

- C Currently Supported
- P Planned Functionality
- X Not Applicable
- Not Supported

	SpiraPlan	JIRA + Agile Plugin	Axosoft	Mingle	ScrumWorks	AcuNote	DevComplete	Xplanner
General Features								
Fully Web-Based Application (no ActiveX, Flash, etc.)	C	C	C	C		C	C	C
Available as an on-premise solution	C	C	C	C	C		C	C
Available as a hosted SaaS solution	C	C	C		C	C	C	
Full Unicode Extended Character Support	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
WYSIWYG Rich Text Editing	C				C			
Electronic signatures for regulated processes	C							
Cross-project visibility and associations	C							
Web Services REST API to enable integration with other tools/applications	C	C	C	C	C	C		C
Web Services SOAP API to enable integration with other tools/applications	C		C		C		C	
Data import wizards for easy migration of existing data	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	
Requirement / User Story Management								
Create, edit and delete requirements in a hierarchical 'scope matrix' organization	C			C	C		C	
Assign importance levels to requirements based on business priority	C	C	C	C	C		C	C
Assign owners and track requirement completion status	C	C	C	C	C		C	C
Assign a high-level effort estimate to each requirement and perform high-level planning by scheduling against a specific project release.	C	C	C	C	C		C	C
Decompose each requirement into a detailed task list together with low-level estimates that can be validated against the high-level requirement estimate	C	C	C		C		C	C
View the aggregate status and progress of the tasks attached to a requirement in the requirements matrix to see at glance which features have the most schedule risk and/or estimate inflation.	C	C	C		C		C	C
Ability to filter the list of requirements by any of the built-in or custom fields/properties.	C	C	C				C	
Move and copy functionality - This allows you to easily move/copy a requirement or set of requirements in the requirements matrix.	C	C	C	C	C		C	
Ability to attach documents and other files to requirements.	C	C	C				C	
Ability to define custom requirements fields/properties, both free-text and list-based.	C	C	C				C	
Audit log of all changes made to requirements in the system.	C	C	C	C			C	
Ability to link requirements to each other as well as to other artifacts.	C	C	C					
Discussion threads / comments attached to tasks	C						C	
Release Planning								
Organize releases hierarchically, with unlimited levels of granularity	C			C			C	

Specify the number of notional project resources available per release and determine the available effort for assigned requirements and tasks.	C							
View the aggregate estimated vs. actual progress of tasks scheduled for the release or iterations contained within the release.	C	C	C		C			
The resolution of an Incident and its subsequent verification can be tracked to a specific release during the Incident resolution cycle.	C	C	C		C		C	
Drill down capability to list the incidents detected, resolved and verified for each release	C	C	C		C			
Ability to filter the list of releases by any of the built-in or custom fields/properties.	C							
Move and copy functionality - This allows you to easily move/copy a release or set of releases in the releases list.	C							
Ability to attach documents and other files to releases.	C							
Ability to define custom release fields/properties, both free-text and list-based.	C							
Audit log of all changes made to releases in the system.	C							
Iteration/Sprint Planning								
Create list of iterations within each major release to break down the requested functionality into manageable blocks that can be tracked.	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Specify iteration length, number of working days and project resources to determine the available effort for each iteration.	C			C	C	C		C
Schedule requirements and tasks against iterations using the iteration planning wizard. This will help you best optimize the iteration plan to deliver the required features within the allotted time.	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Compare estimates to actuals for continuous process improvement.	C	C	C					C
Quickly adjust scope to respond to changing priorities.	C	C	C	C	C	C		
Task Management								
Create, edit, assign, track, manage and complete project tasks	C	C	C		C	C		C
Assign an owner, business priority and completion status to each task	C	C	C		C	C		C
Email notifications - You can specify when notifications should be sent and to whom.	C	C	C		C	C		
Comprehensive searching and sorting of all tasks stored in the system, by name, progress, status, owner, start date, end date, completion percentage and business priority.	C	C	C		C	C		
Ability to attach documents and other files to tasks.	C	C	C					
Ability to define custom incident fields/properties, both free-text and list-based.	C	C	C		C	C		
Ability to filter and/or sort the list of tasks by any of the built-in or custom fields/properties.	C	C	C		C	C		
Audit log of all changes made to tasks in the system.	C	C	C			C		
Discussion threads / comments attached to Requirements	C	C	C			C		
Configuration Management & Source Code Integration								
Ability to browse linked source code repositories, including files and revisions.	C					C		
Ability to view the revisions associated with each file in the repository	C					C		
Ability to view the details of each revision, and link artifacts to the revision for full traceability	C		C			C		
Ability to view the revisions associated with each Requirement, Incident and Task	C		C			C		

Support for multiple Version Control / Software Configuration Management (SCM) providers	C					C		
Provider for Subversion	C		C			C	C	
Provider for CVS	C						C	
Provider for Microsoft TFS	C						C	
Provider for Microsoft VSS	C							
Provider for Perforce	C					C	C	
Provider for GIT	C							
Provider for Mercurial	C							
Document Management & Collaboration								
Ability to upload documents and web links to a central knowledge sharing repository.	C							
Customizable document categorization with support for folders, document types and linked meta-tags.	C							
Version control of documents and web links uploaded into the system, providing an audit trail of document revisions.	C							
Document management fully integrated into project requirements, releases, incidents and tasks, with all assets uploaded in other parts of the system being available in the central knowledge repository.	C							
Ability to search, sort and filter the documents in the repository, with meta-tags providing references to related documents and resources.	C							
Integrated instant-messenger that allows conversations to be attached to artifacts in the system.	C							
Bug/Defect/Issue Management								
Create, edit, assign, track, manage and close incidents (defects)	C	C	C					C
Incidents can be categorized into bugs, enhancements, issues, training items, limitations, change requests, and risks	C	C	C					
Assign an owner, business priority and completion status to each incident	C	C	C					C
Incident fields can be customized to fit your business needs. Add and/or modify the list of statuses, priorities, defect types and severities.	C	C	C					C
Fully customizable workflows - You can tailor an incident's lifecycle to match the business processes in your organization by incident type and/or project.	C	C	C					C
Email notifications - You can specify when notifications should be sent and to whom. Each workflow allows its transitions to be linked to email notification by role.	C	C	C					
Comprehensive searching and sorting of all incidents stored in the system, by name, type, status, owner, detector, creation date, closed date and business priority.	C	C	C					C
Ability to attach documents and other files to incidents.	C	C	C					C
Ability to define custom incident fields/properties, both free-text and list-based.	C	C	C					C
Ability to filter and/or sort the list of incidents by any of the built-in or custom fields/properties.	C	C	C					C
Audit log of all changes made to incidents in the system.	C	C	C					C
Ability to link incidents to each other as well as to other artifacts.	C	C	C					C
Dashboards and Reporting								
Personalized dashboard summary of everything a user needs to know, across all projects.	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Project summary dashboard that displays the health of a project in a single screen, with summary graphs to highlight key information	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	

Assign projects into Groups and display integrated project group dashboards to enable Project Portfolio Management	C			C	C			
Customizable dashboards that can be configured by the users of the system to be responsive to their needs.	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	
Library of graphical graphs including time-phased reporting	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Library of printable reports	C	C	C	C	C		C	
Ability to customize the reports to include different types of information	C	C	C	C	C		C	
Ability to filter the reports by date ranges	C	C	C	C	C		C	
Ability to filter the reports by artifact parameters (e.g. display only high-priority, completed requirements)	C	C	C	C	C		C	
Multi-format reporting, including HTML, MS-Word, MS-Excel, MS-Project and Adobe Acrobat	C		C	C	C		C	
Developer IDE Integration								
Work on your assigned requirements, tasks and incidents directly inside Microsoft Visual Studio 2005, 2008 or 2010.	C		C					
Work on your assigned requirements, tasks and incidents directly inside Eclipse using the Mylyn task-based interface that is part of Eclipse.	C	C	C	C		C		C
Project Management								
Create and edit project workspaces, each with associated requirements, tasks and incidents	C	C	C	C	C		C	C
Support for unlimited number of projects	C	C	C	C	C		C	C
Organize projects into groups / domains	C	C	C	C	C			
Role-based, configurable access control	C	C	C	C	C		C	
Unlimited number of customizable project roles	C	C	C	C	C		C	
Create new projects based on existing project templates.	C	C	C	C	C		C	
Easy to use web-based project administration screens	C	C	C	C	C		C	C
Notification and Email								
Setup email notification rules based on different fields being changed in the system.	C	C	C				C	
Customizable email templates that allow administrators to change the content displayed in email notifications	C	C	C					
Ability for users to subscribe to individual artifacts in the system	C	C	C					
Users can choose to email a specific artifact to a specific user with a customized message	C	C	C					
Administration and User Management								
Create and edit user profiles, each with their own set of access permissions	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Import users from existing LDAP / ActiveDirectory server, with integrated authentication. Reuse existing passwords	C	C	C		C	X	C	
Email notification for new account creation, lost passwords and account requests	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	
Secure forms-based web authentication that optionally allows users to save credentials on trusted machines	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Easy to use web-based system administration screens	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Easy install (server side only) using Windows Installer and minimal ongoing maintenance needed	C	C	C	C		X	C	C

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