

Pathway: High Synthesis, Low Agent Collaboration

Your Profile

You're strong at extracting meaning from AI output but haven't explored working with AI agents or multi-agent systems. This is the most common profile in the community.

Recommended Sequence

1. Start with [AC-Basic-01](#) — Get your feet wet with agent-based thinking
2. Then [AC-Intermediate-01](#) — Apply your synthesis skills to multi-agent output
3. Then [IS-Intermediate-01](#) — Level up your strongest pillar
4. Stretch: [AC-Advanced-01](#) — Design an agent workflow

Common Pitfalls

- **Treating agent collaboration as "just multi-prompting."** You're good at getting insights from AI, so you may assume agent collaboration is just more of the same. It's not — it's about designing roles, managing handoffs, and building systems. The mental shift from "getting answers" to "orchestrating agents" is the hard part.
- **Over-synthesizing, under-building.** Your strength in synthesis can keep you in analysis mode — reading, comparing, evaluating — without moving to building actual workflows. At some point, you need to design and run a multi-agent process, not just think about it.
- **Skipping the basic agent exercise.** If you score high on Insight Synthesis, you may feel that [AC-Basic-01](#) is beneath you. It's not. The exercise introduces a mental model (role-based AI interaction) that's fundamentally different from single-query synthesis work. Don't skip the foundation.
- **Applying old patterns to new territory.** You may try to use your synthesis skills (asking AI good questions, evaluating output quality) as a substitute for agent collaboration skills (defining roles, managing context boundaries, designing handoffs). Both matter, but they're different muscles.

What Leveling Up Looks Like

- You can split a complex task across multiple AI sessions with different roles and produce output that no single session could have generated
- You design agent workflows before running them — mapping roles, inputs, outputs, and handoffs on paper first
- You naturally think about context boundaries: what each AI session should and shouldn't know
- You combine your synthesis skills with agent collaboration: using your ability to evaluate and integrate output as the orchestration layer between specialized AI agents
- When facing a complex problem, your instinct shifts from "let me ask AI about this" to "let me design a multi-perspective approach"

Revision #1

Created 2026-03-16 15:48:08 UTC by Admin

Updated 2026-03-16 15:48:09 UTC by Admin