

Parallel Development Checklist

Managing multiple features simultaneously

When to Go Parallel:

- Feature A is blocked (waiting on data, review, etc.)
- Features are independent (no code overlap)
- You're comfortable with Git branches
- You can track 2-3 things at once

The 3-Branch Rule:

Keep maximum 3 active feature branches:

- Branch 1: Active development
- Branch 2: In review or waiting
- Branch 3: Testing or polishing

Workflow:

```
git checkout -b feature-auth      # Start feature 1  
[Build until blocked]
```

```
git checkout -b feature-export    # Start feature 2  
[Build while feature 1 waits]
```

```
git checkout feature-auth         # Back to feature 1  
[Now unblocked, continue]
```

```
git checkout main  
git merge feature-auth           # Ship feature 1
```

Merge fast, branch often, stay organized.