

Ideation Phase

Brainstorm & Idea Prioritization


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Project Name	Strategic Product placement Analysis: Unveiling sales Impact with Tableau visualization
Maximum Marks	4 Marks

Brainstorm & Idea Prioritization Template:

Brainstorming provides a free and open environment that encourages everyone within a team to participate in the creative thinking process that leads to problem solving. Prioritizing volume over value, out-of-the-box ideas are welcome and built upon, and all participants are encouraged to collaborate, helping each other develop a rich amount of creative solutions.




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Step-1: Team Gathering, Collaboration and Select the Problem Statement




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 10 minutes to prepare
 1 hour to collaborate
 2-8 people recommended

 **Before you collaborate**

A little bit of preparation goes a long way with this session. Here's what you need to do to get going.

 10 minutes

A Team gathering
Define who should participate in the session and send an invite. Share relevant information or pre-work ahead.


B Set the goal
Think about the problem you'll be focusing on solving in the brainstorming session.

C Learn how to use the facilitation tools
Use the Facilitation Superpowers to run a happy and productive session.

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1 Define your problem statement

What problem are you trying to solve? Frame your problem as a How Might We statement. This will be the focus of your brainstorm.

 5 minutes







PROBLEM

How might we [your problem statement]?



Key rules of brainstorming

To run a smooth and productive session

-  Stay in topic.
-  Encourage wild ideas.
-  Defer judgment.
-  Listen to others.
-  Go for volume.
-  If possible, be visual.

Step-2: Brainstorm, Idea Listing and Grouping

1 Brainstorm

Person 1

- Analyze sales performance by product position (Aisle, End-cap, Front of Store)
- Compare total sales using SUM (Sales Volume) in Tableau

Person 2

- Examine impact of foot traffic on sales
- Identify whether high traffic always leads to high revenue

Person 3

- Evaluate promotion impact (Promotion: Yes vs No)
- Measure increase in sales due to promotional campaigns

Person 4

- Analyze category performance by placement.
- Compare pricing difference with competitor pricing

2 Group ideas

Take turns sharing your ideas while clustering similar or related notes as you go. Once all sticky notes have been grouped, give each cluster a thematic label. If a cluster is bigger than six sticky notes, try and see if you break it up into smaller sub-groups. 🗂️

🕒 20 minutes

TIP

Use thematic labels that are straightforward and clear. Aim for 4-6 groups that represent the key factors affecting the business problem.

1. Product Placement Effectiveness

- Compare Aisle vs End-cap vs Front of Store
- Identify highest sales-generating position
- Measure visibility impact on revenue

2. Foot Traffic & Consumer Behavior

- Analyze Low, Medium, High traffic areas
- Study relationship between traffic and sales
- Understand customer movement patterns

3. Promotion Strategy Impact

- Compare Promotion (Yes vs No)
- Measure promotional sales increase
- Evaluate discount effectiveness

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4. Pricing & Competitive Analysis

- Calculate Price Difference
- Compare pricing vs competitor
- Analyze price impact on sales volume

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Step 3 idea prioritization

