

NEXTLEVEL

Prework for Joule Agent Discovery and Design Workshops

Use Case Ideation Workbook



What scenarios or processes in your company or area should be automated or streamlined?

- Think about **5 scenarios** you'd wish to automate or streamline.
- Describe each automation scenario idea by answering the 3 questions on the side.
- Use the **Agentic AI Use Case Ideation** cards to inspire scenario ideas that could benefit from agentic technology.



<p>What...</p> <p>scenario or process do you need to automate or streamline?</p>	<p>Who...</p> <p>will be helped with the automation? (team or role)</p>	<p>Why...</p> <p>is the automation necessary?</p>
<p>Examples:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Resolution of customer complaints 2. Preparing a customer visit 	<p>Examples:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Customer Service Employees 2. Sales Representatives 	<p>Examples:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Improve customer satisfaction due to faster resolution of issues 2. Reduce prep time, uncover valuable insights, and boost meeting relevance

Think about **multi-step scenarios** with **high variability**, where results and decisions require **interpretation to be figured out** rather than being driven by clear rules, and that involve **updating, writing, and executing actions** in one or across multiple systems.

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When do you need to manually **handle unpredictable situations and make smart adjustments** based on reasoning?



HANDLING UNPREDICTABLE SITUATIONS AND MAKING SMART ADJUSTMENTS

EXAMPLE SCENARIO

Resolving Invoice Processing Issues

You are a finance manager, and a **supplier invoice fails to process**, but **it's unclear why**. You must check payment details, verify discrepancies in contract terms, review approvals, and **decide whether to escalate or override the issue**—all while ensuring payments stay on track. Every step **requires judgment** to balance compliance, risk, and business continuity.

When do you need to manually **bridge gaps across different systems and domains?**



BRIDGING GAPS ACROSS DIFFERENT SYSTEMS AND DOMAINS

EXAMPLE SCENARIO

Managing Shipment Delays

You are a logistics manager, and a shipment is delayed. You must update the tracking system, e-mail the customer, adjust delivery schedules, and inform the warehouse—all by **switching between different platforms and sending manual updates**. The process is slow, and delays keep piling up.

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When do you need to manually **create, refine or execute code or content** in response to changing situations?

CREATING, REFINING OR EXECUTING CODE OR CONTENT DYNAMICALLY

EXAMPLE SCENARIO

Personalizing on-boarding training

You are an HR manager onboarding new hires. You review employee profiles and training progress data daily. When you see differences in their learning needs, you **manually compile a request to adjust their personalized learning paths and content in your corporate learning system.** This multi-step process is slow and error-prone.



When do you need to manually **process and interpret large amounts of unstructured data** to decide next steps?

INTERPRETING LARGE AMOUNTS OF UNSTRUCTURED DATA

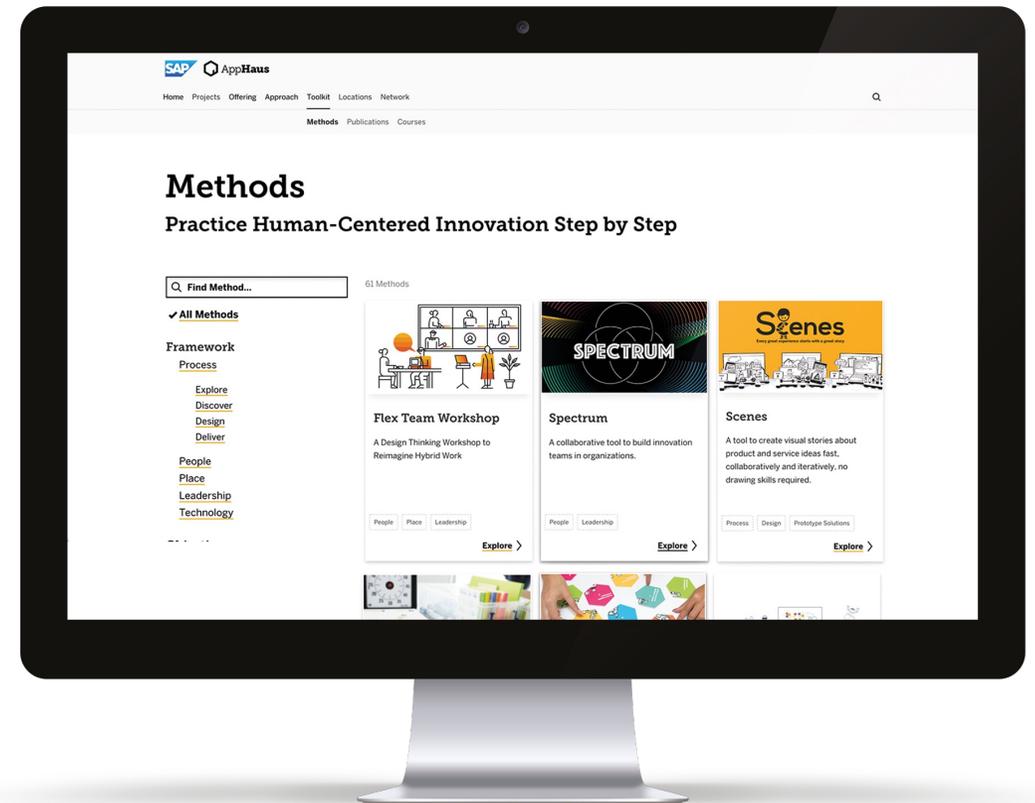
EXAMPLE SCENARIO

Processing Insurance Claims

You are an insurance claims manager handling **hundreds of claim emails daily.** Each contains unstructured details about accidents and damages. Your team reads through every email, extracts relevant details, and manually **converts that information into a structured claim format.** This manual process is slow, prone to errors, and delays the overall claims processing cycle.



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