Ideation Phase Define the Problem Statements

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Customer Problem Statement Template:



Customer Problem Statement – HouseHunt

Template Purpose:

This template helps define the rental challenges from the **customer's perspective**—whether they are renters searching for a home or property owners listing their property. A wellcrafted problem statement enables the team to focus on real needs, build empathy, and design meaningful solutions.

Customer Problem Statement (for Renters):

"As a renter, I struggle to find reliable and verified rental properties in my preferred location." Existing platforms either lack local listings, do not allow detailed filtering by budget or amenities, or feel overwhelming and difficult to use. I need a simple, trustworthy, and mobile-friendly way to discover, compare, and book my ideal home—without having to depend on agents or scattered sources."

Customer Problem Statement (for Property Owners):

"As a property owner, I find it difficult to showcase my rental listings to the right audience. I need a centralized platform where I can easily manage property details, track inquiries, and communicate with potential tenants, all while ensuring my listings are visible and trusted by genuine users."

l am	Describe customer with 3-4 key characteristics - who are they?	Describe the customer and their attributes here
I'm trying to	List their outcome or "Job" the care about - what are they trying to achieve?	List the thing they are trying to achieve here
but	Describe what problems or barriers stand in the way – what bothers them most?	Describe the problems or barriers that get in the way here
because	Enter the "root cause" of why the problem or barrier exists – what needs to be solved?	Describe the reason the problems or barriers exist
which makes me feel	Describe the emotions from the customer's point of view – how does it impact them emotionally?	Describe the emotions the result from experiencing the problems or barriers

Reference: https://miro.com/templates/customer-problem-statement/

Example:



Problem Statement (PS)	I am (Customer)	I'm trying to	But	Because	Which makes me feel
PS-1	A college student relocating to a new city	Find a budget- friendly rental home near my college	Most listings are outdated or scattered across multiple websites	There is no centralized, trustworthy platform with verified listings	Frustrated, confused, and anxious about housing
PS-2	A property owner with multiple rental units	List and manage my properties easily online	I don't have a dedicated platform to track inquiries or update availability	Most sites are not owner- friendly or lack dashboard support	Disconnected and unsure if my listings are reaching the right people