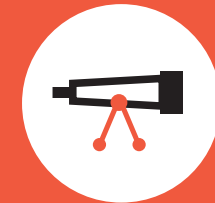


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INNOVATION FLOWCHART

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Nesta (2013) Innovation Flowchart.

LEVEL OF INVOLVEMENT



MORE COMPLEX TOOL that should ideally be done over a few days. Given the strategic nature of the inputs/outputs, this needs consultations with seniors, peers and ideally needs to be revised after a first pass.

What is it & why should I do it?

The **Innovation Flowchart** gives a detailed overview of the various stages in an innovation process, listing the activities, requirements and goals of each stage. These include an overview of the different people, skills, activities and finances that a project or an organisation might need in order to succeed. The structured overview this tool provides, helps to review where you are in the process, and to organise the next steps in your work.

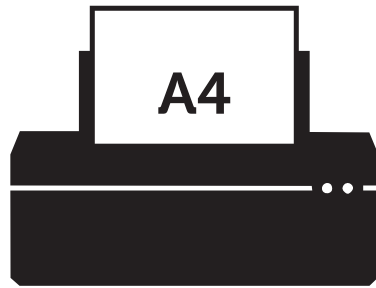
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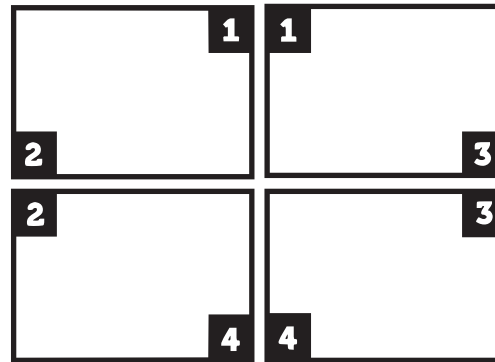
The worksheet gives an overview of the various stages in an innovation process, and it lists stage by stage the activities, requirements and goals of each stage. Use this overview to check where you are in the process, and whether you have thought of all the aspects that need consideration. This check may help you to identify what aspects need special attention. The overview comes with a handy reference to the tools and activities that can support you in each stage.

STAGE	SPECIALIST SKILLS REQUIRED	EXAMPLE ACTIVITIES & TOOLS	RISK LEVEL AND HANDLING	FINANCE REQUIRED	KINDS OF EVIDENCE GENERATED	GOAL
1 Exploring opportunities & challenges	→	→	→	→	→	→
2 Generating ideas	→	→	→	→	→	→
3 Developing & testing	→	→	→	→	→	→
4 Making the case	→	→	→	→	→	→
5 Delivering and implementing	→	→	→	→	→	→
6 Growing, scaling and spreading	→	→	→	→	→	→
7 Changing systems	→	→	→	→	→	→

DOWNLOAD AND ASSEMBLE THE WORKSHEET IN DIFFERENT SIZES



1 Download the PDF file and print it in a normal A4 printer.



2 Align the worksheet prints according to the numbered boxes along the edge of the sheets.



3 Join the aligned prints with cello tape or tacks and get started!

SIZE AND ORIENTATION GUIDE

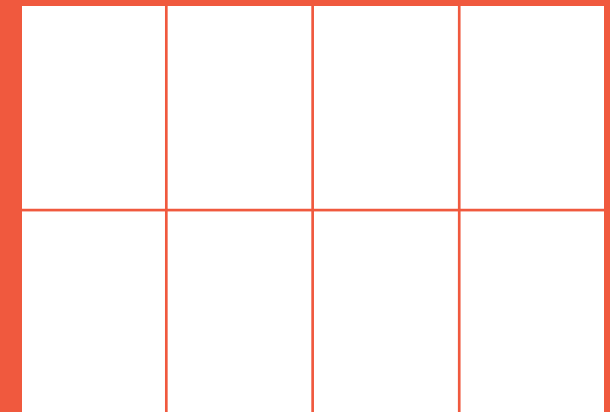
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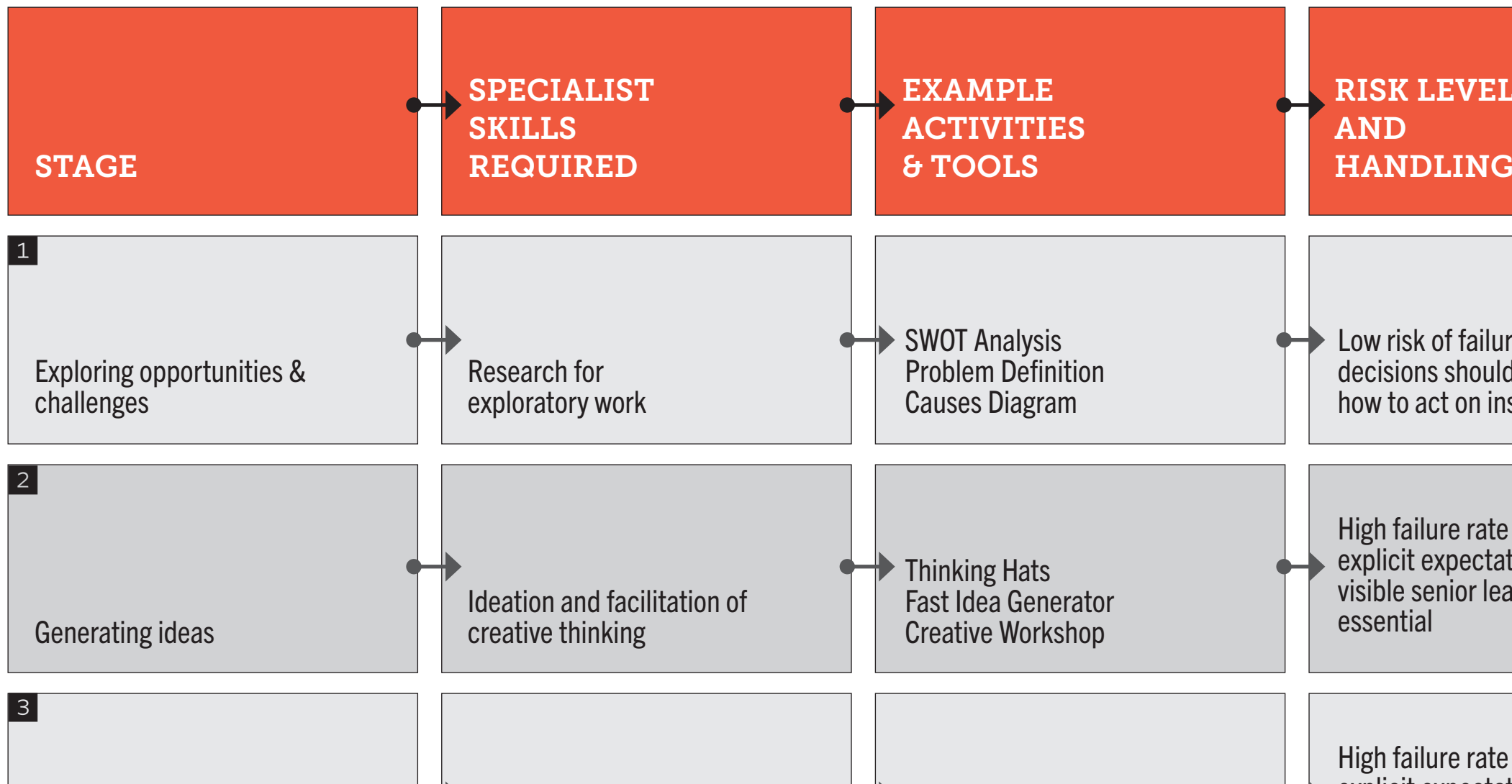
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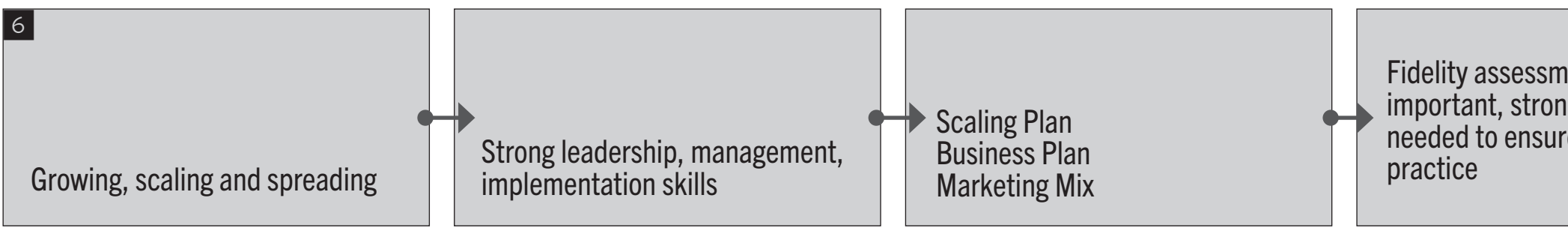
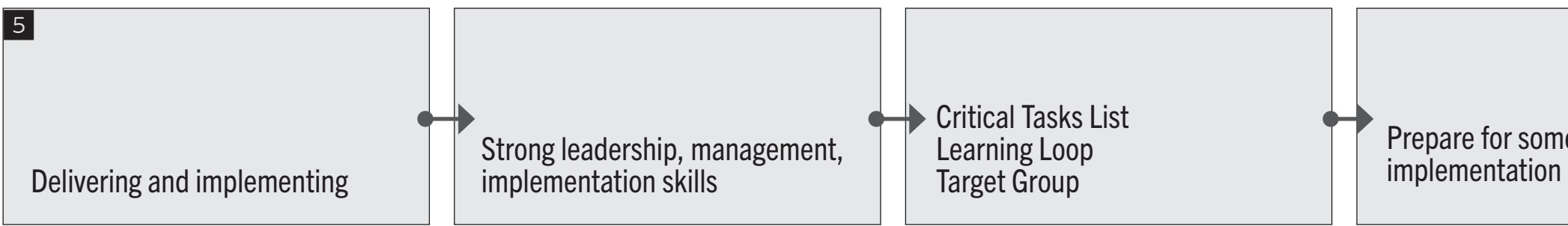
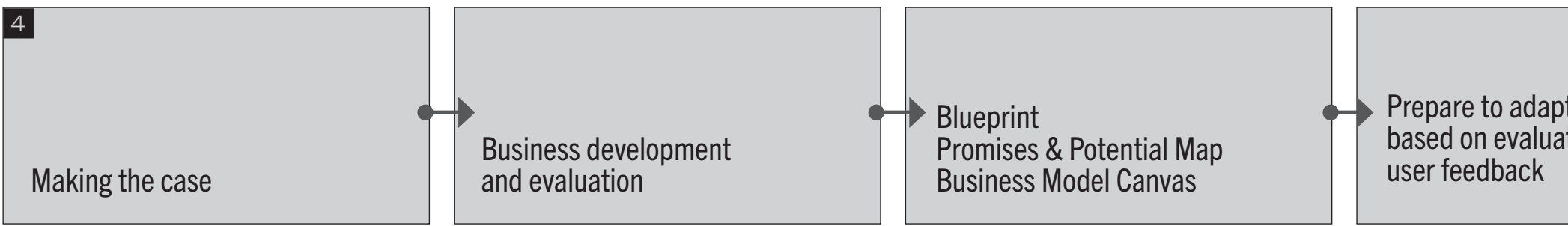
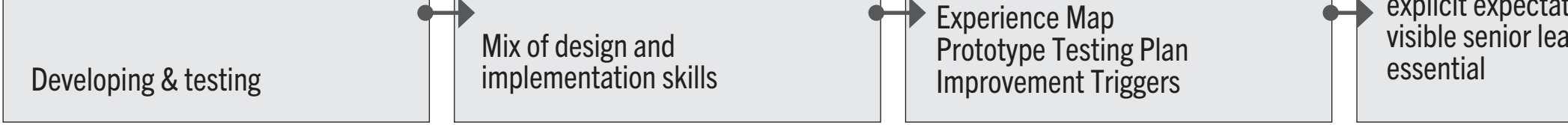


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