Prioritization



Covered in this lecture:

Prioritization methods that you can use as a PM



As a product manager, prioritizing things is a major part of your role

Prioritization methods:

- 1. Assumption testing
 - prioritizing by the assumptions
 - try the riskiest assumptions first
 - >> Take your assumptions and assign them a value between 1-10 (10 = riskiest)
 - >> Rate the importance of doing that thing (10 = very important)
 - >> Add these two values and sort the assumptions based on that

2. The BUC method

- Business benefits
- User benefits
- Cost
- >> Score these dimensions 1-10
- >> Add the score of the benefits and subtract the cost to get the final score
- >> Prioritize your tasks based on these scores, with the highest at the top

> 3. The MOSCOW method

>> Organize your tasks into these categories:

Must - things you absolutely have to build

Could

Should

Would

>> First do the things that MUST be done