

Workflow stages for software development in start-ups

#	Stage	Details
1	Ready for development	 the requirement has been fully understood and documented the stakeholders have given their approval for the work to proceed the development team has reviewed and confirmed the understanding of the requirements
2	Development	 writing new code integrating with existing systems or features testing and debugging refactoring and improving code quality
3	Ready for code review	 the developer has completed the development work and the code is stable automated tests have been run, and manual testing has been performed the code meets the requirements and is free from major issues
4	Code review	 reviewing code to ensure it meets requirements and standards identifying issues, defects, or areas for improvement providing constructive feedback to improve the code quality verifying that the code is correct, complete, and follows best practices
5	Ready for testing	 the code has been completed and reviewed automated tests have been run to verify the functionality of the code manual testing has been planned and scheduled for the next step
6	Testing	 testers plan and prioritize tests to be executed tests are written, including unit tests, integration tests, and UI tests automated tests and manual tests are executed against the codebase testers document and report test results, highlighting defects, errors, or any issues found during testing the development team addresses defects reported by testers, fixing them before the next release



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7	Ready for deploy	 the codebase has been thoroughly tested, reviewed, and validated against the requirements all critical defects have been addressed, and the defect tracking process is complete the code has undergone significant changes, and stability testing has ensured that no major issues exist performance, security, and scalability tests have been executed to ensure the software meets the required standards
8	Deploy	 all necessary tests have been completed, and the software has been thoroughly validated against requirements the environment is prepared for deployment, including configuration, setup, and any necessary scripts or tools a final release candidate is created, which represents the latest version of the software before it's released to production plans are made for post-release activities, such as monitoring, maintenance, and updates
9	Ready for testing on prod	 the codebase has undergone rigorous testing, including unit tests, integration tests, performance testing, security testing, and user acceptance testing the software meets all quality standards and requirements, ensuring it is stable, reliable, and efficient performance issues have been identified and addressed through optimization techniques, such as caching, indexing, and queuing security vulnerabilities have been patched, and security best practices have been implemented to ensure the software is secure
10	Testing on prod	 the software is deployed to production environments, making it available for users end-users test the software to identify any issues, bugs, or usability problems quality assurance teams validate that the software meets all quality standards and requirements automated testing tools are used to execute tests and ensure that the software is working as expected



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11	Need fix after code review	 resolving bugs or defects found during testing addressing technical debt or refactoring code for better maintainability implementing suggested improvements or enhancements
12	Need fix after testing	- the development team indicates that the code needs to be updated or modified to resolve these issues and pass the tests