

Scrum Riddles

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Stakeholder

A person with an interest or concern of the Scrum team activities and results





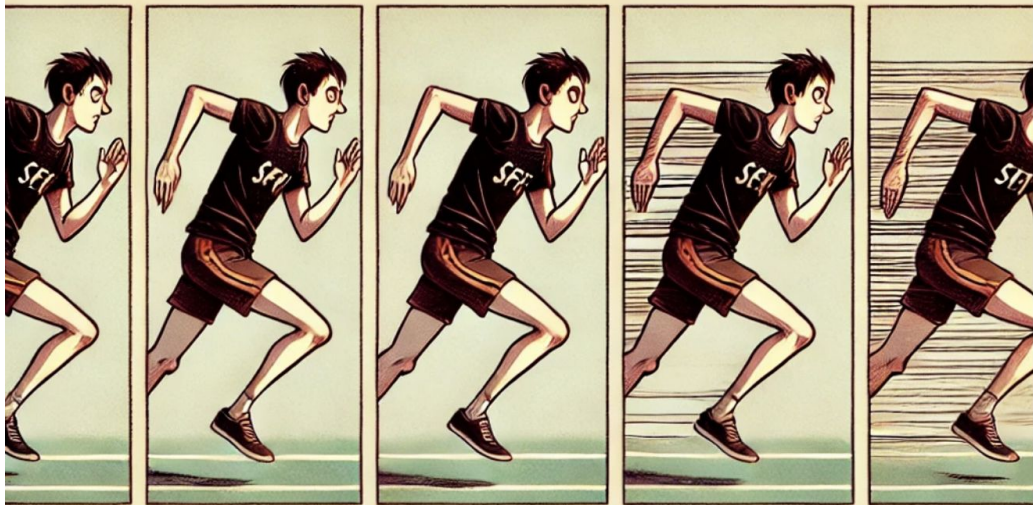
Unknown Unknown

One of the reason types together with “Known” and “Unknown Known” for a developer NOT to invest 100% in the sprint

Known - Workshop, Scrum teams

Unknown known - Support

Unknown Unknown - Sickness



Iterative & incremental

The definition of Scrum in the Scrum guide

Scrum Values

Scrum Team

- Developers
- Product Owner
- Scrum Master

Scrum Events

- The Sprint
- Sprint Planning
- Daily Scrum
- Sprint Review
- Sprint Retrospective

Scrum Artifacts

- Product Backlog
- Sprint Backlog
- Increment

Various processes, techniques and methods can be employed within the framework. Scrum wraps around existing practices or renders them unnecessary. Scrum makes visible the relative efficacy of current management, environment, and work techniques, so that improvements can be made.

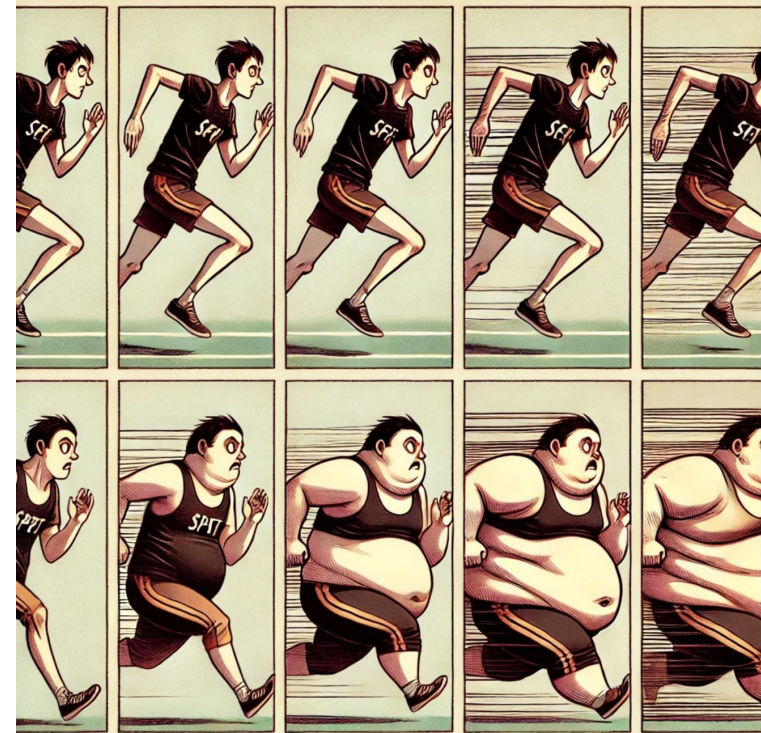
Scrum Theory

Scrum is founded on empiricism and lean thinking. Empiricism asserts that knowledge comes from experience and making decisions based on what is observed. Lean thinking reduces waste and focuses on the essentials.

Scrum employs an iterative, incremental approach to optimize predictability and to control risk. Scrum engages groups of people who collectively have all the skills and expertise to do the work and share or acquire such skills as needed.

Scrum combines four formal events for inspection and adaptation within a containing event, the Sprint. These events work because they implement the empirical Scrum pillars of transparency, inspection, and adaptation.

Transparency







Time box

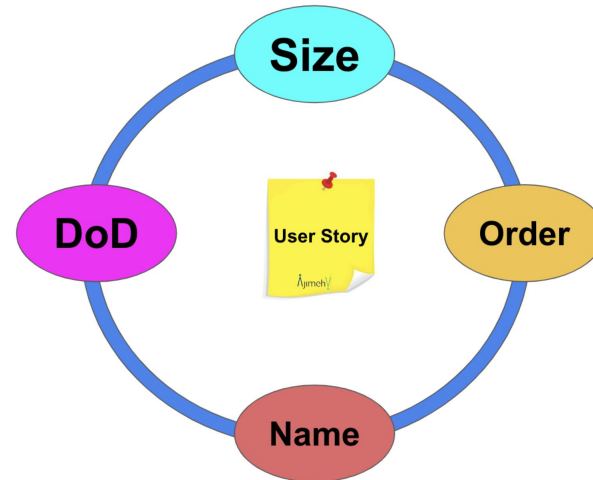
In [agile principles](#), **timeboxing** allocates a maximum unit of time to an activity, called a **timebox**, within which a planned activity takes place. It is used by agile principles-based [project management](#) approaches and for personal time management.





DoD

Definition of Done. One of the four attributes of a user story







The birthday technique

One of the famous techniques in Scrum in which the developers let the PO decide NOT to handle bugs in every sprint until it gets too complex

As we say in Scrum: “If you want to remember your spouse’s birthday, forget it once...! :-)”





Perfection



Perfection is only a direction

One of the common phrases regarding any goal





Ship happens!

One of the common funny phrases regarding the ability of a team to ship an increment

$$\lim_{\text{Sprint} \rightarrow \infty} P(\text{SBL} = \text{Inc}) = 1$$

Sprint $\rightarrow \infty$







Controlled chaos

One of the common funny phrases regarding the implementation of Agile



ONTESIENBE

ANTHONY'S
RESTAURANT



Obstacle Remover

One of the known titles of a
Scrum master





There can be only one!

One of the common phrases regarding a PO1

With one exception....Who knows it?



There can be only one!

3 POs!!





Working Software is the primary measure of progress

One of the principles of Agile !

Business people and developers must work together daily throughout the project.

Build projects around motivated individuals. Give them the environment and support they need, and trust them to get the job done.

The most efficient and effective method of conveying information to and within a development team is face-to-face conversation.

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Continuous attention to technical excellence and good design enhances agility.

Simplicity--the art of maximizing the amount of work not done--is essential.

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Responding to ~~cash~~ change over Following a plan

One of the values of Agile !

Manifesto for Agile Software Development

We are uncovering better ways of developing software by doing it and helping others do it. Through this work we have come to value:

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

That is, while there is value in the items on the right, we value the items on the left more.

Kent Beck	James Grenning	Robert C. Martin
Mike Beedle	Jim Highsmith	Steve Mellor
Arie van Bennekum	Andrew Hunt	Ken Schwaber
Alistair Cockburn	Ron Jeffries	Jeff Sutherland
Ward Cunningham	Jon Kern	Dave Thomas
Martin Fowler	Brian Marick	





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