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What is Mobile Application Testing?

**Mobile application testing** is a process by which **application** software developed for handheld **mobile** devices is tested for its functionality, usability and consistency.**Mobile application testing** can be an automated or manual type of **testing**. ... Additionally, wearable **application testing** is an interesting market