



# Agile Principles & Values

# Agile Principle #1

Our highest priority is to satisfy the customer through early and continuous delivery of valuable software.

# Agile Principle #2

Welcome changing requirements, even late in development. Agile processes harness change for the customer's competitive advantage.

# Agile Principle #3

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

# Agile Principle #4

Business people and developers must work together daily throughout the project.

# Agile Principle #5

Build projects around motivated individuals. Give them the environment and support they need, and trust them to get the job done.

# Agile Principle #6

The most efficient and effective method of conveying information to and within a development team is face-to-face conversation.

# Agile Principle #7

Working software is the primary measure of progress.



# Agile Principle #8

Agile processes promote sustainable development. The sponsors, developers, and users should be able to maintain a constant pace indefinitely.

# Agile Principle #9

Continuous attention to technical excellence and good design enhances agility.

# Agile Principle #10

Simplicity--the art of maximizing the amount of work not done--is essential.

# Agile Principle #11

The best architectures, requirements, and designs emerge from self-organizing teams.

# Agile Principle #12

At regular intervals, the team reflects on how to become more effective, then tunes and adjusts its behavior accordingly.

# Agile Values (Agile Manifesto)

- Individuals and interactions over processes and tools
- Working software over comprehensive documentation
- Customer collaboration over contract negotiation
- Responding to change over following a plan

That is, while there is value in the items on the right, we value the items on the left more.