

📺 Build Epic Startups: NotebookLM + Gemini 2.5 Workflow

I follow this video step by step. I wrote down the main steps and all PROMPTS below.

Notebook LM

- Start a new notebook
- Discover Sources
 - PROMPT: **Find sources on sites such as Reddit, Quora, and niche forums to find user pain points regarding <TOPIC OF INTEREST>.**
 - personal finance apps and monitoring cash transactions
 - Read the title and description of each source provided and double check it meets your criteria.
 - I got one talking about how to find pain points in general and not addressing my topic. I deselected it.
 - Another source was a thread about buying a motorcycle. I deselected it.
 - Rename all generated sources with "USER: " at the front to easily select and deselect when needed.
- Discover Sources again
 - PROMPT: **Please gather studies from leading consulting firms and other credible sources on <TOPIC OF INTEREST>. I'm looking for insights on industry trends and related developments from the past 18 months. Please exclude anything published before 2024.**
 - Rename all generated sources with "TRENDS: " at the front to easily select and deselect when needed.
- Discover Sources again
 - PROMPT: **I'm looking for the most successful <TOPIC OF INTEREST> software. Please return only the homepage or app page of fast-growing startups or established market leaders. I'm not looking for articles or listicles-just direct links to their main product pages.**
 - Rename all generated sources with "COMP: " at the front to easily select and deselect when needed.
- Pain Points
 - Select all USER sources
 - PROMPT: **Please analyze the pain points listed in these sources.**
 - Scroll to the bottom.
 - Save to note
 - Select note in the right side menu
 - Convert to source
 - Rename "USER: Pain Points"

- Industry Analysis
 - Deselect USER sources
 - Select TRENDS sources
 - PROMPT: **Please return an aggregate of the user trends in the <TOPIC OF INTEREST> software space, especially as it relates to the conversation above.**
 - Scroll to bottom
 - Save to notes
 - Select note in the right side menu
 - Convert to source
 - Rename "TRENDS: Summary"
- Refresh chat
- Select USER: Pain Points, and TRENDS: Summary sources
 - PROMPT 1: **Using the selected sources, please outline the key features for an app that addresses the identified concerns.**
 - PROMPT 2: **What's your recommendation for a simple, buildable MVP version for this product?**
 - PROMPT 3: **Based on that, please write a complete prompt I can use to generate the initial build. Be sure to include all necessary technical details. The app should be developed in JavaScript.**
 - Scroll to the bottom
 - Copy

Gemini

- Paste prompt from Notebook LM
 - Delete the first part which is just a copy of PROMPT 3
 - Select canvas option
 - RUN
 - Did not show an app in the Preview.
 - Selected Fix errors
 - Gemini fixed its errors and gave me a preview.
1. I realized from the Preview, that the AI has built an app beyond the basic functions i was looking for.
 2. Must look into all the App features and functions to see what I like.
 3. Will definitely need to change the visuals as it feels like an old Fidelity website.
 4. I might need to change the wording of my <TOPIC OF INTEREST>
 5. Uploading to GitHub as this is the first iteration of code I have.
 - a. "Tabs_Gemini_MVP_1.js"