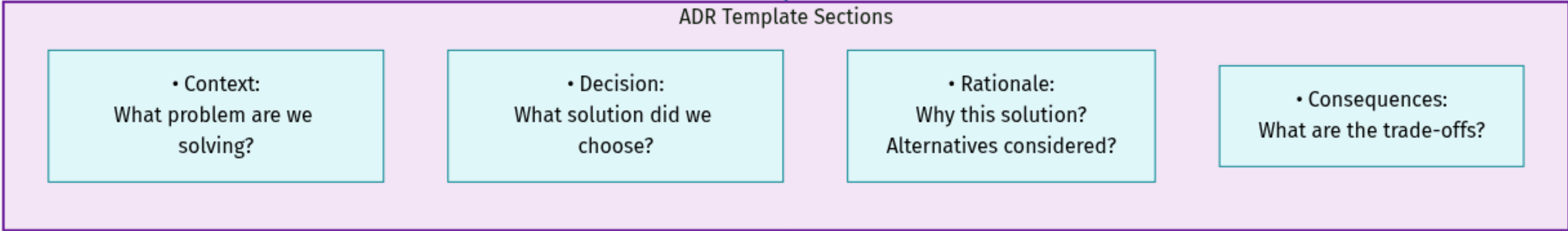


Developer Proposes  
Architectural Change

Step 1:  
Create ADR Draft  
Use template



Step 2:  
Draft Review  
Technical Lead

Feedback:  
Consider security  
implications of choice A

Step 3:  
Stakeholder Review  
Affected Teams

Feedback:  
This impacts our  
deployment pipeline...

Step 4:  
Finalize ADR  
• Address feedback  
• Assign ADR number  
• Commit to git

Step 5:  
Implementation Begins  
ADR referenced in commits

Example commit:  
feat: Implement ADR-042  
MCP-based literature  
search