-5 YEARS...

Performance Monitoring and Analysis

This role will be expected to empower customers in making purchase decisions across both physical and digital channels. There will be a growing focus on understanding customer needs through data analytics and human interactions. As more tasks within the role become substituted, there is a possibility that the role could become redundant, be outsourced to a cheaper location or be merged with another role within the organisation.

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