

# User Story Testing

## Positive feature validations alongside defect reports for full release confidence

Bug reports contain information that allows you to identify exactly where and when a bug occurs- but what if there are no bugs reported from a test cycle? Ideally, this means that testers tested everything in scope and identified zero defects - but you still lack concrete positive confirmation of functionality.

With the addition of User Story testing to the test IO platform, there is no need to rely on trust. Verify feature functionality with positive validations natively within standard test IO test cycles.

User Stories			
Submit bugs (exploratory test)	1	60	
User Stories	4	60	6
A tester can see how many available user stories are left per feature	1	8	1
Precondition: The related feature has to be marked as "read": A tester can perform user story testing within tests where User Stories are in scope.	1	9	
A tester can submit the results for a User Story as "success", "failed" or "blocked"	2	6	2
A tester can see the User Story details when the feature is expanded that contains User Stories		10	
A User Story that was already tested is indicated with a color (green for "success, red for "failed" & "blocked")	9		1
A User Story can only be tested once	9		1
A User Story can't be tested when the feature is not marked as read	9		1

“Before User Stories, test IO told me what wasn’t working on our app, but I was left unsure whether each tester was able to complete a specific task or not. Now we get the positive validations my team needs for release confidence.”

### What you need to run a User Story Test

- Defined User Stories for each feature you want to test

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### What you get from a User Story Test

- Knowledge of whether or not users can complete the core flows of your product
- Increased confidence in exploratory tests

