Product Development Roadmap

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Phase	Milestones	Description	Timeline	Responsible
Idea Generation and Concept Development				
Market Research	Conduct market research to identify needs and opportunities	Analyse market trends, customer needs, and competitor products to find opportunities	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Brainstorming Sessions	Generate new product ideas	Organise sessions with key stakeholders to come up with innovative product ideas	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Feasibility Study	Assess technical, financial, and market feasibility	Evaluate the technical requirements, financial viability, and market potential of the proposed product	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Concept Development	Define product concept, features, and benefits	Develop a clear and detailed product concept including its features, benefits, and unique selling propositions	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Product Design and Prototyping				
Initial Design	Create initial sketches and design concepts	Create preliminary design sketches and concepts to visualise the product	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Prototyping	Develop a functional prototype	Build a functional prototype to test the initial design and concept	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
User Testing	Conduct user testing to gather feedback	Test the prototype with potential users to gather feedback on usability, functionality, and design	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Design Iteration	Refine the design based on user feedback	Make necessary design changes based on the feedback received from user testing	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Development and Testing				
Detailed Design	Create detailed product specifications	Develop comprehensive design specifications that will guide the development process	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Engineering Development	Develop the product with engineering teams	Collaborate with engineering teams to develop the product according to the detailed design specifications	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Alpha Testing	Conduct initial testing to identify major issues	Perform internal testing to identify and fix significant issues before broader testing	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]

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Beta Testing	Perform broader testing with a select group of users	Conduct beta testing with a wider group of users to identify and resolve any remaining issues	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Production Planning				
Manufacturing Plan	Develop a manufacturing plan, including sourcing materials and production methods	Plan the manufacturing process, including sourcing materials, selecting production methods, and setting up logistics	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Supplier Selection	Select and contract suppliers and manufacturers	Identify and contract reliable suppliers and manufacturers for the production process	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Pilot Production	Run a small-scale production to test the manufacturing process	Conduct a pilot production run to test the manufacturing process and identify any potential issues	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Launch Preparation				
Marketing Plan	Develop a marketing strategy and plan	Create a comprehensive marketing plan that outlines strategies for promoting and selling the product	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Sales Strategy	Create a sales strategy and prepare the sales team	Develop a sales strategy and train the sales team to effectively sell the product	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Distribution Plan	Plan for product distribution and logistics	Plan the distribution and logistics for delivering the product to customers	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Launch Readiness	Ensure all aspects of the product and organisation are ready for launch	Perform final checks to ensure everything is ready for the product launch	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Product Launch				
Product Release	Launch the product to the market	Officially release the product to the market	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Marketing Campaign	Execute the marketing campaign	Implement the marketing campaign to promote the product	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]
Sales Initiation	Begin sales and distribution	Start selling and distributing the product	[Start Date] [End Date]	[Person/Team]

	Plan and execute a product launch	Organise and host an event to celebrate and	[Start Date]	
Launch Event	event	promote the product launch	[End Date]	[Person/Team]
Post-Launch Activities				
	Collect and analyse customer	Gather feedback from customers to understand	[Start Date]	
Customer Feedback	feedback	their experience and satisfaction	[End Date]	[Person/Team]
	Provide customer support and	Offer support to customers and resolve any issues	[Start Date]	
Product Support	address issues	they encounter	[End Date]	[Person/Team]
Performance	Monitor product performance and	Track the product's performance in the market and	[Start Date]	
Monitoring	sales	analyse sales data	[End Date]	[Person/Team]
		Make continuous improvements to the product		
Continuous	Implement improvements based on	based on customer feedback and performance	[Start Date]	
Improvement	feedback and performance data	analysis	[End Date]	[Person/Team]

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