# EXPLORING SELF-MANAGEMENT





The game is designed to explore the concept of self-management in Scrum. It focuses on the three accountabilities in Scrum and that of the Leader. By playing the game, players will gain a better understanding of what self-management means and to identify patterns that emerge as they level up into maturity of each accountability.

- Create a matrix where the vertical axis should represent the level of maturity, ranging from one to five. (Yellow cards) The horizontal axis should have the Scrum Master, Product Owner, Developer, and Leader. These are respectively the light blue, green, dark blue, purple cards.
- 2. Place the remaining accountabilities cards under the right column. To help you out, the color of the accountability cards should match that of the Scrum Master, Product Owner, Developer, and Leader.
- 3. Use the cheat sheet to check the results and have a conversation about self-management and the patterns that you see from level one till five.



Scrum Facilitators work globally with trainers in the Netherlands, United Kingdom, and Singapore. Our mission is to help professionals become awesome Scrum Facilitators by supporting Scrum Masters, Product Owners, Developers and Leaders. A Scrum Facilitator's work is based on Scrum Goals, Values & Principles. A Scrum Facilitator uses these aspects to support the effective use of Scrum in their organisation.

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#### **LEVEL 1**



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#### **LEVEL 3**



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#### LEVEL 4



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#### LEVEL 5



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#### FACILITATE

## PLAN & FACILITATES ALL SCRUM EVENTS

#### VALUE

## TRACK PROGRESS & VISUALIZES WORK

# 20



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## PLAN & FACILITATES ALL SCRUM EVENTS

#### **VALUE**

### TRACK PROGRESS & VISUALIZES WORK



### FACILITATES THE SCRUM EVENTS

#### VALUE

# ENABLES THE DEVELOPERS TO TRACK & VISUALIZES WORK

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#### **FACILITATE**

### FACILITATES THE SCRUM EVENTS

#### **VALUE**

ENABLES THE DEVELOPERS TO TRACK & VISUALIZES WORK



HELP SCRUM TEAM
BY FACILITATING
TRANSPARENCY,
INSPECTION &
ADAPTATION

#### VALUE

ENABLES PRODUCT
OWNER TO FOCUS
ON VALUE DELIVERY



HELP SCRUM TEAM
BY FACILITATING
TRANSPARENCY,
INSPECTION &
ADAPTATION

#### VALUE

ENABLES PRODUCT OWNER TO FOCUS ON VALUE DELIVERY



HELP
STAKEHOLDERS
UNDERSTAND &
APPLY AGILE
PRINCIPLES

#### VALUE

FOCUS ON CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENTS IN THE VALUE CHAIN



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#### **VALUE**

FOCUS ON CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENTS IN THE VALUE CHAIN



HELP THE
ORGANIZATION TO
UNDERSTAND &
APPLY AGILE
PRINCIPLES

#### VALUE

ENABLES THE ORGANIZATION TO CONTINUOUSLY HAVE IMPACT ON CUSTOMERS



HELP THE ORGANIZATION TO UNDERSTAND & APPLY AGILE PRINCIPLES

#### **VALUE**

ENABLES THE ORGANIZATION TO CONTINUOUSLY HAVE IMPACT ON CUSTOMERS



## PRODUCT OWNER



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# FOCUS ON CREATING REQUIREMENTS & PRODUCT BACKLOG ITEMS

#### MANDATE

## EXECUTES PLANS & DECISIONS MADE BY STAKEHOLDERS



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#### MANDATE

EXECUTES PLANS & DECISIONS MADE BY STAKEHOLDERS



FOCUS ON CREATING
SPRINT GOALS &
PRODUCT
INCREMENTS

#### MANDATE

HAS INFLUENCE ON STAKEHOLDERS IN MAKING PLANS & PRODUCT RELATED DECISIONS



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FOCUS ON CREATING
VALUE &
CONTINUOUSLY
VALIDATE
ASSUMPTIONS

#### MANDATE

COLLABORATE WITH STAKEHOLDERS TO MAKE PLANS & PRODUCT RELATED DECISIONS



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FOCUS ON CONTINUOUS VALUE CREATION & STAKEHOLDER COLLABORATION

#### MANDATE

HAS MANDATE TO MAKE PRODUCT RELATED DECISIONS & RELEASE PLANS



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FOCUS ON CONTINUOUS VALUE OPTIMIZING & CUSTOMER COLLABORATION

#### MANDATE

IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PLANNING, BUDGET, PROFITS & LOSS OF THE PRODUCTS' VALUE CHAIN



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# DEVELOPER



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# RELYING ON THE SCRUM MASTER TO FACILITATE THEM

# COLLABORATION

AVOIDING CONFLICT/
PURSUING INDIVIDUAL
TARGETS/ GENERATING
OUTPUTS



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# **COLLABORATION**

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ENSURING THE OUTCOME OF ALL EVENTS & LEARNING THE SCRUM VALUES

#### COLLABORATION

DISCOVERING DIFFERENCES/ CONFLICTS/ SHARED VALUES



ENSURING THE OUTCOME OF ALL EVENTS & LEARNING THE SCRUM VALUES

# COLLABORATION

DISCOVERING DIFFERENCES/ CONFLICTS/ SHARED VALUES



FOCUSED ON REACHING SPRINT GOALS & IMPROVING QUALITY

#### COLLABORATION

USING SCRUM & AGILE PRINCIPLES AS A GUIDELINE FOR ALL INTERACTIONS



FOCUSED ON REACHING SPRINT GOALS & IMPROVING QUALITY

# COLLABORATION

USING SCRUM & AGILE PRINCIPLES AS A GUIDELINE FOR ALL INTERACTIONS



RESPONSIBLE & COMMITTED TO CONTINUOUSLY DELIVER VALUABLE OUTCOME

### COLLABORATION

COLLABORATING
WITH
STAKEHOLDERS TO
CONTINUOUSLY
ADAPT



# SELF-MANAGING

RESPONSIBLE & COMMITTED TO CONTINUOUSLY DELIVER VALUABLE OUTCOME

### **COLLABORATION**

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ACCOUNTABLE OR CREATING HIGH QUALITY PRODUCTS

### COLLABORATION

COLLABORATING
WITH EVERYONE TO
PARTICIPATE IN
SHARING FEEDBACK
& LEARNING



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# COLLABORATION

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# LEADER



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WANTS FULL
CONTROL & HAS A
DIRECTIVE
COMMUNICATION
STYLE

#### MEASURING

GIVES INDIVIDUAL TARGETS AND ON PROGRESS/
EFFICIENCY/QUALITY & OUTCOMES



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#### MEASURING

GIVES INDIVIDUAL TARGETS AND ON PROGRESS/
EFFICIENCY/QUALITY & OUTCOMES



WANTS TO BE IN CONTROL & DELEGATES LESS CRITICAL RESPONSIBILITIES

#### MEASURING

GIVES TEAM(S)
TARGETS AND ON
PROGRESS/
EFFICIENCY/QUALITY
& OUTCOMES



WANTS TO BE IN CONTROL & DELEGATES LESS CRITICAL RESPONSIBILITIES

#### MEASURING

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#### DELEGATION

# DELEGATES MORE IMPORTANT RESPONSIBILITIES

#### MEASURING

PROVIDES BOUNDARY
CONDITIONS FOR
TEAMS TO SET THEIR
OWN TARGETS



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DELEGATES ALL BUT CRITICAL DECISIONS & RESPONSIBILITIES

#### MEASURING

CREATES AN ENVIRONMENT WHERE TEAMS CAN SELF-MANAGE & CREATE VALUE



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#### MEASURING

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#### DELEGATION

# DELEGATE ALL DECISIONS & RESPONSIBILITIES

#### MEASURING

FACILITATES
ENTREPRENEURSHIP &
GROWTH FOR EVERY
EMPLOYEE



#### DELEGATION

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Scrum Master	Product Owner	Developer	Leader
8	6	17	19
1	10	18	2
15	9	12	16
14	4	13	5
20	3	7	11



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