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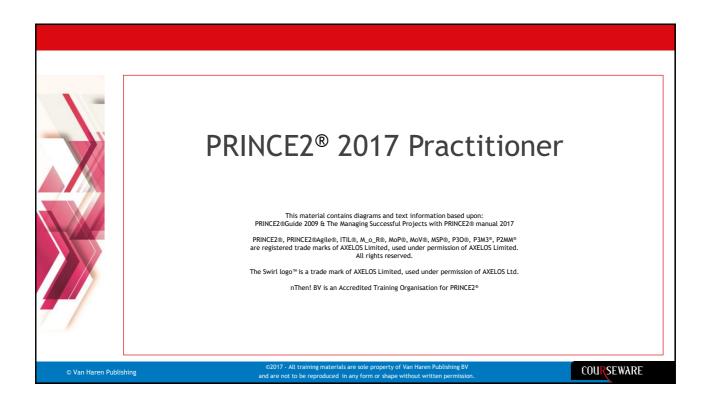
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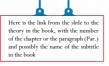
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	Exam Training Day (Optional)	Introduction	Set up the programme for the day Structure of Practitioner Exam + different types of OTE-questions	Review sample Practitioner Exam (homework) + Evaluate the Practitioner Exam	Create a Practitioner Exam Question + let others try it	Open Space Free to be filled in by the participants + Closing Exam training	Lunch	Set up exam		PRINCE2 Practitioner exam		Closing day 4
	Day 3	Recap and discuss homework + Serious Minigame 4 times 7	Theme Change	Finishing Initiation Stage	Delivery stage(s) + information between CS / MP / SB	Exercise Project issue escalation	Lunch	Exercise vocabulary serious minigame 'Bluff your way into P2'	Final Delivery Stage + Directing a Project	Tailoring PRINCE2	Exercise improving Project Management using PRINCE2	Exercise Evaluating PRINCE2 training Closing day 3
	Day 2	Recap and discuss Homework Serious Minigame Who am I?	Initiation Stage Short overview of IP	Theme Plans + Product Based Planning technique	Theme Quality + Quality Review Technique	Exercise Quality Management Strategy	Lunch	Exercise Product Based Planning	Exercise Quality Review	Theme Risk + Exercise Risk Identification Workshop	Theme Progress	Closing day 2
	Day 1	Introduction	Structure of the training course and the program	PRINCE2® Foundation sample exam results	Overview PRINCE2® Refresh	Principles of PRINCE2®	Lunch	Theme Business Case + Exercise BC	Theme Organization + Exercise Organization	Pre-project stage: Starting Up + Authorizing Initiation	Exercise Project Brief	Closing day 1
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Introduction

- Let's meet & goals
- Terms
- Programme

Programme Day 1

- Introduction
- Structure of the training course and the program
- Where do we stand?:PRINCE2® Foundation sample exam & results
- Overview PRINCE2® Refresh
- Principles of PRINCE2®
- LUNCH
- Theme Business Case + Exercise BC
- Theme Organization + Exercise Organization
- Pre-project stage: Starting Up + Authorizing Initiation
- Exercise Project Brief
- Closing day 1

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Programme Day 2

- Recap and discuss Homework Serious Minigame Who am I?
- Initiation Stage Short overview of IP
- Theme Plans + Product Based Planning technique
- Theme Quality + Quality Review Technique
- · Exercise Quality Management Strategy
- LUNCH
- Exercise Product Based Planning
- Exercise Quality Review
- Theme Risk + Exercise Risk Identification Workshop
- Theme Progress
- Closing day 2

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Programme Day 3

- Recap and discuss homework + Serious Minigame 4 times 7
- Theme Change
- Finishing Initiation Stage
- Delivery stage(s) + information between CS / MP / SB
- Exercise Project issue escalation
- LUNCH
- Exercise vocabulary serious minigame 'Bluff your way into P2'
- Final Delivery Stage
- Directing a Project
- Tailoring PRINCE2®
- Exercise improving Project Management using PRINCE2
- exercise Evaluating PRINCE2® training
- Closing day 3

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Programme Practitioner Exam Training (optional)

- Introduction
- Set up the programme for the day
- Structure of Practitioner Exam + different types of OTE-questions
- Review sample Practice Practitioner Exam (homework)
- Evaluate the Practitioner Exam
- Create a Practitioner Exam Question + let others try it
- Open Space Free to be filled in by the participants
- Closing Exam training
- LUNCH
- Set up exam
- PRINCE2 PRACITIONER EXAM

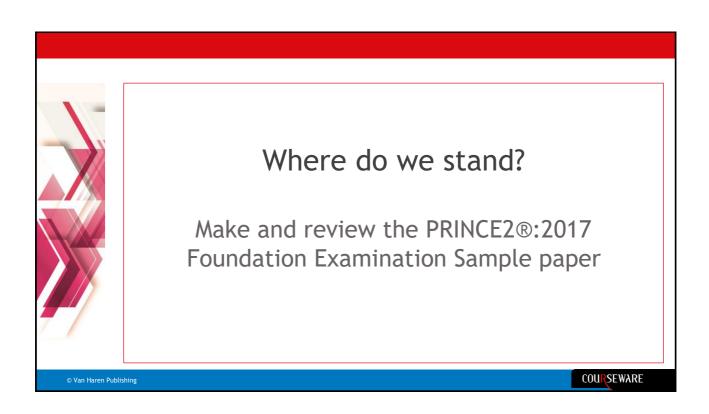
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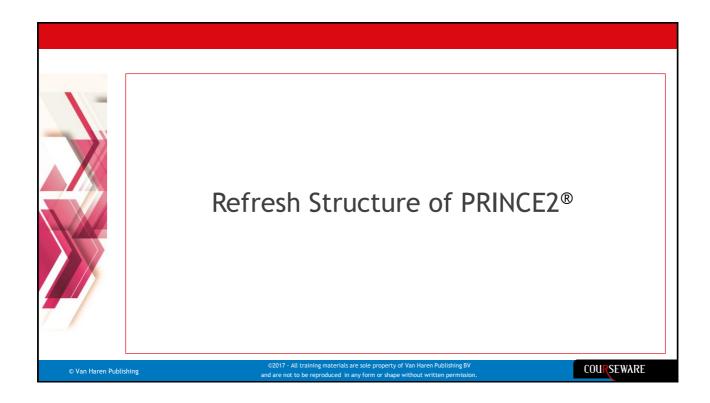
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Structure of the Manual (1)

- Introduction (e.g. Benefits of PRINCE2)
- Project management with PRINCE2
- 7 Principles
- Tailoring and adopting PRINCE2
- 7 Themes
- 7 Processes
- · Considerations for organizational adoption
 - Tailoring and embedding
- Appendices
 - A Product description Outlines
 - B Standards alignment
 - C Roles and Responsibilities
 - D Examples Product-based planning
 - E Health Check

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Structure of the Manual (2)

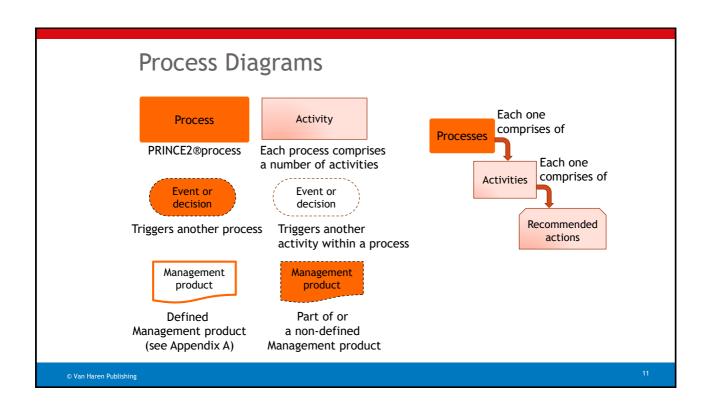
Themes

- The theme explained
- PRINCE2's requirements for the theme
- Guidance for effective use of theme
- (Techniques)

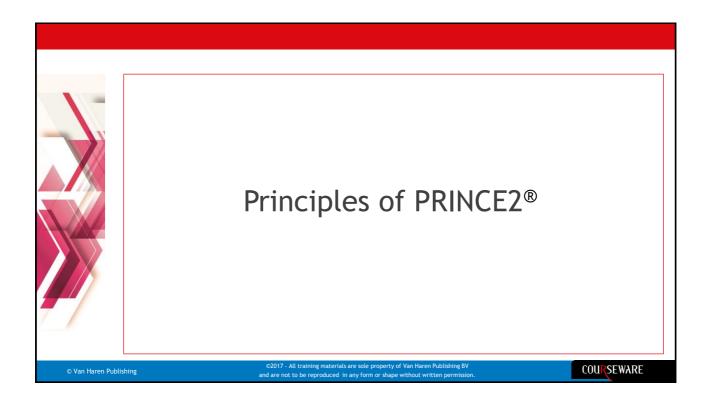
Processes

- Purpose (reason for the process)
- Objective (to be achieved by the process)
- Context
- Activities
- Tailoring guidelines

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Principles

- 1. Continued Business Justification
- 2. Learn from experience
- 3. Defined Roles and Responsibilities
- 4. Manage by Stage
- 5. Manage by Exception
- 6. Focus on Products
- 7. Tailor to suit the project environment

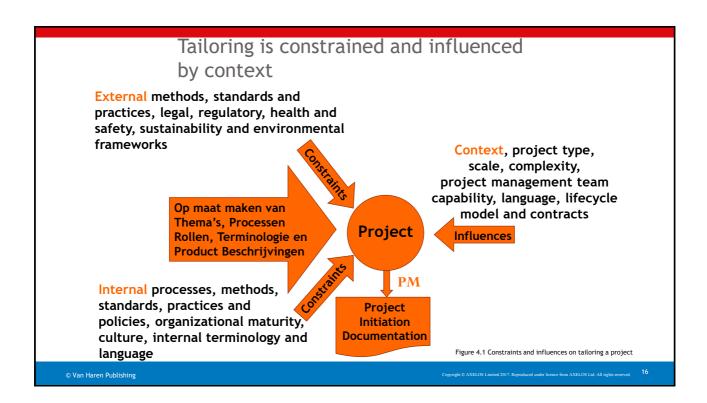
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Tailoring is concerned with the appropriate use of PRINCE2

The following aspects of PRINCE2®may be tailored:

- Processes may be combined or adapted (e.g. by adding or combining activities).
- Themes can be applied using techniques that are appropriate to the project.
- Roles may be combined or split, provided that accountability is maintained and there are no conflicts of interest. See section 7.2.1.10 for restrictions.
- Management products may be combined or split into any number of documents or data sources. They will often take the form of formal documents, or slide decks, wall charts or data held on IT systems.
- Terminology may be changed to suit other standards or policies, provided it is applied consistently

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Themes

- 1. Business Case
- 2. Organization
- 3. Quality
- 4. Plans
- 5. Risk
- 6. Change
- 7. Progress

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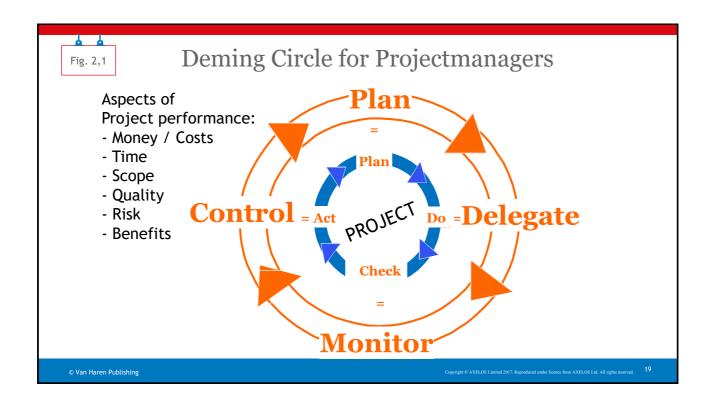
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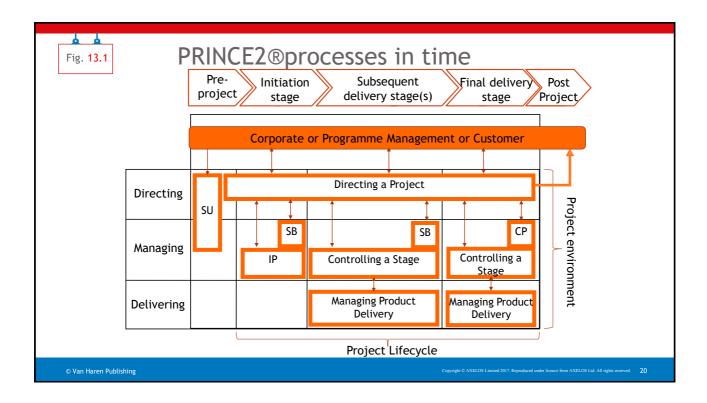
Processes

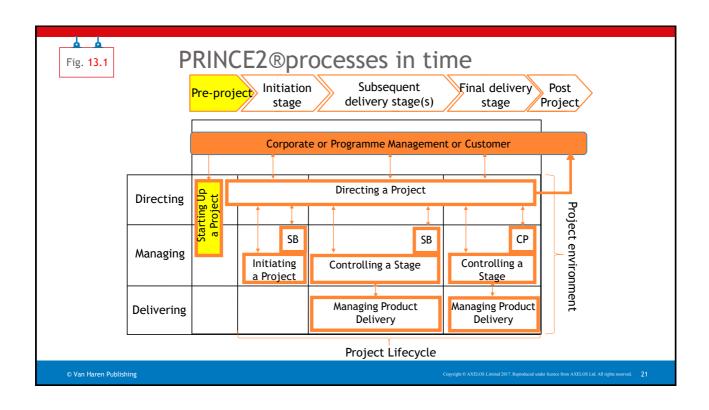
- 1. Starting Up a project
- 2. Initiating a Project
- 3. Directing a Project
- 4. Controlling a Stage
- 5. Managing Product delivery
- 6. managing Stage Boundaries
- 7. Closing a Project

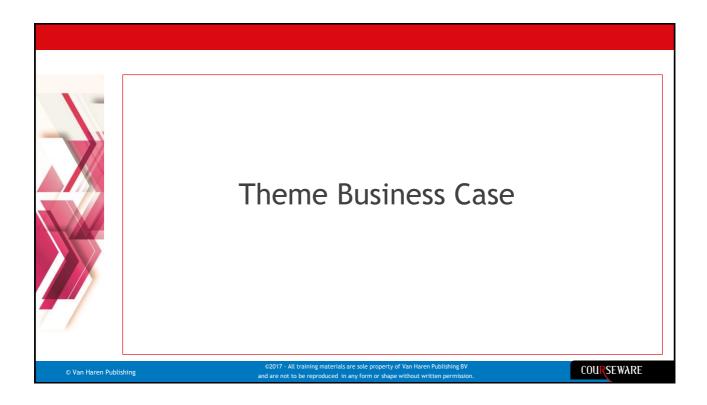
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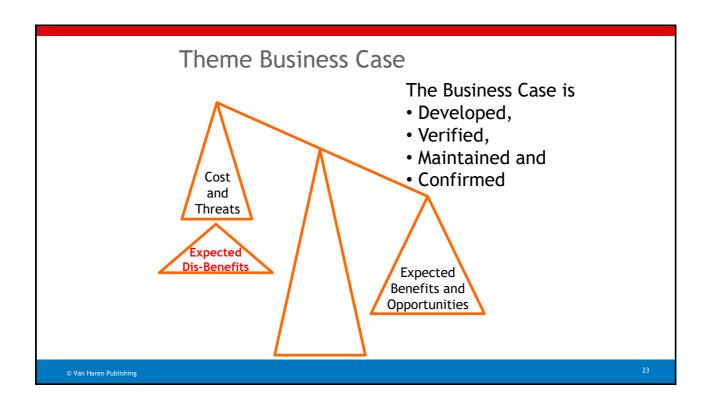
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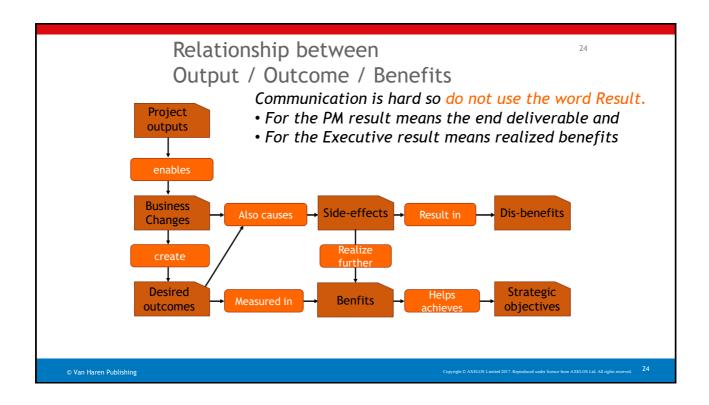


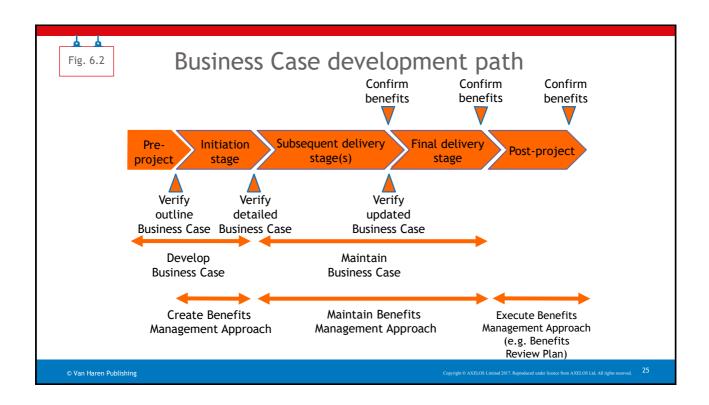


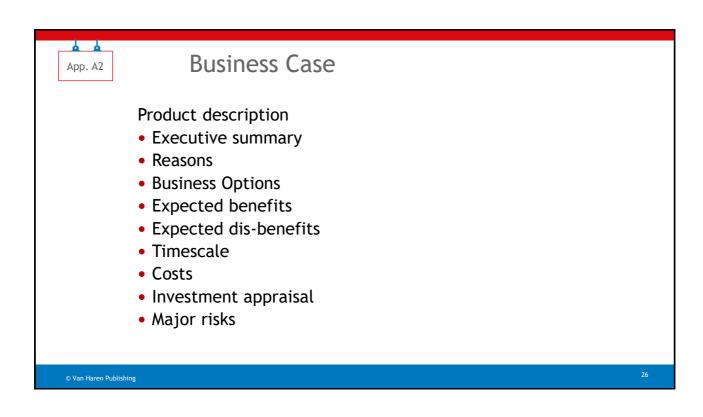












Minimum Requirement of using the BC

To be following PRINCE2, a project must, as a minimum:

- Create and maintain a business justification for the project; usually a business case (PRINCE2's continued business justification principle)
- Review and update the business justification in response to decisions and events that might impact desirability, viability or achievability of the project (PRINCE2's continued business justification principle)
- Define the management actions that will be put in place to ensure that the project's outcomes are achieved and confirm that the project's benefits are realized (PRINCE2's continued business justification principle)
- Define and document the roles and responsibilities for the business case and benefits management (PRINCE2's defined roles and responsibilities principle).

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PRINCE2® requires two products

- Business case Provides the costs, benefits, expected dis-benefits, risks and timescales against which viability is justified and continuing viability is tested.
- It is acceptable to use an alternative document such as a corporate business plan to replace the business case for part of the project lifecycle.
- Benefits management approach Defines the management actions that will be put in place to ensure that the project's outcomes are achieved and confirm that the project's benefits are realized.

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Benefits management approach

Product description

- Scope of the benefits management approach
 - what benefits are to be managed and measured
- Who is accountable for the expected benefits
- What management actions are required in order to ensure that the project's outcomes are achieved
- How to measure achievement of expected benefits, and When they can be measured
- What resources are needed
- Baseline measures from which the improvements will be calculated
- How the performance of the project's product will be reviewed.

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