



A common mistake people make concerning software is assuming that the majority of software development is programming.



Out of all these processes, maintenance dominates the cost of the life cycle.

Since maintenance costs are so important, many developers are beginning to use design approaches that result in software which is easier to maintain.

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What is Business Analysis?



- Business analysis is the practice of enabling change in an organizational context, by defining needs and recommending solutions that deliver value to stakeholders.
- It is the discipline of:
 - (i) Identifying business needs.
 - (ii) Gathering requirements.
 - (iii) Analysing the requirements.
 - (iv) Documenting the requirements.

Putting the business analyst in context Owner/sponsor Business Analyst Subject Matter Experts/Users

Basically, they help guide businesses in improving processes, products, services and software through data analysis.

Types of software requirements

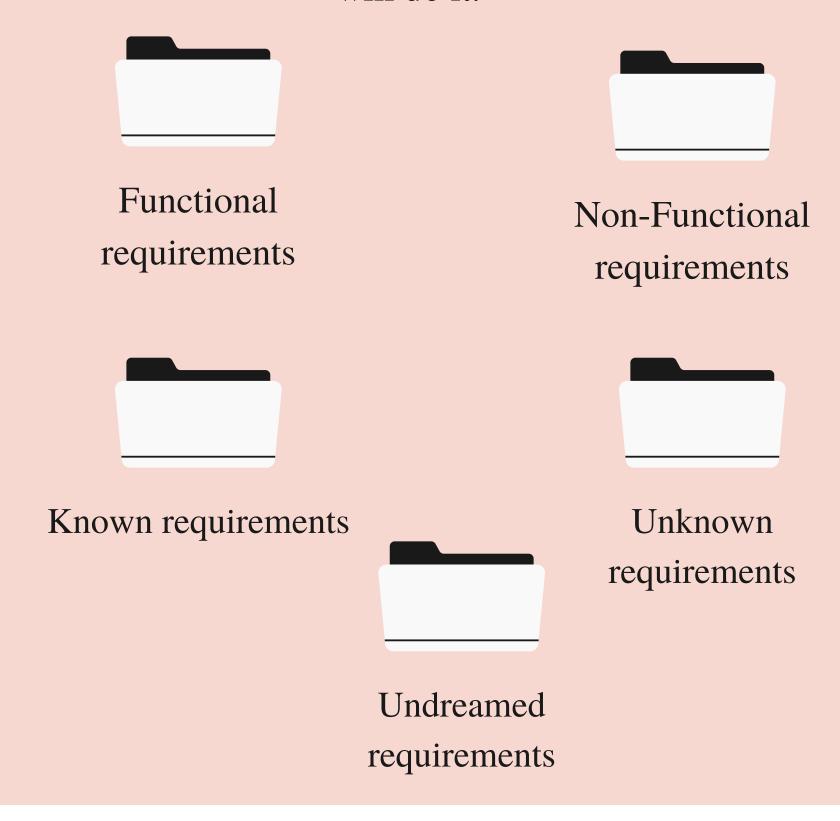
Without well written document:



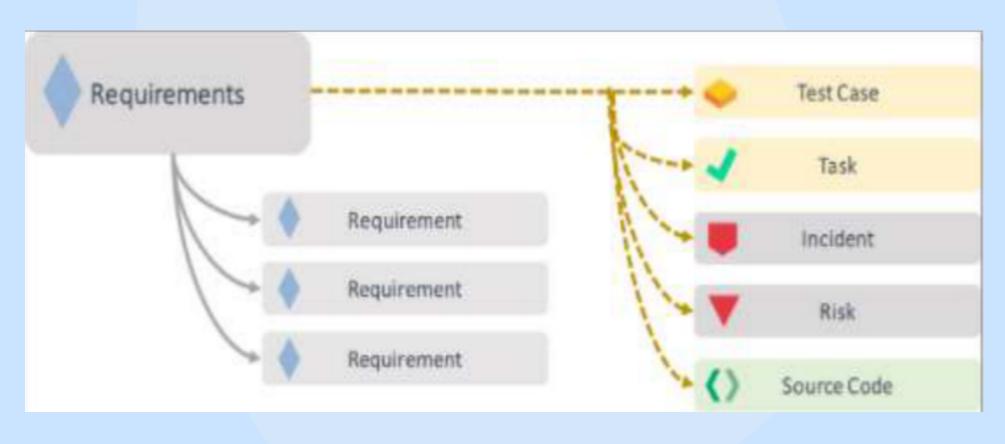
- Developers do not know what to build.
- Customers do not know what to expect.
- What to validate.

Requirements describe WHAT not HOW.

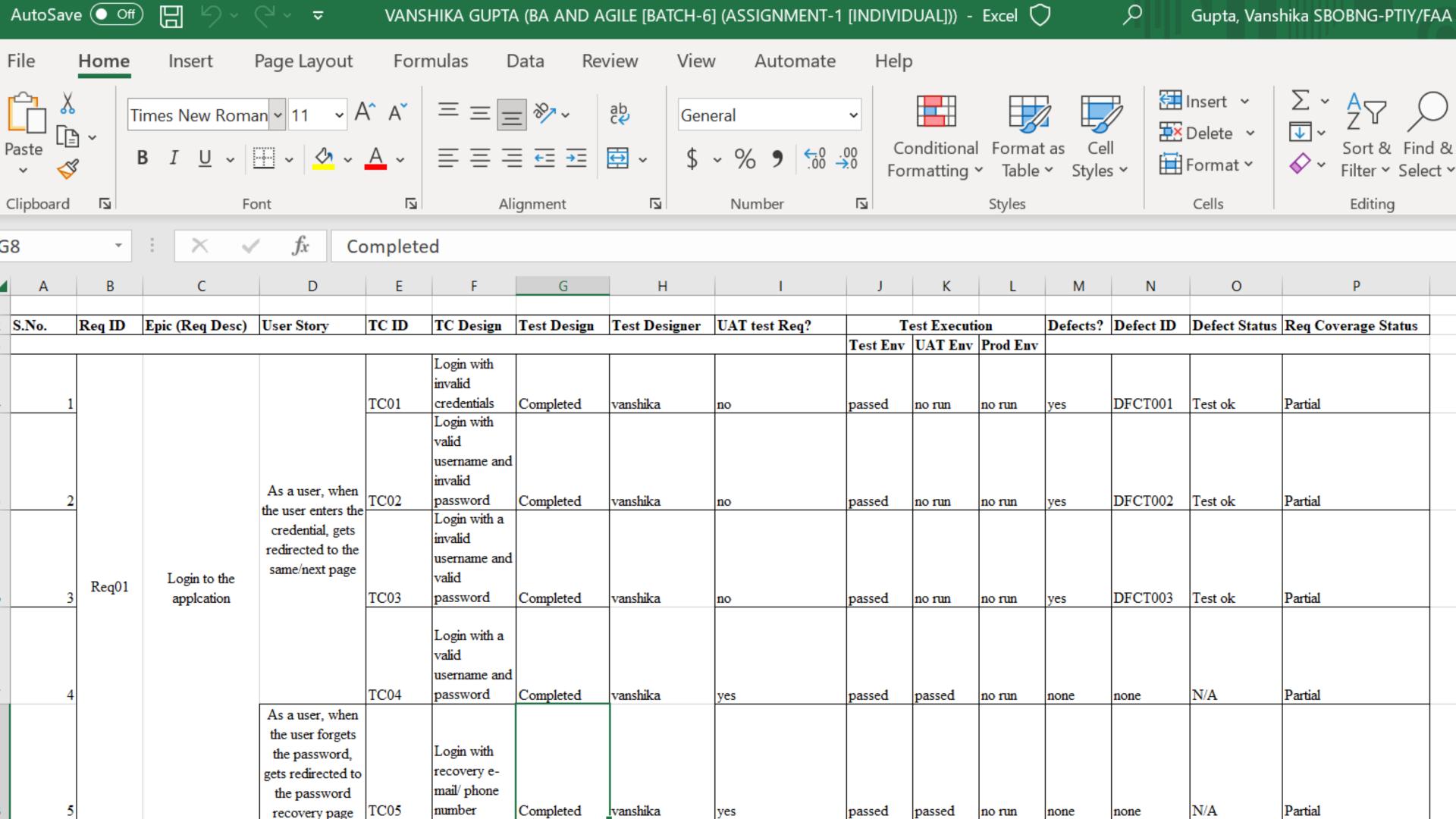
Produces one large document written in natural language containing a description of what the system will do without describing how it will do it.

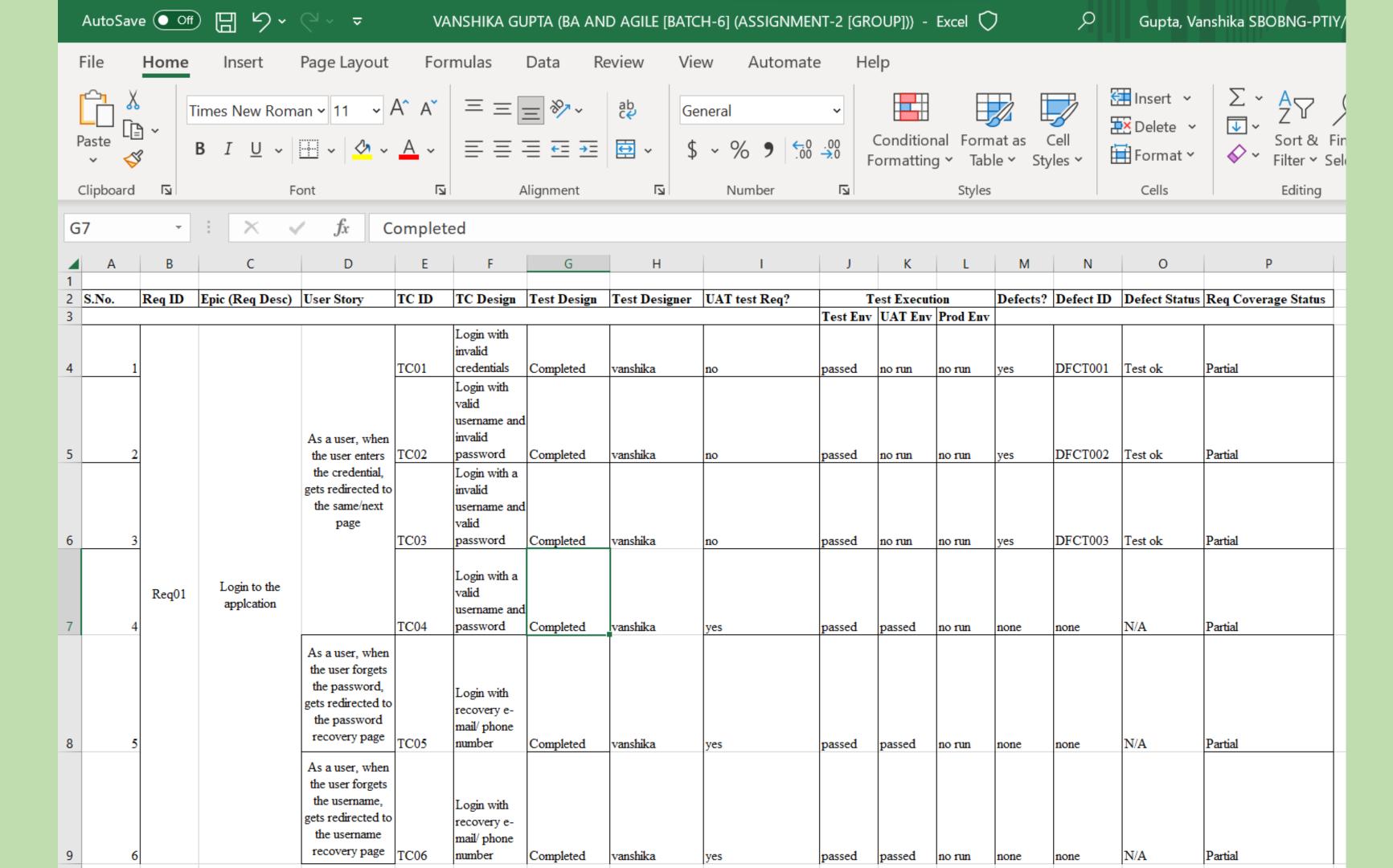


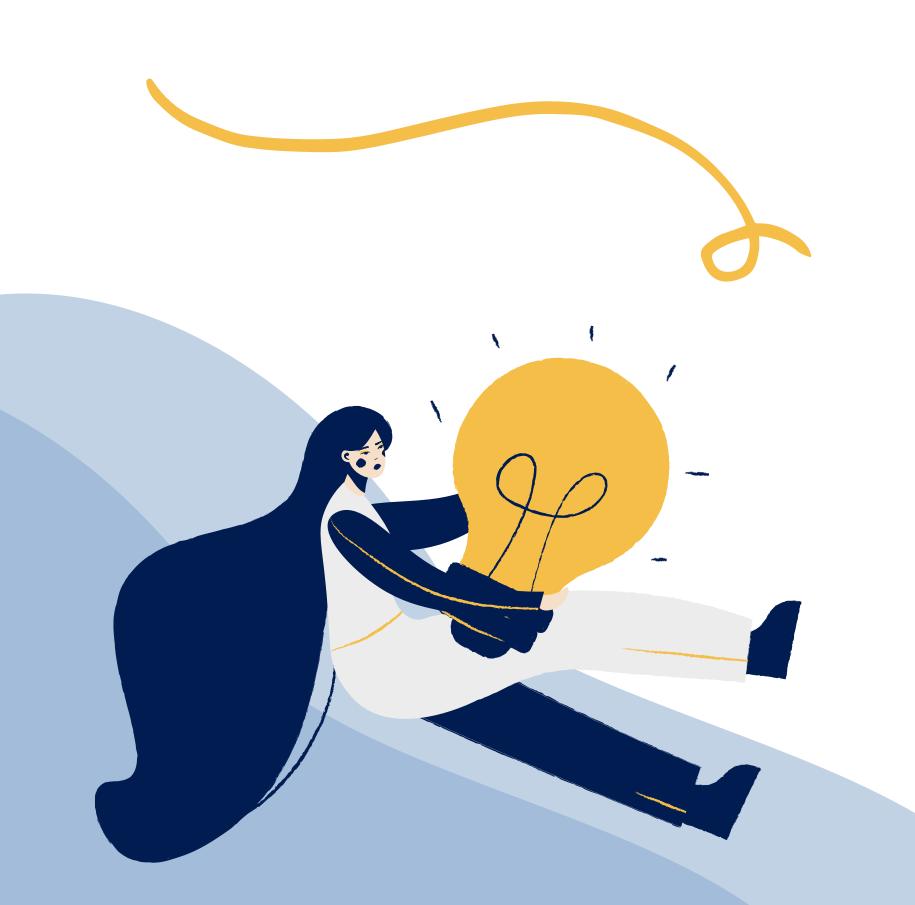
Requirement ? Traceability



- It ensures that each business need is tied to an actual requirement, and that each requirement is tied to a deliverable.
- Basically, there needs/requirements are tied/mapped to test cases or defects/failure and reverse engineering can be done to find the requirement from where the defect came from.
- It is the ability to trace a requirement forward and backwards in the development life cycle.







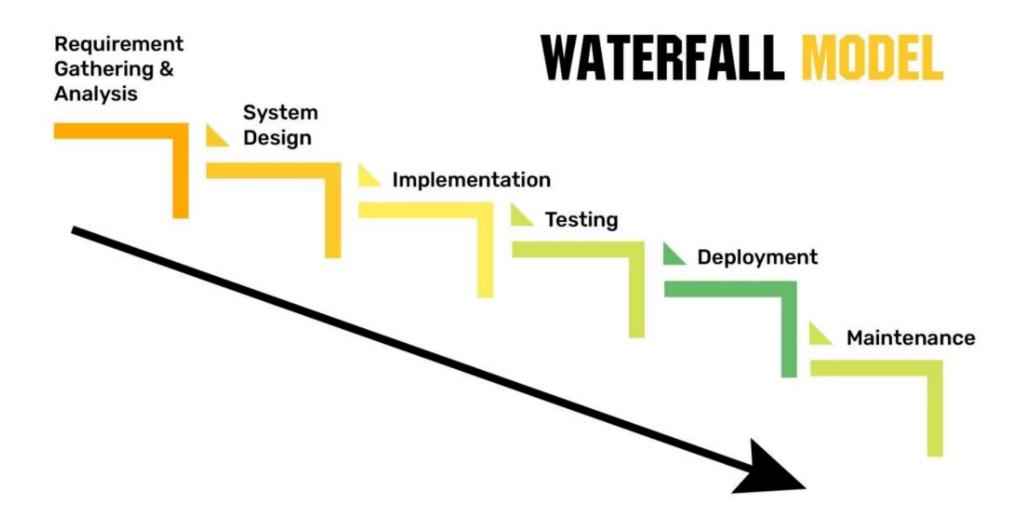
Software Development Life Cycle (SDLC) Models

The software development life cycle (SDLC) is the process of planning, writing, modifying, and maintaining software. Developers use the methodology as they design and write modern software for computers, cloud deployment, mobile phones, video games, and more.

Two types of models studied under SDLC:

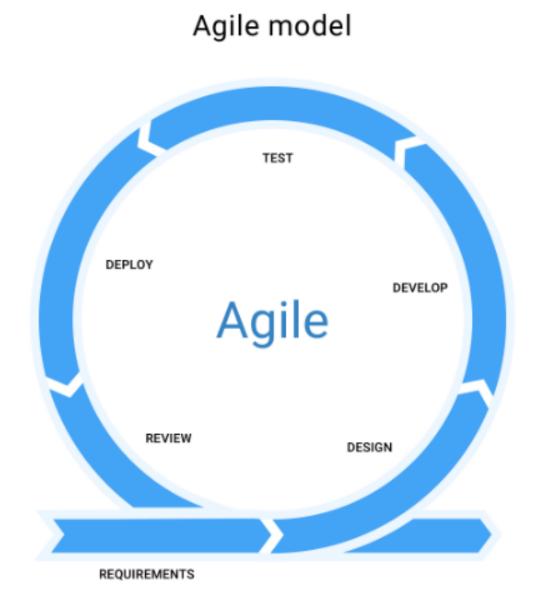
- (i) Waterfall
- (ii) Agile

Waterfall Model



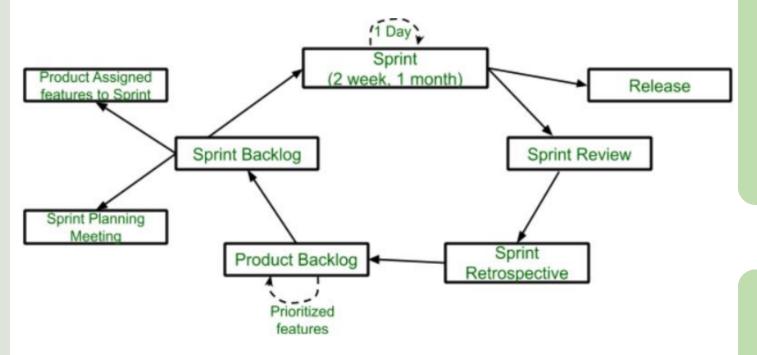
- Simple and easy to understand and use
- Easy to manage due to the rigidity of the model. Each phase has specific deliverables and a review process.
- Phases are processed and completed one at a time.
- Works well for smaller projects where requirements are very well understood.
- Clearly defined stages.
- Well understood milestones.
- Easy to arrange tasks.
- Process and results are well documented.

Agile Development Model



- Working through Pair programming produces well-written compact programs which have fewer errors as compared to programmers working alone.
- It reduces the total development time of the whole project.
- Agile development emphasizes face-to-face communication among team members, leading to better collaboration and understanding of project goals.
- Customer representatives get the idea of updated software products after each iteration. So, it is easy for him to change any requirement if needed.
- Agile development puts the customer at the center of the development process, ensuring that the end product meets their needs.

Scrum

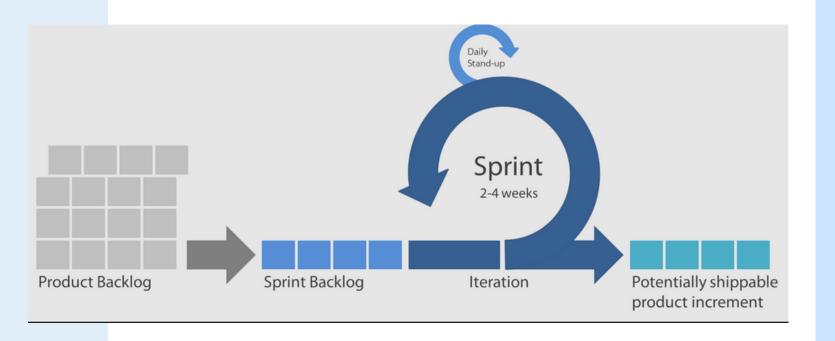


Scrum is the type of Agile framework. It is a framework within which people can address complex adaptive problem while productivity and creativity of delivering product is at highest possible values. Scrum uses Iterative process.

Silent features of Scrum are:

- 1. Scrum is light-weighted framework
- 2. Scrum emphasizes self-organization
- 3. Scrum is simple to understand
- 4. Scrum framework help the team to work together

Sprint



A Sprint is a time box of one month or less. A new Sprint starts immediately after the completion of the previous Sprint.

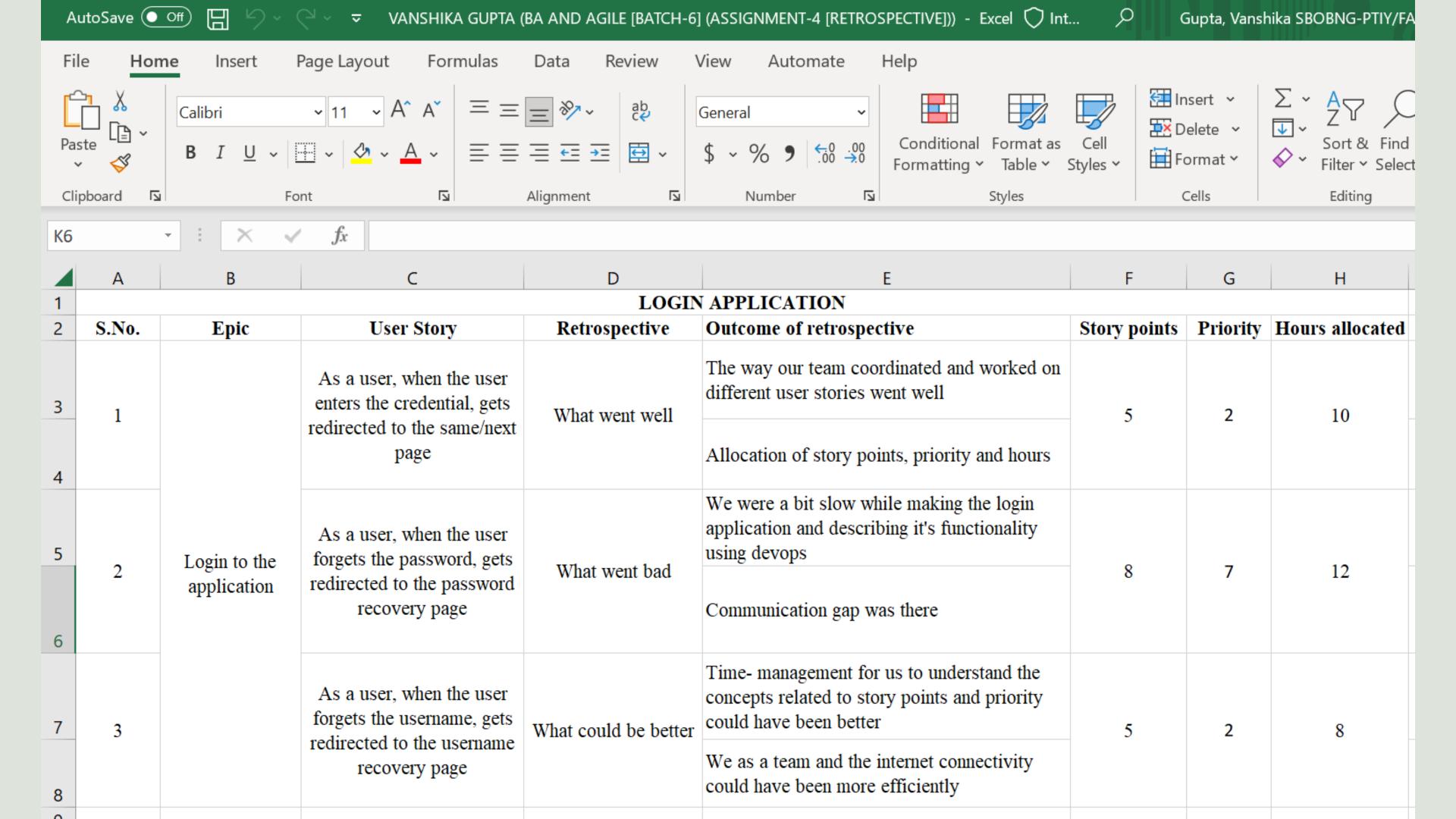
Release: When the product is completed, it goes to the Release stage.

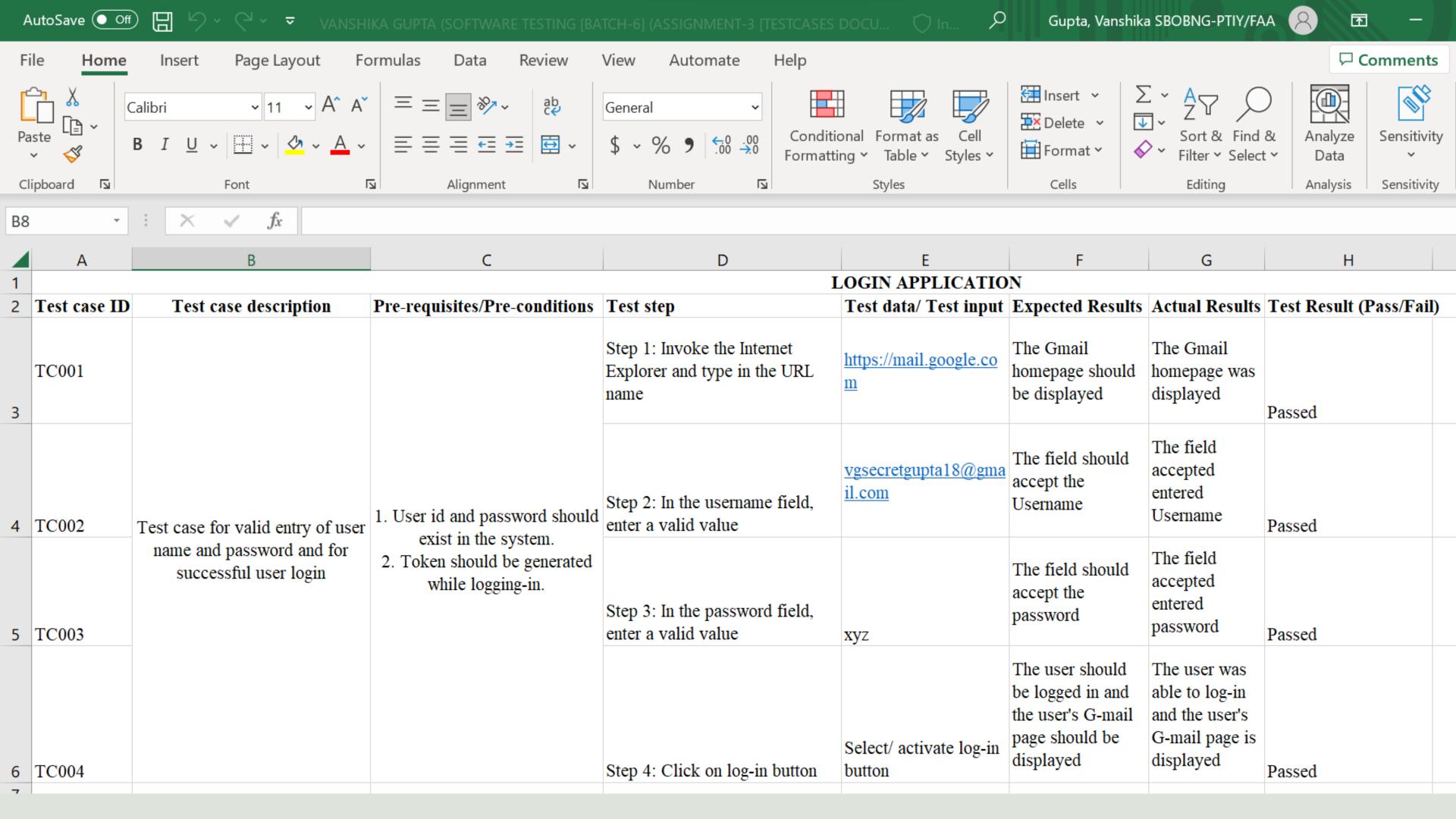
Sprint Review: If the product still has some non-achievable features, it will be checked in this stage and then passed to the Sprint Retrospective stage.

Sprint Retrospective: In this stage quality or status of the product is checked.

Product Backlog: According to the prioritize features the product is organized.

Sprint Backlog: Sprint Backlog is divided into two parts Product assigned features to sprint and Sprint planning meeting.





THANK YOU!

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