Increasing customer satisfaction with iterationless delivery

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- Due to large number of attendees, questions will be taken 'off-air' using the Q&A box (NOT the Chat box!). Please type in your question(s) in the Questions box on your screen – and mark it to ALL PANELISTS
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- To ensure maximum coverage, please limit questions to 1 at a time.
- At the end, any remaining time will be used to take up additional questions.
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Today's Speaker
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Host
Mahesh Singh, Co-founder, Sr. VP
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Digité – A Quick Overview

- A Pioneer in Web-based Collaborative Products/ Solutions for Geographically Distributed Teams
- Headquartered in Mountain View, CA
- Over 250,000 users in the Americas, Europe, Asia/ Pacific
- Products that cover Lean/ Kanban, Agile ALM, Project/ Portfolio Management
- Swift-Kanban is our flagship Lean/ Kanban product.
- Named by Gartner in ALM Market Scope report for 2010





Key Customers





















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Masa K Maeda, PhD

Currently

- Valueinnova LLC: CEO and founder [Silicon Valley, USA]
- Cutter Consortium: Senior consultant [Boston, USA]
- SEGOinnova: Principal consultant and co-founder [Panama]
- Lean-Kanban University: Charter Member
- Certified Kanban Trainer and Coach, CSPO, CSM
- UC Berkeley Extension: teaching Lean value innovation, 2012 [Berkeley, USA]
- Bay Area Limited WIP Society: founder [San Francisco, USA]
- PMI-SFBAC: editor for the lean-agile section of the chapter's newsletter [San Francisco, USA]
 Previously

In the USA, Masa was an associate of David J. Anderson & Associates. He did R&D for Apple Inc, was founding member at startups pioneering genomics/proteomics (Ingenuity Systems), online entertainment (Vuze inc), online secure commerce (Electric Communities), and online socialization (When.com). He also did R&D for Justsystem (the best Japanese software company).

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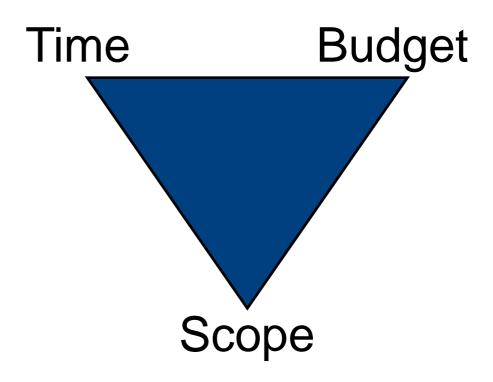
A project is successful if: on time

- ♦ on budget
- ♦ full scope

Iron triangle

Time Budget Scope

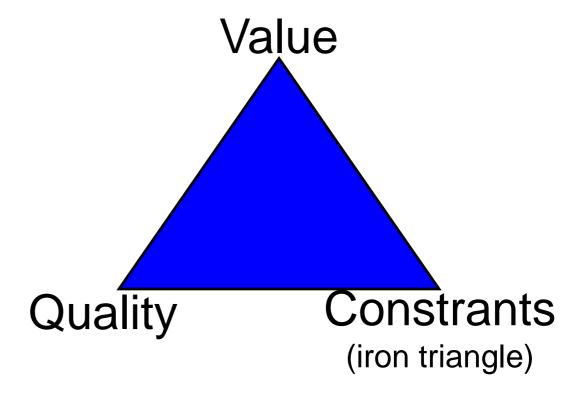
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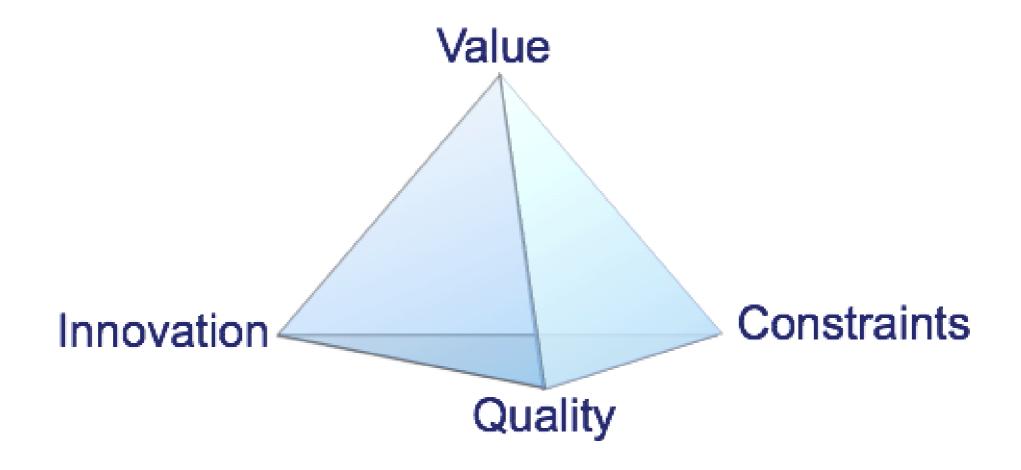
New agile triangle





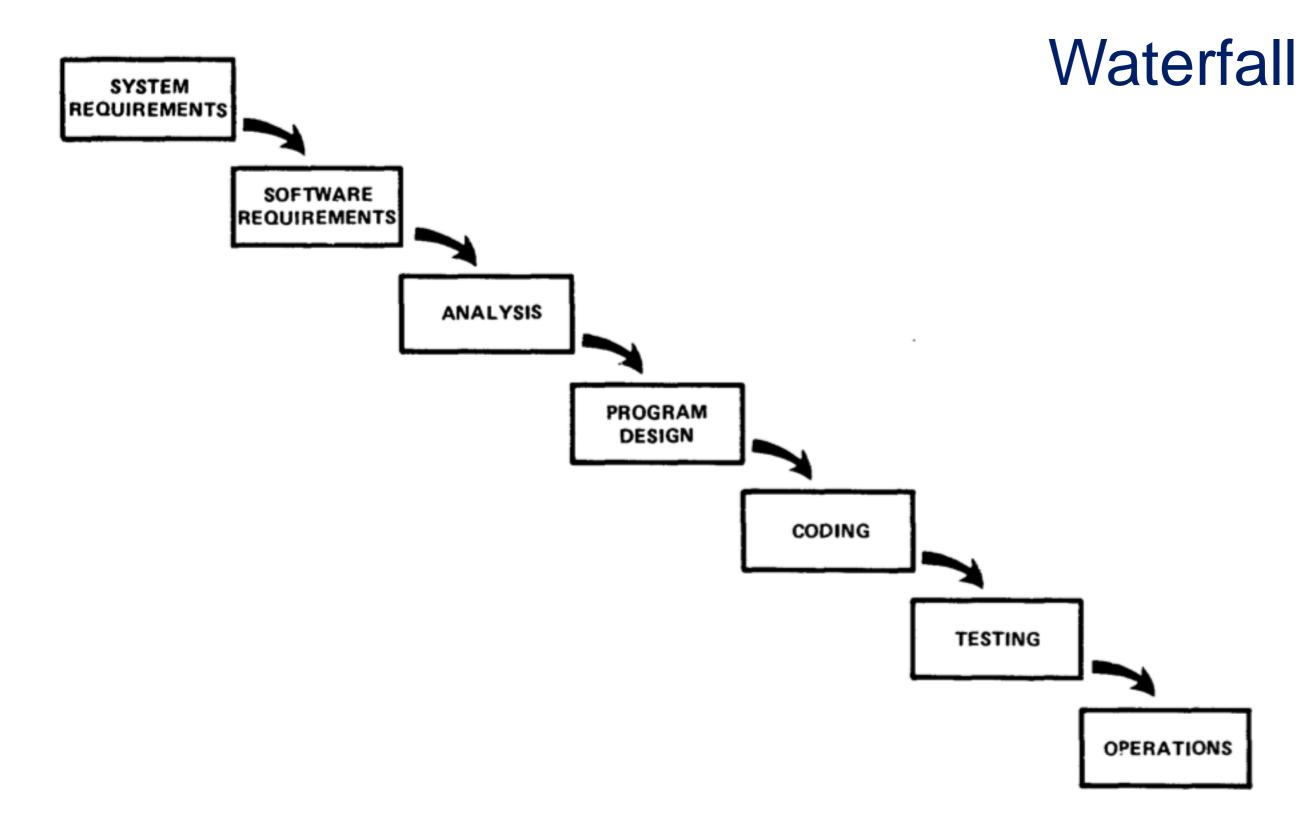


The lean-agile prism



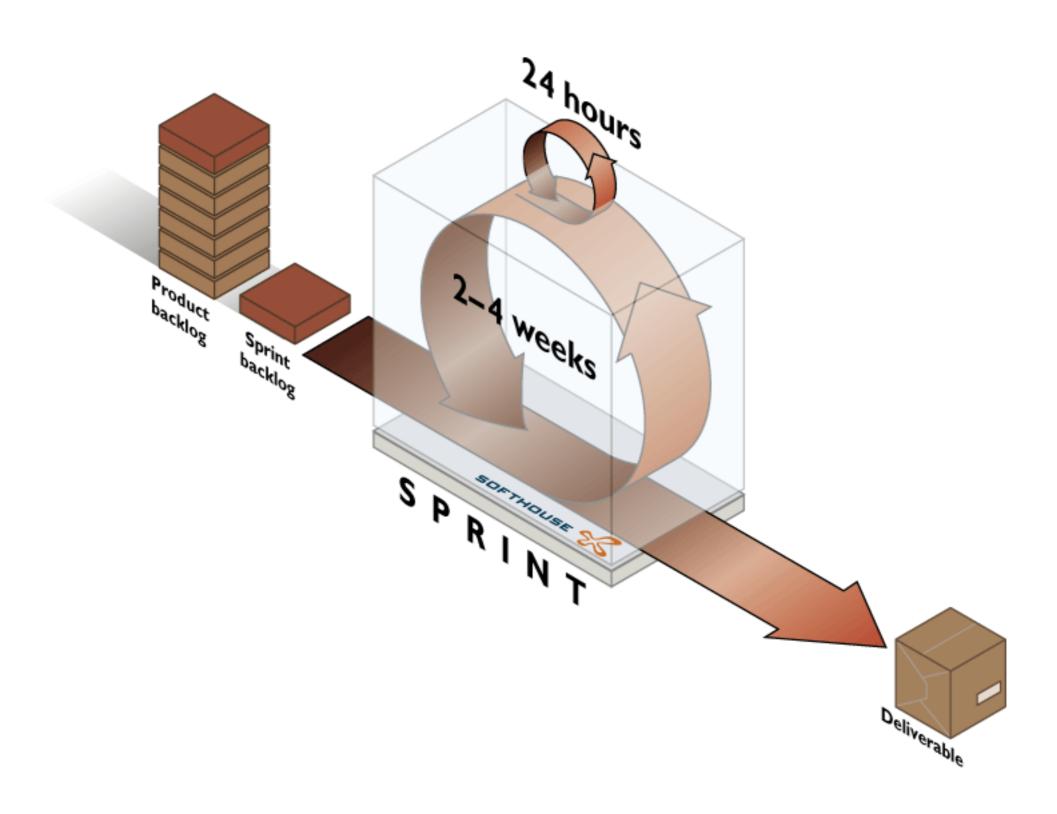








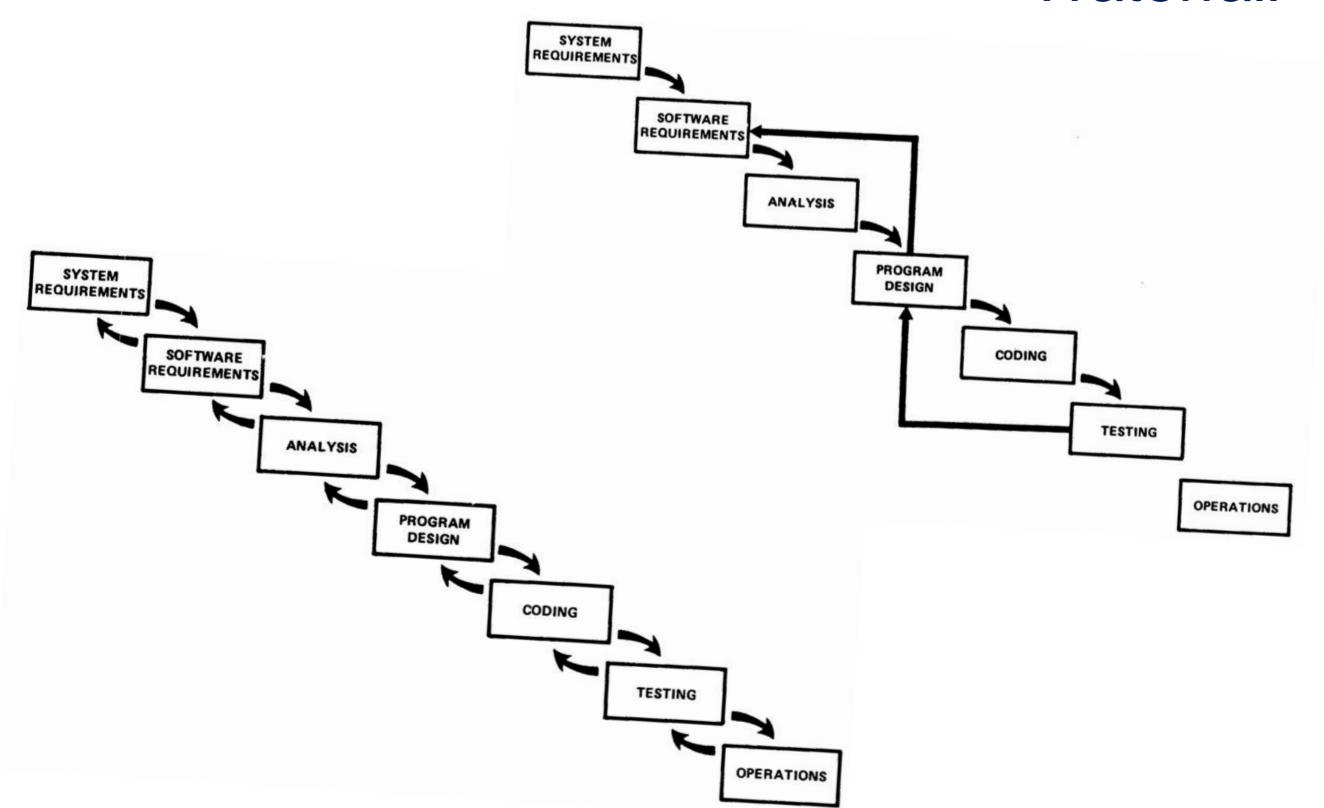








Waterfall







Timeboxing

Limits WIP

Small bath

Periodic delivery







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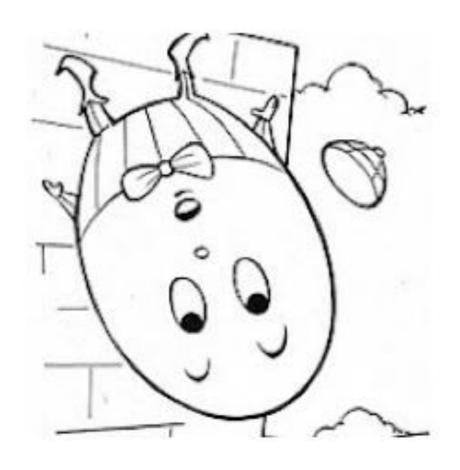
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However...



Story breakdown may make it harder to implement



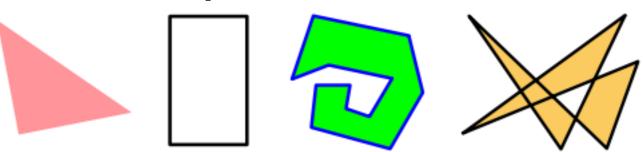


Courses of action

Variable speeds...



Assorted types of requirements...



Allow the story to go through several iterations







The real world has them in all sizes

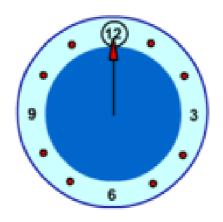






Kanban's approach





Decoupling



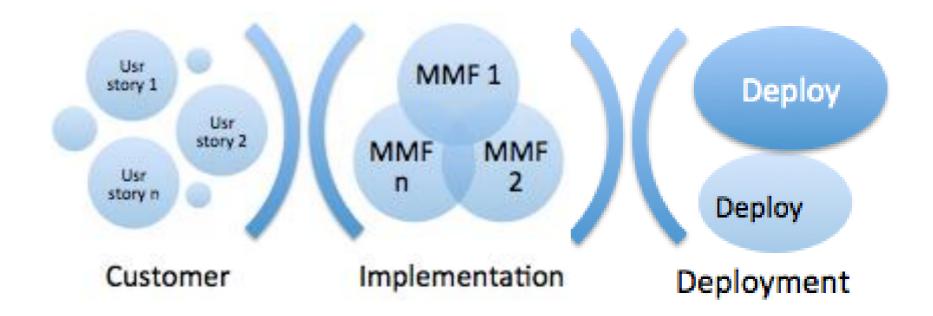






Decouple

Expedite +1



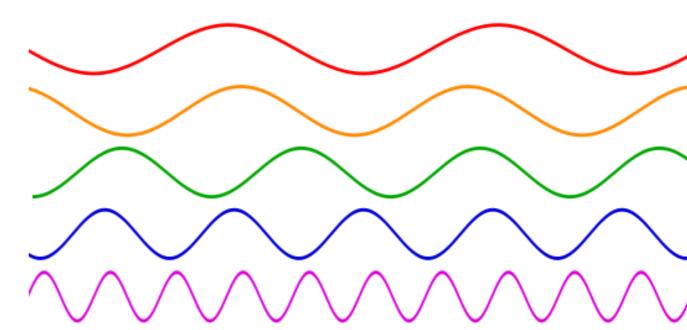
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Decouple

- Prioritization
- Planing
- Estimation
- Deployment
- Implementation

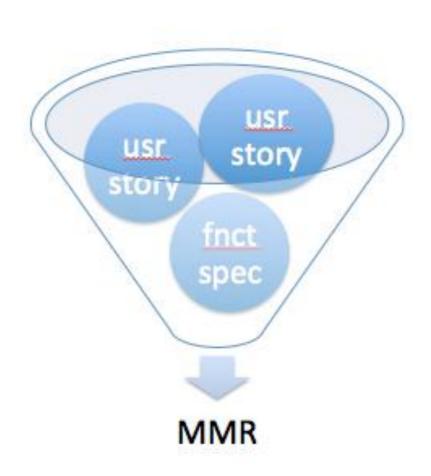


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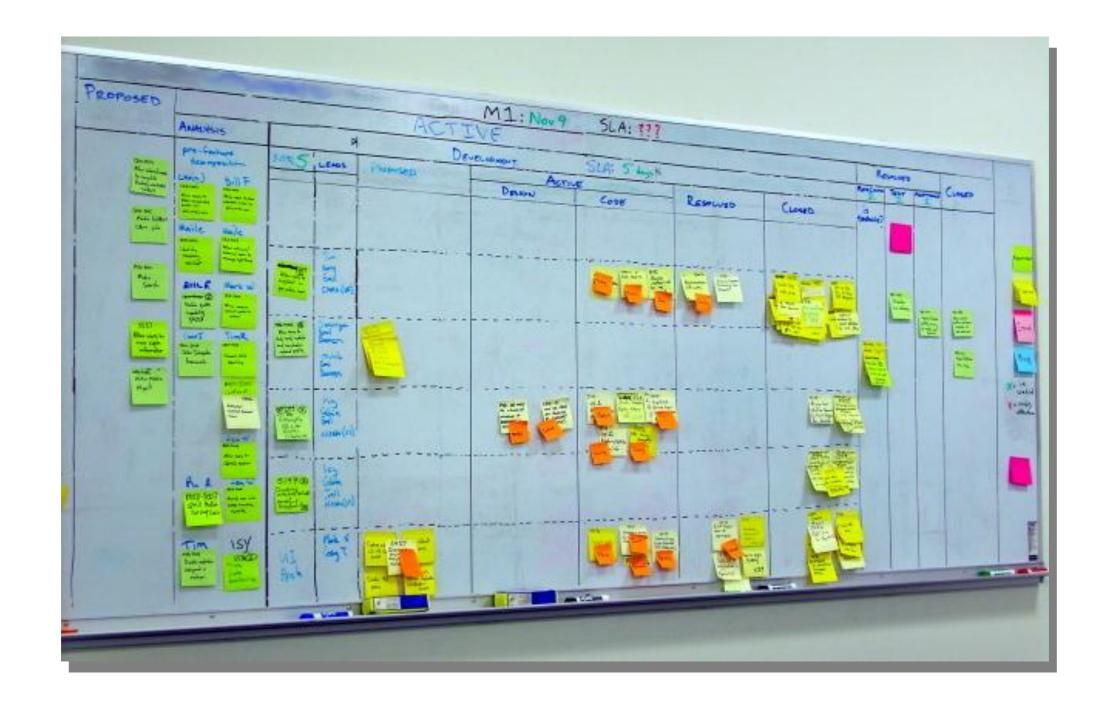


MMR: minimum marketable release Consider transaction cost of release













SLAs

Changed priorities ahead

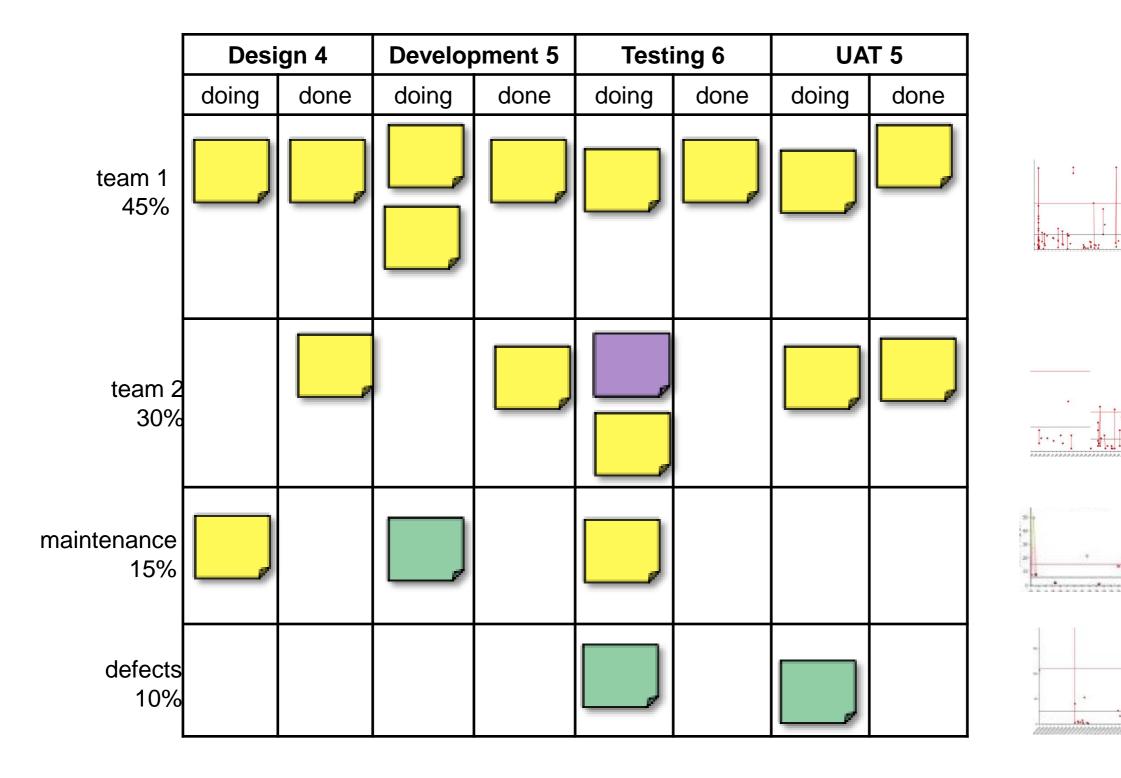
Plan away

Estimate
for what
you need





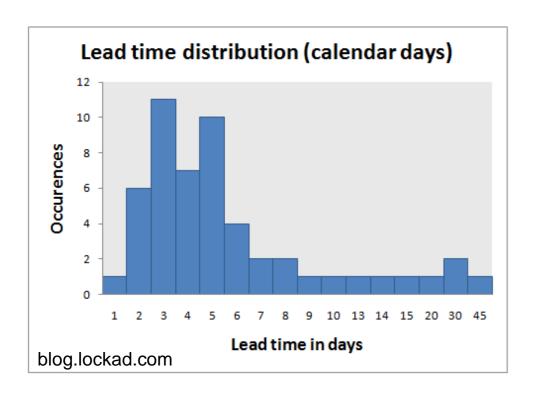
Delivery

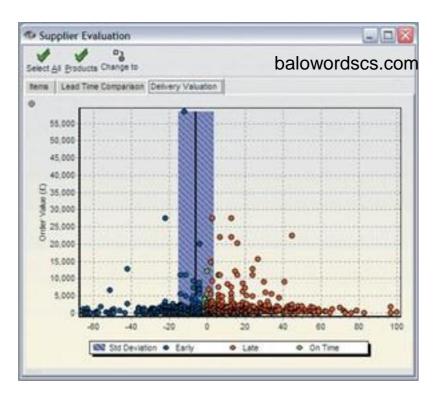


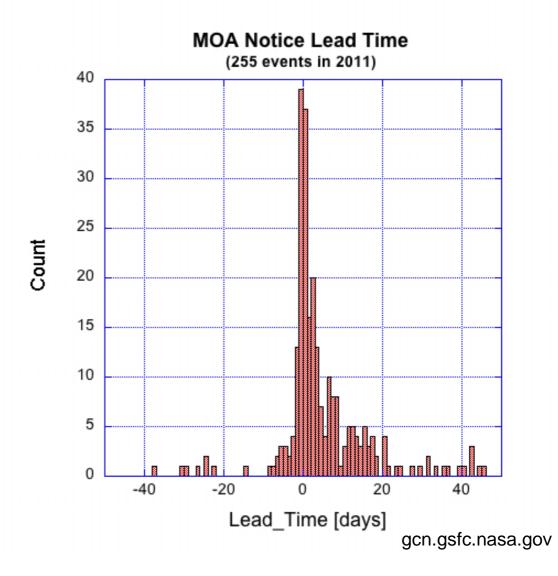




Take into account the outliers











Conclusion

- **Decoupling** Prioritization
 - Planing
 - Estimation
 - Deployment
 - Implementation

Results in

- Higher customer satisfaction
- Less work for customer
- Lower dependency on customer
- Higher team productivity





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