

Adoption Dashboard Spec

Metrics and cadence that make adoption visible
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What This Is

A spec for tracking adoption, drift, and release confidence over time. Use this when leadership wants proof that the system improves velocity and quality.

Core Metrics

ADOPTION

Component coverage	System components / Total components	>80%
Team adoption	Teams using DS / Total teams	100%
Surface coverage	Screens with DS / Total screens	>90%

QUALITY

Drift score	Token violations + detached instances	<5 per surface
A11y pass rate	Components passing WCAG / Total	100%
Regression rate	Bugs in DS components / Total bugs	<10%

VELOCITY

Time to first component	Minutes from install to shipped UI	<30 min
Request to release	Days from request to production	<14 days
PR review time	Hours from PR to merge	<24 hours

ENGAGEMENT

Contribution rate	External PRs / month	>2
Doc page views	Unique visitors / week	Growing
Support tickets	Questions + bugs / week	Decreasing

Reporting Cadence

Daily:	Automated drift detection, CI checks
Weekly:	Team adoption dashboard, support ticket review
Monthly:	Full metrics report, stakeholder review
Quarterly:	Trend analysis, roadmap adjustment, leadership presentation