Checklist – Is agile project management suitable?

In the previous chapter, *When is the agile approach suitable?*, I described various situations where agile project management works well and others where it could be challenging to implement and tailor the agile way of working. You can also get some help in assessing if it is suitable for your specific project, by considering a few aspects. Here is a checklist where the answer to each item should preferably be "Yes" in order for agile project management to work efficiently.

Checklist – Is agile project management suitable for the project?

☐ *Does the executive team understand and accept the values, principles, and techniques of agile project management?*

☐ *If the project has an external supplier: has the supplier understood and accepted the values, principles, and techniques of agile project management?*

☐ *Is there a designated internal recipient of the end result?*

☐ *Can the project sponsor/product owner set aside enough time for the project, in accordance with the team's wishes?*

☐ *Will the project team be allowed to make its own decisions on how to perform its assignments?*

☐ *Is it possible for the project team to have access to end users or other stakeholders who can provide feedback on the project result, throughout the entire project?*

☐ *Do the project team members have enough competence to carry out the project work on their own, without too many dependencies on parties outside the team?*