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## SECTION 2

# UNDERSTANDING SDLC AND DEVOPS

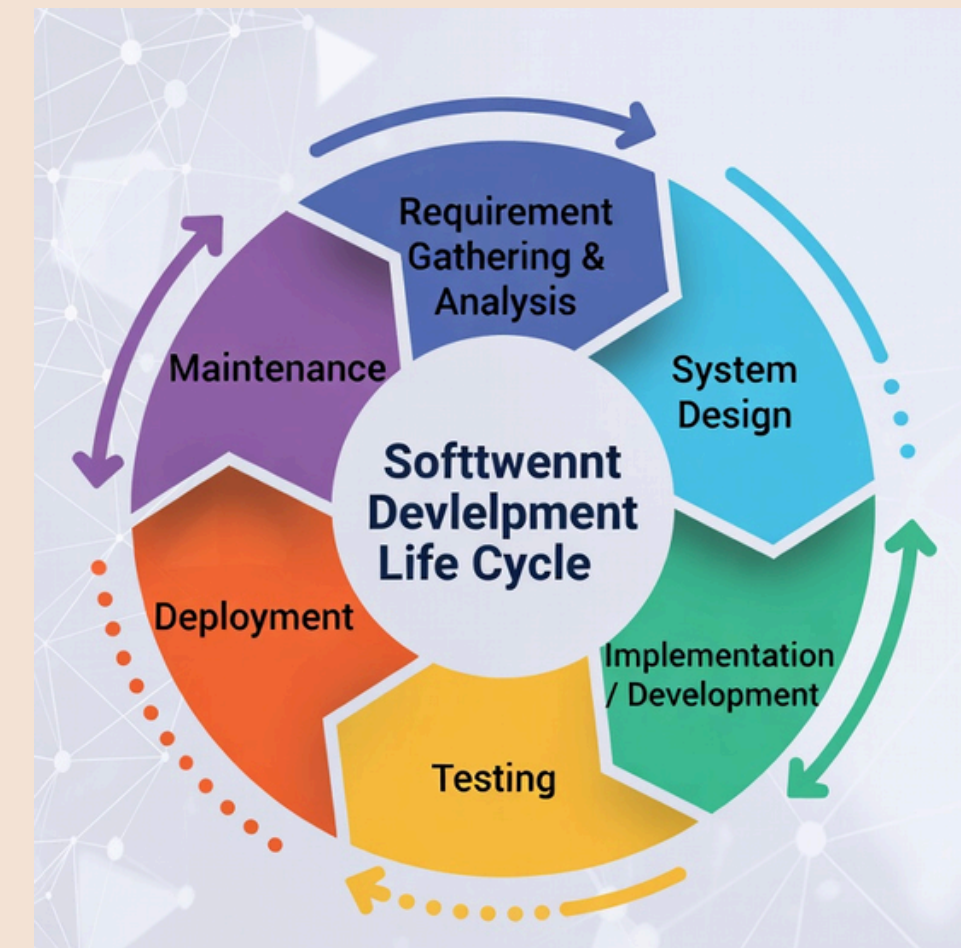
# What is SDLC?

## SDLC - Software Development Life Cycle

The Software Development Life Cycle (SDLC) is a structured process used by software engineers, developers and the entire team to design, develop, test, and deploy software efficiently and systematically. It ensures high-quality software is delivered on time, meets business requirements, and is maintainable over time.

## Phases of SDLC

- Requirement Gathering & Analysis
- System Design
- Implementation / Development
- Testing
- Deployment
- Maintenance



## Phase 1: Requirement Gathering & Analysis

- This is where the planning starts to understand what the client or end-user wants.
- Meet with stakeholders to gather functional and non-functional requirements.
- Document requirements clearly.
- Feasibility study (technical, financial, operational).

## Phase 2: System Design

- This phase defines how the system will meet the requirements.
- High-level architecture (overall system design).
- Low-level design (database schema, module design, APIs).
- Decide technology stack (programming languages, frameworks, tools).

## **Phase 3: Implementation / Development**

- The developers write the code for the software.
- Developers code based on design documents.
- Follow coding standards and version control practices.
- Continuous integration for testing code modules.

## **Phase 4: Testing**

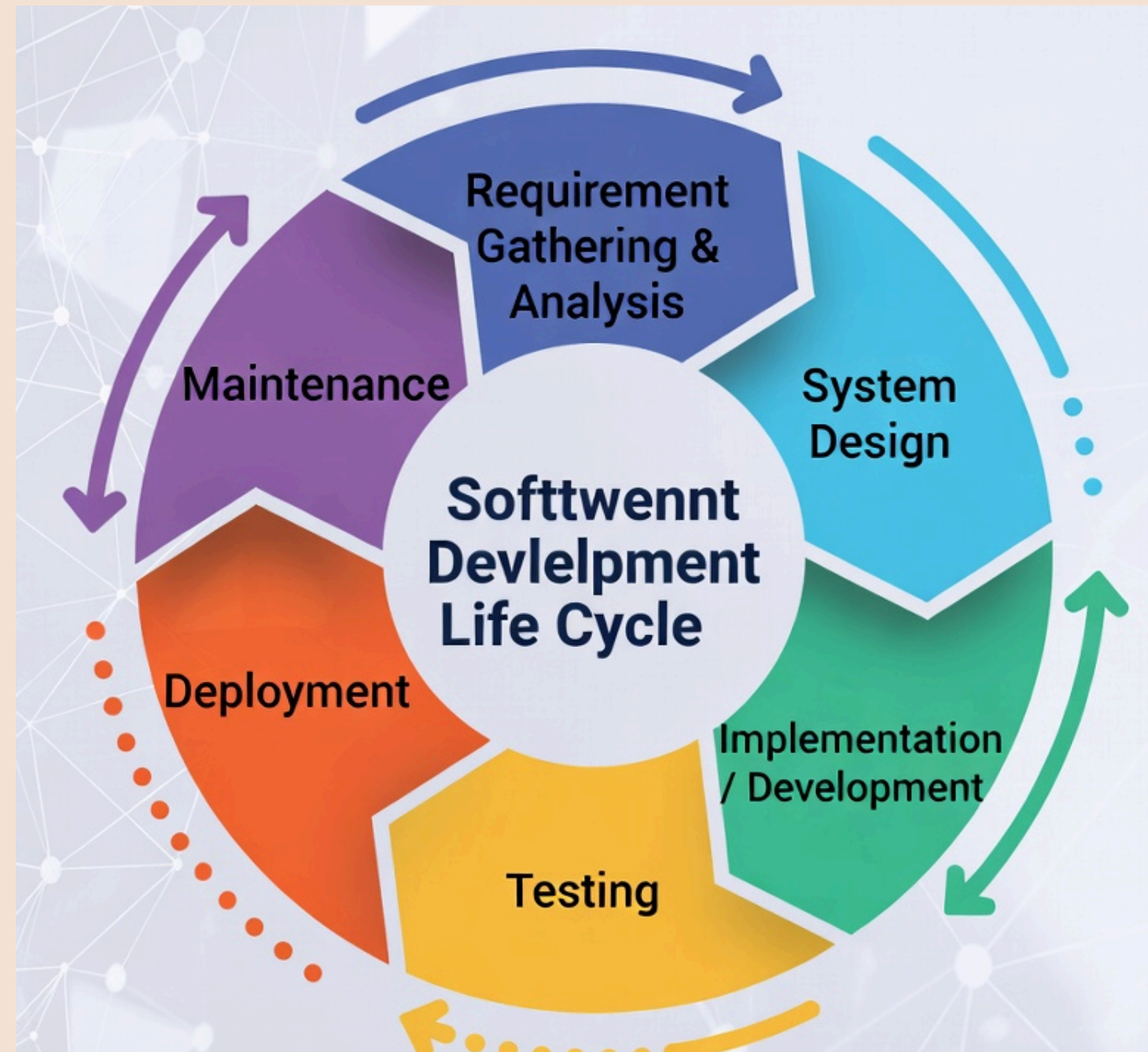
- The team ensures the software works correctly and meets requirements.
- Unit testing.
- Integration testing.
- System testing.
- User Acceptance Testing (UAT) with clients.

## Phase 5: Deployment

- Make the software available to users.
- Deploy software to production servers or app stores.
- Provide user training and documentation.
- Initial monitoring for errors or bugs.

## Phase 6: Maintenance

- Ensure software continues to work and improve over time.
- Fix bugs reported after deployment.
- Update software with new features.
- Optimize performance and security.





# SDLC Phases & Job Roles

## 1. Requirement Gathering & Analysis

- Product Manager / Product Owner
- Business Analyst (BA)
- CEO / CTO
- Customer Support / Operations

## 2. System Design

- UI/UX Designer
- CTO / Technical Architect
- Back-End & Front-End Developers

## 3. Implementation / Development

- Front-End Developer
- Back-End Developer
- Full-Stack Developer
- CTO / Tech Leads

## 4. Testing

- Quality Assurance (QA) / Testers
- Developers
- Product Manager

## 5. Deployment

- DevOps Engineer
- Developers
- CTO

## 6. Maintenance

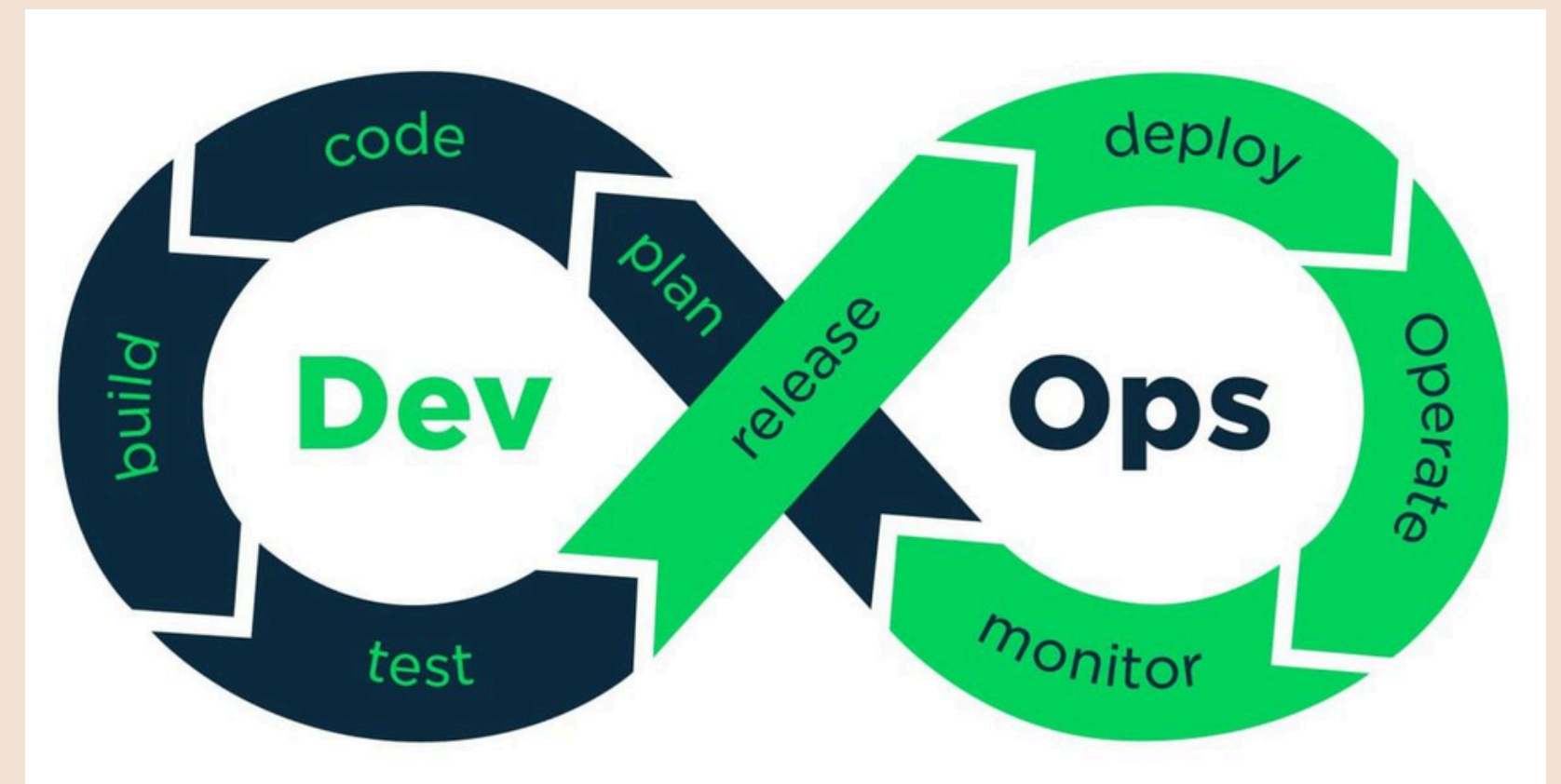
- DevOps Engineer
- Developers
- QA / Testers
- Customer Support / Operations

# DevOps Lifecycle

The DevOps lifecycle is how teams plan, build, release, run, and improve software continuously. It focuses on speed, automation, collaboration, and feedback between developers and operations teams.

## Phase 1: Plan

- Decide what features to build
- Gather user and business requirements
- Create product backlog and timelines
- Align developers and operations on goals





## Phase 2: Code

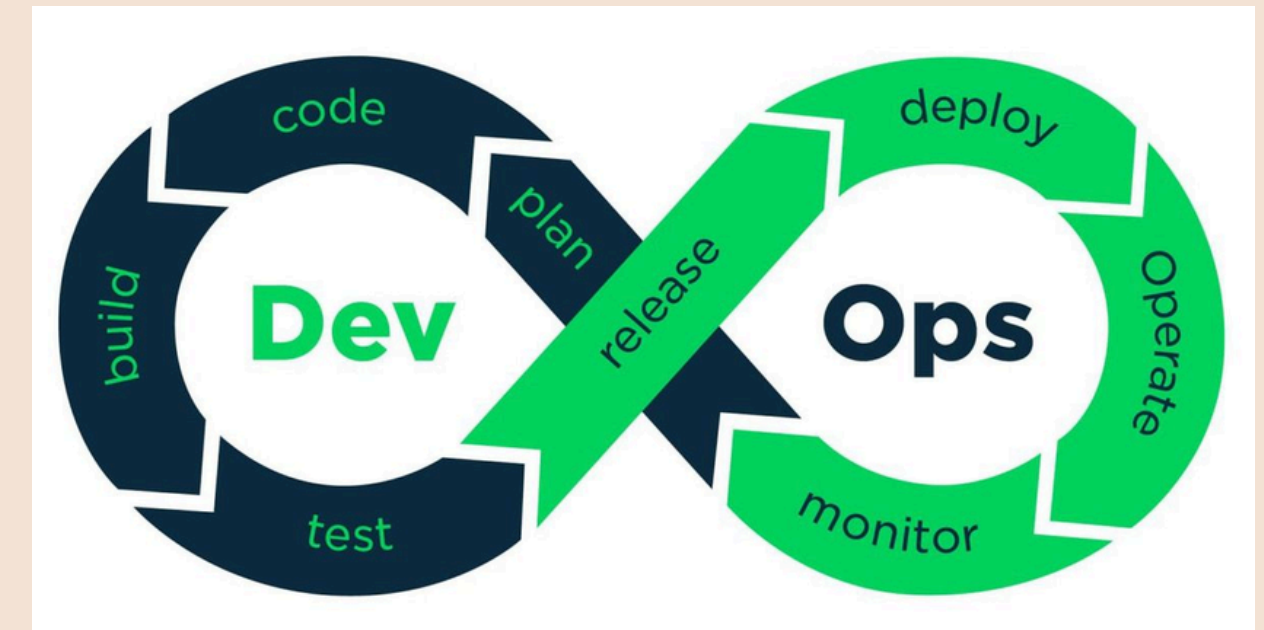
- Developers write application code
- Use version control tools (e.g., Git)
- Review code to ensure quality and standards
- Collaborate as a team on the same codebase

## Phase 3: Build

- Convert source code into a runnable application
- Compile code and resolve dependencies
- Package the application (e.g., Docker images)
- Automate builds using CI tools

## Phase 4: Test

- Run automated and manual tests
- Check for bugs, errors, and performance issues
- Ensure new changes don't break existing features
- Validate software quality before release



## Phase 5: Release

- Run automated and manual tests
- Check for bugs, errors, and performance issues
- Ensure new changes don't break existing features
- Validate software quality before release

## Phase 6: Deploy

- Approve the tested code for production
- Prepare release versions
- Manage release schedules
- Ensure all checks and approvals are completed

## Phase 7: Operate

- Keep the application running smoothly
- Manage servers, cloud infrastructure, and services
- Handle incidents and system failures
- Ensure security and reliability

## Phase 8: Monitor

- Track application performance and uptime
- Monitor errors, logs, and user behavior
- Detect issues early before users complain
- Use feedback to plan improvements

## How DevOps Improves the SDLC Process

- Improves collaboration between teams
- Speeds up software delivery
- Enables Continuous Integration (CI)
- Enables Continuous Delivery/Deployment (CD)
- Improves software quality
- Detects bugs early
- Reduces deployment failures
- Makes deployments consistent
- Improves system reliability
- Enhances monitoring and feedback

SDLC Phase	DevOps Involvement	
Requirements / Analysis	Plan	
Design	Still part of Plan, with continuous feedback	
Development	Code & Build	
Testing	Test	
Deployment	Release & Deploy	
Maintenance	Operate & Monitor	



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