

Case Study #2

The very bad Planning Meeting

Scenario

You are observing a Planning Meeting and the Scrum Team looks very passive. You notice that the Product Owner is trying to spoon-feed the Team with Stories, and is getting pushy as the Team doesn't demonstrate much interest nor engagement. The ScrumMaster is also very passive as he fears the authority of the Product Owner, and he doesn't want to contradict him. The ScrumMaster only tries to hold on the mechanics and takes care of the office supplies, projector and time-box. At 15 minutes before the end of the meeting, the Team didn't actually commit to anything and the Product Owner jumps in and asks the Team to complete a portion of the Backlog as a Goal for the next Sprint.

Goal

Metrics

Tools