

# **Why we should utilise CI/CD in our UdaPeople project**

## **CI/CD Proposal**

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## Create revenue

- Faster and more frequent Production Deployments
  - By deploying more frequently and more quickly, we will be able to generate income sooner through releasing our features than if we were not to utilise CI/CD.
- Deploy to production without manual checks
  - Manual checks can be quite time consuming so by using CI/CD we do not need to do those manual check as it will be done for us. This means we can release to market much more quickly and generate income sooner.



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## Protect revenue

- Automated smoke tests
  - By running automated smoke tests, we can reduce our downtime that could occur from either a crash or bug caused by a recent deployment.
- Automated rollback triggered by job failures
  - If any issue should arise in a deployment which causes our feature to go down, having an automated rollback will undo those changes and return our feature back into a working state.

If UdaPeople goes down, so does our revenue. By automating these processes, we protect our revenue from dropping.

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## Control costs

- Catch unit test failures
  - This can help to control costs by picking up on bugs in our code early on, meaning developers can act quickly to fix and spend less time in testing.
- Detect security vulnerabilities
  - This can help us to avoid unexpected costs by preventing any embarrassing or costly security holes.
- Automate infrastructure creation
  - By automating our infrastructure creation, there is less chance of human error which means we will be able to deploy sooner.



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## Reduce costs

- Catch compile errors after merge
  - This can reduce cost as developers will be spending less time working on issues created, freeing them up to work on other important tasks
- Automate infrastructure cleanup
  - By automating our infrastructure cleanup, this will reduce our costs as it will detect any unused resources which can be removed.