

The top gear of buying software





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We Ain't Doing Any Software Corp



Software is different

Complexity, Conformity, Changeability and Invisibility



Software Requirements Speculation

How well do you think you can predict the future?



What is important for success?



Collaboration over contract negotiation



Collaboration requires trust



Feedback

"Deliver working software frequently, from a couple of weeks to a couple of months, with a preference to the shorter timescale."



The Collaborative Approach



What is your vision? What do you need?

Product Vision and Requirements



How much money will you make? How much you can afford to invest?

Value Proposition



Who could you work with?

Selecting Potential Partners



Can I trust a potential partner?

Trial Run



How do we collaborate?

Contracts and other agreements



What team?

We are all in the same team



What does the daily collaboration look like?

Talking face to face



What's going on? Do I need to panic?

Transparency good Micromanagement bad



When do we deliver something?

Working Software, Definition of Done, Reviews and Feedback



When are finished?

Stop working when value isn't worth the investment



Who owns the result?

Get the IPR



How can I get some changes in my running software?

Maintenance



Summary

Collaboration and Trust



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