

[Product / feature name]

Launch Brief & Go-to-Market Strategy

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Product Launch Overview



Instructions: Provide a high-level summary of the launch.

- **Product / Feature Name:** [Product / feature name]
- **Launch Tier:** [Tier 1 / 2 / 3]
- Planned Launch Date: [MM/DD/YYYY] or initial date
- Product Area / Squad: Name of Product Area / Squad
- PM Contact: Name of Product Manager / Owner responsible

- PMM Contact:
- Launch Status: [Planning / In Development / Ready / Live]
- Internal Stakeholders: List them all [Sales, Support, CS, Legal, etc.]
- Customer Segment: [SMB / Mid-Market / Enterprise / Developers]
- Sales Impact: [New Logo / Expansion / Retention]

Product Launch Timeline





Internal release

Product available to internal teams for training, QA, and final enablement asset validation.

Limited release

Feature released to select customers for feedback, usage tracking, and refinement before public launch.

Launch

General availability with full GTM support across marketing, sales, and customer success channels.

Post launch

Performance monitoring, customer feedback analysis, and follow-up activities (e.g., testimonials, iterations).

Product Launch Goals & KPIs



Instructions: Clarify what success looks like.

Strategic Objective:	[Retention, Acquisition, Market Differentiation, etc.]
Primary KPIs:	Feature adoption within X days Revenue influenced / pipeline created % increase in engagement or NPS
Secondary KPIs:	Demo requests CTR on launch comms Usage by persona/segment

Problems & Opportunities



Instructions: Describe the market problem and the opportunity the product addresses.

Customer Problem Statement:	What pain point are we solving? How do customers experience it today?
Opportunity:	What are we enabling or unlocking for the customer?
Market Context:	Data, quotes, trends that validate the opportunity

Personas & Use Cases

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Instructions: Define who you are building for.

Primary Personas: [e.g., Head of Finance, Bookkeeper, Developer]	Goals: Challenges: Tech Stack: Motivators:
Use Cases:	[Use Case 1]: Describe scenario [Use Case 2]: Describe scenario
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Target Market & ICP Fit



Instructions: Define the market and customer profiles most aligned with this launch.

Ideal Customer Profile (ICP):	Industry:
	Size:
	Maturity level:
	Geography:
Customer Segments	[SMB / Mid-market / Enterprise]
Targeted	[Net new / Existing / Specific regions]
Market Readiness	Are customers educated and demanding this? Or is it disruptive?

Product Summary



Instructions: Define what is being launched.

Name and description:	1-2 lines
What it does:	Description of the job-to-be-done of this product or feature.
How it works:	High-level description of how it works.
Key capabilities and limitations	Bullet lists or sentences

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Value proposition:	What problem are we solving?
Target market:	Who are we solving this for?
Our differentiator:	What's unique or why are we best suited to pursue this?
Product benefits:	What benefits do the customers get? Name them all.

Key Messaging & Positioning



Instructions: Translate the product into market-facing messaging.

Positioning Statement:	Use the following formula: "For [target persona], who [problem], [product] is a [category] that [value proposition]. Unlike [competitive alternative], it [differentiator]".
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Competitive Landscape

Instructions: Compare with other solutions from competitors.



Competitor Name	Why We Win	Watchouts / Gaps to Acknowledge
[Competitor Name]	For each row, write a concise and compelling statement of how your solution delivers value. Prioritise clarity over buzzwords as the battlecard is used in sales calls.	List strengths or claims your competitor make in the market in that category (pull from sales enablement, analyst reports, or marketing collateral).
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Pricing & Packaging



Instructions: Describe how this fits into your commercial model.

Packaging:	Is this part of an existing plan or a new SKU?
Pricing Structure:	Per user / per usage / flat rate Free vs. paid tiers Discounting guidelines (if any)
Monetization Strategy:	Freemium to Paid? Retention play?

Cross-Functional Launch Readiness Checklist



Instructions: Track cross-functional GTM alignment.

Tasks	Collateral	Function	Status	Notes
Product Alignment	Product Brief / Data Sheet / Release Note	Product Management / Documentation	TO DO / ONGOING / DONE	
Sales Enablement	Deck / Playbooks / Internal FAQ / Training	Sales / CS / SUPPORT	TO DO / ONGOING / DONE	
Legal	Terms / billing	Legal / Finance	TO DO / ONGOING / DONE	
Ops / CRM	Product IDs, SFDC mappings	Sales Operations / Marketing Operations	TO DO / ONGOING / DONE	
Announcement	Email / In-app messages / LinkedIn	Marketing Automation / Brand Marketing	TO DO / ONGOING / DONE	
Brand	Video	Graphic Design / Brand Marketing	TO DO / ONGOING / DONE	

Marketing & Enablement Plan



Instructions: Plan your GTM tactics across the funnel. Include dates and links to each of them.

Launch Tiers & Channels:	Website update - DATE [MM/DD/YYYY] In-app messaging - DATE [MM/DD/YYYY] Email - DATE [MM/DD/YYYY]
	Blog - DATE [MM/DD/YYYY] Social, PR - DATE [MM/DD/YYYY] Webinars or events - DATE [MM/DD/YYYY]
Sales Materials:	Pitch decks - DATE [MM/DD/YYYY] One-pagers - DATE [MM/DD/YYYY] Competitive battlecards - DATE [MM/DD/YYYY]
Training:	Internal walkthroughs - DATE [MM/DD/YYYY] LMS or videos - DATE [MM/DD/YYYY]

Post-Launch Success Tracking

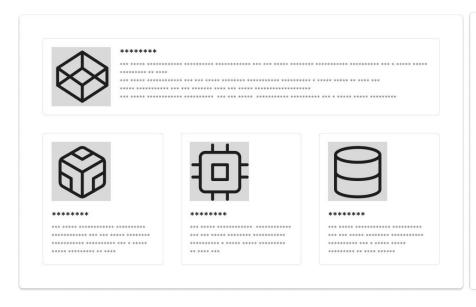


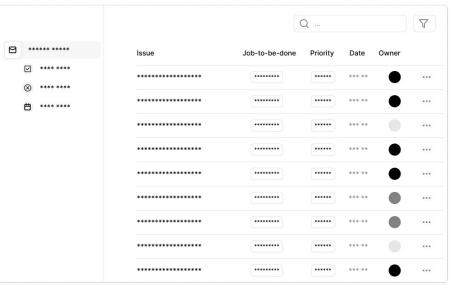
Instructions: Define what will be tracked and how. Include the owner and the cadence (how often they will be reviewed) or last time reviewed..

KPI to Monitor:	Adoption: Feature usage: Support tickets: Qualitative feedback:	Owner	Last time reviewed DATE [MM/DD/YYYY]
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Appendix: Screenshots or Prototypes

Instructions: Include links to Figma or prototypes or screenshots to showcase the product





Appendix: Case Study (Early Access Program)



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Customer's name and user's name and title:	State name of the customer (company) and user's name and title.
Location and industry:	Location, Industry:
Use case:	Customer quote or stats Use case and benefits