

Sample Test: SAFe® 4 Release Train Engineer

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1. What are three SAFe tools that align the Agile Release Train to promote successful Program execution? (Choose three.)

- A. Business Context
- B. Roadmap and Vision
- C. Portfolio Backlog
- D. Architectural Runway
- E. Program Backlog
- F. Product Vision

2. What is a benefit of a Program Kanban Board for the Agile Release Train?

- A. To ensure the Solution Train Engineer is managing the flow of information to the teams
- B. To help visualize PI Planning readiness and PI execution progress
- C. To assist teams in maximizing their capacity during the PI
- D. To ensure Iteration Demos are conducted as scheduled

3. Sometimes the Scrum of Scrums and PO Sync can be combined into one meeting. What is this meeting called?

- A. ART Sync
- B. SoS Sync
- C. PI Sync
- D. Iteration Sync

4. Which three activities are considered to be a Team Event? (Choose three.)

- A. Daily Stand-up
- B. System Demo
- C. Iteration Planning
- D. Backlog Refinement
- E. Scrum of Scrums
- F. Inspect and Adapt

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5. Which technique may be used to ensure each participant's views are heard when assessing cost of delay?

- A. Estimating Poker
- B. Relative Delays
- C. Discussion Dice
- D. Pop-up Points

6. What would an RTE use to incrementally improve the Agile Release Train (ART)?

- A. The Portfolio Vision
- B. The Program Backlog
- C. Team Objectives
- D. ART Improvement Roadmap

7. How can RTEs network and interact with one another to improve job skills and knowledge?

- A. Maintain a contact list of RTEs in the Solution Train
- B. Add an RTE Lessons Learned section to the latest Agile Release Train Readiness Workbook
- C. Join or form an RTE Community of Practice
- D. Participate in an RTE rotation program

8. The RTE ensures that PI Objectives are used during which two occasions? (Choose two.)

- A. PI Pre-Planning
- B. System Demo
- C. Scrum of Scrums
- D. Cost of Delay Review
- E. Capability Backlog Refinement

9. What should the RTE do if the average of the confidence votes is less than three fingers?

- A. Rework the plan until a high level of confidence is reached
- B. Ask the Business Owners to accept the plan
- C. Conduct a revote until a high level of confidence is reached
- D. Allow unhappy team members an opportunity to express their concerns

10. An event that is focused on overall program execution and impediment escalation. What is this statement describing?

- A. PO Sync
- B. Scrum of Scrums
- C. Release Management
- D. Solution Demo

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11. The System Team is starting to see an increase in the volatility of the Continuous Integration (CI) environment. As component teams are evolving the system interfaces, an increasing number of CI jobs are not being triggered for the changes being introduced and dependencies are becoming less visible to developers. What is the best course of action for the RTE to take?

- A. Work with Product Management to ensure CI is included in Story acceptance criteria
- B. Work with Engineering Management to ensure coding standards are regularly reviewed by the teams
- C. Work with Systems Architecture to ensure Architecture Runway is identified
- D. Work with Engineering Management to ensure CI is included in the Definition of Done

12. A feature planned for the current PI was not completed and a third of the work remains to be done. What should happen?

- A. The feature's original size estimate is used in Weighted Shortest Job First (WSJF)
- B. The remaining work needs to be estimated and that size is used in WSJF
- C. The sum of all story points for the feature is the size estimate used in WSJF
- D. The feature does not need to be scored in WSJF; it carries into the next PI automatically

Answer Key:

- 1. ABE
- 2. B
- 3. A
- 4. ACD
- 5. A
- 6. D
- 7. C
- 8. BC
- 9. A
- 10. B
- 11. D
- 12. B