The People and Process Side With Azure DevOps

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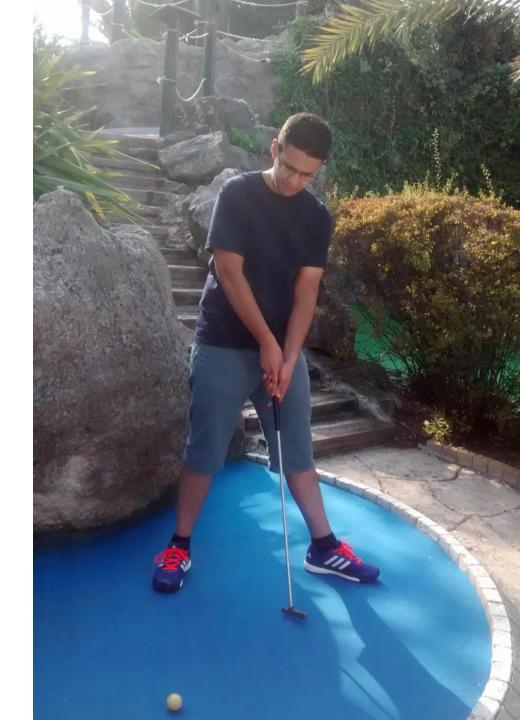


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Outline

- DevOps is Not Only TechnicalCapabilities
- Azure DevOps



Technical Capabilities

- Version Control
- CI/CD
- Test Automation
- Containers
- Kubernetes
- Cloud

Is this DevOps?

- Dev Team has CD to Dev Environments
- Operations Team is using Kubernetes on the Cloud to host the application

Meanwhile...

- Operations Team and Dev Team uses different continuous deployment tools
- Tools are not integrated enough
- Deployment to production requires too much manual validation

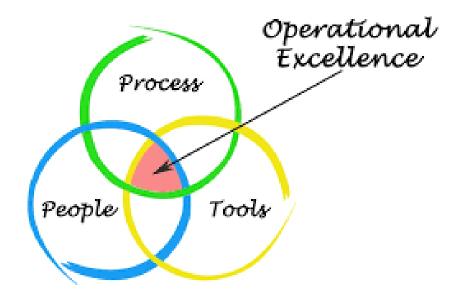
What is DevOps

According to Microsoft: 'DevOps is the union of people, process, and technology to continually provide value to customers.'

A Personal Definition

According to Chedy: 'DevOps is a Culture of consolidation between silos, to establish collaboration models accelerating value delivery from specification to production, from concept to cash.'

People, Process and Tools



What to do about People?

- People can be:
 - Fixed Mindset
 - Risk/Change Averse
 - Feel Threatened
- Educate
- Reassure
- Establish Trust
- Facilitate Communication & Collaboration

What to do about Process?

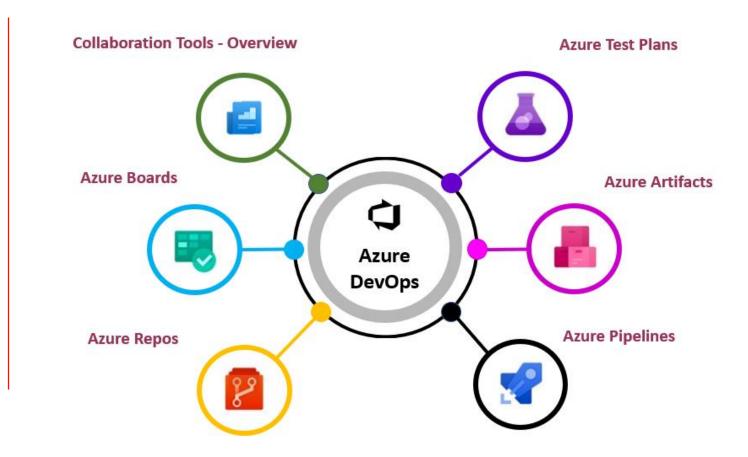
- Defined
- Iterative
- Setup for Fast Feedback
- Includes the entire value stream

Tools are important still

- Improves Productivity
- Eliminates Career Limiting Work
- Decreases the need for Heavy Process



Application Lifecycle Management



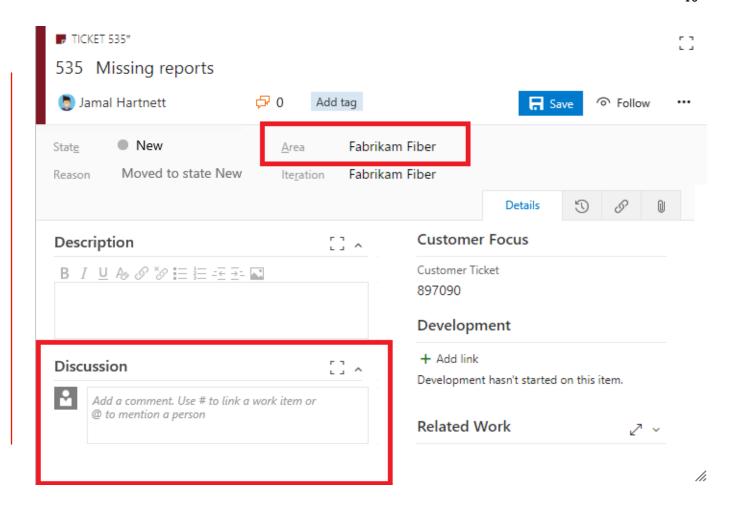
Manage Work

Azure Boards

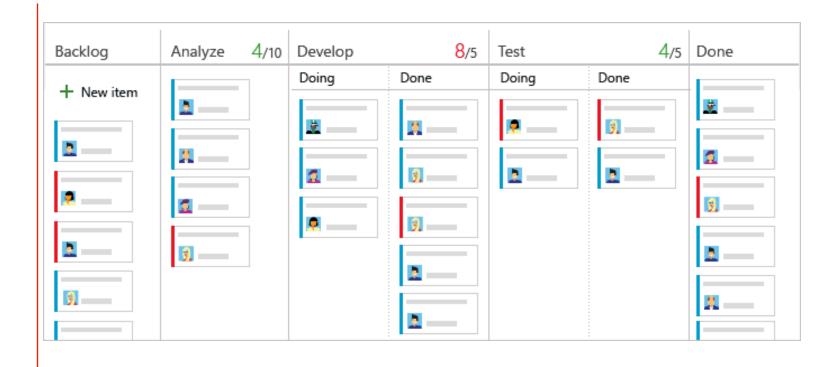
Visualize Work

Communicate About Work

Azure Boards – Work Items



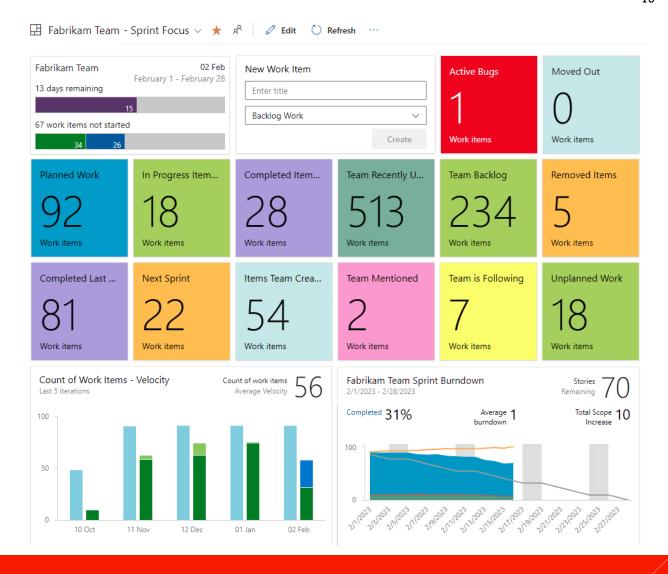
Azure Boards – Visualizations



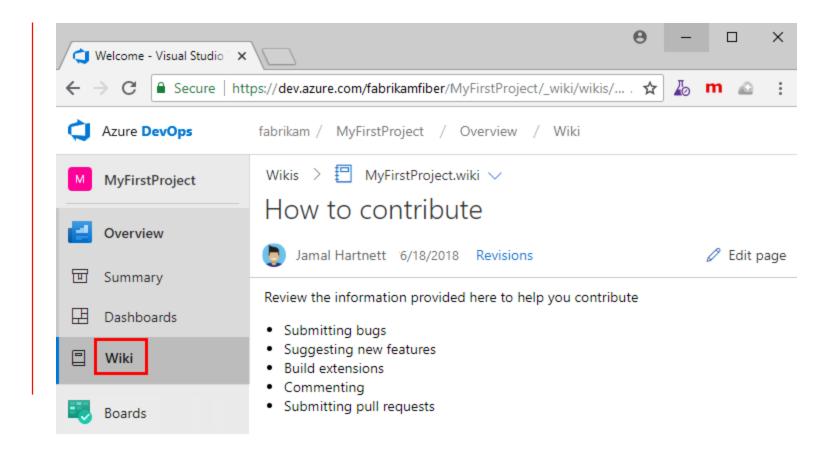
Azure Boards – Customization

- Customize Work Item Types
- Customize Work Item Fields
- Flexible Iteration and Area Configuration

Collaboration Tools Dashboards



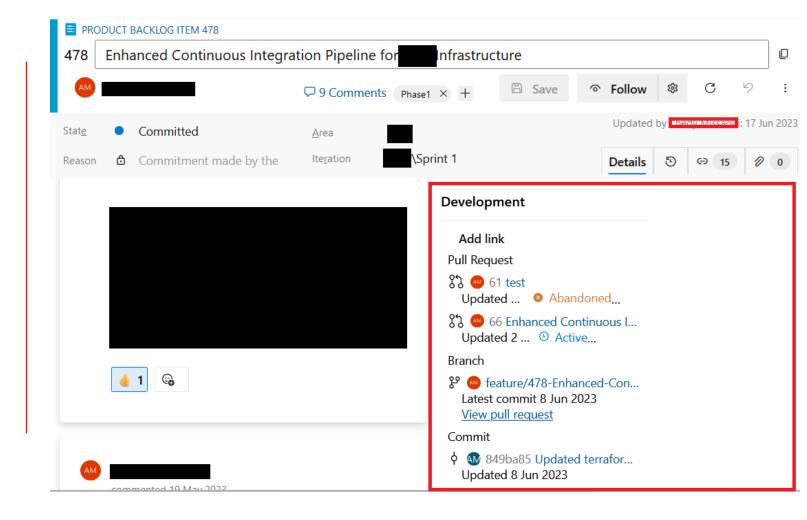
Collaboration Tools - Wiki



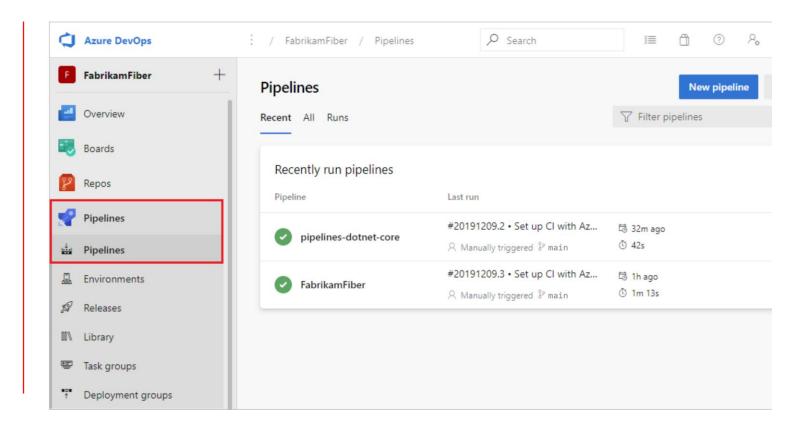
Integration With Other Tools

- Marketplace Extensions
- Power Automate
- Build your own Extension
- API and WebHooks

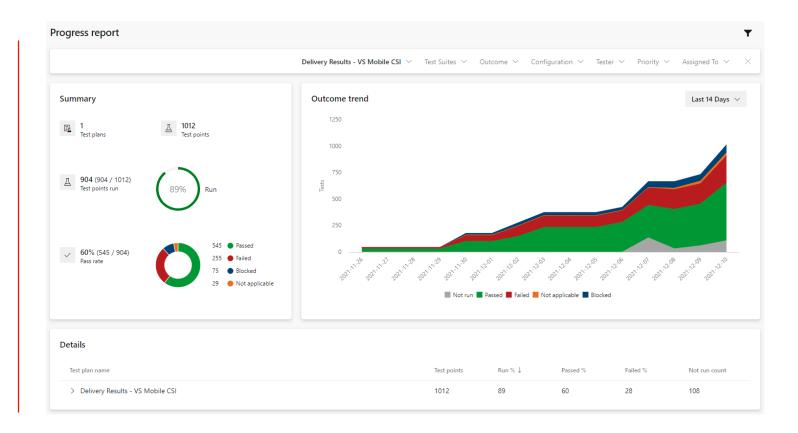
Azure Repos



Azure Pipeline



Azure Test Plan



Azure Artifacts

- Software Artifact Repository
- Artifacts are linked to builds and Commits
- Supports most package management systems

Questions?