

Lesson 04 Demo 01 Creating Dashboards and Setting Up Jira Project

Objective: To demonstrate the process of creating a Jira account, creating dashboards, and setting up customized projects for efficient project management

Tool required: Jira

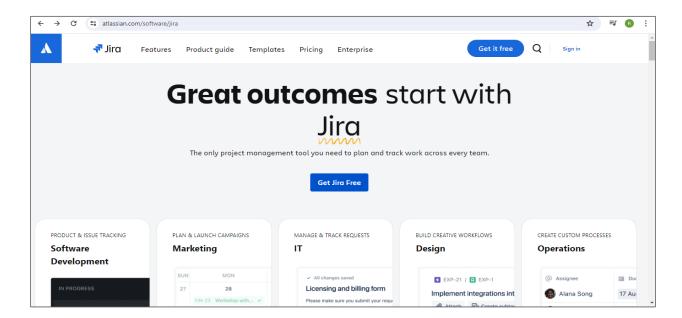
Prerequisite: None

Steps to be followed:

- 1. Sign up for a free-tier Jira account
- 2. Creating a Jira dashboard
- 3. Creating a custom project

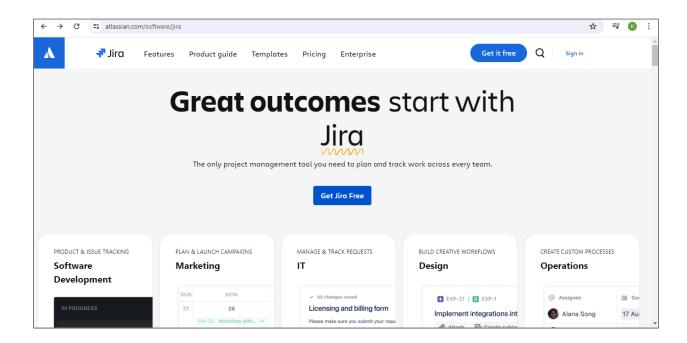
Step 1: Sign up for a free-tier Jira account

1.1 Navigate to the Jira website using the below link: https://www.atlassian.com/software/jira

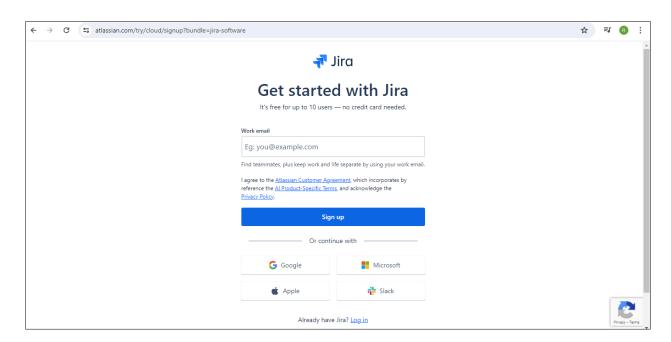




1.2 Click Get Jira Free



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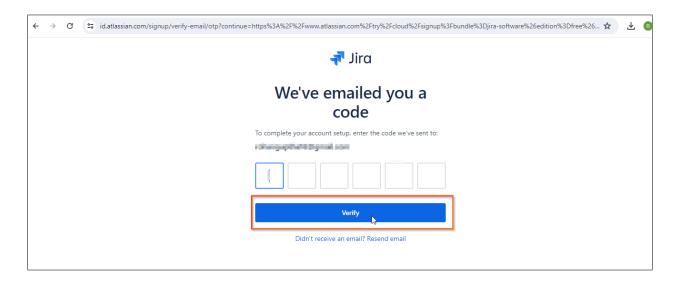




1.3 Enter your email address in the Work email field and then click Sign up

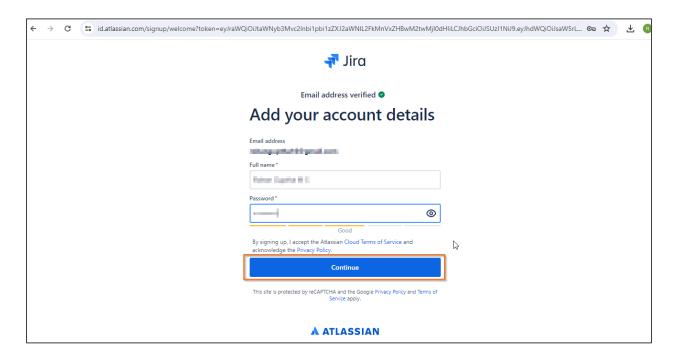


1.4 Enter the verification code received on your email, and then click Verify

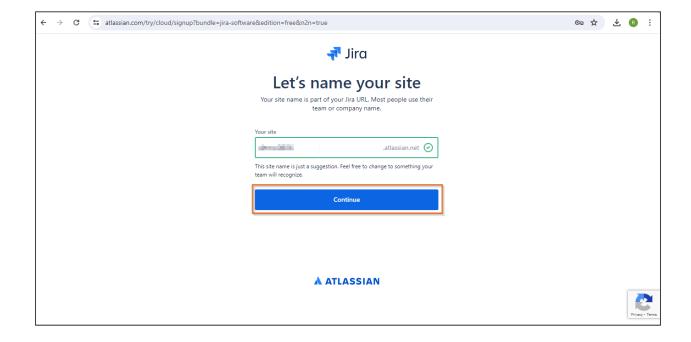




1.5 Fill in the values in the Full name and Password fields, and then click Continue

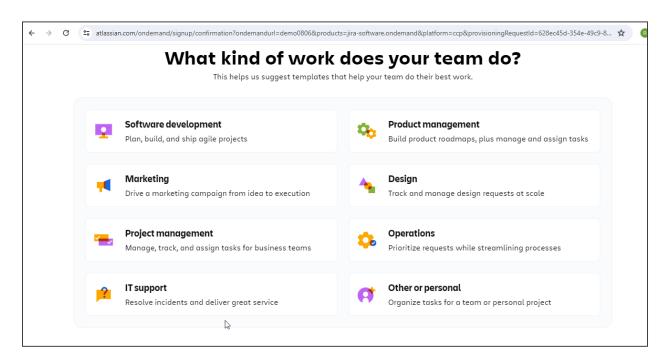


1.6 In the Your site field, enter your team's name or company name and then click Continue

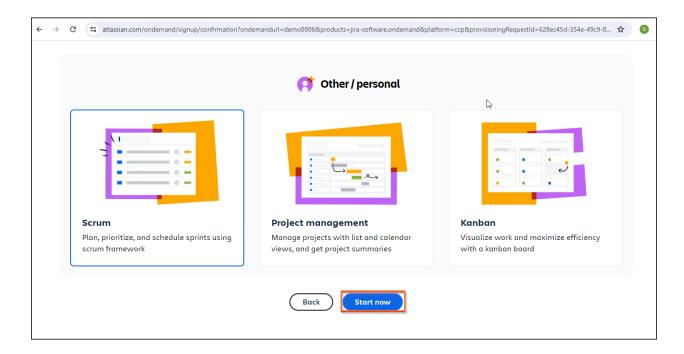




1.7 Select the option that best matches the type of work your team does

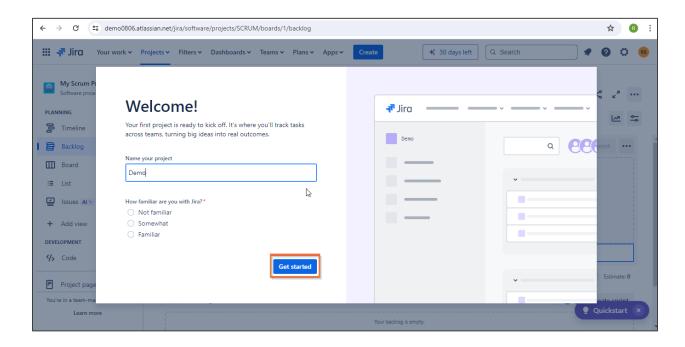


1.8 Select the type of template required, and then click **Start now**

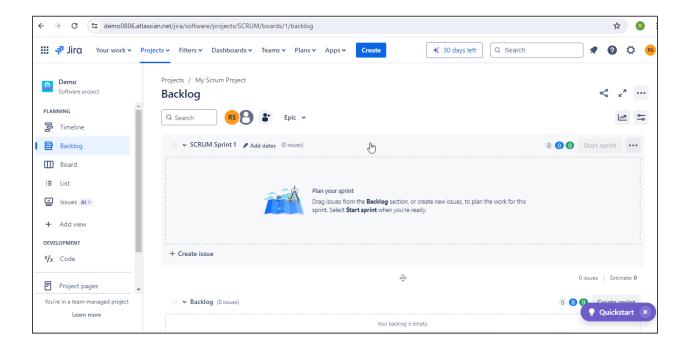




1.9 Add the desired name (**Demo**) for your project in the **Name your project** field, and then click **Get started**



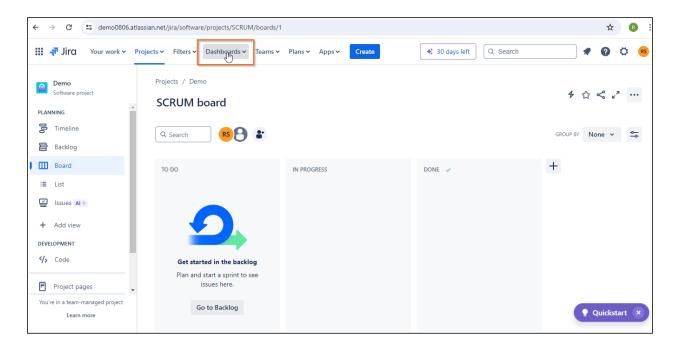
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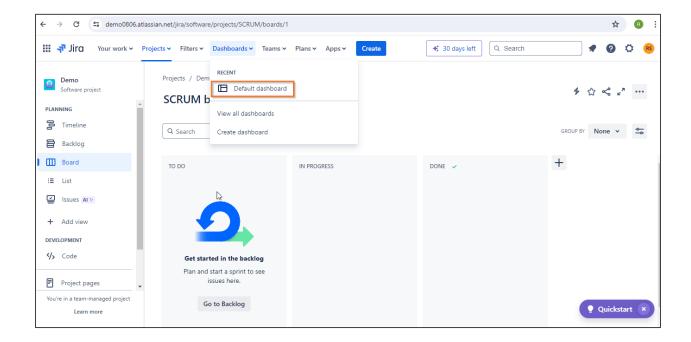


Step 2: Creating a Jira dashboard

2.1 Click **Dashboards** from the top navigation bar

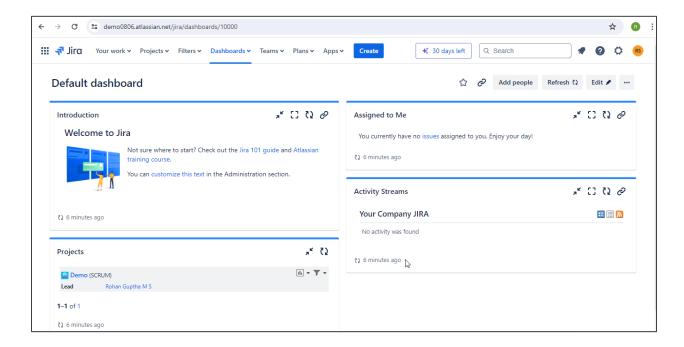


2.2 Select **Default Dashboard** to view the default dashboard

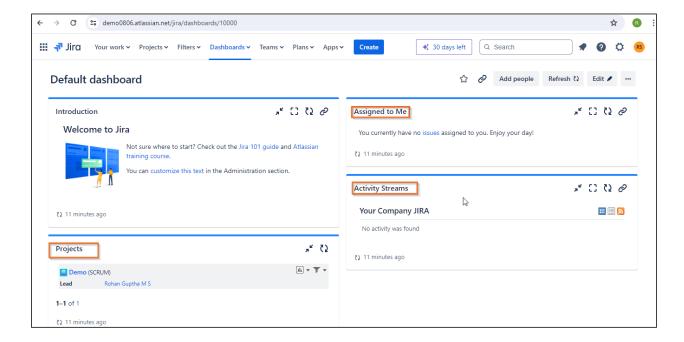




The following interface appears with various gadgets displaying information about your projects and tasks:

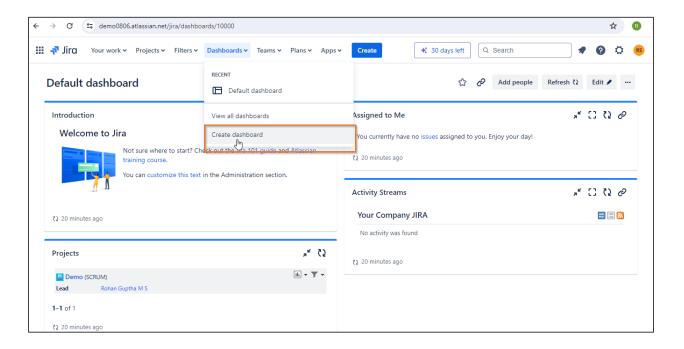


2.3 Review the different gadgets on the **Default dashboard** page, such as **Assigned to Me**, **Activity Streams**, and **Projects**

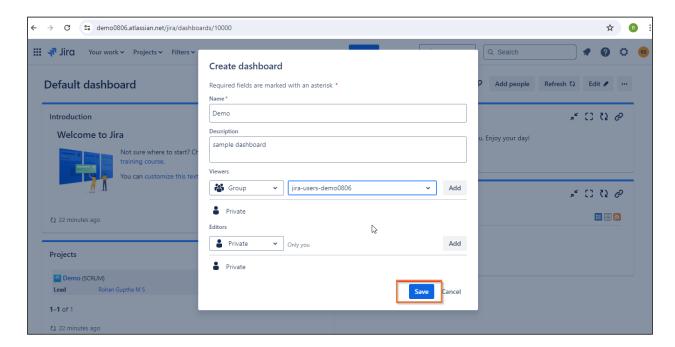




2.4 Click on the **Dashboards** dropdown and select **Create dashboard** to create a new dashboard

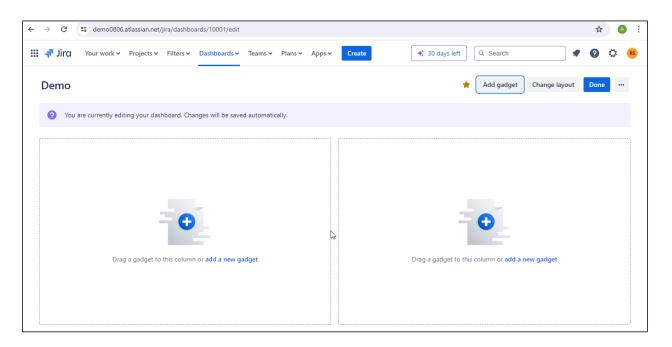


2.5 Enter the details for Name and Description fields for your new dashboard, set the sharing preferences under the Editors section, and then click Save

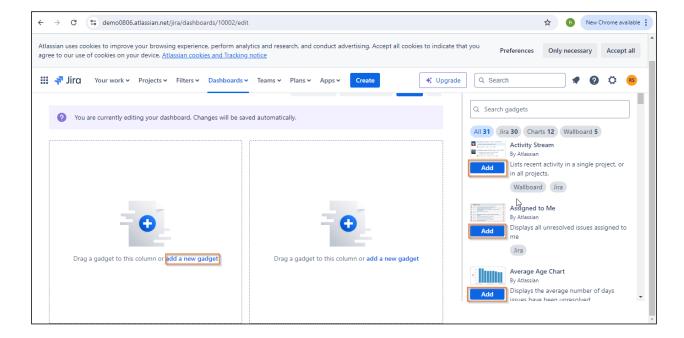




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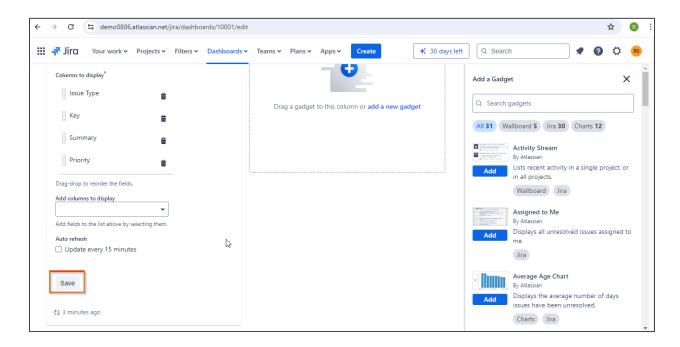


2.6 To add gadgets to the dashboard, click on **add a new gadget** and select the gadgets you want to include, such as **Activity Stream**, **Assigned to Me**, **Average Age Chart**



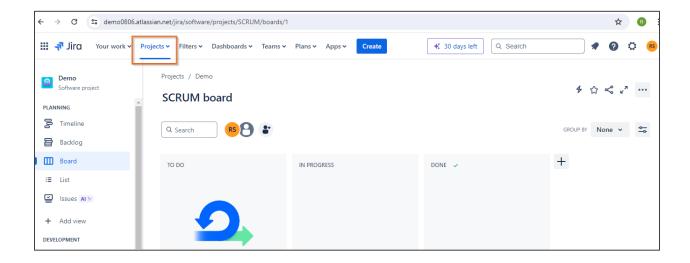


2.7 Once the required gadgets are added to the dashboard, click **Save** and start using the dashboard



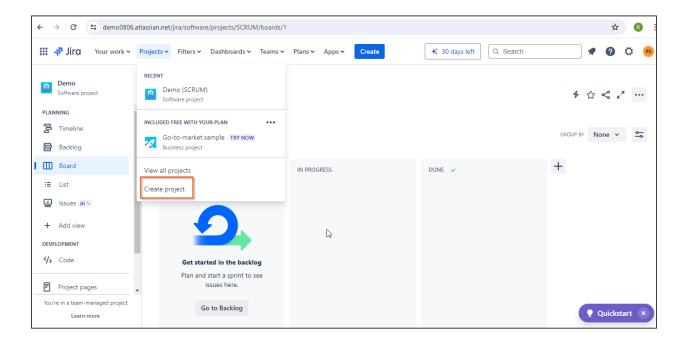
Step 3: Creating a custom project

3.1 Click on the Projects dropdown from the top navigation bar

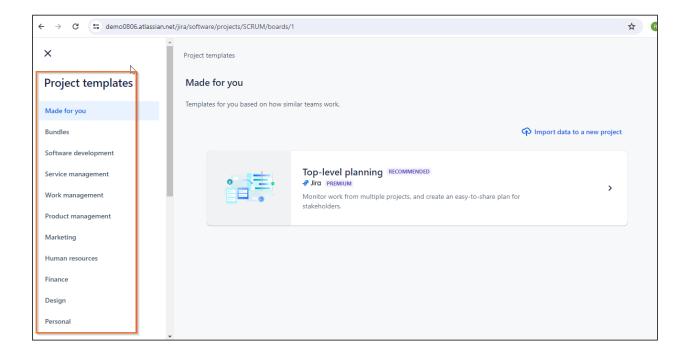




3.2 Select the Create project option to create a new customized project

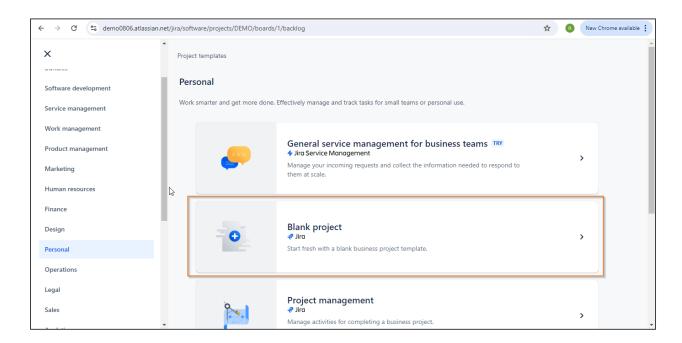


3.3 Select Personal template from Project templates

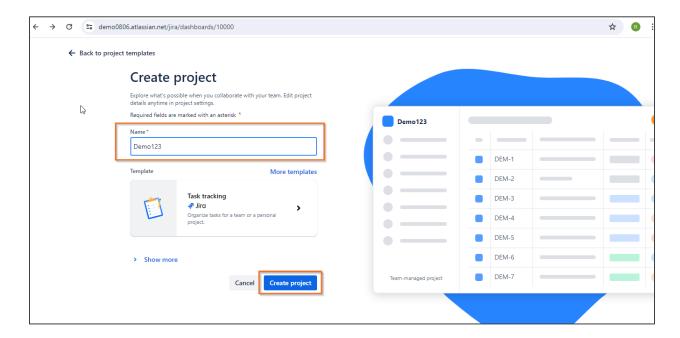




3.4 Select Blank project

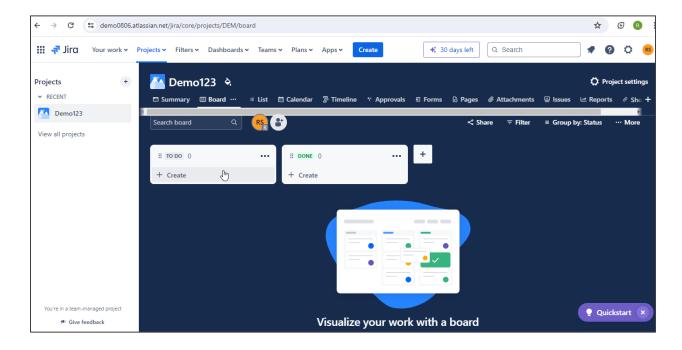


3.5 Enter the name of the project (Demo123) and then click Create project





The project has been successfully created as shown below:



By following these steps, you have successfully demonstrated the process of creating a Jira account, creating dashboards, and configuring customized projects for efficient project management.