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Erklärung

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Der Product Owner ist für die Reihenfolge im Backlog verantwortlich und kann hier weitestgehend frei entscheiden.

Meist stehen jene Anforderungen mit einem hohen Nutzen möglichst weit oben. Mit abnehmender Bedeutung und abnehmendem Nutzen wird die Beschreibung gröber und die Items finden sich weiter unten im Backlog und werden zu einem späteren Zeitpunkt bearbeitet.

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"Commitments" sind "Absprachen, Vereinbarungen, oder Meilensteine" die eine zielgerichtete Arbeit im Team unterstützen und für mehr Transparenz und Fokus sorgen sollen.

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(Änderung 2020) Die Definition of Done wird vom gesamten Scrum Team erstellt und sollte in der Praxis Transparenz herstellen. Die Erfahrungen des Scrum Master bspw. aus anderen Teams sollten ebenso berücksichtigt werden, wie die Einschätzung des Product Owners, der ggfs. wichtige Aspekte aus der Business Perspektive einfließen lassen sollte

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Erklärung

Die time-boxen legen eine maximale Dauer fest, besagen aber nicht, dass diese Zeit zwangsweise genutzt werden muss. Es ist höchst fraglich, ob in der restlichen Zeit ein sinnvolles Refinement hätte stattfinden können. Scrum kennt insgesamt keine Mindestdauer für bestimmte Events, wenn Scrum Teams besser und effizienter werden können die jeweiligen Events kürzer ausfallen.

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Das Management agiert unterstützend und keineswegs überwachend. Product Owner und Scrum Master müssen befähigt und bei der Umsetzung des Vorhabens unterstützt werden

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In der Praxis wird oft mit einer time-box von ungefähr 1 Stunde pro Sprint Woche geplant, der Scrum Guide setzt aber eine Obergrenze von maximal 3 Stunden bei einem 4-wöchigen Sprint!

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Erklärung

Time-boxes geben eine Maximaldauer für die Events an. Die Events können kürzer ausfallen, aber nicht länger.

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Erklärung

Ja, im Sprint Planning soll ein Plan für die Umsetzung des Sprintziels erarbeitet werden, dies umfasst natürlich auch einzelne Aktivitäten und Arbeitsschritte. Der Fokus liegt hier aber insbesondere auf den ersten Tagen des Sprints. Im weiteren Verlauf des Sprints können (und werden) immer wieder neue Tätigkeiten identifiziert werden (bspw. Abstimmungen etc.) die zuvor so noch nicht absehbar waren. Die Erwartung an das Sprint Planning kann / darf nicht sein, dass absolut jede einzelne Tätigkeit im Vorfeld bekannt ist.

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Erklärung

Scrum kennt keine Ausnahmen bei der Sprint Durchführung. Jeder Sprint muss eine "potentially shippable" Funktionalität liefern. In der Praxis sieht man jedoch immer wieder mal Sprints die sich mit technischen Schulden befassen.

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Erklärung

In allen offiziellen Events bietet sich die Möglichkeit für "inspect & adapt". Der Sprint selbst wird hierbei jedoch nicht beachtet, da er nur den Rahmen für die anderen Events bildet.

Das Backlog Refinement zählt nicht als offizielles Event!

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Erklärung

Scrum kennt keine Hierarchien, Titel, oder Rollenbeschreibungen innerhalb des Entwicklungsteams und auch keine Sub-Teams. Scrum setzt auf Selbstorganisation und einer ganzheitlichen Verantwortung des Scrum Teams. Das Team ist gemeinschaftlich für Erfolge und Misserfolge verantwortlich.

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Erklärung

Alle Anforderungen müssen über den Product Owner eingesteuert werden, egal von welchem "Stakeholder" sie kommen. Zudem sollte nie auf diese Weise in laufende Sprints eingegriffen werden. Der Product Owner sollte Rücksprache mit dem CEO halten und das Item mit entsprechender Priorität in das Product Backlog aufnehmen. Eine Umsetzung könnte dann im kommenden Sprint erfolgen.

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Erklärung

Alle Antworten treffen zu!

Achtung – eine der wenigen Fragen, bei der die Anzahl der erwarteten Antworten unklar ist.

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Erklärung

Absolut wahr, alles andere würde zu mehr Abstimmungsbedarf und Intransparenz führen

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Erklärung

Das Sprintziel ist ein Ziel, welches sich das Scrum Team als "Meilenstein" setzt und die Product Backlog items in einen größeren Kontext setzen kann.

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"Falsch" ist die korrekte Antwort. Das Entwicklungsteam kann jederzeit Änderungen am Sprint Backlog vornehmen, wenn dieses dazu beiträgt das abgestimmte Sprintziel zu erreichen. Dies bedeutet aber nicht, dass der Product Owner neue Anforderungen in den Sprint geben kann. Zudem ist es üblich, dass im laufenden Sprint weitere Tasks identifiziert werden, die im Sprint Planning noch nicht absehbar waren

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Product Backlog, Sprint Backlog and Increment sind korrekt. Die Definition of Done und das Sprintziel gehören zu den Commitments

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Erklärung

Das Product Goal ist ein künftiger Zustand des Produkts und kann auch als "Meilenstein", oder "Zwischenziel" verstanden werden, auf das aktuell hingearbeitet wird. Das Product Goal sollte im Product Backlog festgehalten werden.

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Scrum basiert auf Empirismus, d.h. auf Erkenntnissen die aus der Beobachtung von Experimenten gewonnen werden. Dies meint den Gedanken von "inspect & adapt", also kurzen Zyklen, vielen Abstimmungen, dem MVP-Ansatz und kurzfristiger Reaktion

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Der Sprint endet immer dann, wenn die zuvor bestimmte time-box abgelaufen ist, oder der Sprint abgebrochen werden muss, weil das Sprintziel obsolet geworden ist. Dies geht aus der Frage nicht hervor. Die Tatsache, dass einzelne items nicht fertiggestellt wurden, hat keinen Einfluss auf das Sprintende

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Der Scrum Master ist zunächst "Servant-Leader" für das Scrum Team, aber dies bedeutet auch, dass er dafür verantwortlich ist bspw. externe Einflüsse auf das Scrum Team zu reduzieren um deren Arbeit effizienter zu gestalten. Er muss daher den Blick über das eigentliche Scrum Team hinaus werfen und auch Interaktionen mit Dritten beachten.

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Das Entwicklungsteam (bzw. die Entwickler...) ist für die Umsetzung der Anforderungen (items) und damit die Erstellung des Inkrements verantwortlich.

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Erklärung

Die DoD schafft Transparenz und ein gemeinsames Verständnis über die erforderlichen Tätigkeiten, zudem lässt sich über die DoD feststellen, ob eine Anforderung tatsächlich "fertig" ist. Die Definition der erforderlichen Tätigkeiten kann zudem helfen den Gesamtaufwand der Anforderung besser abschätzen zu können.

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Erklärung

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Achtung, hier wird explizit von "during a Sprint" gesprochen, d.h. die Frage bezieht sich auf das Sprint Backlog für welches die Entwickler verantwortlich sind!

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Die Säulen sind im Scrum Guide als Transparency, Inspection, Adaptation definiert.

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Das Sprintziel (Sprint Goal) wird nach wie vor im Sprint Planning vom gesamten Scrum Team festgelegt und ist somit ein Bestandteil des Sprint Backlogs

Frage 48:

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Das Sprint Planning leitet den Sprint ein und wird von gesamten Scrum Team durchgeführt.

Es wird insbesondere das Sprintziel in Zusammenhang mit dem Product Goal besprochen und die anstehende Arbeit konkretisiert. Der Product Owner sollte daher ein klares Bild, der wichtigsten Anforderungen haben und deren mögliche Umsetzung mit den Entwicklern besprechen. Hierbei kann das Scrum Team zusätzliche Unterstützung bspw. bei technischen Fragen einladen.

Frage 50:

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Erklärung

Die time-box beträgt max. 8 Stunden, oder 2 Stunden pro Sprint Woche

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Achtung, kleine Falle:

Grundsätzlich ist es natürlich richtig konkrete Verantwortliche für die Implementierung dieser Verbesserungen zu definieren. Entscheidend ist aber zunächst, dass diese items in das Sprint Backlog mit einfließen, da diese Umsetzung Kapazitäten bindet, die so ggfs. für anderweitige Items fehlt und dementsprechend priorisiert werden muss. Erst dann sollte im Sprint Planning festgelegt werden, wer sich um die Implementierung kümmert. Hier also nicht die "üblichen" Prozesse umgehen

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Wird ein Sprint vorzeitig abgebrochen, dann werden die bisher fertiggestellten Anforderungen üblicherweise im Review überprüft und sofern "potentially shippable" vom Product Owner akzeptiert. Bei unfertigen Anforderungen ist der verbleibende Restaufwand zu schätzen und eine Rückführung ins Backlog erforderlich

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Scrum besteht darauf, dass die wenigen bestehenden Regeln eingehalten werden. Das Daily darf daher nicht im Vorfeld abgesagt, oder gar nicht erst eingeplant werden. Sollte sich im Daily herausstellen, dass es tatsächlich keine relevanten Inhalte gibt, dann kann das Daily vorzeitig beendet werden.

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Erklärung

Das Product Goal ist ein mittel- bis langfristiges Ziel (Meilenstein) auf das das Scrum Team hinarbeitet

Frage 5:

When does a Development Team member become the sole owner of a Sprint Backlog item?

1. Never. Individual Team members will obviously develop single Sprint Backlog items, but the ownership remains with the entire Development Teams which shares the accountability
2. During the Sprint Planning, when items are assigned

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When does a Development Team member become the sole owner of a Sprint Backlog item?

1. Never. Individual Team members will obviously develop single Sprint Backlog items, but the ownership remains with the entire Development Teams which shares the accountability (Richtig)
2. During the Sprint Planning, when items are assigned

Erklärung

Achtung, Trickfrage: Natürlich arbeiten Teammitglieder eigenständig an einzelnen Anforderungen, die

Gesamtverantwortung für die Umsetzung im Sprint wird aber nie auf einzelne Personen heruntergebrochen.

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Alle anderen Antworten sind entweder falsch, oder nicht explizit auf die "Organisation" zugeschnitten

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Im Scrum Guide 2020 erhält nun die Definition of Done endlich einen etwas höheren Stellenwert. Sie ist nun fest dem Inkrement zugeordnet und soll hier für mehr Transparenz und Fokus sorgen (bspw. dadurch, dass gewisse Standards für die Umsetzung von Product Backlog Items festgelegt werden)

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Man könnte meinen, dass Scrum hier die Retrospektive als "key inspect and adapt Event" bezeichnet, dies wäre auch vertretbar, aber Scrum sieht "inspect & adapt" als Grundsatz der nicht auf ein Event beschränkt ist. Stattdessen geht es darum konkrete Verbesserungen zu identifizieren und bestenfalls im nächsten Sprint umzusetzen

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Das Sprint Backlog besteht aus den ausgewählten Anforderungen für den kommenden Sprint und dem Plan zur Umsetzung, welches im Sprint Planning festgelegt wird und einem konkreten Sprintziel

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Erklärung

Die Scrum Werte sind: Focus, Openness, Comitment, Respect und Courage.

Self-organization und cross-functionality sind ebenfalls wichtig, zählen aber nicht zu den offiziellen Werten

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Hinweis: Die Aufzählung ist in der aktuellen Version des Scrum Guides 2020 nicht mehr enthalten, die Frage kann aber weiterhin in der PSM 1 kommen.

Scrum beschreibt sich selbst als: "A framework within which people can address complex adaptive problems, while productively and creatively delivering products of the highest possible value" und kann daher im Grunde fast überall eingesetzt werden, ob Scrum dabei immer den besten Ansatz darstellt ist eine andere Frage.

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Anforderungen, welche die DoD nicht erfüllen, dürfen nicht released werden. Dies soll den Aufbau von technischen Schulden verhindern und eine höhere Qualität in der Produktentwicklung sicherstellen.

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Änderungen sind so schnell wie möglich vorzunehmen. Hier ist wieder zu beachten, dass wir ein hohes Maß an Selbstorganisation im Scrum Team haben und insg. wenige formelle Abstimmungen nutzen um "Change" zu bewirken.

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Das Sprint befasst sich mit der Frage "Was" im kommenden Sprint geliefert werden kann (Prioritäten und Kapazitäten sind hier zu beachten) und "Wie" das vereinbare Sprintziel erreicht werden kann. (Plan zur Umsetzung) Mit dem Scrum Guide 2020 kam nun noch das "Warum" hinzu, um die Sinnhaftigkeit des Sprints, bzw. der ausgewählten Anforderungen zu unterstreichen.

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**(121) A Scrum Team is working on developing a web site. After successfully delivering the MVP, the Product Owner and Business Sponsor decided to add a second team. What are the changes that will likely happen to the teams?
Select the two best answers**

- a. Teams will require additional coordination during planning and integrating the work.
- b. A new Scrum Master may be added to the new team.
- c. A new Product Owner will be assigned to the new team.
- d. A new Product Backlog will be created for the new team.

(121) Ans —a,b

A Product Owner is always a single person irrespective of the number of teams working on the Product. Product Backlog is also a single artifact for a product. A self-organizing, cross-functional team is more than a group of individuals, it is an entirely new entity made up of people. It takes time and conscious effort to bring a group of individuals together to form a team that is able to continuously evolve in terms of how it works. When the team structure changes, it will take time and effort for the members to work as a team again. New teams will need time to stabilize before reaching their optimal performance. During the initial days, the performance will get impacted and productivity can be less. Just like the membership changes within a Scrum Team, adding or removing additional Scrum Teams to the same Product Development will impact productivity in the initial stages.

(147) "Respect" is one of the five Scrum values. What three statements below show respect in the Scrum Team. Select the three best answers

- a. Respect the Product Owner by accepting additional Product Backlog items during the Sprint.
- b. Respect people, their experience, diversity, and difference in opinions.
- c. Respect sponsors by not building features with low business value.
- d. Respect the accountabilities of the Scrum roles.
- e. Respect stakeholder expectations on the Product Backlog items

(147) Ans— b,d,e

Respect is one of the Scrum Values but mustn't go against the Scrum Framework. Accepting additional Product Backlog items during the Sprint from the Product Owner is against the Scrum Framework. The Product Owner is responsible for the priority and value created by the Scrum Team. It's not up to the Scrum Team to decide on not building low Business Value items, This is PO responsibility.

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- a) True
- b) False

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In Scrum, only the following three are called artifacts: Product Backlog, Sprint Backlog, and Increment. Other three (Product Goal, Sprint Goal, and Definition of Done) are reflections of the 'commitment' to these artifacts. Correct answer is 'b.'

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In Scrum, inspections are performed by those doing the work and those who have knowledge of the product. In addition to the Developers, the Product Owner and invited stakeholders inspect the product Increment during the Sprint Review. Correct answers are 'a,' 'c,' and 'f.'

You are working as a Scrum Master on a team. Your organization plans to conduct a road show on Scrum across the board. You are asked to contribute to some related events.

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One of the Scrum Master's responsibilities is coaching Scrum to the organization. Correct answer is 'a.'

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Cross-skilling of team members is desirable but not mandatory. Required skills are decided by what is needed per the Definition of Done and not by an organization's technology functions. The team works together every day not waiting for a last-minute sync up. Correct answer is 'c.'

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In Sprint Retrospective, the Scrum Team identifies the most helpful changes (in its way of working) to improve its effectiveness. The most impactful improvements are addressed as soon as possible. They may even be added to the Sprint Backlog for the next Sprint, but it is not mandatory. Correct answer is 'b.'

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The Developers must try to deliver at least one piece of functionality NOT only in the first few Sprints but in every single Sprint. Correct answer is 'd.'

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The Increment is the sum of all the Product Backlog items completed during a Sprint and the value of the increments of all previous Sprints. An increment is a body of inspectable, done work that supports empiricism at the end of the Sprint. The increment is a step toward a vision or goal. Correct answer is 'a.'

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The Product Owner needs to ensure that the Sprint length is short enough to limit business risks and also short enough so the team can synchronize the development work with other business events. So, it requires the approval of the Product Owner. Please note that the finalized Sprint length cannot be longer than 1 calendar month. Correct answer is 'a.'

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As a first step, the team needs to solve this on its own. If they cannot, they should capture this as an impediment and try to work with the Scrum Master. After that, if the impediment is not solved, they need to involve the Product Owner. Correct answer is 'c.'

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Any technique that is useful can be chosen by the Developers. Correct answer is 'd.'

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Correct answer is 'c.' One of the items reviewed in the Sprint Retrospective is the "implementation of Scrum framework." Since the Scrum Master is the owner of that, they participate as a peer team member

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Correct answer is 'd.' While the Scrum Team should be small enough to be nimble, fewer than three Developers decreases interaction and results in smaller productivity gains. Smaller Scrum Teams may encounter skill constraints during the Sprint causing the Developers to be unable to deliver a valuable and useful Increment.

Anmerkung September 2021

es folgen Prüfungsfragen aus den ersten Monaten von 2021 (Scrum Guide 2020)

hier wird noch die Bezeichnung "Development Team" für "developers" verwendet

die Fragen sind sonst aber aktuell

During a Sprint Review, the Product Owner determines that he is going to release the current Increment into production. Stakeholders ask to stop sprinting in order to react more quickly to the user feedback that is expected after production release. The Product Owner prefers to continue sprinting in order to make progress with the next release. You are the Scrum Master and facilitate a discussion on how to proceed. What are two acceptable results of this discussion? Select the two best answers

- ☐ Stop sprinting as per Stakeholder's request and let the Development Team work on new customer requests as they arise after production deployment.
- ☐ Continue sprinting but allow customer feedback to change the Sprint Goal within the Sprint to meet Stakeholder's expectation.
- ☐ Continue sprinting and include the customer's feedback in the Product Backlog.
- ☐ Continue sprinting but shorten the Sprint length to allow for a shorter feedback loop.

- **Ans – C,D**
- You cannot stop Sprinting, include the customer's feedback in the Product Backlog. Potentially shorten the Sprint length to ensure you have quicker feedback loops

Select the three Scrum Team roles defined in the Scrum Guide? Select the three best answers

☐ The Development Team

☐ The Business Analyst

☐ The Product Owner

☐ The Business Stakeholders

☐ The Scrum Master

☐ The Engineers

- **Ans – A,C,E**

- The Scrum Framework only recognizes these three roles although others may be needed to help the team build the most valuable products possible.
Development Team,
Scrum Master &
Product Owner

"Respect" is one of the five Scrum values. What three statements below show respect in the Scrum Team. Select the three best answers

☐ Respect the Product Owner by accepting additional Product Backlog items during the Sprint.

☐ Respect people, their experience, diversity, and difference in opinions.

☐ Respect sponsors by not building features with low business value.

☐ Respect the accountabilities of the Scrum roles.

☐ Respect stakeholder expectations on the Product Backlog items.

- **Ans – B,D,E**
- Respect is one of the Scrum Values but mustn't go against the Scrum Framework. Accepting additional Product Backlog items during the Sprint from the Product Owner is against the Scrum Framework. The Product Owner is responsible for the priority and value created by the Scrum Team. It's not up to the Scrum Team to decide on not building low Business Value items, This is PO responsibility.

Every Development Team in Scrum should have the competencies and skills needed to deliver a "Done" Increment in a Sprint?

☐ TRUE

☐ FALSE

- **Ans – True**

- The Development Team consists of professionals who do the work of delivering a potentially releasable Increment of “Done” product at the end of each Sprint. A “Done” increment is required at the Sprint Review. Only members of the Development Team create the Increment. Development Teams are structured and empowered by the organization to organize and manage their own work. The resulting synergy optimizes the Development Team’s overall efficiency and effectiveness.

Which Scrum role is responsible for determining when it is most appropriate to update the Sprint Backlog?

☐ The Development Team

☐ The Scrum Team

☐ The Scrum Master

☐ The Product Owner

- **Ans –A**

- The Sprint Backlog is the set of Product Backlog items selected for the Sprint, plus a plan for delivering the product Increment and realizing the Sprint Goal. The Sprint Backlog is a forecast by the Development Team about what functionality will be in the next Increment and the work needed to deliver that functionality into a “Done” Increment. Only the Development Team can change its Sprint Backlog during a Sprint

A Scrum Team is working on developing a website. After successfully delivering the MVP, the Product Owner and Business Sponsor decided to add a second team. What are the changes that will likely happen to the teams? Select the two best answers

☐ Teams will require additional coordination during planning and integrating the work.

☐ A new Scrum Master may be added to the new team.

☐ A new Product Owner will be assigned to the new team.

☐ A new Product Backlog will be created for the new team.

- **Ans – A,B**
- A Product Owner is always a single person irrespective of the number of teams working on the Product. Product Backlog is also a single artifact for a product. A self-organizing, cross-functional team is more than a group of individuals, it is an entirely new entity made up of people. It takes time and conscious effort to bring a group of individuals together to form a team that is able to continuously evolve in terms of how it works. When the team structure changes, it will take time and effort for the members to work as a team again. New teams will need time to stabilize before reaching their optimal performance. During the initial days, the performance will get impacted and productivity can be less. Just like the membership changes within a Scrum Team, adding or removing additional Scrum Teams to the same Product Development will impact productivity in the initial stages.

Which of the following can affect the outcome of a Sprint? Select all the correct answers

☐ The stability and complexity of the technology being used.

☐ Technical skills and working relationships of the people on the Team.

☐ The complexity of the requirements in the Sprint Backlog.

- **Ans – A,B,C**
- The knowledge, skills, working relationships of the team, and what's known and not known will impact not only how effective the team is but also the outcomes of what it can produce.

How should multiple Development Teams, working from the same Product Backlog, select the Product Backlog items their teams plan to work on?

- ☐ The Product Owner creates separate Product Backlogs for each Development Team.
- ☐ The Development Team with the highest velocity can select the items first.
- ☐ Each Development Team would select an equal number of items.
- ☐ The Product Owner will present the work and the Development Teams will select the items they will work on.
- ☐ The Product Owner assigns the work to each team.

- **Ans – D**

- The ones doing the work are the best ones to decide what they can do and how they can do it.

The number of items selected from the Product Backlog for the Sprint is solely up to the Development Team. Only the Development Team can assess what it can accomplish over the upcoming Sprint

What may be a valid reason for cancelling a Sprint?

☐ When the Development Team discovers it cannot meet their Sprint Goal.

☐ When the Development Team doesn't understand the requirements.

☐ When the work becomes too difficult for the Development Team.

☐ When the Sprint Goal becomes obsolete.

- **Ans – D**

- A Sprint can be cancelled before the Sprint time-box is over. Only the Product Owner has the authority to cancel the Sprint, although he or she may do so under influence from the stakeholders, the Development Team, or the Scrum Master. A Sprint would be cancelled if the Sprint Goal becomes obsolete.

How often should Development Team members change?

☐ Never, as it conflicts with the Scrum Framework.

☐ As needed, while considering any changes will result in a short-term reduction in productivity.

☐ As needed, as long as it doesn't impact productivity.

☐ Frequently, in order to share knowledge.

- **Ans – B**

- It is not mandatory that the same team stay together, although it must be understood that any changes to the team will impact how they work together and impact productivity in the short term.

After a few Sprints, a business stakeholder starts using the Product the Scrum Team developed. The stakeholder is surprised by the slow performance and complains to the Product Owner. The Product Owner comes to the Scrum Master asking for advice. What is the best action for a Scrum Master to take?

- ☐ Explain to the Product Owner that it's up to the Development Team to decide on acceptable performance standards as they own the definition of "Done".
- ☐ Bring the concern to the testers in the Development Team and ask them to include load/performance testing.
- ☐ Wait until the next Sprint Retrospective as it is the most opportune time to modify the definition of "Done".
- ☐ Coach the Product Owner to bring the performance concerns to the Development Team and work with them on how to improve performance, and ultimately have stronger definition of "Done" that includes performance/load testing.

- **Ans – D**

- The highest priority of an agile team is to satisfy the customer through early and continuous delivery of valuable software. The Development Team is the one doing the work and increments must meet performance standards, they can expand their definition of "Done" to include more stringent performance criteria.

During the Sprint Review of a scaled development effort, each Scrum Team should demonstrate its individual Increment in a separate branch of the code?

☐ FALSE

☐ TRUE

- **Ans – FALSE**

- If there are multiple Scrum Teams working on the system or product release, the Development Teams on all the Scrum Teams must mutually define the definition of “Done”. Each Increment is additive to all prior Increments and thoroughly tested, ensuring that all Increments work together. In the Sprint Review, an Integrated Increment will be demonstrated by the Development Teams.

Which of the following will not help the Product Owner succeed?

☐ Regular interaction with Stakeholders.

☐ Sharing work with another Product Owner when overloaded.

☐ Reiterating Project vision and goals to the team throughout the product development.

☐ Having full autonomy on Product Backlog management.

- **Ans – B**

- The Product Owner is one person, not a committee. They do not share their work. They are accountable for the Product backlog, prioritization and value that the team produces. The other 3 answers listed will help a Product Owner succeed.

The Product Owner says, "I don't feel like the Development Team will be able to meet their commitment to deliver the Product Backlog items selected during Sprint Planning." What should you as the Scrum Master do in this situation?

- ☐ Coach the Product Owner that with complex software development, you cannot promise the entire scope that was forecast during Sprint Planning
- ☐ Talk to the Development Team. Challenge and inspire them to complete all of the work so that they meet their commitment to the Product Owner and have the forecasted velocity.
- ☐ Advise the Product Owner that the Development Team owns the Sprint Backlog and it is up to them to meet their commitments. No one tells the Development Team how to turn Product Backlog into Increments of potentially releasable functionality
- ☐ Add more people to the Development Team to meet the Product Owner's expectations

- **Ans – C**

- The Product Owner needs to Trust the Development Teams. The Development Team owns the Sprint Backlog and it is up to them to meet their commitments. No one tells the Development Team how to turn Product Backlog into Increments of potentially releasable functionality. The Product Owner is welcome to discuss his concerns with the Development team.

As a Scrum Master, you observe that the Product Owner is not collaborating with the Development Team effectively. What action would you take?

☐ Nominate a proxy Product Owner.

☐ Coach the Product Owner.

☐ Act as the go-between.

☐ Send the Product Owner for PO training.

- **Ans – B**

- A Scrum Master coaches those inside and outside the team on the values of Scrum, The Scrum Framework and incremental delivery.

In a Development Team, adding an additional resource will proportionally increase the value delivered?

☐ TRUE

☐ FALSE

- **Ans – False**

- Adding people does not necessarily increase productivity or value, especially when creative work like software development is being performed.

The outcome of a Sprint can be impacted by which of the following? Select all the correct answers

☐ The working relationships and skills of the members on the Scrum Team(s).

☐ The complexity and stability of the technology.

☐ The complexity of the requirements.

- **Ans – A,B,C**
- The knowledge, skills, behaviours of the team, and what's known and not known will impact not only how effective the team is but also the outcomes of what it can produce.

Collaboration issues and technical dependencies between multiple Scrum Teams working on the same product can be fully resolved by using the correct version control tools?

☐ FALSE

☐ TRUE

- **Ans – FALSE**

- When working on complex problems in complex environments, it cannot be guaranteed that applying a specific process or tool will fix the problem. Although, process and tools are important it's more important that people collaborate and try to find different solutions together and not rely solely on a tool to fix the problem

By the end of the Sprint, a Product Backlog item in the Sprint Backlog does not meet the team's definition of "Done". What two things should happen with the item? Select the two best answers

- ☐ Extend the Sprint, to give you enough time to complete the item.
- ☐ Include it in the Increment to be inspected at the Sprint Review. Partly completed items can be reviewed at the Sprint Review.
- ☐ Estimate the amount of work remaining to make it 'Done' and add it to the Product Backlog for the Product Owner to decide what to do with it.
- ☐ Do not include the unfinished item in the Increment for the Sprint Review.

- **Ans – C,D**

- At the end of a Sprint, the new Increment must be "Done", which means it must be in useable condition and meet the Scrum Team's definition of 'Done'. Scrum Team members must have a shared understanding of what it means for work to be complete, to ensure transparency. This is the definition of "Done" for the Scrum Team and it is used to assess when work is complete on the product Increment. Unfinished Items cannot be included in the Increment for Sprint Review.

Self-organization is more effective when it happens within boundaries. Select two relevant boundaries provided by the Scrum framework that provide direction to self-organization? Select the two best answers

☐ Scrum has strict Processes and procedures.

☐ Creating an integrated, releasable Increment by the end of each Sprint.

☐ The clear definition of sub-responsibilities and handovers within the Development Team.

☐ Time-boxing all effort to allow regularly checking the validity of any chosen path and thus limit risk of going off-track.

- **Ans – B,D**

- The heart of Scrum is a Sprint, a time-box of one month or less during which a “Done”, useable, and potentially releasable product Increment is created. Sprints have consistent durations throughout a development effort. A new Sprint starts immediately after the conclusion of the previous Sprint. Time-boxing allows Scrum Meetings (Sprint Planning, Daily Scrum, Sprint Review and Sprint Retrospective) to be short and effective and limit the risk of going off-track.

Which are the two best ways to identify that a Development Team is self-organizing? Select the two best answers

☐ The Development Team is able to resolve internal conflicts between members in order to continue working.

☐ Management can know which members are working on which items.

☐ Creativity thrives and new possibilities are explored.

☐ The Development Team members are cross-functional and knows what it needs to do to deliver the all tasks committed to the Sprint Planning.

- **Ans – A,C**
- In self-organized team's creativity thrives, conflicts can be resolved, and new possibilities are explored.

Which two statements best describe a Sprint Goal? Select the two best answers

- ☐ Sprint Goals can change as new insights emerge during the Sprint.
- ☐ Sprint Goals are defined when the completed work is reviewed at the end of a Sprint.
- ☐ During the Sprint Planning, the entire Scrum Team collaboratively crafts a Sprint Goal based on a business objective that the Product Owner would like to achieve that Sprint.
- ☐ Sprint Goals give the Development Teams flexibility and creativity on how to implement functionality during the Sprint.

- **Ans – C,D**
- The number of items selected from the Product Backlog for the Sprint is solely up to the Development Team. Only the Development Team can assess what it can accomplish over the upcoming Sprint. The Sprint Goal is an objective set for the Sprint that can be met through the implementation of Product Backlog. It provides guidance to the Development Team on why it is building the Increment. It is created during the Sprint Planning meeting. The Sprint Goal gives the Development Team some flexibility regarding the functionality implemented within the Sprint. The selected Product Backlog items deliver one coherent function, which can be the Sprint Goal. The Sprint Goal can be any other coherence that causes the Development Team to work together rather than on separate initiatives.

During Sprint Planning, the definition of "Done" will help the Development Team forecast the amount of work, selected from the Product Backlog, deemed feasible to make 'Done' by the end of the Sprint. Which two items best describes what "Done" means?

- ☐ All the work needed to prepare the Increment for User Acceptance Testing.
- ☐ All the work needed to prepare the Increment for Integration Testing.
- ☐ Having an Increment of working software that is potentially releasable to the end users.
- ☐ All the work performed as defined in the definition of "Done".

- **Ans – C,D**
- When a Product Backlog item or an Increment is described as "Done", everyone must understand what "Done" means. Although this may vary significantly per Scrum Team, members must have a shared understanding of what it means for work to be complete, to ensure transparency. This is the definition of "Done" for the Scrum Team and is used to assess when work is complete on the product Increment. The purpose of each Sprint is to deliver Increments of potentially releasable functionality that adhere to the Scrum Team's current definition of "Done".

Who should manage the Development Team tasks during the Sprint?

☐ All the answers listed

☐ The Project Manager

☐ The Development Team

☐ The Scrum Master

☐ The Product Owner

- **Ans – C**
- The Development Team is responsible for managing and tracking the progress of their work during a Sprint.

Which of the following are the three pillars of empiricism?

☐ Transparency, Investigation & Adaption

☐ Courage, Openness & Collaboration

☐ Transparency, Adaption, Collaboration

☐ Transparency, Inspection & Adaption

- **Ans – D**

- Scrum is founded on empirical process control theory, or empiricism. Three pillars uphold every implementation of empirical process control are: Transparency, Inspection and Adaptation.

A Scrum Team has been working on the same product for multiple Sprints. What would likely be the impact on the original Scrum Team if two new Scrum Teams were to be added to the same product?

☐ Its productivity is likely to increase.

☐ Its productivity is likely to stay the same.

☐ Its productivity is likely to decrease.

- **Ans – C**
- The productivity of the original Scrum Team would likely decrease as they would need to take time to assist and support the two new Scrum Teams in order for them to perform optimally.