PenTest Preparation Guide

Maximize your next penetration test by aligning your team, tools, and timing — includes readiness checklist.

When Do You Need a Penetration Test?

- Before going live
- Before SOC 2 / ISO audit
- After major changes to code/infrastructure

What Attackers Typically Look For

- Open ports
- SQL injection points
- Weak passwords
- Exposed APIs

Pre-Test Checklist

- Identify test scope (apps, cloud, API)
- Create test accounts
- Back up all systems
- Inform your team

What to Expect During & After the Test

- Simulated real-world attacks
- Report with findings (CVSS scoring)
- Fix-it recommendations

How to Fix Findings Fast

- Prioritize high-risk issues
- Patch vulnerabilities
- Document remediation steps

Timeline and Cost Tips

Typical test: 1–2 weeks

Cost: \$3K-\$10K depending on scope

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