

Zoho Projects Review

Pricing, pros, cons and practical fit

Small and growing businesses that want structured project tracking at an accessible price, particularly teams already using Zoho apps.

QUICK FACTS

At a glance

Starting price	Premium \$4/user/mo billed annually (USD; \$5/user/mo monthly);
Free plan	Yes
Free trial	Yes
Difficulty	Medium
Last verified	Nov 2026
Best for	Agency, Developer, Marketing Team, Small Business, Solopreneur

KEY TAKEAWAYS

Strength and limitation

KEY STRENGTH

Good project planning depth for the cost, including Gantt charts, task dependencies, issue tracking, workflows, and close integration with the Zoho business suite.

MAIN LIMITATION

The free edition is restricted to three projects; unlimited projects, time logging, budgets, and richer customization require paid tiers, while portfolio and security controls need higher plans.

WISETECHLIST VERDICT

Should you use Zoho Projects?

Zoho Projects provides unusually broad project planning features at a low published per-user entry price. It makes particular sense for teams already invested in Zoho CRM, Zoho Books, or related apps. The free edition is useful for trying core task coordination, but the three-project limit and tier-specific automation, budgets, and administration warrant attention.

USE CASES

What can you use Zoho Projects for?

- Multi-stage project scheduling
- Task assignment and dependencies

- Small business operations
- Software and issue tracking
- Agency project delivery
- Budget and timesheet tracking
- Recurring workflows
- Zoho CRM and business app handoffs

PROS AND CONS

What to like and what to consider

WHAT WE LIKE

- Free plan with up to five users
- Competitive paid entry price
- Gantt charts and task dependencies
- Project and task collaboration
- Built-in issue tracking
- Time logs and project budgeting on Premium
- Zoho suite integrations
- Workflow automations and custom fields on paid plans

WHAT TO CONSIDER

- Free tier allows only three projects
- Advanced reporting and cross-project controls require higher tiers
- Interface and configuration can feel busy
- Some integrations work best inside Zoho ecosystem
- Per-user costs grow as the team expands

PRACTICAL FIT

How Zoho Projects fits a small business workflow

WHAT IT IS

Zoho Projects is a cloud-based project management and collaboration product in the Zoho ecosystem. It supports project plans, tasks, milestones, dependencies, discussions, files, and issue tracking. Paid tiers extend the core product with time sheets, budgets, custom views, workflows, more powerful cross-project reporting, and enterprise administration.

WHERE IT FITS

Create a project and task breakdown, assign staff and dates, map dependencies in Gantt charts, use feeds or documents for team context, and track issues as work moves forward. On Premium, add recurring tasks, time logs, approvals, budgets, and automation; connect relevant CRM and finance apps for a more complete operating workflow.

WHEN IT MAY NOT FIT

The Free plan is limited to three projects and 5 GB storage even though it permits up to five users. Organizations wanting consolidated capacity planning, advanced role customization, SSO, and critical-path or baseline controls may need Enterprise or Ultimate rather than Premium.

DECISION GUIDE

Who should choose it?

GOOD FIT

Choose Zoho Projects if you need detailed task scheduling, Gantt views, issue handling, and economical paid plans, especially if your workflows already use other Zoho business applications.

SKIP IF

Skip Zoho Projects if you want a very minimalist task tool, need unlimited projects for free, or require enterprise-wide resource management and advanced governance without upgrading.

Continue your research

Read the live review for updated pricing, links and alternatives.

<https://wisetechlist.com/tools/zoho-projects/>