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Introduction to IT project management

Software Development Life Cycle SDLC





Project conditions assessment

Costs calculation

- Workload
- Resources

Scheduling

Providing feedback to stakeholders

Planning



Requirements definition

considered an element of planning

define what the software should do

allow to focus on the important parts of the software

allow to identify the necessary resources

Design and prototyping



Software development

Proper software development

Depending on the project, they are carried out by teams of different sizes

Recommended use of supporting software

- Access control
- Code management

Value instructions and explanations

- User's Guides
- Comments in the code

Testing



Non-functional Functional





Deployment

Automatic

For simple systems

For subsystems and modules

Complex

System change

Launching a new, unknown service

Operation and maintenance





Methodology vs Framework

project management methodology

Project management methodology offers a clear project roadmap that lists all the steps required to deliver a project successfully.

project management framework

The project management framework provides structure and direction to a project. Frameworks guide projects to their goal while being flexible enough to adapt to evolving conditions.

Framework

Gives an overview of how guidelines can be implemented

Offers space for creative adaptation

Preferred by experts

Makes it hard to develop and implement performance metrics

Leaves room to include other practices and tools

Traditional project management (PMBOK) is a framework

Methodology

Offers rigid rules and practices for completing a project

Is pretty rigid and prescriptive

Preferred by beginners

Spells out all performance guidelines in granular detail

Cannot be embedded with other practices and tools

PRINCE2 is a well-known project management methodology

Project Management Methodologies



Themes

Principles

Processes

Standards

How to choose, what to choose?

Consider your project factors by their simplicity or complexity

Determine the rigidity or flexibility of your work environment

Consider what delivers the most value

Leverage your organizational goals

List your organizational and team values

Methodologies and frameworks

Agile	Collaborating to iteratively deliver whatever works	
SCRUM	Enabling a small, cross functional, self-managing team to deliver fast	
Kanban	improving speed and quality of delivery by increasing visibility of work in progress, and limiting multi-tasking	
Scrumban	limiting work in progress like Kanban with a daily stand up like Scrum	
Lean	streamlining and eliminating waste to deliver more with less	
XP	Extreme Programming methodology- doing development robustly to ensure quality	
Waterfall	planning projects fully, then executing through phases	
PRINCE2	controlled project management that leaves nothing to chance	
PMI's PMBOK	applying universal standards to waterfall project management	

Agile

Values

- Individuals and interactions over processes and tools
 Working software over comprehensive
 - documentation
- 3.Customer collaboration over contract negotiation
- 4.Responding to change over following a plan

Principles

- 1.Customer satisfaction through early and continuous software delivery
- 2.Accommodate changing requirements throughout the development process
- 3. Frequent delivery of working software
- 4. Collaboration between the business stakeholders and developers throughout the project
- 5.Support, trust, and motivate the people involved
- 6.Enable face-to-face interactions
- 7. Working software is the primary measure of progress
- 8.Agile processes to support a consistent development pace
- 9.Attention to technical detail and design enhances agility 10.Simplicity
- 11.Self-organizing teams encourage great architectures, requirements, and designs
- 12.Regular reflections on how to become more effective

Scrum

Scrum team roles

Product owner: Product expert who represents the stakeholders, and is the voice of the customer. **Development team**: Group of professionals who deliver the product (developers, programmers, designers). **Scrum master**: Organized servant-leader who ensures the understanding and execution of Scrum is followed.

Scrum events

- **Sprint**: Iterative time boxes in which a goal is accomplished. Time frame does not exceed one calendar month and are consistent throughout the development process.
- Sprint planning: Where the entire Scrum team get together—at the beginning of every Sprint—to plan the upcoming sprint.
- **Daily Scrum**: 15 minute time boxed meeting held at the same time, every day of the Sprint, where the previous day's achievements are discussed, as well as the expectations for the following one.
- Sprint review: An informal meeting held at the end of every Sprint where the Scrum team present their Increment to the stakeholders, and discuss feedback.
- Sprint retrospective: A meeting where the Scrum team reflect on the proceedings of the previous Sprint and establish improvements for the next Sprint.

Scrum Artifacts

Product backlog: Managed by the Product Owner, it's where all the requirements needed for a viable product are listed in order of priority. Includes features, functions, requirements, enhancements, and fixes that authorize any changes to be made to the product in future releases.

Sprint backlog: A list of the tasks and requirements that need to be accomplished during the next Sprint. Sometimes accompanied by a Scrum task board, which is used to visualize the progress of the tasks in the current Sprint, and any changes that are made in a 'To Do, Doing, and Done' format.

Kanban

To-do	Doing	Done
Fuel tanks Medium 19.10.2017 17:38	Choose cool color for ship Low 10.08.2016 - 11.08.2016	Find crew (19,10.2017 17:42
Choose flight menu Low 23.08.2017	Test hibernation boxes (High) 08.08.2017 - 12.08.2017 = 1	Build spaceship (Meelum) 01.08.2017 - 16.08.2017 - 2
Find a name for colony Low 11.08.2017 16:20		Establish mars colony High 18.08.2016 09:27
Radiation shields (High) 08.08.2017		

Kanban board	What's used to visualize the development process, a Kanban board can be either physical (a whiteboard, sticky notes, and markers) or digital.
Kanban cards	Each Kanban card depicts a work item/task in the work process. Used to communicate progress with your team, it represents information such as status, cycle time, and impending deadlines.
Kanban swimlanes	Flowing horizontally, Kanban swimlanes are a visual element on the board that allows you to further distinguish tasks/items by categorizing them. Their purpose is to offer a better overview of the workflow.



Waterfall



WE STARTOUR FIRST SIX MONTH SPRINT TOMORROW



Prince2 (PRojects IN Controlled Environments)





