

# It's Not Just an Update: Using Status Reporting to Expand Collaboration

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As a tester, you have undoubtedly encountered the question, "How's your testing coming along?" If you are anything like I use to be, that question sometimes brings out some interesting mumbles, shrugs, and excuses for meetings "I'm late for."

A couple years ago, I developed a heuristic to help me deal with questions of status, and now I answer status questions with confidence. In this talk, I cover the key elements I use to increase team collaboration using status reports. I also look at some collaborative techniques for practicing status reporting, to better develop the skill over time.