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- Most platforms have lists of rules and guidelines that need to be followed to distribute your product on their platform
- Game console manufactures (under NDA)
 - Sony - TRC (Technical Requirements Checklist)
 - Microsoft - TCR (Technical certification requirements)
 - Nintendo - LotCheck®
- Mobile platforms
 - Apple - [App Store Review Guidelines](#) and [Human Interface Guidelines](#)
 - Google - [Developer Content Policy](#)
- PC
 - Microsoft - [Windows Store Policies](#)
 - Steam - [Steamworks Rules and Guidelines](#)

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Can require things like:

- Libraries and APIs used
- File IO limitations
- Localization support
- Hardware limitations
- Use of screen space
- Minimum performance expectation
- Age restrictions on content
- ...

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Legal

- Complying with laws and regulations
 - Children's Online Privacy Protection Act
- Due diligence to maintain Intellectual Property
 - Reference hardware by name it must be correct
 - "PlayStation®4 DUALSHOCK®4"
 - "iPad mini™"

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Maintaining a uniform experience

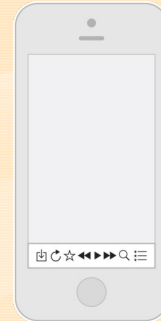
- Standard default controls
- Same startup sequences
- ...



Recommended



Not recommended



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Protecting their image

- Maintaining a minimum level of quality
- Avoiding Objectionable Content
- Avoid a crash (like what happened in 1983/1985)
 - Flooded market
 - Loss of publisher control
 - Loss of user confidence



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GDBS Midterm Project TRC

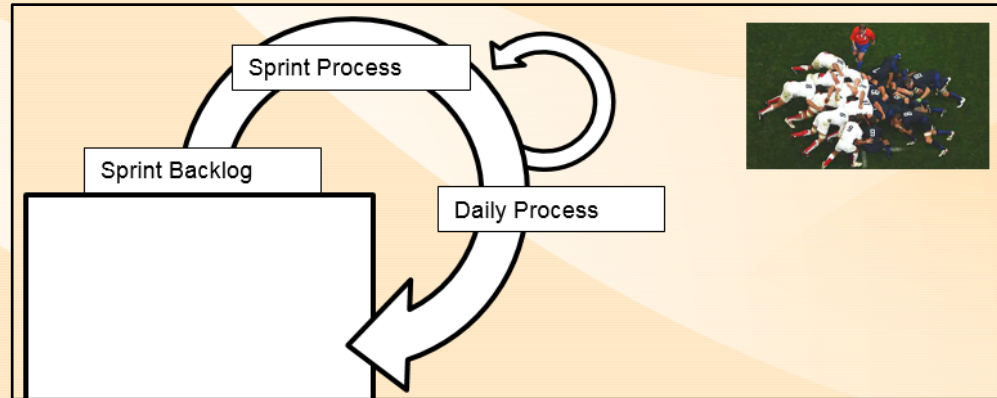
- Let's go over these

Daily Stand Up meeting

Stand up meeting

Keep everyone informed

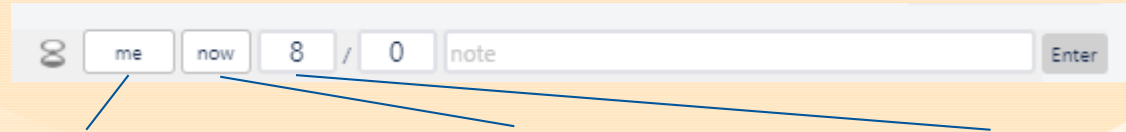
- What did you do?
- What are you about to do?
- What stands in your way?



Keep everything up to date

Update the task board (trello) while working

- Enter hours spent on any userstory worked on



A screenshot of a time entry form. It features a light blue header bar with a stylized '8' logo on the left. The form contains several input fields: a dropdown menu with 'me' selected, a dropdown menu with 'now' selected, a text input field containing '8', a text input field containing '0', and a text input field with the placeholder 'note'. To the right of these fields is a grey 'Enter' button. Three blue lines originate from the text below and point to the 'me', 'now', and the first '8' field.

Who did the work? When was the work done? How much work was done?

- The burn down chart will be updated automatically as hours spent get entered

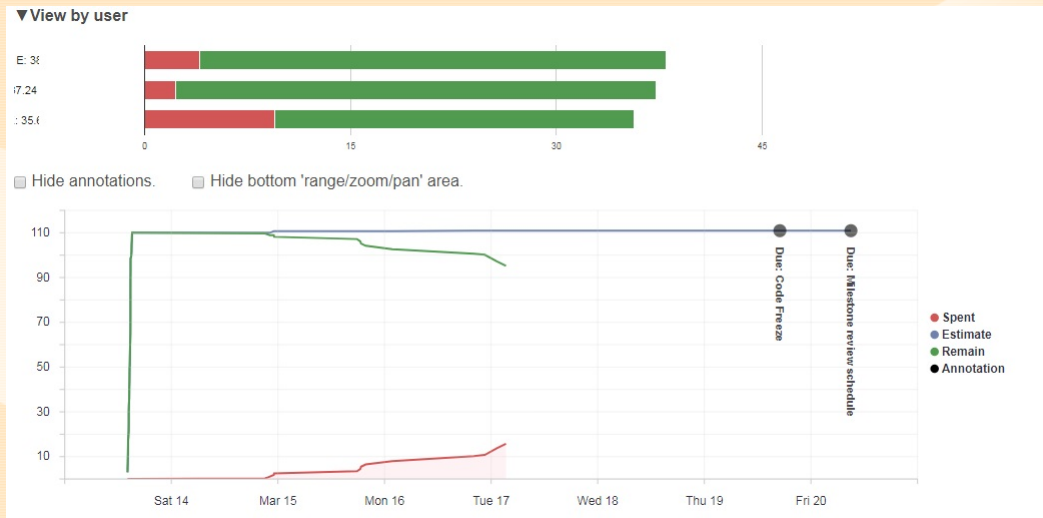


Track Progress:

Burn down/Burn Up charts

- Check your “velocity” versus the time remaining
- Fix issues when they only require small changes in work patterns
- Avoid needing the crunch at the end

This team is behind, needs to correct their work habits

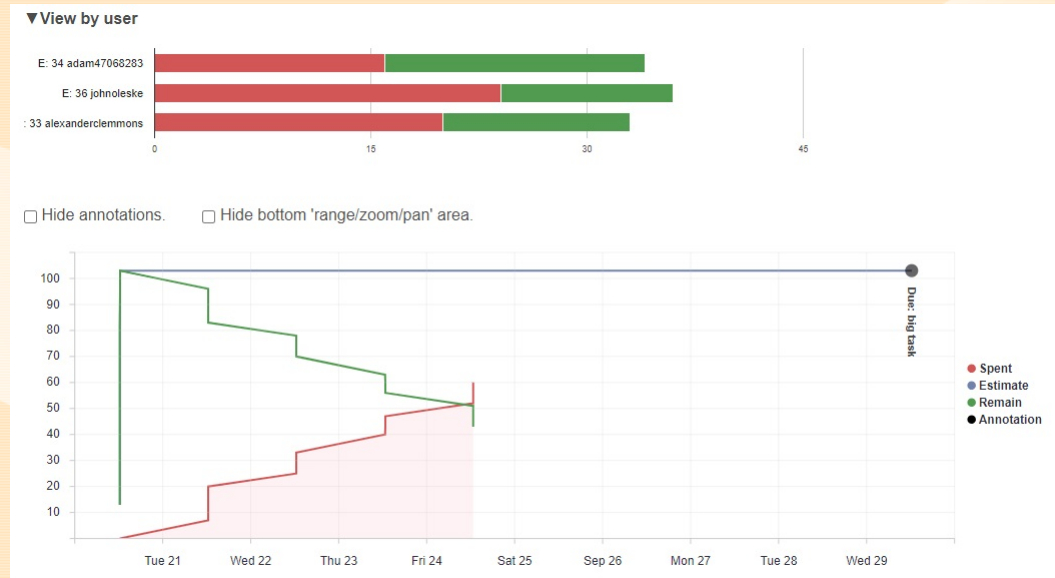


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This team is on track and should finish the sprint fine



Sprint 4: Alpha

By the end of the day

- At least 14 hours logged per team member
- Burn down charts 1/3 complete

