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BabyAGI

The Insider's Guide

Experimental open-source framework for self-building agents



Every plan, grade, refund rule and rival among AI agents, read from BabyAGI's own pages.

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Who made this guide, what else is on the site, and how to cite it

ToolGPA put this guide together from BabyAGI's own pages, its app-store listings and our grades. Every fact in it is on BabyAGI's page too, where it is kept up to date. Checked Nov 13, 2026.

Welcome

What it is, who it suits, its grades and the ten things to know first

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GPA, above 123 of the 178 other AI agents we grade

BabyAGI began in March 2023 as a task-planning approach to autonomous agents. That version is archived, and the current project is an experimental Python framework built around functionz, a way to store, manage and run functions from a database. It includes a local dashboard for functions, dependencies, secret keys and logs, and it is free under the MIT License.

To get you started, here are **8 things to know about BabyAGI**, taken from its own pages and our grades.

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> **The README says it is not meant for production, and there is no hosted version.**
>
> From our report card of BabyAGI

1 **Best for trying out self-building agent code**

BabyAGI is a free Python package for storing and running functions, with a local dashboard and two experimental self-building agents.

2 **It is free**

BabyAGI has no paid plan at all. Free to install with pip and run on your own machine under the MIT License. You supply your own model API keys.

3 **It runs on Web**

Web.

4 **Function framework**

Register functions with dependencies, imports and metadata, and store them in a database where they can be loaded and executed.

5 **Local dashboard**

A browser dashboard for registering and updating functions, viewing dependencies, adding secret keys and reading logs.

6 **Execution logging**

Records each function call with its arguments, output, run time and any error.

7 **A 2.4 GPA, above 123 of 178**

That is against the other AI agents we grade, on value, the free plan, features, ease of use and platforms.

8 **Keep it**

BabyAGI is free, so making your own would save you nothing.

BabyAGI at a glance

PRICING Free	FREE PLAN Yes
FREE TRIAL None stated	RUNS ON Web
MADE BY Yohei Nakajima, since 2023	CATEGORY AI Agents
OUR GRADE 2.4 GPA, fair	

The report card

Best for trying out self-building agent code

BabyAGI is a free Python package for storing and running functions, with a local dashboard and two experimental self-building agents. The README

says it is not meant for production, and there is no hosted version.

TOOLGPA REPORT CARD	BabyAGI	Graded Nov 13, 2026
SUBJECT	GRADE	COMMENT
Value for money	A	Free under the MIT License: install with pip and run it on your own machine. You pay your own model API costs.
Free plan and trial	A	Free outright, with no hosted service or paid plan. Only your model API keys cost money.
Features	D	A function framework, local dashboard, logging and triggers, with two experimental agent drafts. The README says it is not for production.
Ease of use	D	A Python package with a pip install and your own keys. We found no store rating.
Platforms and integrations	C	A Python package whose dashboard runs in a local browser. OpenAI is the only connection listed.
Grade point average		Fair, out of 4.0 **2.4**

An A is worth 4 points, a B 3, a C 2, a D 1 and an F nothing. The GPA is the average of the five.

Who BabyAGI is for

- ✓ Fits if you want to read and tinker with a small agent framework
- ✓ Works for developers who run Python and bring their own API keys

Who it is not for

- ✗ Not for you if you want production software, since the README says it is not meant for that
- ✗ Skip it if you want a hosted version, because there isn't one
- ✗ Watch out: the original March 2023 task-planning BabyAGI is archived in a separate repository
- ✗ Too light for real agent work, as the self-building agents are described as experimental drafts

Good to know

Good for

- ✓ Developers exploring self-building agent ideas
- ✓ Experiments and discussion rather than production work

Worth knowing

- ⓘ The README says the project is not meant for production use and was built by someone who has never held a job as a developer.
- ⓘ The original March 2023 task-planning BabyAGI is archived in a separate repository.
- ⓘ The self-building agent features are described as experimental drafts.
- ⓘ It is a Python package you run yourself; there is no hosted version.

What it costs

Every plan, the free plan, ways to pay less and how prices have moved

Free

No paid plan at all

BabyAGI is free to use.

> **Free under the MIT License: install with pip and run it on your own machine.**
>
> From our grade for value for money

OPEN SOURCE

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Install with pip and run the dashboard locally; no hosted service or paid plan is listed.

The free plan

Free to install with pip and run on your own machine under the MIT License. You supply your own model API keys.

Read from babyagi.org on Nov 13, 2026.

What it does

Its main features, where it runs, what it works with and who makes it

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Place it runs: Web

Experimental open-source framework for self-building agents. Here is what it does, as its own site describes it, and what it covers: open source, self-hostable, AI agents.

> **A function framework, local dashboard, logging and triggers, with two experimental agent drafts.**
>
> From our grade for features

Function framework

Register functions with dependencies, imports and metadata, and store them in a database where they can be loaded and executed.

Local dashboard

A browser dashboard for registering and updating functions, viewing dependencies, adding secret keys and reading logs.

Execution logging

Records each function call with its arguments, output, run time and any error.

Triggers

Functions can be set to run automatically in response to events such as another function being added or updated.

Self-building agent drafts

Two experimental agents show how the framework can reuse existing functions to write new ones.

Where it runs

Web

What it works with

OpenAI

BabyAGI is made by Yohei Nakajima, and has been around since 2023.

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Where it stands

Its grades against its category, and whether to keep it or make your own

123/178

Other AI agents it is graded above

BabyAGI's GPA of 2.4 is higher than 123 of the 178 other AI agents we grade, and level with 15.

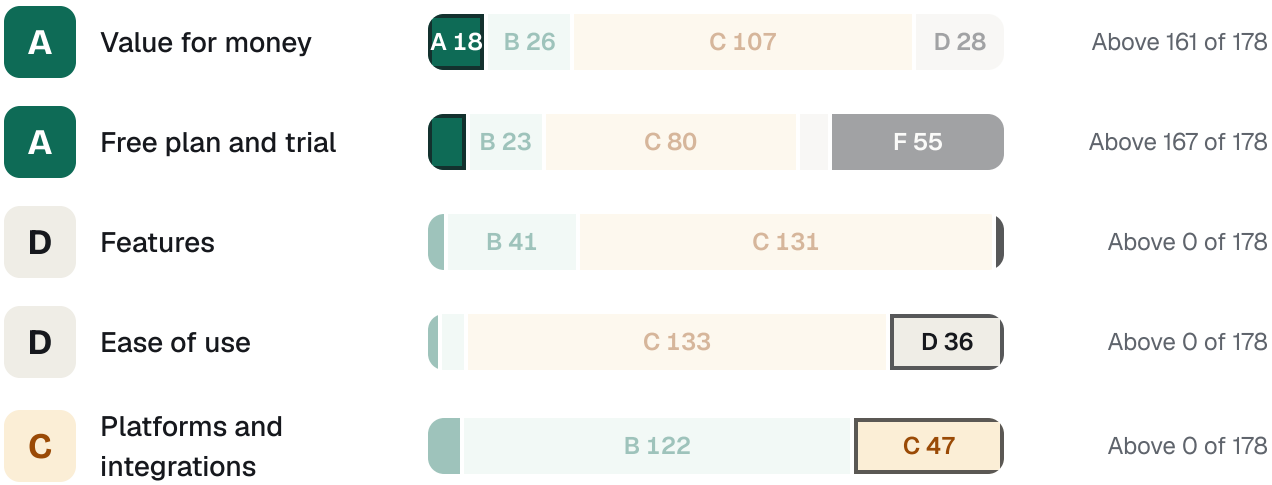
It stands best on free plan and trial (A, above 167 of 178) and worst on features (D, above 0).

BabyAGI has no paid plan.

On features, ease of use and platforms it scores 1.3 out of 4. Nothing scores higher for less, though at least one tool matches that score at a lower price.

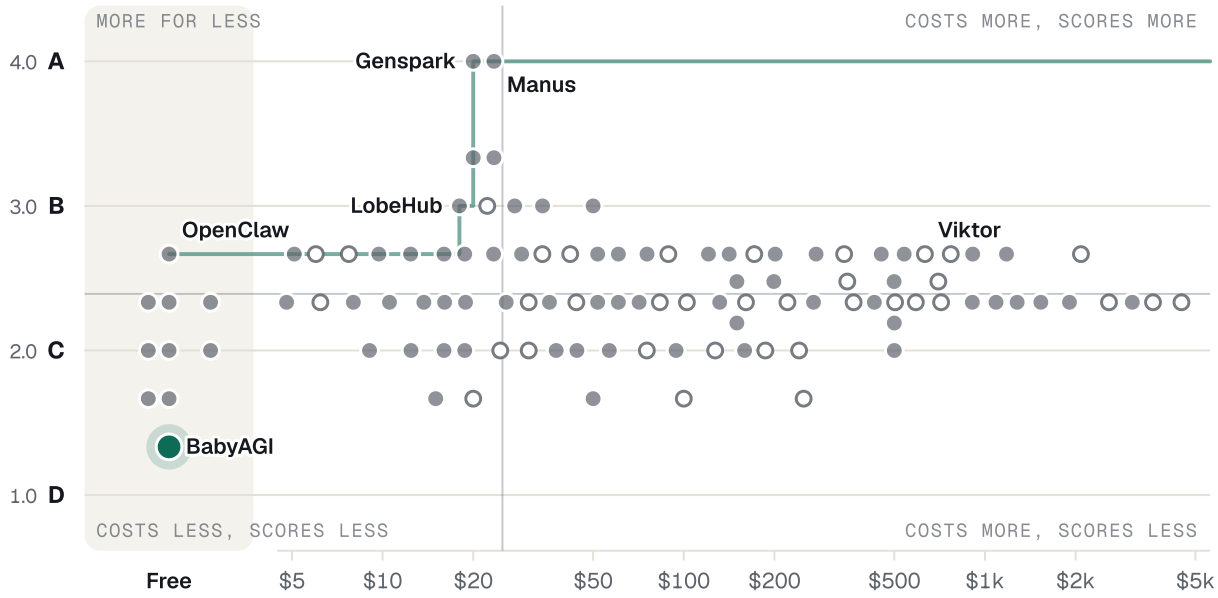
Each grade against the category

Every bar is all 179 AI agents we grade, cut by the letter each got. BabyAGI's own letter is outlined.



Price against what you get

Each dot is one of 109 AI agents. Further left costs less; higher up scores better on features, ease of use and platforms. BabyAGI is the marked dot.



What paid plans start at, a month (each step along is roughly double)

Keep it, or make your own?

Whether this is something you could build for yourself with an AI app builder, and what you would give up.

Keep it

BabyAGI is free, so making your own would save you nothing.

And it is not the kind of software a weekend replaces. It is one of the better ones too: its GPA of 2.4 is higher than 123 of the 178 other AI agents we grade.

What you could not

- ✕ An AI agent, with the models and the safeguards behind it.

What this rests on. BabyAGI's listing: what it does, where it runs, what it plugs into and what it costs. It is a judgement about the kind of software this is. We have not built a replacement for it, and making your own means looking after it too. How we decide, and every tool's verdict.

The alternatives

The tools it is most often weighed against, side by side



AutoGPT, SuperAGI, CrewAI and Agent Zero

The 4 tools BabyAGI is most often weighed against, with where each one differs from it.

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AutoGPT

Free plan · from $42.50/mo

Open-source agent platform with a hosted team of AI Experts.

- AutoGPT also covers workflow automation.

BabyAGI and AutoGPT compared in full

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SuperAGI

Paid

AI-native sales apps and agents, from the open-source agent project.

- BabyAGI has a free plan. SuperAGI does not.
- BabyAGI is self-hostable, according to its own site.
- SuperAGI also covers sales pipeline and workflow automation.

BabyAGI and SuperAGI compared in full



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CrewAI

Free plan

Multi-agent platform to build, run and govern AI agents.

- BabyAGI is self-hostable, according to its own site.
- CrewAI also covers workflow automation and no-code.

BabyAGI and CrewAI compared in full



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Agent Zero

Free

Open-source agent framework that works in its own Linux computer.

- Only Agent Zero lists macOS, Windows and Linux apps.

BabyAGI and Agent Zero compared in full

Quick answers

The questions people ask about it, each answered in a line or two

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Questions, each answered in a line or two

The short version of everything above, for when you only need the answer. Each one is told in full in its part of the guide.

Is BabyAGI free?

Yes. BabyAGI is free to use.

How much does BabyAGI cost?

BabyAGI lists one plan. Open source: $0.

What platforms does BabyAGI work on?

BabyAGI is available on Web.

Does BabyAGI have an Android app?

No Android app was listed when its pages were read on Nov 13, 2026. BabyAGI is listed for Web.

Does BabyAGI have an iPhone app?

No iPhone app was listed when its pages were read on Nov 13, 2026. BabyAGI is listed for Web.

Is BabyAGI open source?

Yes. BabyAGI is open source, according to its own site.

What does BabyAGI integrate with?

BabyAGI's listing names OpenAI. A listing names up to eight integrations, so it may connect to more.

Who makes BabyAGI?

BabyAGI is made by Yohei Nakajima. It dates from 2023.

What are the alternatives to BabyAGI?

The closest alternatives to BabyAGI in our directory are AutoGPT, SuperAGI, CrewAI and Agent Zero.

How does BabyAGI compare with other AI agents?

BabyAGI's GPA of 2.4 is higher than 123 of the 178 other AI agents we grade, and level with 15.

Is BabyAGI good value for money?

ToolGPA grades BabyAGI A for value for money. BabyAGI has no paid plan.

Could I make my own version of BabyAGI?

BabyAGI is free, so making your own would save you nothing. And it is not the kind of software a weekend replaces.

Where this guide comes from

The prices, plans, platforms and features were read from BabyAGI's own pages on Nov 13, 2026, and the grades were given on Nov 13, 2026. Graded from this listing, whose facts were read from BabyAGI's own pages on 13 November 2026. Not based on using the product, and shorter than our full reviews.

Every tool we list gets five grades, A to F, each with its reason, and a GPA that averages them. How each is decided is at toolgpa.com/grades. This guide is ToolGPA's own work; it is not made, paid for or approved by Yohei Nakajima. Prices change, so check babyagi.org before you buy.

babyagi.org

github.com/yoheinakajima/babyagi

PART 07 · ABOUT

About ToolGPA

Who made this guide, what else is on the site, and how to cite it

7,721

Tools graded, in 95 categories

ToolGPA grades software the way a school report grades a pupil: five subjects, a letter for each with the reason written beside it, and a GPA that averages them. Prices, plans and platforms are read from each maker's own pages and dated, so you always know how fresh a figure is.

Every grade, review and ranking on ToolGPA is our own judgement. No company can pay for a grade or change one. Every tool on the site has a guide like this one, free to download and pass on. It all lives at toolgpa.com.

7,721	95	739	579
tools graded	categories	price changes on record	apps priced in 12 countries

What else is on toolgpa.com

BabyAGI, kept up to date

Everything in this guide, with prices and grades as they are today

toolgpa.com/tools/babyagi

How grades are given

The rules behind every letter and every GPA

toolgpa.com/grades

Value charts

What each tool costs against what it scores, for every category

toolgpa.com/charts

Compare

Any two tools side by side, plan by plan

toolgpa.com/compare

Price changes

Every price rise and cut on record, each with its source

toolgpa.com/price-changes

Prices by country

What apps cost on the App Store in 12 countries

toolgpa.com/prices-by-country

Pay less

Every public discount: yearly billing, students, nonprofits

toolgpa.com/save

Keep or make

Which tools are worth paying for, and which you could build yourself

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AI Agents Insider's Guide

Every one of the 179 AI agents we grade, compared

Genspark Insider's Guide

AI workspace with an agent for research, slides, sheets and docs

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Manus Insider's Guide

General AI agent for research, slides, websites and browser tasks

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OpenClaw Insider's Guide

Open-source personal AI agent you run yourself and message in chat

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