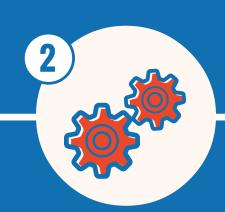
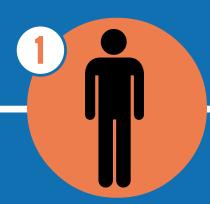
# The Syntax TO DESCRIBE A PROCESS



## **Does Something**The Process – always a verb

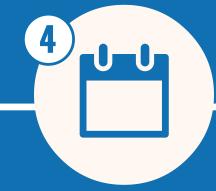


# Somebody Who does the step? - a person (manual) or a system (automated)



#### With Some Information

The Information – always a noun (the noun may be an entity or an attribute of an entity)



#### **Under Certain Circumstances**

The "when / if" statement (the "conditions" – variations)



#### Which Results In One or Many Outcomes

The successful outcome and all other possible outcomes of doing the step (more variations)



### According to Certain Rules

The business rule / policy / regulation that constrains with what information or 'how' the step in the process is done (the "constraints")



#### NOTES

The information provided to the designer at this level of detail is sufficient to allow the designer to develop an automated solution – as long as all of the possible outcomes have been described.









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