Distinguish, differentiate, compare and explain what is the difference between Saas and On-premise ERP. Comparison and Differences.

Difference between Saas and On-premise ERP

- 1. In terms of Purchasing Plan: Saas offer smaller recurring monthly fees. On-premise <u>ERP solution</u> requires one large lump payment.
- 2. In terms of Technical support: In Saas based system, technical support is available as long as the account is current. In On-premise ERP, technical support is available only under the providers terms for a limited specified amount of time.
- 3. In terms of Elasticity i.e. ability to expand services if suddenly necessary: Extremely offered in Saas based system. If your business suddenly needs more of a service, the provider is able to adjust services as necessary and instantly. On the other hand, in On-premise ERP expansion of the system is very limited. If your needs change to suddenly need more of a service, you must either purchase more of the same software or hope the provider comes out with an updated version.
- 4. In terms of Pool resourcing i.e. how many users can use a single software license): In Saas system, as many users as required that have access to the login information. In On-premise ERP, the software license is given to a specific number of people and usually isnt transferable.
- 5. In terms of Security: In Saas, the security of files is dependent upon the reliability of the service providers servers abilities. On-premise ERP must be managed in-house by your own IT team and your companys data security policies.

