

This letter presents **Geekbot**, a standup and survey bot for Slack and MS Teams, which holds the potential to significantly refine organizational operations and enhance team coordination.

<https://geekbot.com/>

Geekbot is a Slack and MS Teams add-on specifically designed to address common workplace issues (see below) by running asynchronous daily **standups**, **polls**, **retrospectives**, **one-on-ones**, and **surveys**, all within the familiar workspace of Slack or MS Teams.

From fast-moving tech companies to highly regulated industries like finance, healthcare, and insurance, thousands of teams already trust Geekbot to reduce unnecessary meetings and streamline updates.

What workplace issues does Geekbot tackle?

1. **Disruptions** of work context in order to join meetings.
2. **Idle time** incurred by team members merely attending meetings.
3. **Decreased employee productivity** due to excessive meetings.
4. **Delayed or inefficient decision-making** due to differing schedules and time zones.
5. **Insufficient transparency** in progress tracking.
6. **Limited team participation** when input is needed quickly

Unlike static spreadsheets or scattered chat threads, **Geekbot** prompts the right questions, at the right time, to the right people — with answers stored, searchable and actionable.

Key outcomes of using Geekbot:

- **Minimized need for constant meetings**, keeping teams in sync via asynchronous status updates.
- **Enhanced focus on critical work** by reducing meeting-induced disruptions, with team members providing updates at their convenience.
- **Improved overview of team progress** by facilitating clear, freely available updates from all team members.
- **Asynchronous collaboration and communication**, accommodating varied time zones and work schedules.
- **Faster, inclusive decision-making** via **Polls & Surveys**, allowing teams to quickly gather input, vote on ideas, or run pulse checks—without meetings or switching tools.

Cost Analysis and Return on Investment (ROI)

Geekbot's pricing model is straightforward and affordable at **\$2.5 per user per month for an annual plan** (or \$3 per user/month for a monthly plan). **Polls & Surveys** are priced flexibly at **\$0.75 per respondent/month for an annual plan** (or \$1 per respondent/month for a monthly plan) and you're only charged for those who actually respond—not the entire channel.

Cost Savings

1. If we consider an **average hourly wage** of an employee in western countries to be \$Y, a 1-hour meeting for a team of ten incurs a total direct cost of $Y*10$.
2. Assume that an organization conducts an average of 20 such meetings in a month. This translates into a **monthly cost of $20*(Y*10)$** .
3. Now multiply this by 12 and see the annual cost savings.
4. With **Polls**, you pay only for engagement—not headcount. For example, if a survey is posted to 200 people but only 37 respond, you're charged for just 37—ensuring scalable usage aligned with actual participation.

Example:

For a team of 10, each earning \$35 per hour, replacing two hourly meetings each month with Geekbot status updates equates to a saving of \$700 monthly, or \$8,400 annually — all by replacing just two hourly meetings each month!

In addition to direct cost savings, Geekbot also brings about indirect financial benefits by increasing productivity. It achieves this by **reducing disruptions and promoting a focus on critical work**, which means that every working hour is used more efficiently.

This increased productivity, though **difficult to quantify**, is an **important factor in ROI** calculation and contributes to the overall financial health of an organization, making Geekbot an investment that is likely to pay for itself many times over.

Book a call to get your questions answered or try the bot for yourself in Slack or MS Teams.

Try Geekbot for free — no credit card required.

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Geekbot offers **Enterprise Plans for teams over 200 users** with **bulk discounts**, please contact our sales team via email or [submit this form](#).

Geekbot is **ISO/IEC 27001:2022** certified, fully **GDPR-compliant**, and implements enterprise-grade data protection, including **TLS encryption** in transit and at-rest encryption, with robust **data retention and removal** policies.

Useful links

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Service reliability: <https://status.geekbot.com/>

Security Practices: <https://geekbot.com/security-practices/>

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