

# Sales Executives: The Essential Shift from Product-Led to Value-Centric



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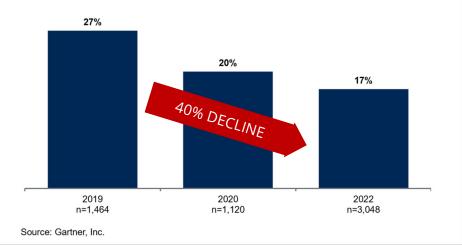


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#### ARE OUR CUSTOMERS HAPPY?



## **High-Quality – Deals In Decline for Major Technology Purchases**





#### **PURCHASE PESSIMISM PANDEMIC**

- Consensus struggle with ever larger teams
- Doubts on composition and completeness of the team
- Compromises to appease others
- Lack of internal decision process step clarity
- Don't know best approach to make a good decision
- Unrealistic expectations
- Misunderstanding of solution capability
- Surprised by additional costs, resource requirements
- · Shortfall on what is delivered

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## WHY IS VALUE SELLING SO IMPORTANT?





#### TOP PERFORMERS vs. MIDDLERS & LAGGARDS

VALUE SELLING IS THE TOP CUSTOMER ENGAGEMENT CAPABILITY ACROSS 100 SKILLS and BEHAVIORS ACROSS 13 CATEGORIES



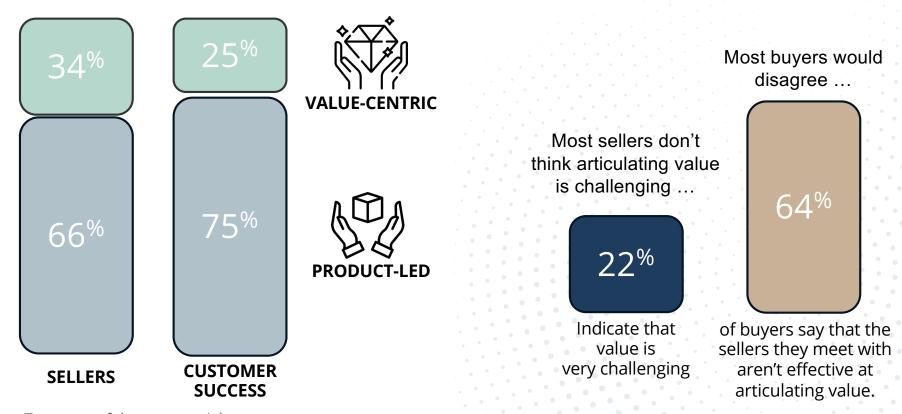


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## PRODUCT-LED vs. VALUE-CENTRIC?







Too many of the commercial team are engaging with a Product-led vs Value-centric approach with buyers (Finlistics)

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## WHAT DEFINES A GREAT VALUE PROGRAM?





## The 7-C's of Value Program Excellence





COACHING





CONTENT







CUSTOMER SUCCESS

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## **CHALLENGES TO GETTING VALUE RIGHT?**







LACK OF EXECUTIVE SUPPORT



POOR PRICING STRATEGY



POOR ICP & PERSONA TARGETING



SALES & MARKETING MISALIGNMENT



TOO NARROW VIEW OF VALUE



INCOMPLETE CUSTOMER JOURNEY VIEW

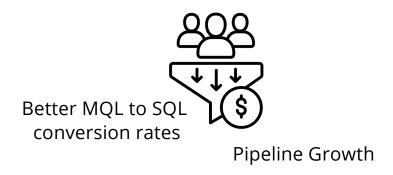


NOT TREATING VALUE PROGRAM AS A CHANGE MANAGEMENT JOURNEY

## **RESULTS WHEN YOU GET IT RIGHT?**







New Logo Acquisitions

**Better Win Rates** 



**Accelerated Close Times** 

Improved Deal Size



**Better Renewal Rates** 



**Accelerated Expansions** 





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