

How to write a User Story

User Story is an informal, natural language description of Features of a software system. User Stories are written from the perspective of an end user of a system.

The Why / Reason behind the Feature

The most important part of writing a **User Story** is to know about the **Why**. Knowing the "Why" helps everyone in the team to be more productive.

Writing a descriptive Subject

Story Subject is the first thing the Owner sees. Make sure the subject provides an understandable Big Picture of what needs to be done and why.

As a **<role>** I want to be able to **<goal / need>** so that **<why>**

A Scenario for all Seasons! ;)

Not only the Owner should understand the Scenario but also all members that are involved in MG's Development Cycle of a Feature.

You can pick the following lines:

- **Given:** When system is showing a message
- **When:** When going to the next step
- **And:** Joining two action
- **Then:** A result of action

The more clear, the faster to develop!

Do not underestimate the power of "**Important Notes**" when writing a User Story. Important Notes can be written underneath the Scenario.

Evidence that can help?

Attach useful evidence as much as possible. Don't leave other members, with a bare screenshot, Instead use highlighting/drawing tools to define where you want to point in screenshots.

An example of a User Story:

As a **User** I want to be able to **login** so that **I access the dashboard**

1. **Given:** Please enter your username

2. **Given:** Please enter your password
3. **When:** I enter my username
 1. Input Type Email
4. **And:** I enter my password
 1. Input Type Password
5. **Then:** I click on Login button
 1. Only one click at a request cycle possible
6. **When:** Username & Password match
 1. If not match, See the note
7. **Given:** You have successfully logged in
 1. Show in a green success popup
8. **Then:** I am redirected to the dashboard page

Important Note:

Username & Password doesn't match? Show a proper meaningful message in a popup

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