

A quick trip to the future



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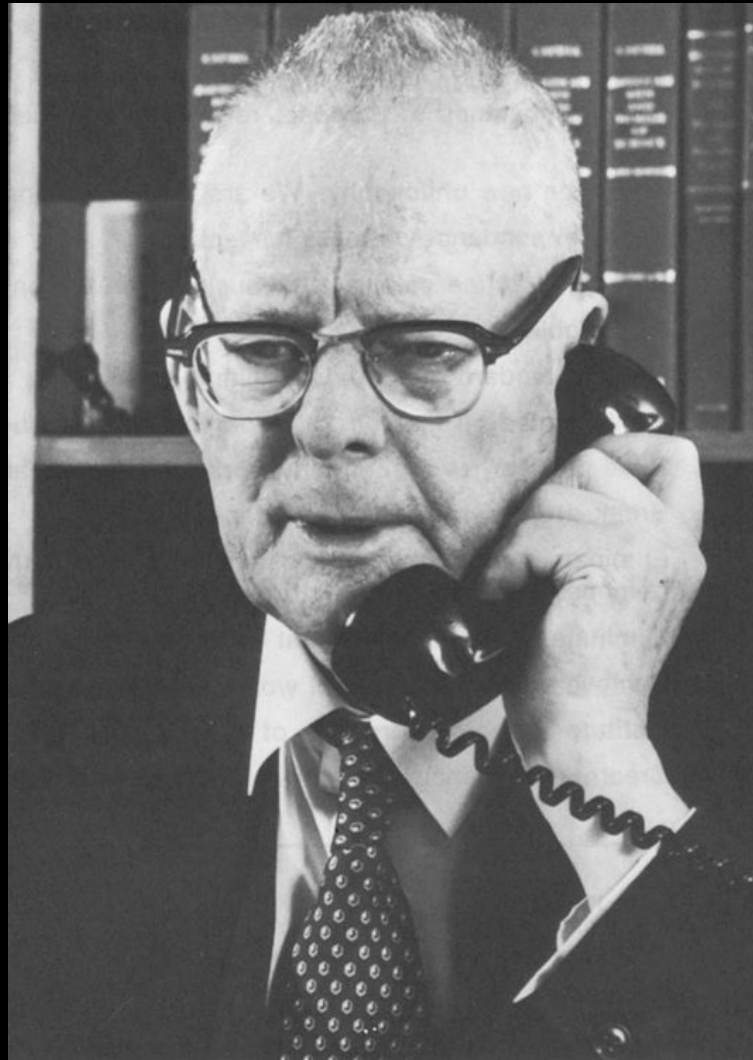
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Ken Schwaber - Scrum



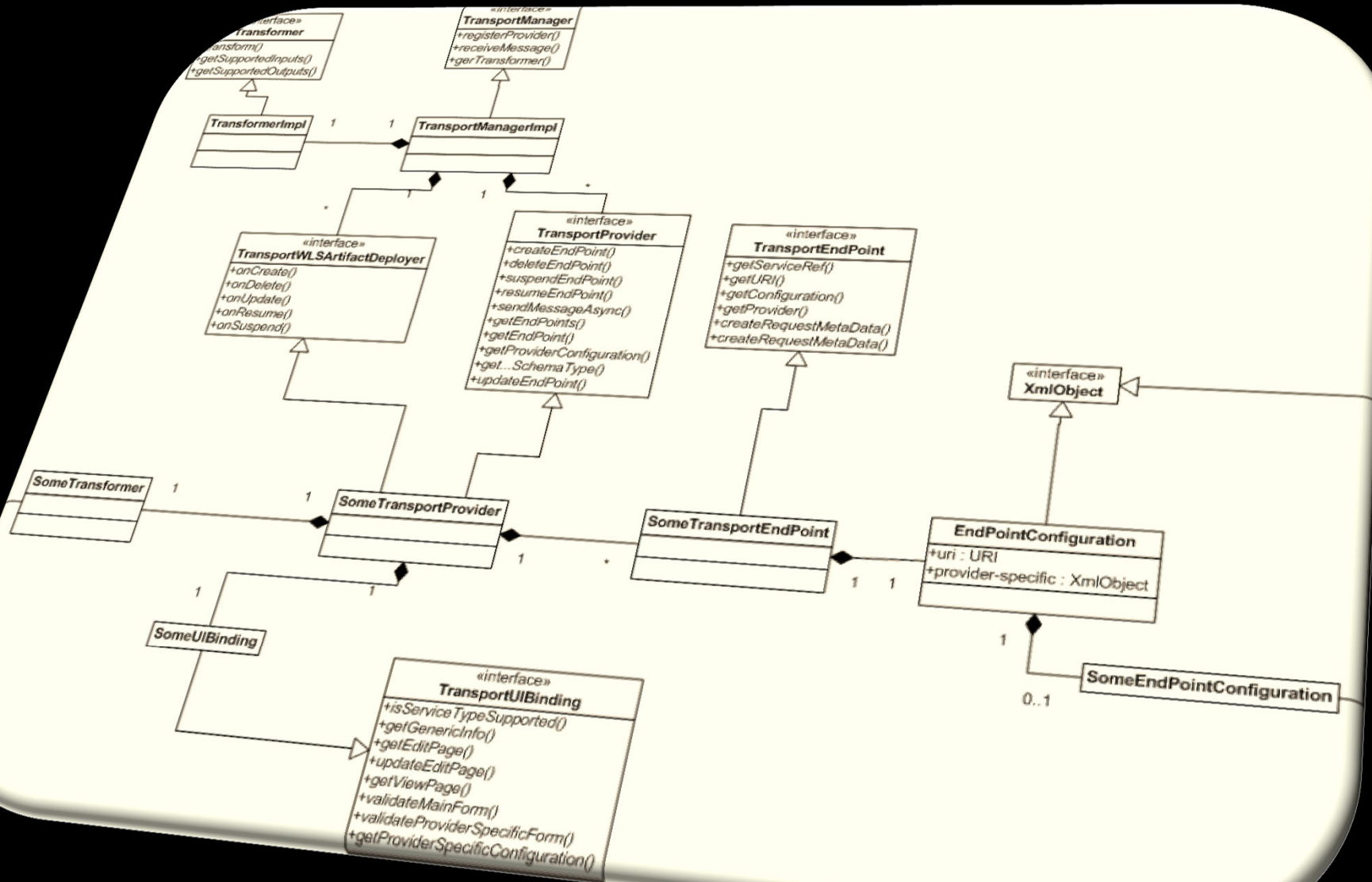
Taiichi Ohno – Toyota Production System



Edwards W. Deming – Everything above...

“If I have seen further it is by
standing on the shoulders of
giants”

- *Isaac Newton*





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Agility = Chaos!

Discipline

A Guide for the Perplexed

Forewords by
Grady Booch • Alistair Cockburn • Arthur Pyster



PMI is launching an Agile Certification

Dear PMI Members and Certification Holders:

You may have noticed more discussion in the marketplace from practitioners who are investigating or have already started applying Agile principles to their practice of project management. PMI is supporting this development with the launch of an [Agile Certification](#).

Demand Is Growing for Applying Agile Practices in Project Management

Many project professionals are seeing the demand for Agile practices in project management, thus are eager to gain Agile techniques to apply on the job. Similarly, organizations that utilize project management to serve both internal and external clients are seeing value in Agile methods to deliver projects for these clients more quickly.

Organizations Are Embracing Agile as a Tool

Organizations who use Agile techniques in managing projects have documented the value they see from its practice:

- Early and continuous customer feedback—as the customer is involved throughout development, they will end up with an end-product that they want and will use.
- High visibility and influence over the project progress leading to early indications of problems.
- Early measurable return on investment—this allows for defined deliverables at the end of each iteration and early in the process.



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#NoEstimates


#Idealist
#extremist
#chaotic



Customer Collaboration over Contract Negotiation
Responding to Change over Following a Plan



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The background of the slide features a dense, overlapping pattern of circles in various colors including red, orange, yellow, green, and purple. The circles have a slight gradient and shadow, giving them a three-dimensional appearance.

Customer value, not control,
is the answer in the digital economy.

Don Tapscott and Anthony D. Williams in *Wikinomics* (p.143)



#NoEstimates is easy!

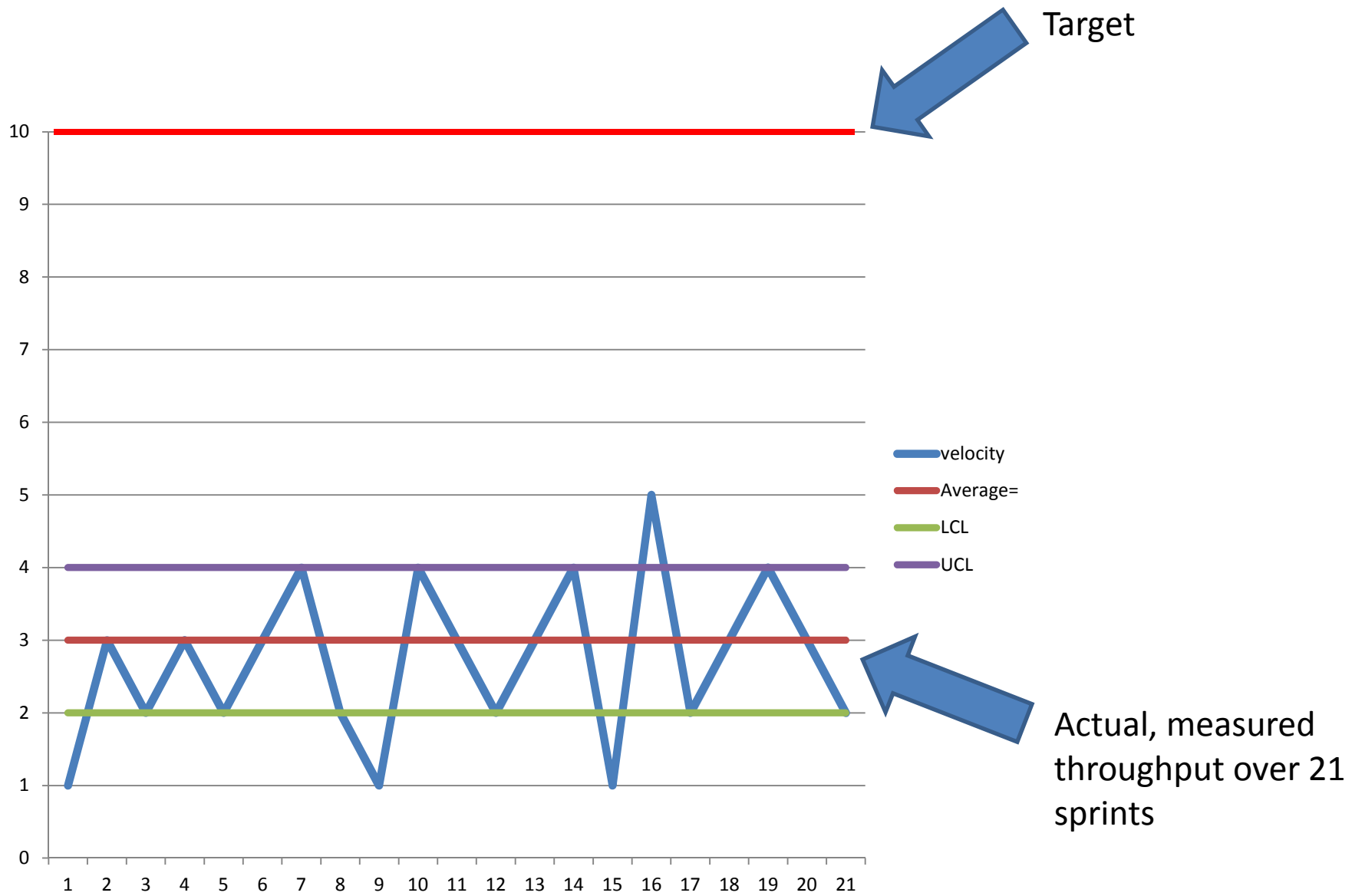
#NoEstimates How-to

1. Select the most important piece of work you need to do
2. Break that work down into risk-neutral chunks of work
3. Develop each piece of work
4. Iterate and refactor

Is the system of development
stable?
(ref: SPC)

I AM GOING TO
GO AHEAD AND
ASK YOU TO
DELIVER 10
STORIES NEXT
SPRINT...





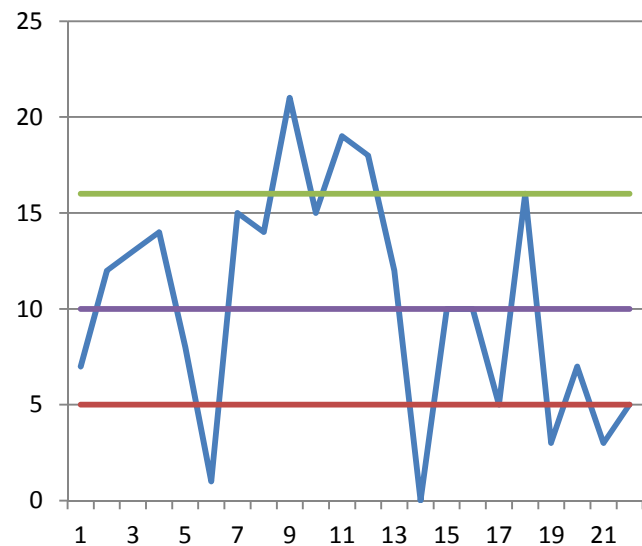
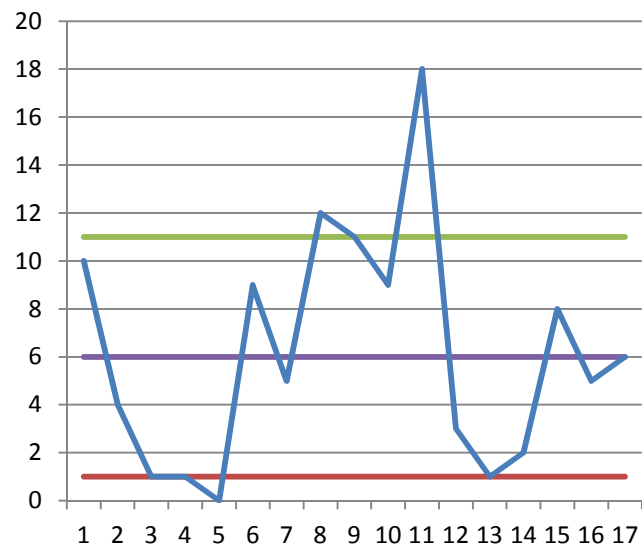
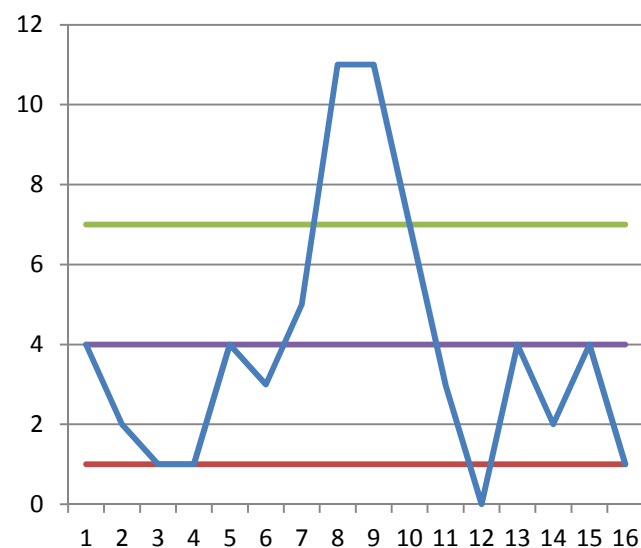
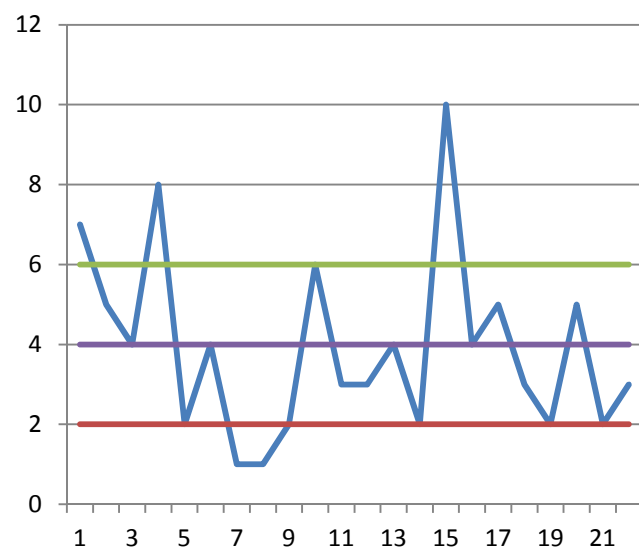


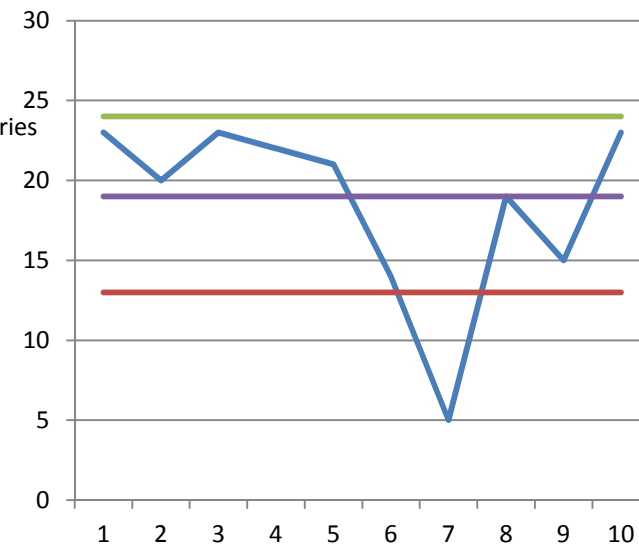
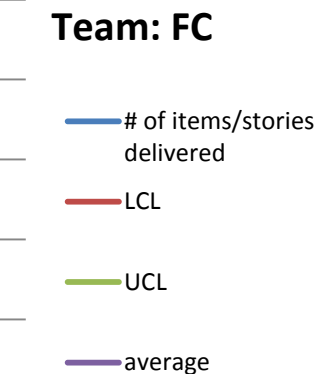
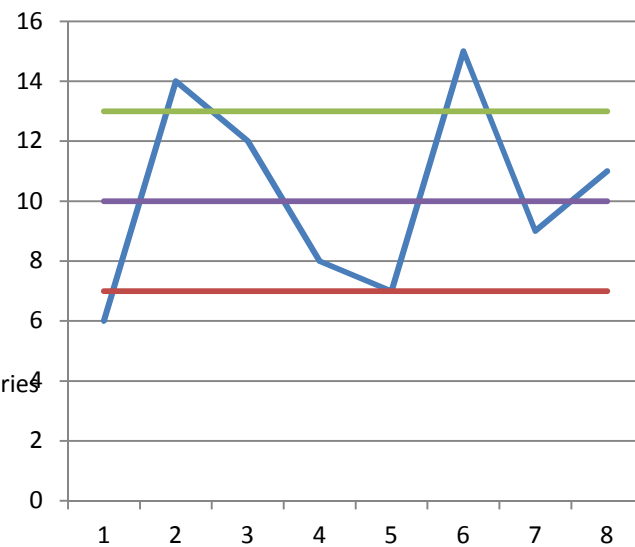
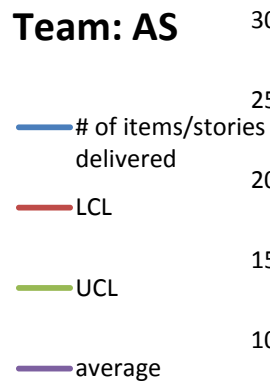
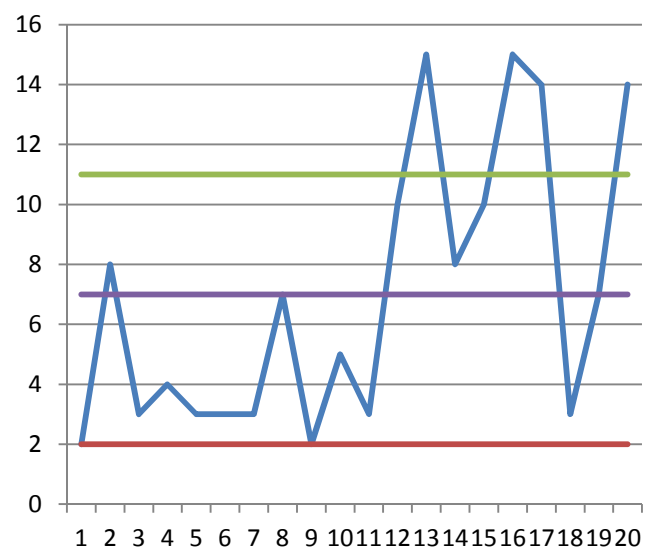
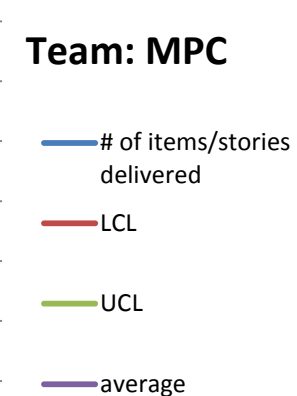
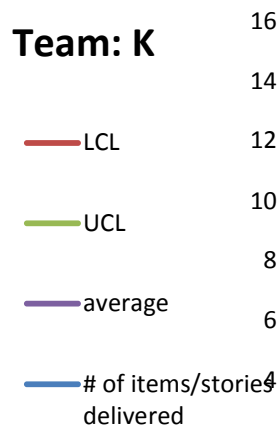
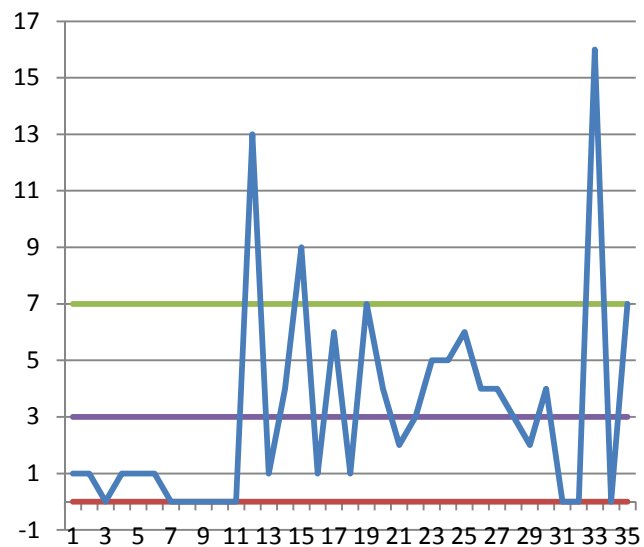
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Can we use the data we observe to predict the system throughput and detect changes that affect system stability?

System stability rules

1. Velocity outside limits 3 times in a row (“outside limits”)
2. There are 5 or more points in sequence (“run test”)





#NoEstimates delivers!

Counting Stories vs. Estimated Story Points

Q: Which "metric" is more accurate when compared to what actually happened in the project?



Real Data!

A long project

24
Sprints

Which metric predicted most accurately the output of the whole project?

- a) After only the first 3 Sprints
- b) After only the first 5 Sprints

Disclaimer...

This is only one project!

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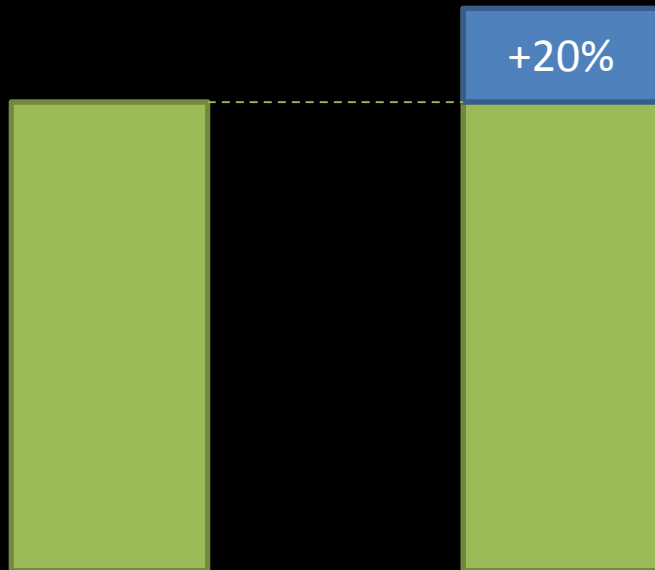
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After just 3 sprints

Story Points predictive power

The true output:
349,5 SPs
completed

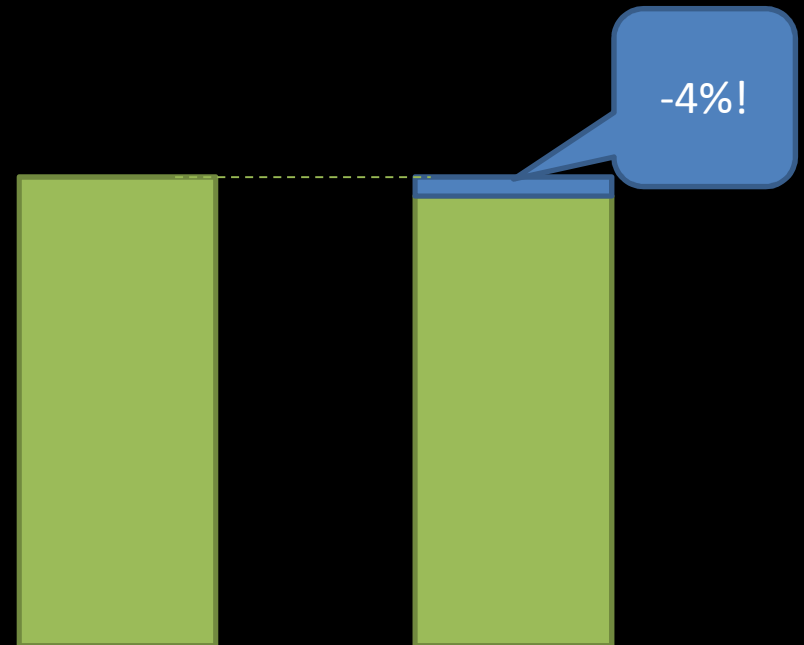
The **predicted**
output: 418 SPs
completed



of Stories predictive power

The true output:
228 Stories

The **predicted**
output: 220
Stories

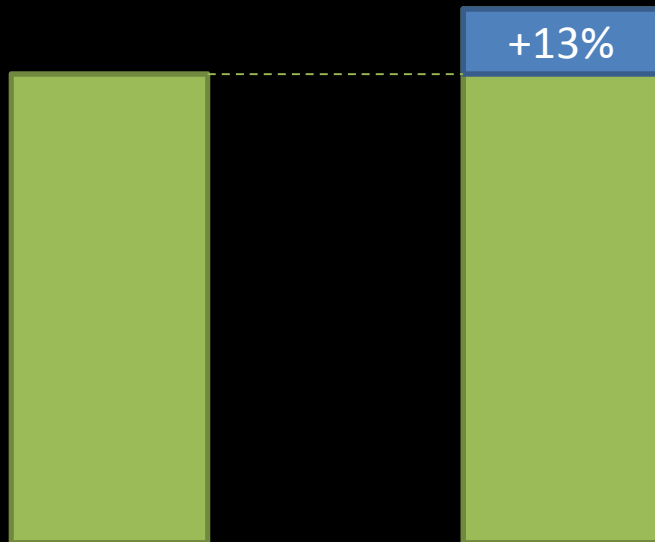


After just 5 sprints

Story Points predictive power

The true output:
349,5 SPs
completed

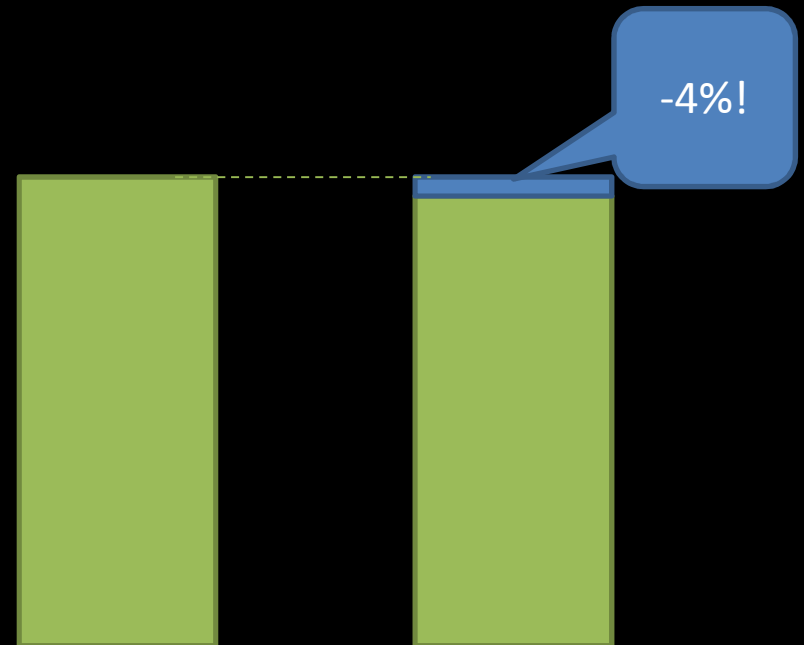
The **predicted**
output: 396 SPs
completed



of Stories predictive power

The true output:
228 Stories

The **predicted**
output: 220
Stories



Q: Which "metric" is more accurate when compared to what actually happened in the project?

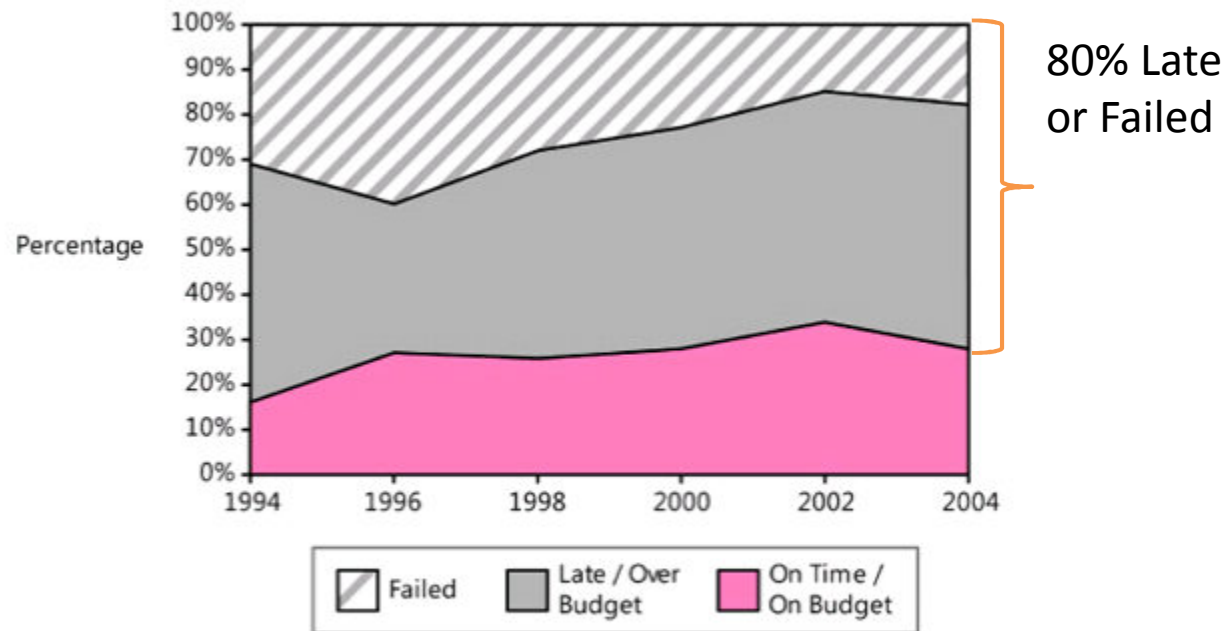


Figure 3-2. Project outcomes reported in The Standish Group's Chaos report have fluctuated year to year. About three quarters of all software projects are delivered late or fail outright.

Source: Software Estimation by Steve McConnell

Table 3-1. Project Outcomes by Project Size

Size in Function Points (and Approximate Lines of Code)	Early	On Time	Late	Failed (Canceled)
Source: <i>Estimating Software Costs</i> (Jones 1998).				
10 FP (1,000 LOC)	11%	81%	6%	2%
100 FP (10,000 LOC)	6%	75%	12%	7%
1,000 FP (100,000 LOC)	1%	61%	18%	20%
10,000 FP (1,000,000 LOC)	<1%	28%	24%	48%
100,000 FP (10,000,000 LOC)	0%	14%	21%	65%

The larger the project, the bigger the problem

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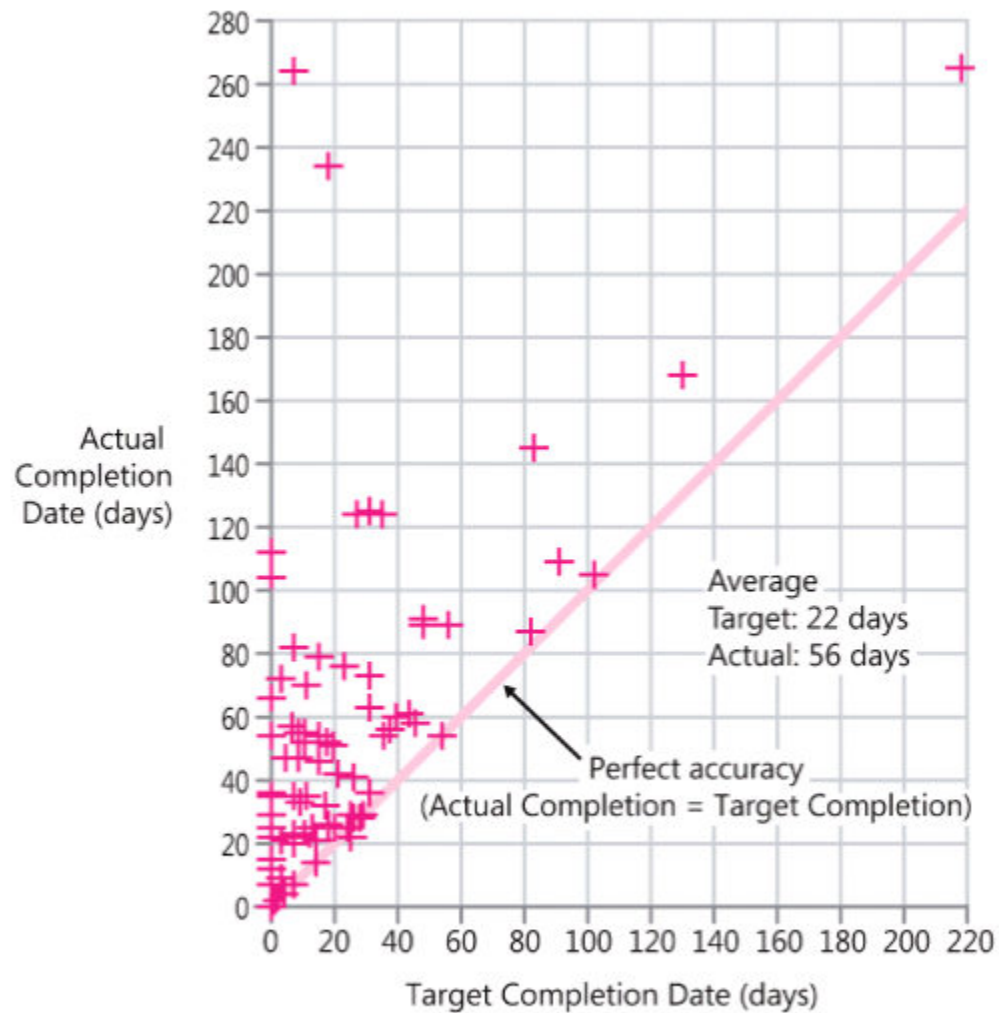


Figure 3-3. Estimation results from one organization. General industry data suggests that this company's estimates being about 100% low is typical. Data used by permission.

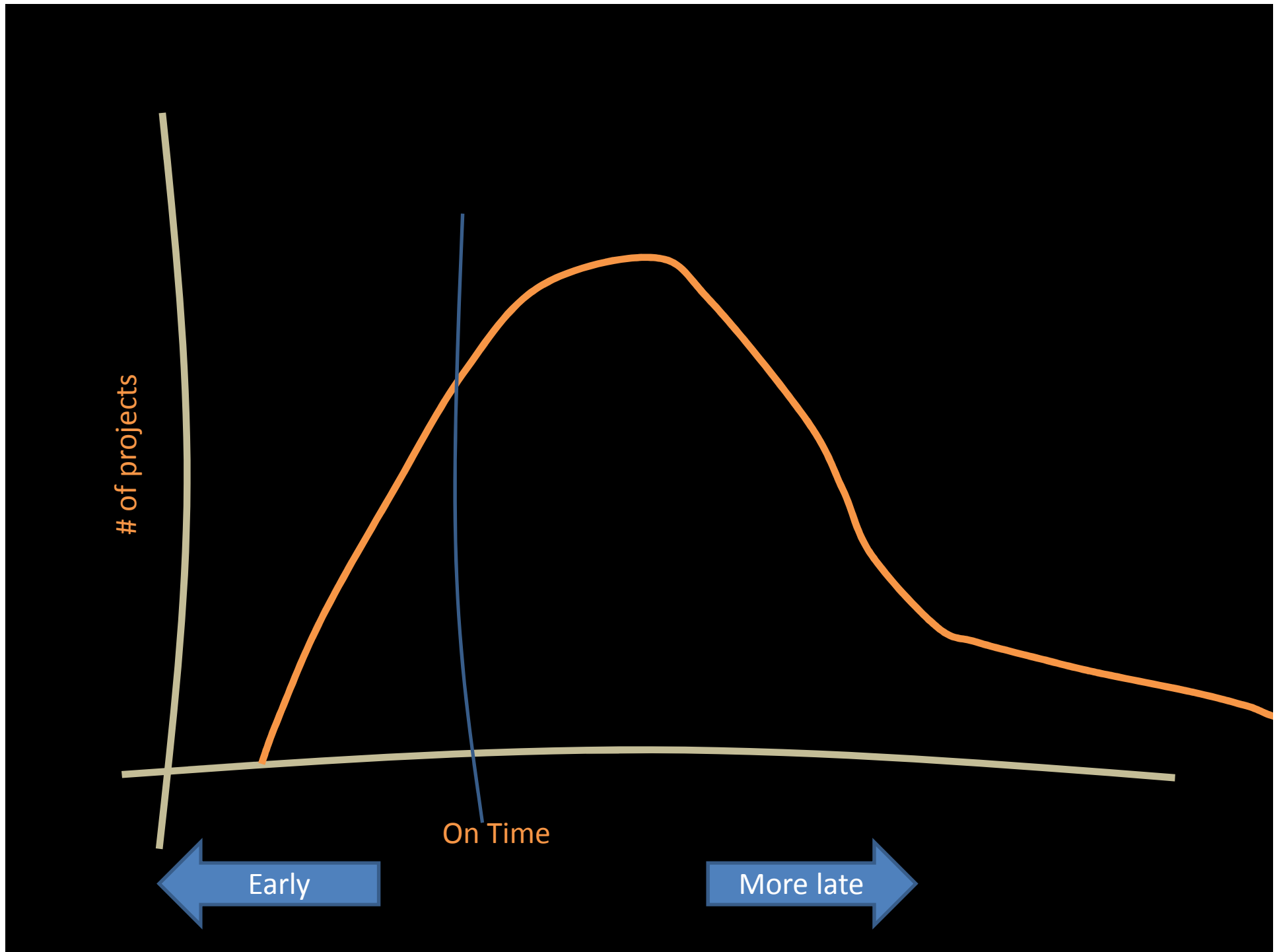
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of projects

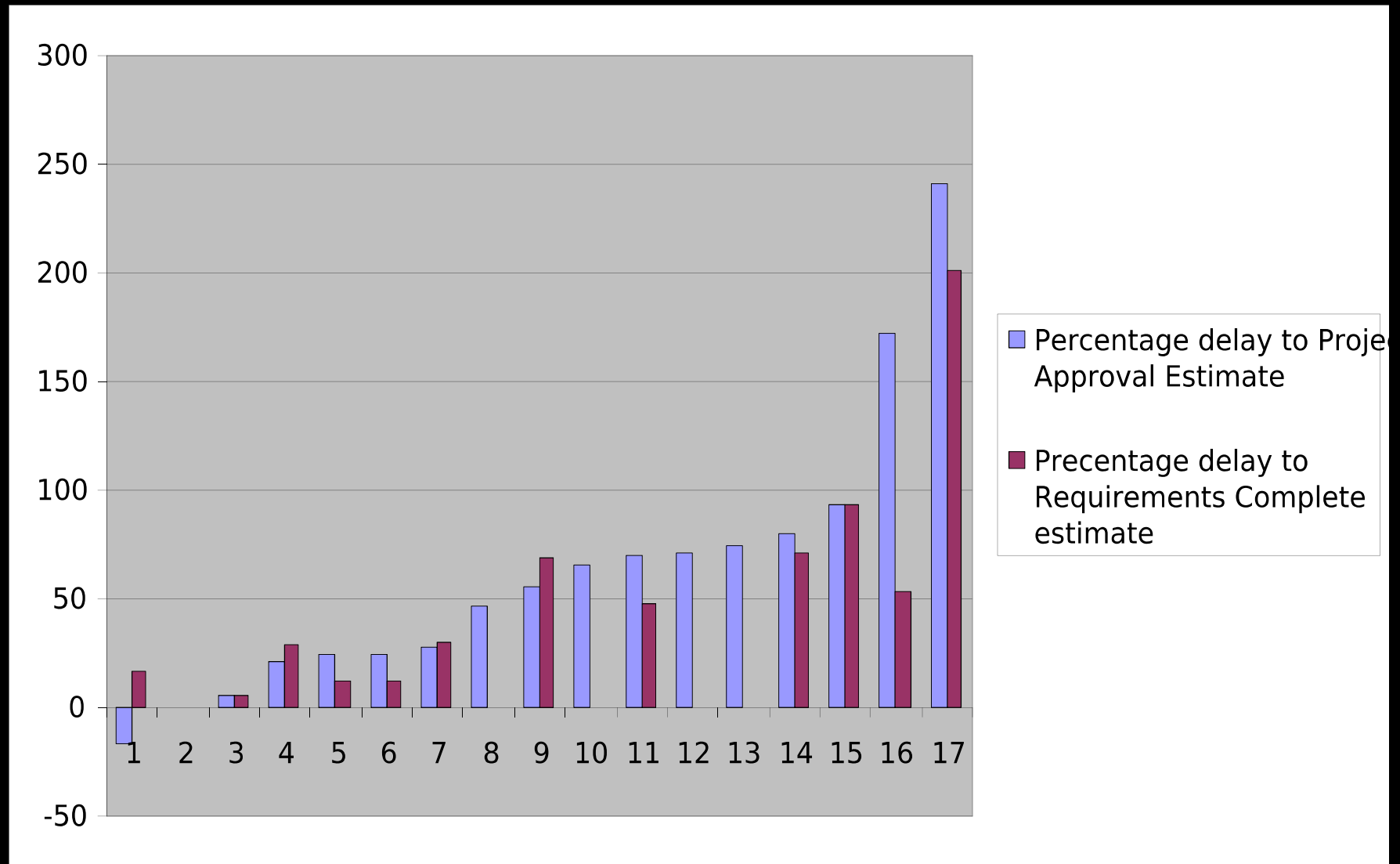
On Time

Early

More late



Comparison of 17 projects ending between 2001 and 2003. (Average: 62%)





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experiment!
Learn, Be Agile!

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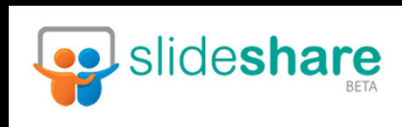
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