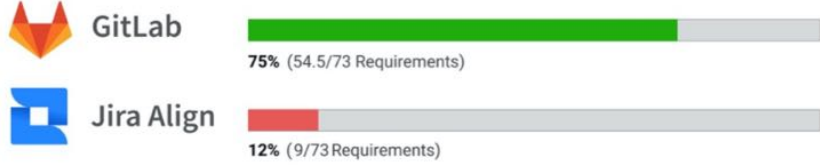


GitLab vs Jira Align

Decision Kit



Category	GitLab Score	Jira Align Score	Missing in Jira Align
Manage	5.5/8	1/8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Subgroups Audit Events Audit Reports Compliance Management Code Analytics DevOps Reports Value Stream Management Insights
Plan	6/8	8/8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Issue Tracking Kanban Boards Time Tracking Epics Roadmaps Service Desk Requirements Management Quality Management
Create	7.5/8		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Source Code Management Code Review Wiki Static Site Editor Web IDE Live Preview Snippets Design Management
Verify	6/8		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continuous Integration Code Quality Code Testing and Coverage Load Testing Web Performance Usability Testing Accessibility Testing Merge Trains
Package	4.5/7		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Package Registry Container Registry Helm Chart Registry Dependency Proxy Jupyter Notebooks Git LFS Dependency Firewall
Secure	7/8		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SAST DAST Fuzz Testing Dependency Scanning Container Scanning License Compliance Secret Detection Vulnerability Management
Release	7/8		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continuous Delivery Pipelines Review Apps Advanced Deployments Feature Flags Release Orchestration Release Evidence Secrets Management
Configure	4.5/7		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Auto DevOps Kubernetes Configuration ChatOps Runbooks Serverless Infrastructure as Code Cluster Cost Optimization
Monitor	5/8		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Metrics Alert Management Incident Management Logging Tracing Error Tracking Product Analytics Synthetic Monitoring
Defend	1.5/3		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Web Application Firewall Container Host Security Container Network Security

Jira Align is an enterprise agile planning and management tool designed help large organizations adopt agile planning and execution. Supporting multiple enterprise agile frameworks, AgileCraft is designed to integrate with most team level agile tools, providing enterprise portfolio planning and management capabilities.

Feature Comparison

FEATURES

Project Financial Management

- CORE STARTER PREMIUM ULTIMATE
- FREE BRONZE SILVER GOLD

Tracking, managing and reporting on the budget and actual costs of the project. Able to allocate costs to OPex or CAPex depending on specific organization reporting rules. Time tracking information used to determine labor cost allocations. Specific features would include: budget, spend, time tracking, resource cost, Capex/Opex.



Advanced Time Tracking

- CORE STARTER PREMIUM ULTIMATE
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Able to capture individual time reporting for specific assigned tasks and then to allocate labor costs to the appropriate project. Specific features would include: estimate, actual, cost, reporting.



Risk/Issue Management



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Able to define and manage project RISK and ISSUE status and workflow to identify, track, mitigate and resolve potential risks and active issues facing the project. Risk/issue status and resolution managed through online workflow that tracks assignment and actions to address the specific item. Specific features would include: workflow, risk severity, risk priority, Assigning Risk/Issue for action, Risk/Issue status.

✓ —

DevOps Pipeline

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Able to establish visibility into the end to end DevOps pipeline so the entire team is aware of pipeline status and can contribute to overall success. Specific features would include: visibility into status of pipeline

— ✓

Portfolio Planning

CORE STARTER PREMIUM ULTIMATE
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Establishing strategic priorities and direction in order to govern the allocation of corporate resources to support specific business/IT initiatives. Strategic planning evaluates in-flight projects and proposed future initiatives to shape and govern the ongoing investment in projects and discretionary work. Able to model and optimize different portfolio investment scenarios to determine the ideal funding combinations to meet strategic priorities. Specific features would include: Proposals, epics, backlog, strategic alignment, estimation, prioritization, what-if, monte-carlo simulation, optimization.

✓ —

Portfolio Status Management

CORE STARTER PREMIUM ULTIMATE
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Tracks and reports on the overall status and health (scope, schedule, budget) of projects and programs within the portfolio to enable executives to support project execution. Specific features would include: forecasting, status tracking, release planning, roadmap, milestones, project/program hierarchy.

✓ —

Scrum

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Able to support the time-boxed (sprint) approach of the Agile -Scrum software delivery. Specific features would include: Issues, scrum boards, burndown charts, burn up.

✓ ✓

Kanban

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Able to support the flow based approach of Agile - Kanban software delivery. Specific features would include: Issues, Kanban boards, burn up, cumulative flow diagram.

✓ ✓

SAFe (Scaled Agile Framework) - Essential SAFe

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Able to support the key principles and practices of the Essential SAFe configuration., Agile Release Train, (a combined CD pipeline where multiple projects align to release), Planning Increment (PI) Planning (cadence driven project planning/ vision)

✓ —

SAFe (Scaled Agile Framework) - Lean Portfolio Management

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Provides support for the key elements of Lean Portfolio Management. Specific features would include: Release Train, Lean Portfolio Management.

✓ —

Financial Management

CORE STARTER PREMIUM ULTIMATE
FREE BRONZE SILVER GOLD

Tracking, managing and reporting on the budget and actual spend of projects and programs within specific portfolios. Able to allocate costs to OPex or CAPex depending on specific organization reporting rules. Time tracking information used to determine labor cost allocations. Specific features would include: budget, spend, time, resource cost.

✓ ✗

Resource/Team Management

CORE STARTER PREMIUM ULTIMATE
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Tracks and manages the availability of team members by skill, experience, location, and cost, so they can support both planned and unplanned work. Specific features would include: individual capacity, individual skills, individual assignments, labor cost.

✓ ✗

Work Planning/Management

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Able to define, schedule and assign specific tasks to team members and manage the sequence and interdependency of tasks with each other. This form of structured planning is needed when tasks are clearly defined and sequence of execution is critical. Specific features would include: WBS, Gantt Chart, Task Assignment, Scheduling, task sequence, task relationships.



Product Roadmap

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Establishing the **product** vision and strategy to organize, govern and shape the effort of the multi-disciplinary team building specific business services. The Product Roadmap is based on specific business goals and objectives, manages high level requirements, prioritizes future features, allocates resources, tracks progress and measures business results linked to the business strategy. Specific features would include: Product Strategy, Idea Gathering, Requirements Management, Resource Management, Feedback Collection, Milestone Tracking, Release Management, Workflow Management, Feature Tracking/Deviation, Roadmap Analytics, Centralized Notes, Report Generation, Imports, API/SDK, Conflict Management, and Customized Alerting.



Requirements Management

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With Requirements Management you are able to gather, document, refine, and track approval of business and system requirements. Manage and track the relationships between requirements and other requirements, requirements and code, or requirements and test cases for each version of requirements. Specific features will include definition, traceability, and requirement hierarchy and dependency.



[See direction page for details](#)

Satisfy Requirements from CI/CD pipelines

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This powerful feature uses the GitLab single-application model to allow testing run in the CI/CD pipelines to satisfy your requirements. This automates the cumbersome task of identifying satisfied requirements, and enables your organization to focus on delivering value.



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Quality Management

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Able to support test planning, definition of test cases, results of test execution and corresponding backlog of work resulting from failed tests. Specific features would include: Test case planning, test execution, defect tracking (backlog), severity, priority.



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Portfolio Management

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Plan and track work at the project and portfolio level. Manage capacity and resources together with Portfolio Management.



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