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A dedicated group of Project Management Institute (PMI®) volunteers gathered for a ground-breaking purpose—to create a project management body of knowledge. This effort would later evolve into the global standard for project management: *A Guide to the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK® Guide)*. Though business has changed considerably through the decades, good project management practices remain critical drivers of the most successful business outcomes. They add value, create strategies, and increase an organization's competitive advantage.

The *PMBOK® Guide* is widely acknowledged as the comprehensive authority on effective project management practices. Why? Because it is uniquely developed by project managers, for project managers. A core team of 100 global practitioners/volunteers contribute to each edition of the *PMBOK® Guide*. In its draft phase, the *PMBOK® Guide* is open to public review and comment, and the core team reviews and considers each comment. **Over 8,500 comments were received during the development of the *PMBOK® Guide* – Sixth Edition, making it a true product of the project management community and an essential tool for all practitioners.**

The Sixth Edition

In this time, the *PMBOK® Guide* – Sixth Edition includes guidance on applying good project management practices within agile or adaptive environments. The addition of this new knowledge makes the *PMBOK® Guide* the strongest, most versatile resources for today's project management practitioner.

Each Knowledge Area (or Knowledge Area) of the Guide now has four introductory parts: **Key Concepts; Trending Practices; Tailoring Considerations; and Considerations for Agile/Adaptive Environments.**

The Sixth Edition also features greater emphasis on the **strategic and business knowledge** aspects of project management, with a discussion of project management business documents in the first three chapters. It includes a new section on the role of the project manager, which discusses the **PMI Talent Triangle** and the skill sets organizations demand that make project managers more competitive and successful in technical, leadership, and strategic and business management. In addition, you will find an entire chapter on **Agile/Adaptive Project Environments.**



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