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# Agile Project Management & Scrum QuickStart Guides





## Synopsis

The ultimate companion for professionals interested or involved in Agile and Scrum, this book will give you a holistic, well-balanced introduction to both subjects while discussing their integration and synergy! Agile Project Management QuickStart Guide Agile project management is shifting the world of project management at its core for good reasons. With an approach to projects that is quite different from the traditional waterfall methodology, Agile project management focuses on added value fast while staying on track to achieve a defined business goal. Completing projects in small chunks, piece by piece, allows project stakeholders to implement deliverables much faster than waiting for all phases of the project to be completed, as well as allowing for modifications to project items based on changing needs. Often overlooked as a project management style that is only for IT-related projects, Agile methodology can be utilized to complete projects across any industry, including company reorganization, improving upon or redefining business processes, and simply any project that has short production and implementation times. In this book, I will teach you everything you need to know about Agile project management so that you can comfortably and confidently deploy the techniques and strategies in your projects. I'll take you step by step through the phases of an Agile project, how to schedule iterations during your project, and how to win over project stakeholders with this progressive methodology. Scrum QuickStart Guide Differing greatly from the traditional "waterfall" or "relay" approach to project management methodology, Scrum emphasizes the importance of a cross-functional team that pushes forward together to a collective goal - the project success. Implementing such tactics as "daily scrums" in which all members of the team are held accountable for their accomplishments, current tasks, and potential obstacles, Scrum attempts to create a real "team" amongst all members where all individuals must move forward together, as occurs within a scrum on the Rugby field from which the term was adopted. The holistic approach taken by Scrum not only embraces the importance of progressing as a team, it also raises several important guestions that highlight potential inefficiencies within an organization, specifically related to resource allocation, accountability, and task management. Not to be overlooked, the approach taken even from the smallest projects within an organization can ultimately define the overall success.

### **Book Information**

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#### **Customer Reviews**

Before buying these books I had no idea what scrum was. But after reading I know all about it. I was thinking about going back to school for business. And reading these books, I now have a better idea about the business behind what agile project management and scrum is. These two books were very informational beginning with a history to having examples on issues and how to solve it. These books made it easy to understand all about scrum and agile project management.

I really did not know much about project management before reading this so going through this set was a really nice education for myself. As an individual who hopes to start his own business someday I was able to learn some really valuable information. Some of it was over my head but it did introduce to me many new concepts for me to dwell on. If Agile Project Management is a topic of interest to you I would certainly recommend checking out this box set. It has lots of great information.

Project management is a very important tool for any business, especially small businesses that donâ <sup>™</sup>t have a project management team. This book will walk you through project management techniques and what to use for certain situations. I highly recommend this book to any business owner and I will be referencing this book again in the future for my own business.

This is just what I was looking for, systems that can help me manage projects in my business. This book definitely gave me the basics I needed to know about Agile and Scrum. I'll be implementing the use of Scrum to manage my teams starting next week.

This is really an awesome box set of agile and scrum. The first book states the ideologies that are relevant to the entire subject. It also presents the overview concepts of project management, gives a precise explanation of its source and has well examined structure and methodologies, while the Second book was all about scrum and its uses. I am really happywith my purchase, totally worth the read!

This was a real learning experience discovering what Scrum and Agile Management are. I can see how this can benefit both small and large businesses-the principles are the same. This set of books give a wealth of examples for application. There are alot of different methods and techniques discussed here which I found helpful. I liked as well the examples on how to apply the principles in less than perfect settings. I liked also the brief aspect discussed on how it all got started. For anyone reviewing this topic, this is an excellent sets of books which I can give a recommendation for.

I recently switched my roles which had me move from traditional waterfall development models to Agile methodology. So I got the Audio version of this book so that I can update my concepts while on the go. This is very nice intro into Agile development techniques with very strong focus on scrum. I think best way to read it is to impersonate yourself into one of the roles described at the beginning of the book and then jump directly to proper chapter. Try to see how the concepts will work in your current scenario. Exactly the same process may not work in your case, so tailor as per your case.I'll highly recommend the product. I received this product at promotional price in return of my honest unbiased review - this is my honest review after extensively using the product. Would recommend regardless.

This Agile Project Management box set is very informative. I feel like the author did an excellent job of describing Agile Project Management, the difference between managing bottom up versus top down (no, I don't mean freaky positions), etc. I really learned a lot and understanding why it worked for some companies and what went wrong for others. The information in this set is quite valuable no matter if you are a CBAP, PMP or just someone who works on projects and wants to be a better part of the team!I received this set for free in exchange for my honest and unbiased review. I really enjoy the different aspects of project management and hope that if you choose to purchase this set, you will find it as valuable as I did!

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