

# SAFe Release Train Engineer

1. Which tool is useful in facilitating scrum of scrums meetings?

A. Microsoft project schedule

B. Agile lifecycle management software

C. Program board

D. Team velocity comparison report

**Answer(s): C**

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2. Which two behaviors are an important part of the Release Train Engineer role? (Choose two.)

A. Drive teams to specific outcomes

B. Provide answers about Features

C. Coach leaders to increase alignment

D. Encourage teams to self-organize

E. Manage dependencies for teams

**Answer(s): C D**

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3. Which statement is true about teams?

A. Products are more robust when individuals on teams have specific skill sets

B. Agile Teams can manage daily interruptions

C. Teams are more productive than the same number of individuals

D. Changes in team composition do not impact productivity

**Answer(s): C**

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4. Which one SAFe core value creates an environment where facts are always friendly?

A. Transparency

B. Respect for People and Culture

C. Flow

D. Innovation

**Answer(s): A**

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5. The business must depend on the team for what in order to do any meaningful planning?

A. Team capabilities

B. Commitment to the plan

C. Measurements

D. A cross-functional skill set

**Answer(s): B**

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6. How can a ReleaseTrain Engineer be aware of employee satisfaction?

A. Gather employee Metrics immediately after the Agile Release Train launches

B. Address and resolve any problems areas

C. Conduct an employee Net Promoter Score survey

D. Survey full-time employees

**Answer(s): C**

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7. What are two benefits of having a well-executed Innovation and Planning (IP) Iteration?  
(Choose two.)

A. Time for teams to plan, demo and improve together

B. Occasional buffer time to deliver more predictably

C. Higher flow of program-level business value

D. Improved dependency management between teams

E. Shorter lead times before Feature delivery

**Answer(s): A E**

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8. Which type of Enabler does a System Architect review during a System Demo?

A. Enabler Epics

B. Enabler Features

C. Enabler Capabilities

D. Enabler Stories

**Answer(s): A**

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9. What is a strategy a Product Owner can use during Program Increment Planning to mini-mize dependencies?

A. Change the definition of done

B. Move Stories on their team's backlog to another team

C. Reprioritize Epics

**Answer(s): B**

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**10.** What is an input to the Program Increment Planning process that highlights how Product Management plans to accomplish the Vision?

A. Top ten Features

B. Top 20 Features

C. Business context

D. Program board

**Answer(s): A**

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**11.** Which two actions can be taken immediately during the management review and problem-solving meeting? (Choose two.)

A. Change the business priorities

B. Recognize the team with the highest velocity

C. Combine teams to increase velocity

D. Change the scope

E. Hire new people

**Answer(s): A D**

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**12.** SAFe is based on four primary bodies of knowledge which include Agile development, systems thinking, DevOps, and what type of product development?

A. Incremental product development

B. Adaptive product development

C. Lean product development

D. Iterative product development

**Answer(s): C**

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**13.** What does assigning business value to a team's PI Objectives influence?

A. How teams plan the implementation

B. How the Kanban work in process limits are set

C. How to achieve objectives

**Answer(s): A**

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**14.** What can a Release Train Engineer use to support relentless improvement for the Pro-gram Increment?

A. Inspect and Adapt event

B. Iteration retrospective

C. Product Owner sync

D. Release management meeting

**Answer(s): A**

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**15.** What are two anti-patterns for the IP Iteration? (Choose two.)

A. To minimize lost capacity when people are on vacation or holidays

B. To plan work for the IP Iteration during P Planning

C. To allow for sufficient capacity in the Program Roadmap

D. To wait for the IP Iteration to fix defects

E. To ensure all Stories and teams' PI plans are completed prior to the IP Iteration

**Answer(s):** B D

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**16.** At which Tuckman stage would an ART be if it is improving engineering practices and fostering more effective communication?

A. Storming

B. Performing

C. Forming

D. Norming

**Answer(s):** D

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**17.** Program Increment (PI) Objectives should be written in the SMART format. What does the "R" in SMART stand for?

A. Realistic

B. Required

C. Random

D. Rationalized

**Answer(s): A**

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**18.** Which event facilitated by the Release Train Engineer is designed to keep the Agile Release Train on the tracks?

A. Daily stand-up

B. Iteration review

C. Solution Demo

D. Scrum of scrums

**Answer(s): D**

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**19.** What is one way to develop sufficient Architectural Runway for the Agile Release Train?

A. Ask the teams to commit only to Enablers as their Program Increment (PI) Objectives during the PI Planning event and address Features as uncommitted objectives for the first PI

B. Create alignment with the System Architect and Product Management that the first Program Increment (PI) is all about Enablers in order to plan for creating business value in the second PI

C. Ask the Business Owner which Enablers have high business value

D. Work with Product Management and System Architects to identify future Features and determine the Enablers to achieve them

**Answer(s): D**

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**20.** What is one way Kanbans are used in SAFe?

A. To manage queue length

B. To manage runway cadence

C. To manage Program Increment (PI) Objectives

**Answer(s):** A

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