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Agile Project Management-
Jim Highsmith 2009-07-10
Best practices for managing projects in agile environments—now updated with new techniques for larger projects Today, the pace of project management moves faster. Project management needs to become more flexible and far more responsive to customers. Using Agile Project Management (APM), project managers can achieve all these goals without compromising value, quality, or business discipline. In Agile Project Management, Second Edition, renowned agile pioneer Jim Highsmith thoroughly updates his classic guide to APM, extending and refining it to support even the largest projects and
organizations. Writing for project leaders, managers, and executives at all levels, Highsmith integrates the best project management, product management, and software development practices into an overall framework designed to support unprecedented speed and mobility. The many topics added in this new edition include incorporating agile values, scaling agile projects, release planning, portfolio governance, and enhancing organizational agility. Project and business leaders will especially appreciate Highsmith’s new coverage of promoting agility through performance measurements based on value, quality, and constraints. This edition’s coverage includes:

- Understanding the agile revolution’s impact on product development
- Recognizing when agile methods will work in project management, and when they won’t
- Setting realistic business objectives for Agile Project Management
- Promoting agile values and principles across the organization
- Utilizing a proven Agile Enterprise Framework that encompasses governance, project and iteration management, and technical practices
- Optimizing all five stages of the agile project: Envision, Speculate, Explore, Adapt, and Close
- Organizational and product-related processes for scaling agile to the largest projects and teams
- Agile project governance solutions for executives and management
- The “Agile Triangle”: measuring performance in ways that encourage agility instead of discouraging it
- The changing role of the agile project leader

**Agile Project Management with Scrum** - Ken Schwaber
2004-02-11

The rules and practices for Scrum—a simple process for managing complex projects—are few, straightforward, and easy to learn. But Scrum’s simplicity itself—its lack of prescription—can be disarming, and new practitioners often find themselves reverting to old project management habits and tools and yielding lesser results. In this illuminating series of case studies, Scrum co-creator and evangelist Ken
Schwaber identifies the real-world lessons—the successes and failures—culled from his years of experience coaching companies in agile project management. Through them, you’ll understand how to use Scrum to solve complex problems and drive better results—delivering more valuable software faster. Gain the foundation in Scrum theory—and practice—you need to: Rein in even the most complex, unwieldy projects Effectively manage unknown or changing product requirements Simplify the chain of command with self-managing development teams Receive clearer specifications—and feedback—from customers Greatly reduce project planning time and required tools Build—and release—products in 30-day cycles so clients get deliverables earlier Avoid missteps by regularly inspecting, reporting on, and fine-tuning projects Support multiple teams working on a large-scale project from many geographic locations Maximize return on investment!

Making Sense of Agile Project Management-Charles G. Cobb 2011-02-08
The book is intended to provide a much deeper understanding of agile principles, methodologies, and practices to enable project managers to develop a more agile approach and understand how to blend and tailor agile and traditional principles, methodologies, and practices to create an appropriate balance of control and agility to fit a business environment as well as the risks and complexities of any individual project. The book will also provide business managers and leaders an understanding of how to fit agile methodologies into an overall business strategy that provides the right balance of control and agility for their business.

Agile Project Management For Dummies-Mark C. Layton 2012-05-08
Presents a step-by-step guide to effectively manage the computer software development process.
Agile Project Management with Kanban - Eric Brechner
2015-02-25
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Plan and staff new projects more effectively
Minimize work in progress and quickly adjust to change
Eliminate artificial meetings and prolonged stabilization
Improve and enhance customer engagement
Visualize workflow and fix revealed bottlenecks
Drive quality upstream
Integrate Kanban into large projects
Optimize sustained engineering
Expand Kanban beyond software development

Agile Project Management: Managing for Success - James A. Crowder 2014-08-23
Management and enables them to deal with the demands and complexities of modern, agile systems/software/hardware development teams. The book examines the project/program manager beyond the concepts of leadership and aims to connect to employees' sense
of identity. The text examines human psychological concepts such as “locus of control,” which will help the manager understand their team members’ view and how best to manage their “world” contributions. The authors cover new management tools and philosophies for agile systems/software/hardware development teams, with a specific focus on how this relates to engineering and computer science. This book also includes practical case studies. Discusses management skills needed as they relate to the advances in software development practices Examines how to manage an agile development team that includes teams across geographically, ethnically, and culturally diverse backgrounds Embraces all of the aspects of modern management and leadership

Agile Project Management For Dummies - Mark C. Layton 2020-09-29 This updated edition shows you how to use the agile project management framework for success! Learn how to apply agile concepts to your projects. This fully updated book covers changes to agile approaches and new information related to the methods of managing an agile project. Agile Project Management For Dummies, 3rd Edition gives product developers and other project leaders the tools they need for a successful project. This book’s principles and techniques will guide you in creating a product roadmap, self-correcting iterations of deployable products, and preparing for a product launch. Agile approaches are critical for achieving fast and flexible product development. It’s also a useful tool for managing a range of business projects. Written by one of the original agile technique thought-leaders, this book guides you and your teams in discovering why agile techniques work and how to create an effective agile environment. Users will gain the knowledge to improve various areas of project management. Define your product’s vision and features Learn the steps for putting agile techniques into action Manage the project’s scope
Agile Project Management—Gary Chin 2004 In a fast-paced environment filled with uncertainty, successfully completing projects on time can feel like running an obstacle course. An emphasis on speed often forces project teams to make decisions without crucial data, leading to frequent changes of direction once more information becomes known. If people aren't light on their feet, complicated projects can easily get tripped up. Agile Project Management gives readers the strategies they need to take charge of urgent projects that involve unique resources and elements of uncertainty. The book offers an improvement upon classical project management processes by tying project processes more directly to the ever-changing requirements of business objective achieving improved flexibility and response time. Filled with examples showing how to implement agile PM into all project situations, the book demonstrates how to develop an appropriate and supportive infrastructure and environment, and reviews the roles of the project manager, general management, and the project team. Agile Project Management is the ultimate method for achieving superior results in an accelerated and changing environment.

Agile Project Management For Dummies—Mark C. Layton 2017-09-05 Flex your project management muscle Agile project management is a fast and flexible approach to managing all projects, not just software development. By learning the principles and techniques in this book, you'll be able to create a product roadmap, schedule projects, and prepare for product launches with the ease of Agile software developers. You'll discover how to manage
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Agile for Project Managers
Denise Canty 2015-02-24
Agile project management is a proven approach for designing and delivering software with improved value to customers. Agility is all about self-directed teams, feedback, light documentation, and working software with shorter development cycles. The role of the project manager with agile differs significantly from traditional project management in that there is minimal up-front planning. Agile for Project Managers will help project managers from any industry transition to agile project management. The book examines the project management component of agility, concentrating on industry standards, certifications, and being agile. It also compares agile methods to traditional project management methods throughout to provide readers with a clear understanding of the differences between the two. The book’s focus is in alignment with the Project Management Institute (PMI®) Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP®) credential—making it an ideal resource for anyone preparing for the PMI-ACP® exam. Coverage includes: Agile as a project management methodology Agile teams Agile tools and techniques Flavors of agile Agile
principles Agile certifications
The book provides readers with the understanding required to decide which projects will benefit from agile. It also includes information that can help readers to assess their organizations’ readiness for agile methods. Complete with a list of agile training providers, the book will help certified project managers make a smooth transition to agile project management and will provide newcomers with the basic knowledge needed to pass the PMI-ACP® exam, the first time around.

Agile Project Management for Government - Brian Wernham 2012 Governments on both sides of the Atlantic have committed to introducing agile change management for faster results with cheaper implementation at lower risk. The first hands-on guide is designed to help public sector leaders reap the rewards of agile methods, based on the latest national and international research.

Agile Project Management - Anthony Mersino 2015-01-23
AGILE PROJECT MANAGEMENT is a detailed guide to successfully applying Agile, Scrum, Kanban and Lean to your next project. Based on years of hands-on experience implementing these proven techniques, the book walks through the details of building and Agile team and planning and executing an Agile project. It provides plenty of detail on various agile techniques and how they can complement traditional project management tools and methods. Whether you are a project manager, functional manager, team member, or stakeholder, the detailed guidance provided in this book will help you to successfully lead or support an Agile project.

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Project Management Journal 2013-06-26 The development of the Agile Movement, whatever the area of application or discipline, comes from the famous “faster, cheaper, better” maxim. As such, the agile manufacturing paradigm rests on four principles: response to change and uncertainty, supplying highly customized products, synthesis of diverse technologies, and intra-enterprise and inter-enterprise integration. For the reader interested in agile project management applications, response to changes, and transformations and its impact on managing projects, this book is a must-read. Various insights are covered, including: how to master complexity and changes in projects, economy, and society; how interaction between the project management team and project owners can influence risk management; how to move beyond the traditional mechanistic project management approach; how to include...
agile principles into an improved Logical Framework Analysis structure; what the impact is of agile principles on project management organizations; what kind of innovative project management practice supports agile principles; and much more.

Brilliant Agile Project Management - Rob Cole 2016-01-01 What is Agile Project Management and will it bring my project in on time and budget? If you need a solid understanding of how Agile Project Management works so your projects can fully benefit from using this innovative and powerful approach, this book is essential reading. Brilliant Agile Project Management does more than just talk you through the techniques and processes - focussing on real-life use of Agile in business environments, it provides practical advice and techniques on how to implement and work with Agile, so you always know exactly what to do and say to make your project a success. · Assess whether your organisation or project is right for using APM · Understand how to implement APM into any project · Overcome common problems with APM · Get up to speed with Agile Project Management and get ahead - fast!

Agile Project Management - James Turner 2020-04-19 Do you work on projects that require an Agile approach? Would your project benefit from increased control and better customer satisfaction? This book will help you achieve it! When delivering a project the overall values of trust and flexibility, along with empowerment and collaboration are essential. Agile Project Management helps you achieve this with its unique approach, helping you to deliver the project’s requirements incrementally throughout the project life cycle. In this book, Agile Project Management: The Ultimate Expert Guide to Learn Agile Project Management, you will build on any previous knowledge of the system you have, with chapters on: · How Agile will...
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• How you can plan your project
• The advantages that time-boxing will give you
• How you can adapt Agile to your business
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• The key to successful teams
• And more... When you have a project that is vitally important to the success of your business it makes complete sense to be at the top of your game with what you are doing. Agile Project Management is the perfect tool that will help you to satisfy all your customers’ needs at every stage. Get a copy and see how it will improve your ability to deliver!

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James Turner 2020-04-19 Are you someone who is working in project management? Do you want to make sure you are efficient and competent at every stage of the process? This book will provide the answers you need! Being a project manager means juggling several different jobs at the same time and making sure that each piece of the jigsaw is just as the client expects it to be. This can be a complex and frustrating task, but by employing an agile system your project will run a lot smoother. In this book, Agile Project Management: The Ultimate Beginner’s Guide to Learn Agile Project Management Step by Step, you will learn a management system that breaks down complex projects into smaller pieces, letting you finish everything with quality. You will find details of the core aspects of agile project management explained, with chapters that cover: • The 33 year history of this system – and how it has helped businesses succeed • The 4 MAIN tenets that make it a success • Transitioning from traditional to agile project management • Tools and methodologies • The 5 vital BENEFITS you gain • Foolproof methods for dividing responsibility • How to apply quality control without micromanaging • Estimation techniques • And more... By becoming more agile in your approach to project management the obstacles and difficulties
encountered become more manageable and the success of the project is assured. And Agile Project Management will guide you every step of the way towards your ultimate goal. Get your copy now!

Agile Project Management in Easy Steps

John Carroll
2015-05-05
The second edition of Agile Project Management in Easy Steps defines agile projects and then examines the typical components of such a project and the appropriate approach to project managing them. These include changing requirements, different way of planning, more than usual Project Phases, prioritized Business Requirements, and a broader approach to Risk Management. For completion, it also shows how to use the traditional project management areas such as team management, risk management, quality management, communications and reporting. Agile Project Management in Easy Steps conforms to using simple stages to follow, enabling desired results with no confusion along the way.

Agile Project Management for Business Transformation Success

Paul Paquette 2015-12-30
This book is intended to provide project management office (PMO) executives’ practical information to promote enterprise Agile for business value compatibility within their organization. The primary benefit of this book is to promote a sense of common purpose and collaboration between the project delivery and the organization. Agile project delivery methods are adaptable to the emergence of unknown requirements identified in the later part of the project delivery lifecycle. The key success factor is direct business participation and collaboration to ensure that a business focus determines the output. Agile promotes innovation and creates synergies through a business focus viewing technology deployments as a catalyst for change rather than the final objective. Technology investments implemented through Agile
processes result in improved market leadership, organizational alignment, and resource efficiency delivering competitive advantage.

**Agile Project Management with Kanban**—Eric Brechner
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- Optimize sustained engineering (contributed by James Waletzky)
- Expand Kanban beyond software development

**Lean and Agile Project Management**—Terra Vanzant Stern, PhD
2020-04-30 When project managers are faced with budget cuts and fewer resources, waste elimination becomes a priority in maintaining effectiveness. This does not mean
shortening or abandoning traditional project cycles. In fact, fast results on critical assignments can only be completed with strong plans and a detailed work breakdown structure. The connections, or lack thereof, are what strongly impact performance and quality. Lean and Agile, as covered in this book, are meant to enhance traditional project management, not replace the science. A strong foundation in traditional project management is necessary to appreciate the benefits of adopting Lean and Agile. Lean and Agile Project Management: How to Make Any Project Better, Faster, and More Cost Effective defines the wastes and issues found in project management and demonstrates how they can be addressed by engaging Lean thinking and Agile techniques. This book also: • Shows how to apply Lean principles to project management (PM) • Teaches the application of simple Six Sigma metrics in PM • Discusses the adoption of Agile techniques in PM in order to stay on task and remain flexible • Helps readers discover the theoretical synergies between popular PM programs • Promotes an understanding of how Lean people skills can help a person become a better leader and manager Since the publication of the first edition of this book, the bodies of knowledge have all been systematically updated. In addition, through conducting peer groups and detailed workshops, the Author has simplified many of the basics, and they are now much easier to understand. Essentially, the Author believes traditional project management can benefit from adding Lean and Agile, but she has simplified the model for greater efficiency.

Accidental Agile Project Manager-Ray Frohnhoef er 2020-10-15

Agile Project Management-Marcus Ries 2016-11-03 In understanding methodologies and agile project management, we look at the different techniques in which you can successfully develop
management skills. As you know, it is quite important to adopt a multifaceted approach when it comes to management, to get your job done in a facile manner. Agile methodology is a multifaceted approach that finds its application in many different fields and can be considered an umbrella concept. Right from engineering to IT to business management, there are many areas where one can effectively apply the ideologies of agile management. Once you go through the book, you will understand how easy it is for you to adopt and utilize it to enhance your business. The agile management technique focuses on four main aspects, namely - effective communication with clients/parties, delivering a work application, collaborating with clients and changing up the scope of work. All of these need to be controlled and managed in order to enhance productivity. That is exactly where this book comes into play. In the course of this book, you will learn how to: Understanding the iterative learning process Learning about the agile software development techniques The scope of management Meaning and features of agile manifesto Dynamic system development model and its applications The phases of the Atern project Understanding of the scrum theory Sprint reviews and sprint retrospectives Service designs and transitions Service operations Lean development principles Operational level management techniques Steps to enhance focus Agile management basically focuses on enhancing communication within the organizational structure to ensure that you remain with free flowing ideologies. It is a good way to increase your productivity while managing your work environment. The book focuses on understanding each and every element by breaking it down to the simplest form. The concepts are explained in such a way that they allow you to implement them in your work life. You can go through the concepts in detail to understand each and every aspect of it. There is no limit to its application and you can mold it into any shape or form.
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 Agile Practice Guide
 (Hindi) - 2019-08-05 Agile
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 has been developed as a
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 evaluate, and use agile and
 hybrid agile approaches. This
 practice guide provides
 guidance on when, where, and
 how to apply agile approaches
 and provides practical tools
 for practitioners and
 organizations wanting to
 increase agility. This practice
 guide is aligned with other
 PMI standards, including A
 Guide to the Project
 Management Body of
 Knowledge (PMBOK® Guide)
 - Sixth Edition, and was
developed as the result of
 collaboration between the
 Project Management Institute
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 James Turner 2020-04-05 Do
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Agile Project Management with Azure DevOps - Joachim Rossberg 2019-04-27 Roll up your sleeves and jump into Agile project management to use and customize Microsoft Azure DevOps. Organizations adopt Agile practices because they are a key enabler to run better projects, get more successful end results, and achieve an overall higher quality output. To benefit the most from Agile, you need an Application Life Cycle Management (ALM) or DevOps toolset that supports your style and work environment. Agile Project Management with Azure DevOps teaches you how to use Azure DevOps to implement many Agile practices such as SAFe, Scrum, and Kanban, and it shows you how they fit into a well-planned Agile implementation. Agile product owners will learn how to work with Azure DevOps to set up a project from scratch, and to continue using Azure DevOps throughout. Keeping track of progress is important in any project. Author Joachim Rossberg teaches you about the tools in Azure DevOps that can help you track progress and key metrics, including those that are available right
out of the box. You will learn how to create and refine the backlog, work with Kanban and Scrum task boards, and get exposed to valuable key concepts along the way. Finally, you will dive into Azure DevOps extensibility to learn about the many ways you can customize reporting to best meet your needs. What You’ll Learn Understand Agile product management concepts and processes for working with Azure DevOps Discover how Azure DevOps supports agile processes end-to-end Implement Agile processes in Azure DevOps Customize Azure DevOps to better support your processes Complete step-by-step setup of an Agile project from scratch and manage it through its life cycle. Who This Book Is For Software product owners, Agile leaders, Scrum masters, and software engineers who use Microsoft Azure DevOps. A basic understanding of Agile is helpful.

**Agile Project Management in easy steps, 2nd edition**
John Carroll 2015-07-29 Agile Project Management in easy steps, now in its second edition, explains the key principles, techniques, and processes to ensure your agile project is a success. This edition of the book has been updated to reflect progress and refinement of agile methods over recent times. It explains the key principles, techniques and processes of agile project management, working through an entire project, explaining the main activities and deliverables.
including: Pre-project start-up and terms of reference, feasibility assessment and the business case, establishing the foundations for success, iterative development and the evolving solution, implementation and post-project assessment. It includes additional coverage of business analysis, user experience, feature-driven development and agile projects in large programmes and enterprises. An essential guide for anyone new to agile projects and a valuable source of inspiration for the more experienced. It also includes downloadable templates to get you started. Chapters: Agile Projects, Agile Project Management, Scrum, DSDM, Extreme Programming, Lean Development, Feature-Driven Development, Getting Started, Foundations, Development, Deployment, Post Project, Agile Projects at Scale.

**Agile Project Management**
Tomas Gustavsson 2019

**Agile Project Management**
James A. Highsmith 2010
Jim Highsmith addresses the leading non-published aspect of agile methods: project management. Included in the book are a handy set of agile tools and instruction on bridging the gap from traditional software project management.

**Agile Project Management**
Jim Highsmith 2004-04-06
Please note - there is now a second edition of this book available, with the ISBN of 0321658396. “Jim Highsmith
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**Project Management the Agile Way, Second Edition**
John C. Goodpasture
2015-11-01 “...a well written and content rich book. From a teacher’s perspective, using this book in an advanced project management seminar challenges students to understand the application of these concepts.” —Alexander Walton, PMP, IT consultant to the University of California at Berkeley. Widely acclaimed as one of the top agile books in its first edition, Project Management the Agile Way has now been updated and redesigned by popular demand. This second edition is in a modular format to facilitate training and advanced course instruction, and provides new coverage of agile, such as hybrid agile methods, the latest public sector practices, and a chapter dedicated to transitioning to agile. It discusses the “grand bargain” between project management and business; the shift in dominance from plans to product and from input to output; and introduces new concepts such as return on benefit. Experienced practitioners and students that want to learn how to make agile work effectively in the enterprise should read this book. Individuals preparing for the PMI Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP)® examination, and training providers developing courses, will find this second edition quite helpful.

**Agile Estimating and Planning**
Mike Cohn
2005-11-01 Agile Estimating and Planning is the definitive, practical guide to estimating and planning agile projects. In this book, Agile Alliance cofounder Mike Cohn discusses the philosophy of agile estimating and planning and shows you exactly how to get the job done, with real-world examples and case studies. Concepts are clearly illustrated and readers are guided, step by step, toward how to answer the following questions: What will we build? How big will it be? When must...
it be done? How much can I really complete by then? You will first learn what makes a good plan—and then what makes it agile. Using the techniques in Agile Estimating and Planning, you can stay agile from start to finish, saving time, conserving resources, and accomplishing more. Highlights include: Why conventional prescriptive planning fails and why agile planning works How to estimate feature size using story points and ideal days—and when to use each How and when to re-estimate How to prioritize features using both financial and nonfinancial approaches How to split large features into smaller, more manageable ones How to plan iterations and predict your team's initial rate of progress How to schedule projects that have unusually high uncertainty or schedule-related risk How to estimate projects that will be worked on by multiple teams Agile Estimating and Planning supports any agile, semi-agile, or iterative process, including Scrum, XP, Feature-Driven Development, Crystal, Adaptive Software Development, DSDM, Unified Process, and many more. It will be an indispensable resource for every development manager, team leader, and team member.

**Become an Agile Project Manager**

*Ready Set Agile* 2020-09-14 Are you searching for your dream job and want to build winning teams in a flexible, fast-paced world while earning a great salary? 71% of companies use more agile project management, and their project success rate is significantly higher than that of traditional project management—the Project Management Institute. The average salary of an agile project manager is $99,000—ZIPPIA. Wouldn't it be great if someone offered you not one, but all of these: A job where you can use your natural leadership abilities and work in the way that's best for YOU The ability to become agile in everything you do An opportunity to make this world a better place and create real values Trust that you can make your organization become faster, smarter, and more profitable A fast-moving career with...
great salary If you answered yes, then I can help you. Why me? Well, I've worked on lots of projects and managed many different teams. I know how and why agile works, and I will uncover the secrets of 21st century project management, so you can achieve your best career. In this book, you will discover: 7 methods to be an elite agile project manager Trending software applications that will make your projects go faster Top secrets to agile 10 project management tools to save time in your personal life Best 11 practices to create your dream team 6 different ways to leap into project management leadership Why sports can help you in your career to take you from zero to hero How to use what you learned as a kid in your dream job 12 real-life examples of projects that worked... and what failed 10 ways to excel as an agile project manager BONUS: Never published before Ready, Set, Agile! methodology Still not sure if agile project management is right for you? Here are some questions I'm often asked. I didn't go to college, can I still be a project manager? Yes!
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**Project Management**

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Are you looking for a proven method that will allow your business to maximize production, profits, and leadership? If you want to start or restart your company in an optimal way, increase team performance, and improve process management, Project Management is the way! Read on to discover some of its great benefits ...

- How is a winning Startup born, grows, and innovates?
- What are the distinguishing features of companies that have stood the test of time from those that have failed to take off?
- Are they following their workflow in the most cost and resource-efficient way? The answers to these questions are the ultimate solution for sustainable businesses. This book teaches you how to apply the powerful Lean principles: LEAN STARTUP, LEAN ENTERPRISE, LEAN SIX SIGMA, LEAN ANALYTICS, LEAN THINKING, and how to master AGILE tools and methods. You will be guided step by step in the correct planning or reorganization of business processes, to achieve the greatest potential for improvement: knowing how to quickly solve problems, track data correctly, making changes, reducing costs. But that is not all ...

- Do you know why the Agile method is one of the most used by successful Startups and Companies? AGILE PROJECT MANAGEMENT is the methodology to be implemented to obtain maximum business efficiency by eliminating waste and reducing production costs. This is the most basic definition of Agile P.M.

- SCRUM, KANBAN, DSDM, XP, CRYSTAL are powerful Agile frameworks. Tools and techniques to be applied to all those companies or startups that aspire to growth and leadership; allowing managers and team members to effectively focus on developing specific parts, making them more focused and productive. The KAIZEN
principles, on the other hand, are fundamental to guarantee continuous improvement, increase the ability to think, analyze, improve operational efficiency, and are absolutely important for achieving company objectives. These are the advantages that allow companies to overcome moments of great uncertainty, such as the current one. You will learn: Why do most startups fail? How to monitor and optimize the data? What are 5S and how they work? Benefits of Lean Thinking? The 5 DMAIC phases? Why should you implement Agile? Accelerate your business with Scrum? How a Sprint could make your life easier? Kanban for lean manufacturing? Add value and quality to the product? The 10 Kaizen principles? Methodologies applicable to Kaizen? ... And much more! You will master all of these proven methods and reap great benefits for business growth. Don't wait, start now ... Get your "Project Management" collection now and become an expert!

**Agile Project Management 101** - Thomas Keane

2017-08-17 Agile Project Management 101 Discover Proven Principles in Agile Project Management In this book, Agile Project Management 101: Techniques in Agile Project Management for Successful Managers and Developers, you will learn all the Agile project management essentials. With an adaptive planning approach and iterative strategy in project management and the software development life cycle, the Agile methodology's focus is on working towards the right way of project management and on addressing the right goals while giving importance to clients - their feedback and desired outcome. Since it stresses the need for infallible collaborative efforts at every stage of a project, its customer-centric design is one of the foundations for its success. Learn the 5 essential tips from top project managers! Moreover, Agile project management covers requirements, coding, design, modelling, risk management, quality, and other important areas in a project. Another reason why the Agile methodology works flawlessly is its preference for modern...
project management approaches. One of such approaches is for team members to be directly in charge of important roles. The Agile project management techniques and principles are also known for supporting a broad range of development life cycles. With Agile project management, you will not only produce quality output (that you can introduce to markets) quickly; you will also get to simplify complex development cycles and redefine a desired outcome without missing deadlines. Grab your copy now, available as Kindle or paperback version


Get this book now and learn proven project management and project planning techniques using the agile framework. Learn to make decisions, analyse risks and complete your software projects successfully. Grab your copy now, available as Kindle or paperback version. 

**Project Management beyond Waterfall and Agile**

Mounir Ajam 2018-01-02 This book goes beyond the paint by numbers approach, transcending the "how" of project management to the "what" and "why," which is critical for leaders of change. — Dr. Joel B. Carboni, President and Founder, GPM Global and President, IPMA-USA Project Management beyond Waterfall and Agile presents a flexible, universal, and integrated three-dimensional model for managing projects, the Customizable and Adaptable Methodology for Managing Projects (CAMMPTM). By tailoring and customizing the model to a specific industry or organization and by adapting it to a function or project classification, this model can
be used to manage any project. CAMMPTM can also be used both in a traditional or an Agile environment. CAMMPTM integrates leading concepts on competence, processes, and sustainability. The model’s three dimensions are project lifecycle, project management processes, and, finally, competence, sustainability, and best practices. The book explains how to integrate these dimensions to manage a project across the three dimensions and the project stages. CAMMPTM is a stage-gate process, which is vital for project success. The current state of practice in project management is not sustainable. The root causes of this problem include a lack of standardized processes, missing methods or methodological approaches, and no real organizational system for managing projects. This book introduces a system to address these shortcomings. It focuses on the elements of this system, which is a practical and systematic methodological approach for managing and delivering all types of projects. CAMMPTM integrates the best learning from the various global associations in the field. The book distills the experience and knowledge of a practitioner working in different roles for more than three decades on various types of projects of all sizes and complexities. It is a practical book by a practitioner writing for practitioners.

**Coaching Agile Teams**
Lyssa Adkins 2010-05-18 The Provocative and Practical Guide to Coaching Agile Teams As an agile coach, you can help project teams become outstanding at agile, creating products that make them proud and helping organizations reap the powerful benefits of teams that deliver both innovation and excellence. More and more frequently, ScrumMasters and project managers are being asked to coach agile teams. But it’s a challenging role. It requires new skills—as well as a subtle understanding of when to step in and when to step back. Migrating from “command and control” to agile coaching
requires a whole new mind-set. In Coaching Agile Teams, Lyssa Adkins gives agile coaches the insights they need to adopt this new mind-set and to guide teams to extraordinary performance in a re-energized work environment. You’ll gain a deep view into the role of the agile coach, discover what works and what doesn’t, and learn how to adapt powerful skills from many allied disciplines, including the fields of professional coaching and mentoring. Coverage includes Understanding what it takes to be a great agile coach Mastering all of the agile coach’s roles: teacher, mentor, problem solver, conflict navigator, and performance coach Creating an environment where self-organized, high-performance teams can emerge Coaching teams past cooperation and into full collaboration Evolving your leadership style as your team grows and changes Staying actively engaged without dominating your team and stunting its growth Recognizing failure, recovery, and success modes in your coaching Getting the most out of your own personal agile coaching journey

Whether you’re an agile coach, leader, trainer, mentor, facilitator, ScrumMaster, project manager, product owner, or team member, this book will help you become skilled at helping others become truly great. What could possibly be more rewarding?

Agile Approaches for Successfully Managing and Executing Projects in the Fourth Industrial Revolution-Bolat, Hür Bersam 2019-03-15 Communication between man and machine is vital to completing projects in the current day and age. Without this constant connectiveness as we enter an era of big data, project completion will result in utter failure. Agile Approaches for Successfully Managing and Executing Projects in the Fourth Industrial Revolution addresses changes wrought by Industry 4.0 and its effects on project management as well as adaptations and adjustments that will need to be made within project life.
cycles and project risk management. Highlighting such topics as agile planning, cloud projects, and organization structure, it is designed for project managers, executive management, students, and academicians.