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specific agile best
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associated with success in
each role, and become far
more effective advocates
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organizations. Leading
agile consultant Venkat
Subramaniam first helps
agile team members gain
momentum for core agile
practices, including
stories, estimation, and
planning, and offers
expert guidance on
scaling agile to larger

projects. Next, he demonstrates how to sustain the pace of agility by applying evolutionary design and architecture, test-driven design, mock objects, refactoring, continuous integration, and other innovative techniques. The book concludes with a full chapter of case studies, many drawn from the author's own consulting experience.

Real-World Software Development Pearson Education

*Describes an agile process that works on

large projects *Ideal for hurried developers who want to develop software in teams *Incorporates real-life C#/.NET web project; can compare this with cases in book Fundamentals of Agile Development Pragmatic Bookshelf
Carefully researched over ten years and eagerly anticipated by the agile community, Crystal Clear: A Human-Powered Methodology for Small Teams is a lucid and practical introduction to running a successful agile project in your

organization. Each chapter illuminates a different important aspect of orchestrating agile projects. Highlights include Attention to the essential human and communication aspects of successful projects Case studies, examples, principles, strategies, techniques, and guiding properties Samples of work products from real-world projects instead of blank templates and toy problems Top strategies used by software teams that excel in delivering quality code in a timely

fashion Detailed introduction to emerging best-practice techniques, such as Blitz Planning, Project 360o, and the essential Reflection Workshop Question-and-answer with the author about how he arrived at these recommendations, including where they fit with CMMI, ISO, RUP, XP, and other methodologies A detailed case study, including an ISO auditor's analysis of the project Perhaps the most important contribution this book offers is the Seven Properties of

Successful Projects. The author has studied successful agile projects and identified common traits they share. These properties lead your project to success; conversely, their absence endangers your project. **Agile Software Development** Pearson Education Elevate your understanding of Agile from theory to practice with 'Agile Mastery: Unleashing the Power of Agile in Real Life.' This comprehensive guide takes you on a

transformative journey, unraveling the complexities of Agile methodologies and providing practical insights for seamless implementation in diverse real-world scenarios. Delve into the Agile mindset, learning how to embrace change, collaborate with customers, and respond dynamically to feedback. Explore the core methodologies such as Scrum, Kanban, and Lean, gaining in-depth knowledge on their principles and practical

applications. Real-life experiences and case studies from software development to non-software environments illuminate the adaptability and versatility of Agile. Navigate common challenges with proven solutions, steering clear of anti-patterns that hinder progress. Discover the essential role of leadership in an Agile environment, as servant leadership and fostering a culture of trust become keystones to success. Whether you're a project manager, team leader, or

an enthusiast eager to master Agile, this book equips you with the skills and insights to revolutionize your approach to project management and organizational dynamics. Embark on a journey toward Agile mastery, and unlock the potential of agility in your projects. 'Agile Mastery: Unleashing the Power of Agile in Real Life' is your indispensable guide to navigating the ever-evolving landscape of project management with agility, adaptability, and success."

Agile Testing Springer Science & Business Media Proven, 100% Practical Guidance for Making Scrum and Agile Work in Any Organization This is the definitive, realistic, actionable guide to starting fast with Scrum and agile-and then succeeding over the long haul. Leading agile consultant and practitioner Mike Cohn presents detailed recommendations, powerful tips, and real-world case studies drawn from his unparalleled experience helping

hundreds of software organizations make Scrum and agile work. Succeeding with Agile is for pragmatic software professionals who want real answers to the most difficult challenges they face in implementing Scrum. Cohn covers every facet of the transition: getting started, helping individuals transition to new roles, structuring teams, scaling up, working with a distributed team, and finally, implementing effective metrics and continuous improvement.

Throughout, Cohn presents "Things to Try Now" sections based on his most successful advice. Complementary "Objection" sections reproduce typical conversations with those resisting change and offer practical guidance for addressing their concerns. Coverage includes Practical ways to get started immediately-and "get good" fast Overcoming individual resistance to the changes Scrum requires Staffing Scrum projects and building effective teams

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impact on HR, facilities, and project management. Whether you've completed a few sprints or multiple agile projects and whatever your role—manager, developer, coach, ScrumMaster, product owner, analyst, team lead, or project lead—this book will help you succeed with your very next project. Then, it will help you go much further: It will help you transform your entire development organization.

Running an Agile Software Development Project John Wiley &

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For those considering Extreme Programming, this book provides no-nonsense advice on agile planning, development, delivery, and management taken from the authors' many years of experience. While plenty of books address the what and why of agile development, very few offer the information users can apply directly. *Agile: An Executive Guide* J. Ross Publishing
Real agilists don't weigh themselves down with libraries of books, they

keep their important information handy with them at all times. Jeff and Tim pack over two decades of experience coaching and doing agile into Agile in a Flash, a unique deck of index cards that fit neatly in your pocket and tack easily onto the wall. Agile in a Flash cards run the gamut of agile, covering customer, planning, team, and developer concepts to help you succeed on agile projects. You can use cards from the deck in many ways: as references, reminders,

teaching tools, and conversation pieces. Why not get sets for your entire team or organization? This comprehensive set of cards is an indispensable resource for agile teams. The deck of Agile in a Flash cards teaches leadership, teamwork, clean programming, agile approaches to problem solving, and tips for coaching agile teams. Team members can use the cards as reference material, ice breakers for conversations, reminders (taped to a wall or

monitor), and sources of useful tips and hard-won wisdom. The cards are: Bite-sized! Read one practice or aspect at a time in a couple of minutes. Smart! Each card has years of practical experience behind it. Portable! Cards fit easily in your pocket or backpack. An indispensable tool for any agile team, and a must-have for every agile coach or Scrum Master. The Agile in a Flash deck is broken into four areas: planning, team, coding, and agile concepts. The

front of each card is a quick list - a summary of the things you want to know and remember. The back provides further detail on each of the bullet points, and offers sage nuggets of knowledge based on extensive professional experience. Tape the cards to your wall, stick them on your monitor, and get agile fast. *Agile User Experience Design* "O'Reilly Media, Inc." Thoroughly reviewed and eagerly anticipated by the agile community, User

Stories Applied offers a requirements process that saves time, eliminates rework, and leads directly to better software. The best way to build software that meets users' needs is to begin with "user stories": simple, clear, brief descriptions of functionality that will be valuable to real users. In *User Stories Applied*, Mike Cohn provides you with a front-to-back blueprint for writing these user stories and weaving them into your development lifecycle. You'll learn what makes a great user story,

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workshops Working with managers, trainers, salespeople and other "proxies" Writing user stories for acceptance testing Using stories to prioritize, set schedules, and estimate release costs Includes end-of-chapter practice questions and exercises *User Stories Applied* will be invaluable to every software developer, tester, analyst, and manager working with any agile method: XP, Scrum... or even your own home-grown approach. [Visual Studio Team](#)

System Morgan & Claypool Publishers
Agile: An Executive Guide describes Agile methods in clear business language specifically written for professionals. It will help you make realistic business-driven decisions on whether Agile methods are appropriate for your organisation; whether you are looking to reduce your IT overheads, provide better software solutions to your clients, or have more control over your IT expenditures. This guide provides practical, proven ways to introduce,

incorporate and leverage Agile methods to maximise your business returns.
Agile Development in the Real World Addison-Wesley Professional
Pro Agile .NET Development with SCRUM guides you through a real-world ASP.NET project and shows how agile methodology is put into practice. There is plenty of literature on the theory behind agile methodologies, but no book on the market takes the concepts of agile practices and applies

these in a practical manner to an end-to-end ASP.NET project, especially the estimating, requirements and management aspects of a project. Pro Agile .NET Development with SCRUM takes you through the initial stages of a project—gathering requirements and setting up an environment—through to the development and deployment stages using an agile iterative approach: namely, Scrum. In the book, you'll focus on delivering an

enterprise-level ASP.NET project. Each chapter is in iterations or sprints, putting into practice the features of agile—user stories, test-driven development (TDD), behavior-driven development (BDD), continuous integration, user acceptance testing, extreme programming, Scrum, design patterns and principles, inside-out development, lean development, KanBan boards, and more. An appendix features code katas designed for the reader to get up-to-speed

with some of the features of extreme programming, while also showcasing popular open-source frameworks to assist in automated testing and mocking. In addition, popular open-source architectural foundation projects such as S#arp and NCommons are demonstrated to allow you to base future projects on these frameworks, which already have many best-practice design patterns and principles built in. [Agile Principles Unleashed](#) Pearson Education

Crispin and Gregory define agile testing and illustrate the tester's role with examples from real agile teams. They teach you how to use the agile testing quadrants to identify what testing is needed, who should do it, and what tools might help. The book chronicles an agile software development iteration from the viewpoint of a tester and explains the seven key success factors of agile testing.

The Business Value of Agile Software Methods IGI Global

Many organizations that have improved process maturity through Capability Maturity Model Integration (CMMI®) now also want greater agility. Conversely, many organizations that are succeeding with Agile methods now want the benefits of more mature processes. The solution is to integrate CMMI and Agile. Integrating CMMI® and Agile Development offers broad guidance for melding these process improvement methodologies. It presents six detailed case

studies, along with essential real-world lessons, big-picture insights, and mistakes to avoid. Drawing on decades of process improvement experience, author Paul McMahon explains how combining an Agile approach with the CMMI process improvement framework is the fastest, most effective way to achieve your business objectives. He offers practical, proven techniques for CMMI and Agile integration, including new ways to extend Agile into system

engineering and project management and to optimize performance by focusing on your organization's unique, culture-related weaknesses.

Practices of an Agile Developer Apress

These are the proven, effective agile practices that will make you a better developer. You'll learn pragmatic ways of approaching the development process and your personal coding techniques. You'll learn about your own attitudes, issues with working on a

team, and how to best manage your learning, all in an iterative, incremental, agile style. You'll see how to apply each practice, and what benefits you can expect. Bottom line: This book will make you a better developer.

A Practical Approach to Large-Scale Agile

Development Apress

Now in its second edition, *The Power of the Agile Business Analyst* has expanded to include new Agile methods that have emerged or gained prominence since the first

edition. Buy this book to learn how to revolutionise your Agile development and increase the value and relevancy of your project outcomes. Learn 30 realistic, achievable ways that an Agile business analyst can increase project efficiency, add value and improve quality. Find out how an Agile business analyst bridges the gap between the needs of the business and the resources of the development team. Now updated with current Agile methods, to support

emerging and established business analysts to adapt to new trends. 30 ways an Agile business analyst can help Drawing on her extensive experience, Jamie proposes a new role for Agile projects: The Agile business analyst. She details 30 achievable ways that such a role will increase relevance, quality and overall business value, and provide business users with crucial support. The Agile business analyst is also a boon to the development team, being a ready source of

business knowledge and ensuring that project outcomes align with requirements. This book has been updated to: Incorporate behaviour-driven development into the work that the business analyst does to support interface design; Align the programme management strategies of the Scaled Agile Framework (SAFe) to encourage cross-organisational communication and participation; Include full updates throughout the Qualifications section in 'Getting the Right Agile

Business Analyst for Your Team'; and Provide Agile updates, bringing the book back into line with current methods. Support your Agile business user for better project outcomes.

Agile in a Flash Addison-Wesley

With the award-winning book Agile Software Development: Principles, Patterns, and Practices, Robert C. Martin helped bring Agile principles to tens of thousands of Java and C++ programmers. Now .NET programmers have a definitive guide to

agile methods with this completely updated volume from Robert C. Martin and Micah Martin, Agile Principles, Patterns, and Practices in C#. This book presents a series of case studies illustrating the fundamentals of Agile development and Agile design, and moves quickly from UML models to real C# code. The introductory chapters lay out the basics of the agile movement, while the later chapters show proven techniques in action. The book includes many source code examples

that are also available for download from the authors' Web site. Readers will come away from this book understanding Agile principles, and the fourteen practices of Extreme Programming Spiking, splitting, velocity, and planning iterations and releases Test-driven development, test-first design, and acceptance testing Refactoring with unit testing Pair programming Agile design and design smells The five types of UML diagrams and how to use them

effectively Object-oriented package design and design patterns How to put all of it together for a real-world project Whether you are a C# programmer or a Visual Basic or Java programmer learning C#, a software development manager, or a business analyst, Agile Principles, Patterns, and Practices in C# is the first book you should read to understand agile software and how it applies to programming in the .NET Framework.

Agile Software Development - An

Overview Apress Software Development is moving towards a more agile and more flexible approach. It turns out that the traditional "waterfall" model is not supportive in an environment where technical, financial and strategic constraints are changing almost every day. But what is agility? What are today's major approaches? And especially: What is the impact of agile development principles on the development teams, on project management and on software

architects? How can large enterprises become more agile and improve their business processes, which have been existing since many, many years? What are the limitations of Agility? And what is the right balance between reliable structures and flexibility? This book will give answers to these questions. A strong emphasis will be on real life project examples, which describe how development teams have moved from a waterfall model towards an Agile Software Development

approach. The Project Manager's Guide to Mastering Agile Pearson Education The lean and agile philosophies are terms that define modern technics to make our projects fast and efficient, without adding costs or reducing quality. The five principles of the lean thinking have its origin during the 90s decade in a Japanese automotive industry. This approach helps to improve the efficiency in mass production projects by focusing in adding value

to the client and removing waste from the project value flow. Ten years later the Manifesto for Agile Software Development and its twelve agile principles got popular. These ideas propose not to be too strict with plans and processes. Context can change permanently and we need to be flexible with the client in order to quickly adapt to those changes, if we want to submit the deliverables we have been asked for. From these two currents of thoughts, one that focuses on mass

production and another that focuses on software projects, in this book we will develop ideas 100% practical to improve efficiency and timeliness of any type of project management. Also, some of the concepts in this book will allow us to become more agile leaders in our daily activities. The author, Pablo Lled , has written eight books on Project Management. Some of them have been published by mayor Publishing companies. The author states that the

benefits of reading this book are: - Understand the lean-agile philosophy in a very simple way. - Learn lessons from more than 20 real cases. - Gain knowledge through more than 10 practical exercises. - Save time and money when compared with other books. - Be a better Project Manager. *Agile Project Management with Kanban* "O'Reilly Media, Inc." Agile Principles Unleashed: Proven approaches for achieving real productivity gains in any organisation

introduces every industry sector to the Agile approaches that have dramatically improved the IT, product development and manufacturing sectors over the past two decades. Agile Principles Unleashed clearly explains how the key principles of Agile approaches can be used to significantly increase productivity, quality and customer satisfaction in any organisation. Written in non-technical language specifically for business professionals, this book is an essential tool for

anyone whose job it is to deliver high quality results on time and to budget.

Agile Principles, Patterns, and Practices in C#

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A pragmatic guide that will teach you to implement Agile, SCRUM and Kanban in your organization. **KEY FEATURES** Expert-guided techniques for successful Agile transformation in your organization. **Solution-focused responses on** interview questions of Agile SCRUM, XP, DSDM, KANBAN and SCRUMBAN.

Reference guide to prepare for leading PMI-ACP and SAFe Certification exam.
DESCRIPTION This book is for businesses that aspire to improve agility, deliver fit-for-purpose products and services, delight customers, and provide the security of long-term survival associated with mature businesses that consistently meet or exceed customer expectations. Learn a lean approach by seeing how Kanban made a difference in four real-world

situations. You'll explore how different teams used Kanban to make paradigm-changing improvements in software development. These teams were struggling with overwork, unclear priorities, and a lack of direction. As you discover what worked for them, you'll understand how to make significant changes in real-life situations. The Artefact has been developed as a resource to understand, evaluate, and use Agile and Hybrid Agile approaches. This practice guide will help

you understand when, where, and how to apply Agile approaches and provides practical tools for practitioners and organizations wanting to increase agility. WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

- Explore and learn how to build Organizational Resilience and Enterprise Maturity Model.
- Step-by-step solutions to implement Portfolio Kanban and Upstream Kanban.
- Deep dive into Agile SHIFT framework and Hybrid Agile framework.
- Exciting case studies and practical

demonstrations on Agile SCRUM & KANBAN.

- Expert-ready guidance on overcoming common Agile project management misconceptions.
- WHO THIS BOOK IS FOR
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Integrating CMMI and
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This book is a practical
guide for new agile
practitioners and contains
everything a new project
manager needs to know
to get up to speed with
agile practices quickly and
sort out the hype and
dogma of pseudo-agile
practices. The author lays
out the general guidelines
for running an agile

project with the
assumption that the
project team may be
working in a traditional
environment (using the
waterfall model, or
something similar). Agile
Development in the Real
World conveys valuable
insights to multiple
audiences: For new-to-
agile project managers,
this book provides a
distinctive approach that
Alan Cline has used with
great success, while
showing the decision
points and perspectives
as the agile project moves
forward from one step to

the next. This allows new
agile project managers or
agile coaches to choose
between the benefits of
agile and the benefits of
other methods. For the
agile technical team
member, this book
contains templates and
sample project artifacts to
assist in learning agile
techniques and to be used
as exemplars for the new
practitioner's own project.
For the Project
Management Office
(PMO), the first three
chapters focus on
portfolio management.
They explain, for the

agilists' benefit, how projects are selected and approved, and why projects have an inherent "shelf-life" that results in hard deadlines that may seem arbitrary to traditional technical teams. What You Will Learn: How and why the evolution of project management, from PM-1 (prescriptive) to PM-2 (adaptive) affects modern 21st century project management. How

sociology (stakeholder management), psychology (team dynamics), and anthropology (organizational culture) affect the way software is developed today, and why it is far more effective. A clear delineation of what must be accomplished by all the roles (PM, BA, APM, Developer, and Tester), why those roles are needed, and what they must do Step-by-step

guide for a successful project based on studies and the author's own experiences. Specific techniques for each role on the development team, both in the pre-iteration and iteration cycles, of product development. The appendices contain templates that the team could use or modify to tailor their own agile processes specific to the team, project, and organization.

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