



Sprint 1 Retrospective – Personal Task Manager

🕒 Recommended time: ~15-20 minutes (solo review) 👤 Works best with: individual contributor

Overview:

This retrospective reflects on Sprint 1 of my Personal Task Manager project. The goal was to apply Scrum principles, document the full process in Jira/Confluence, and build core functionality in Angular.

Key outcomes include setting up the project, implementing task creation, listing, and deletion, and deploying the code to GitHub.

Ground rules:

- Honest self-reflection on what went well and what needs improvement
- Focuses on learning, not blame
- Small, actionable improvements prioritized for Sprint 2
- Continuous documentation in Jira + Confluence

✔ Good

✔ Project was successfully scoped and tracked in Jira

✔ Setup of Angular standalone project worked

✔ Tasks can be created, listed, and deleted

✔ Confluence documentation was started early

✔ GitHub repo successfully created and code pushed

✔ Gained hands-on experience with ngModel, component communication, and LocalStorage

🚩 Bad / could be better

⚠ LocalStorage caused runtime issues (SSR awareness)

⚠ ngModel initially failed due to missing provideForms()

⚠ Git config conflict between work and personal accounts

⚠ Jira config was confusing at first (e.g., Story Point field missing)

⚠ Task status (e.g., mark as Done) not implemented yet

💡 Ideas

💡 Create a custom status button to toggle "To Do" → "Done"

💡 Add editing support for existing tasks

💡 Improve styling using Angular Material or Tailwind

💡 Document API/interface more clearly in Confluence

💡 Add GitHub README with installation and screenshots

🔥 Actions

🔗 Set up story point and priority fields in Jira **before** adding new stories

🔗 Use custom components for editing task status

🔗 Add basic styling to improve UX

🔗 Link Jira issues directly to GitHub commits (via smart commits or manual links)

🔗 Finalize Sprint 2 scope: US4, US5, US6