**Deployment & Release Notes for Staged Rollout**

**Objective**

Ensure traceability, clarity, and communication of each staged deployment—including component versions, known issues, fixes, and rollback plans—for internal IT and external partners.

**Deployment Strategy**

| **Phase** | **Region** | **Modules Released** | **Deployment Method** |
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| Phase 1 | Nairobi | Core Wallet, USSD, KYC Integration | Containerized CI/CD |
| Phase 2 | Western Kenya | Airtime Purchase, Transaction Alerts | Blue-Green |
| Phase 3 | Coast Region | Bank Linking, Credit Module | Canary |
| Phase 4 | National Rollout | Full Stack w/ M-PESA Bridge | Full Cutover |

**Release Notes Sample (Phase 2)**

* **Release Date**: 17 June 2025
* **Version**: v1.3.0
* **New Features**:
  + Airtime Top-up (All Networks)
  + Tiered Alerts (SMS/Push)
* **Fixes**:
  + Bug fix: Timeout issue on KYC submission
  + UI patch for transaction history filters
* **Known Issues**:
  + Delayed confirmation SMS for Coast Region customers
* **Rollback Plan**:
  + Container snapshot of previous build v1.2.5 retained for instant rollback
* **Uptime after Deployment**: 99.98%