



Jira Notes

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1)What is Jira?

- Jira is a tool to help your team manage work.

2)What is an Issue?

- An issue is a work item

3)What is a Project?

- A project is a collection of issues

4)What is a Board?

- A board is a visual display of work progress, often with 3-4 columns.

5)What is a workflow?

- A workflow is the path of statuses an issue will go through from start to finish.
An example of a simple workflow is an issue moving from To Do to In Progress to Done.

6)What is a epic?

- An epic is a large initiative. Known as "parent" issues, epics contain smaller issues within them. They often represent large bodies of work that can break down into smaller tasks. It will be up to you and your team to decide what's a large initiative and what's not.

7)What is a task?

- A task is the most common issue type. They contain a more detailed description of a work item. Tasks can exist within a larger epic or exist all on their own.

8)What is a story?

- A story is a feature or requirement from the user's perspective. Stories are commonly used by software development teams. They define work items in non-technical language.

9)What is a subtask?

A subtask is a further defined issue, used to break down tasks, stories, or bugs into smaller work items. Subtasks must have a parent issue type. They cannot exist on their own.

STAR POINT - Boards sit within projects. A single Jira project can have several boards. A board is often named after a larger deliverable or team of people.



Different Boards in JIRA

Kanban boards

- Kanban boards are used by all types of teams. They illustrate a continuous flow of work. Issues continuously move in and out of the board from the start of the project until the end of the project.

Scrum boards

- Scrum boards are mostly used by agile software development teams. Scrum boards bring in groups of issues that the team will attempt to complete during a fixed period of time, often a two-week "sprint."

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Golden Question -

What is agile? Agile is a project management methodology. It takes an iterative approach to managing projects, focusing on continuous release that require regular updates based on feedback. Agile helps teams increase delivery speed, expand collaboration, and better respond to market trends. Learn more about agile [here](#).

What is scrum? Scrum is a specific agile project management framework to help design, develop, and deliver complex products. It's mostly used by software development teams. Scrum teams organize their work in sprints. A sprint is a short, fixed period when a scrum team works to complete a batch of issues. Learn more about scrum [here](#).

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