AI VISIBILITY CHECK

AgentScout

https://agentscouthq.com/

TESTED	November 11, 2026, 2:24–2:26 AM PT
SUBJECT	A curated directory of AI agent tools and MCP servers
RIVALS	PulseMCP, mcp.so, Glama, TAAFT
PROMPTS	10 buyer questions (5 marked top). All 10 were run.
SURFACES	AI-answer style web search, plus cited pages we opened. Chat and Perplexity were not run.
BASELINE	First dated run. No earlier check to compare against.



KEY FINDINGS

On “best directory of AI agent tools,” the answer named AgentScout as a practical, curated, link-checked choice, and the official site was a cited source. A search for the brand itself is clean: official pages lead.

1	Get onto the MCP directory roundups the answers already cite.	a few days of outreach to 6–8 existing pages
2	Publish first-party comparison and “where to find MCP servers” pages.	a few days of writing on pages you control
3	Match maker language for submit and listing queries.	about a day of copy and a new or expanded page

CATEGORY DISCOVERY	PROBLEM AND HOW-TO QUERIES	COMPARISON QUERIES	BRAND SEARCH	THIRD-PARTY CITATIONS
10 / 30	7 / 28	0 / 16	10 / 10	0 / 16

AgentScout shows up when the question is about AI agent directories or submitting a tool, but only from its own pages. On the questions people type to find MCP servers, it is missing from the answers and from the roundups those answers cite.

What this means for you

When someone asks for a directory of AI agent tools, or where to submit one, you do show up — and the answer describes you accurately as a curated, link-checked directory.

When someone asks where to find MCP servers, you disappear. Those answers send people to the official registry, PulseMCP, mcp.so, and Glama. The articles those answers already cite list as many as 18 directories and still skip you.

Your own name search is fine. What you are missing is other people writing about you. Every time you appeared in this check, the source was your own site.

Start with the MCP roundups and with first-party comparison pages the answers can cite, then book a free retest within 30 days so we can show whether the score improved.

Verdict

AgentScout is easy to find if you already know its name, and it is recommended on two buyer questions — “best directory of AI agent tools” and “where to submit an AI agent tool.” In both cases the citations are AgentScout’s own homepage and submit page, not third-party reviews or listicles.

On the questions people type to find MCP servers, AgentScout is absent. Those answers send readers to the official MCP Registry, PulseMCP, mcp.so, and Glama. We opened the roundup pages those answers cite, including one index of 18 MCP directories. AgentScout is on none of them. There is no earlier dated check to compare against; this is the baseline run.

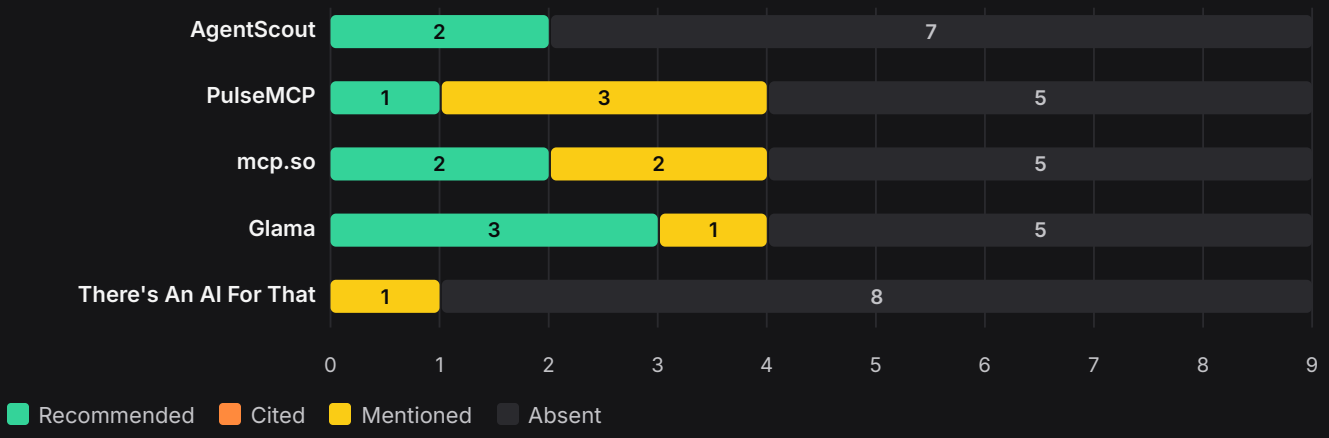
Scorecard

AREA	POINTS	WHY
Category discovery	10 / 30	Three category prompts, 10 points each if recommended (cited 6, mentioned 3, absent 0). Recommended on “best directory of AI agent tools.” Absent on “best MCP server directory 2026” and “best AI tools directory 2026.”
Problem and how-to queries	7 / 28	Four problem prompts, 7 points each if recommended (cited 4, mentioned 2, absent 0). Recommended on “where to submit an AI agent tool.” Absent on “where to find MCP servers,” “list my AI agent tool,” and “how to find MCP servers for Claude.”
Comparison queries	0 / 16	Two comparison prompts, 8 points each if recommended (cited 5, mentioned 2, absent 0). Absent from both “PulseMCP alternative” and “There’s An AI For That alternative,” including the cited listicles we opened.
Brand search	10 / 10	Official pages lead for “AgentScout AI agent tools,” and the synthesis describes the product correctly. This is expected brand control, not a discovery win. No third-party source appeared in that result set.
Third-party citations	0 / 16	4 points for each distinct third-party page that was a source of a non-brand answer and that actually names AgentScout, up to 16. Own-site pages do not count. Zero third-party citations in this run.
Total	**27 / 100**	

2/9	2	0	10/10
NON-BRAND PRESENCE	TIMES RECOMMENDED	THIRD-PARTY CITATIONS	BRAND SEARCH

Share of answer on 9 non-brand prompts

Each bar is one site's results across the nine prompts that are not a brand search. A segment's number is how many of those prompts landed on that rung. Recommended is green, cited is orange, mentioned is yellow, and absent is the dark remainder.



Counts

SITE	RECOMMENDED	CITED	MENTIONED	ABSENT	PRESENT
AgentScout	2	0	0	7	**2/9**
PulseMCP	1	0	3	5	**4/9**
mcp.so	2	0	2	5	**4/9**
Glama	3	0	1	5	**4/9**
There's An AI For That	0	0	1	8	**1/9**

AgentScout is present on 2 of 9 non-brand prompts, both as recommended, and both from its own pages. Glama is present on 4 of 9 and is the strongest rival in this set. PulseMCP and mcp.so are each present on 4 of 9. There's An AI For That appears only as the subject of its own comparison query. This is the first dated run, so there is no prior share-of-answer to compare. Exact sources for every prompt are in the appendix.

Surfaces run

- Web search results, via the source links returned with each AI-style answer
- AI-answer style search (WebSearch synthesis plus its cited URLs), run on November 11, 2026
- Third-party pages that the answers cited for MCP-directory and AI-directory comparisons, opened and checked so a mention was not missed or mis-attributed

Surfaces not run

- ChatGPT, Claude, or Gemini chat answers (would need a signed-in surface or a pasted assistant answer)
- Perplexity
- Google AI Overviews / AI Mode as a separate capture from WebSearch
- Any other signed-in answer surface

Name collisions checked

- Unrelated GitHub repositories also named 'agentscout' exist (for example implicit-labs/agentscout and agentx402-ai/agentscout). They did not appear in the brand result set for 'AgentScout AI agent tools.' They were not counted as citations or as competitors.

Dated prompt captures: captures.json, in this template folder. Scores and fixes: sample-scorecard.json. Rebuild with build_report.py. Time zone for every timestamp: America/Los_Angeles (Pacific Time).

Score on each prompt

Scoring is conservative. Recommended means the answer named the site as a pick or a place to start or submit. Cited means the site's own page was a source, but the synthesis did not clearly recommend it. Mentioned means a passing name in the synthesis or on a cited page we opened. Absent means we did not find it. A product that is only the subject of the query is scored mentioned, not recommended.

PROMPT	AGENTSCOUT	PULSEMCP	MCP.SO	GLAMA	TAAFT
best directory of AI agent tools CATEGORY · TOP	RECOMMENDED	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT
where to find MCP servers PROBLEM · TOP	ABSENT	RECOMMENDED	RECOMMENDED	RECOMMENDED	ABSENT
list my AI agent tool PROBLEM · TOP	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT
best MCP server directory 2026 CATEGORY · TOP	ABSENT	MENTIONED	MENTIONED	RECOMMENDED	ABSENT
where to submit an AI agent tool PROBLEM · TOP	RECOMMENDED	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT
best AI tools directory 2026 CATEGORY	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT
PulseMCP alternative COMPARISON	ABSENT	MENTIONED	RECOMMENDED	RECOMMENDED	ABSENT
There's An AI For That alternative COMPARISON	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT	MENTIONE
AgentScout AI agent tools BRAND	RECOMMENDED	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT	ABSENT
how to find MCP servers for Claude PROBLEM	ABSENT	MENTIONED	MENTIONED	MENTIONED	ABSENT

TAAFT is There's An AI For That. Prompt 3, "list my AI agent tool," was chosen as maker language. The answer treated it as a request for a catalog, not a submit form, and AgentScout was absent. The clearer wording, "where to submit an AI agent tool," is prompt 5. Prompt 9 is a brand search: official pages leading is expected, and it is not counted in the share-of-answer table on the previous page.

Prompt notes

A short reading of each AI-style answer. Every claim below comes from the capture for that prompt, including pages we opened. Full source lists are in the appendix.

1. "best directory of AI agent tools" ● RECOMMENDED

The synthesis picks Skillful.sh for breadth, AgentScout as a practical curated and link-checked directory, and AgentShortlist for use-case rankings. AgentScout's official homepage was a cited source. PulseMCP, mcp.so, Glama, and There's An AI For That did not appear.

2. "where to find MCP servers" ● ABSENT

The answer sends people to the official MCP Registry first, then PulseMCP, mcp.so, Smithery, Glama, and MCP.Directory. We opened the cited index at automationswitch.com/mcp. It lists 18 directories and does not include AgentScout.

3. "list my AI agent tool" ● ABSENT

Chosen as maker language ("list my tool"). The answer returned catalogs of agent tools (Agent Field Guide, AIMap, agentools.sh, and others), not submit forms. AgentScout and all four rivals were absent. See prompt 5 for the clearer submit wording.

4. "best MCP server directory 2026" ● ABSENT

The synthesis calls Glama the best MCP directory for 2026, with the official registry as the canonical metadata source. PulseMCP and mcp.so are named on cited articles we checked, so they are scored mentioned. AgentScout is not in the synthesis, not a source, and not in the explainx.ai top 10 we opened.

5. "where to submit an AI agent tool" ● RECOMMENDED

The synthesis names AgentScout among the places to submit an AI agent tool, and the official submit page was a cited source. The four scored rivals did not appear. This is the query where AgentScout's own submit page does the work.

6. "best AI tools directory 2026" ● ABSENT

The sources were smaller 2026 directories and review sites (Raunak's Radar, Chat AI Tools, AIToolCrux, The Independent AI, best-ai.org). AgentScout was absent. So were There's An AI For That and Futurepedia in this particular result set. That is a finding about this surface on this date, not a claim that those incumbents are generally invisible.

7. "PulseMCP alternative" ● ABSENT

The synthesis recommends Glama, the official registry, Docker MCP Catalog, mcp.so, and MCPVault. We opened all five cited comparison pages. None of them name AgentScout. PulseMCP is the subject of the query, so it is scored mentioned.

8. "There's An AI For That alternative" ● ABSENT

The synthesis recommends Futurepedia, Future Tools, Toolify, PoweredByAI, and Product Hunt. We opened three cited listicles, including a November 2026 top 10 and a 13-alternative check dated November 4, 2026. AgentScout is on none of them. There's An AI For That is the subject of the query.

9. "AgentScout AI agent tools" ● RECOMMENDED

All five sources are official AgentScout pages (home, about, new, best, and tasks). The official site leads and the description is accurate. No third-party review appeared. Unrelated GitHub repositories also named "agentscout" did not appear in this result set.

10. "how to find MCP servers for Claude" ● ABSENT

The answer itself is about Anthropic's Connectors Directory and Claude Code commands. A cited guide (mcpstepbystep.com, verified October 8, 2026) names PulseMCP, mcp.so, and Glama, so those rivals are scored mentioned. AgentScout is not in the synthesis, not a source, and not in that guide.

Pages the answers already pull from

These are realistic outreach targets: third-party pages that were sources of a non-brand answer in this run, and that do not currently name AgentScout. We opened each of these pages in this check.

PAGE	WHY IT MATTERS	REALISTIC?
automationswitch.com/mcp	Cited for “where to find MCP servers.” Indexes 18 MCP directories. AgentScout is not among them.	Yes — ask to be added to the index.
mcpifex.com/compare/best-mcp-marketplaces	Cited for “PulseMCP alternative.” Compares the official registry, Glama, mcp.so, PulseMCP, and others as of October 30, 2026.	Yes
faun.dev/toolbox/alternatives/pulsemcp-alternatives/	Cited for “PulseMCP alternative.” Rates official registry, Docker MCP Catalog, Glama, Smithery, and mcp.so.	Yes
explainx.ai/blog/top-10-mcp-server-directories-2026	Cited for “best MCP server directory 2026.” Top 10 does not include AgentScout.	Yes, though the page also promotes explainx.ai itself.
mcpstepbystep.com/learn/finding-servers/	Cited for “how to find MCP servers for Claude.” Lists official registry, GitHub, Claude, Docker, Smithery, PulseMCP, Glama, and mcp.so. Verified October 8, 2026.	Yes
indielaunch.dev/directories/pulsemcp	Cited for “PulseMCP alternative.” Eight alternatives, no AgentScout. Verified October 18, 2026.	Yes
www.aicentralresources.com/top-10-best-ai-tool-directories	Cited for “There’s An AI For That alternative.” November 2026 top 10 of general AI directories, no AgentScout.	Yes — pitch as the agent and MCP specialist.
launchit.fast/blog/theres-an-ai-for-that-alternatives-2026	Cited for the same comparison. 13 alternatives checked November 4, 2026, no AgentScout.	Yes

Pages that already work — all first-party

These are the only pages that put AgentScout into a non-brand answer in this check. They are official AgentScout URLs. No third-party page that we opened named the directory.

PAGE	WHY IT MATTERS
agentscouthq.com/	Cited and recommended on “best directory of AI agent tools,” and led the brand query.
agentscouthq.com/submit.html	Cited and recommended on “where to submit an AI agent tool.”

Other directories that appeared, not scored as rivals

On the headline agent-directory query, Skillful.sh, AgentShortlist, DeepYard, and Fushu were cited. On MCP queries, the official MCP Registry, Smithery, Docker MCP Catalog, MCP.Directory, and MCPVault appeared often. On general AI-directory queries, Futurepedia, Future Tools, Toolify, PoweredByAI, and Product Hunt were recommended. They are part of the landscape, but they were not among the four rivals scored on every prompt.

Top 5 fixes

These are the changes that would close the largest remaining gaps in the score. None of them requires a change to how the directory itself is curated.

1 Get onto the MCP directory roundups the answers already cite.

On the MCP discovery questions, answers recommend PulseMCP, mcp.so, Glama, and the official registry. The pages they cite — including an index of 18 MCP directories — do not mention AgentScout. This is the highest-leverage path into the prompts that currently return Absent.

1. Start with automationswitch.com/mcp, mcpifex.com, faun.dev, explainx.ai's 2026 top 10, mcpstepbystep.com, and IndieLaunch's PulseMCP alternatives page.
2. Pitch a factual listing, not a paid rank: a curated, daily link-checked directory that includes MCP servers, with pricing as the maker states it, and rankings that are never sold.
3. Ask each editor to add AgentScout to the existing table or index, and keep a list of which pages change so the next check can measure it.

2 Publish first-party comparison and "where to find MCP servers" pages.

Prompts 1 and 5 show that AgentScout's own pages can move an AI answer when they rank. The MCP queries currently have no AgentScout page in the citation set. These are pages you can ship without waiting on a roundup.

1. Publish honest /vs/ pages for PulseMCP, mcp.so, and Glama, plus a guide titled close to the buyer query "where to find MCP servers."
2. State plainly how AgentScout differs: daily link checks, pricing as stated, MCP servers inside a broader agent-tools catalog, and that rankings are never sold.
3. Request crawls after the pages are live, and include them in llms.txt. Do not invent claims the live catalog cannot support.

3 Match maker language for submit and listing queries.

"list my AI agent tool" was read as a catalog request, and AgentScout was absent. "where to submit an AI agent tool" found the official submit page and recommended AgentScout. Makers type both.

1. Add a clearly titled page or section that uses the phrases "list my AI agent tool," "submit my MCP server," and "where to list an AI agent tool."
2. Keep /submit.html; give the new wording a path the answers can cite. Say in the open that a basic listing is free, and that featured slots are labeled and do not change rankings.
3. Re-run both phrasings on the next check.

4 Get onto general AI-directory alternative listicles as the agent and MCP specialist.

"There's An AI For That alternative" answers recommend Futurepedia, Future Tools, Toolify, PoweredByAI, and Product Hunt. The three listicles we opened do not mention AgentScout. That is a different audience from MCP buyers, but it is where many makers start.

1. Pitch AICentral Resources, LaunchIt's TAAFT-alternatives post, and similar 2026 listicles.
2. Position AgentScout as the specialist directory for AI agent tools and MCP servers, not as a generic TAAFT clone. A factual row in those tables is enough.

5 Earn one independent third-party mention that is not your own page.

Every non-brand appearance in this check was a first-party AgentScout URL. Third-party citations are worth 16 points on this scorecard, and they currently contribute zero.

1. Place one honest review or comparison outside a directory you control: a builder newsletter, a community thread, or an independent blog.
2. Give the writer current, checkable facts from the live site, then include the URL in the next check's citation audit.

NEXT STEP

Book a free retest within 30 days

After you make these fixes, book a free retest within 30 days. We will run the same prompts again and show whether the score improved.

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How this was checked

1. Followed the ai-search-visibility-check skill. Ten buyer prompts (five marked top) were written as questions real buyers or makers type, not as vanity queries.
2. For each prompt, ran an AI-answer style web search (WebSearch) on November 11, 2026, and saved the synthesis plus its source links.
3. Scored AgentScout and four rivals on one rung: recommended > cited > mentioned > absent, using the definitions in this report. Scoring is conservative.
4. Opened the main third-party comparison and directory-index pages the answers cited for MCP and general-directory queries, and checked each one for an AgentScout mention so a citation was not missed.
5. Did not invent results. Anything not measured is labeled as not run.

How the 100 points are assigned

1. Category discovery (30): three category prompts, 10 points each if recommended, 6 if cited, 3 if mentioned, 0 if absent.
2. Problem and how-to queries (28): four problem prompts, 7 points each if recommended, 4 if cited, 2 if mentioned, 0 if absent.
3. Comparison queries (16): two comparison prompts, 8 points each if recommended, 5 if cited, 2 if mentioned, 0 if absent.
4. Brand search (10): 10 if official pages lead or are recommended, 6 if the official site is cited but a third party leads, 3 if only mentioned, 0 if the official site is absent.
5. Third-party citations (16): 4 points for each distinct third-party page that was a source of a non-brand answer and that names the subject, up to four pages. The subject's own pages do not count.

What this sample does not include

- ChatGPT, Claude, or Gemini chat answers.
- Perplexity.
- Google AI Overviews or AI Mode as a separate capture from WebSearch.
- Any signed-in answer surface.
- Changing agentscouthq.com, sending outreach, or publishing this sample.

Disclaimer

This is a point-in-time visibility check of a public website. Results can change as search indexes and answer engines update. Share-of-answer figures apply only to the surfaces that were actually run (AI-answer style web search and the cited pages we opened). They are not a claim about ChatGPT, Perplexity, or Google AI Overviews, which were not measured. Nothing in this sample was published, emailed, or changed on agentscouthq.com.

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Also worth watching

These two items did not cost points on this scorecard. They are still worth acting on.

1. Skillful.sh, AgentShortlist, DeepYard, and Fushu appeared on the headline "best directory of AI agent tools" query. They are closer peers than There's An AI For That on that question, and are worth watching on the next run.
2. Unrelated GitHub repositories also named "agentscout" exist. The brand query used here ("AgentScout AI agent tools") returned only official pages, but a bare-name search can collide. A consistent "AgentScout HQ" or agentscouthq.com mention in third-party writeups would reduce that risk.

Appendix: Prompt log

Every prompt below was actually run. All ten were checked on November 11, 2026, 2:24–2:26 AM PT, on AI-answer style web search (WebSearch) plus the source links it returned. "Opened" means we fetched the page in this check and searched it for an AgentScout mention. Nothing in this table was invented.

#	PROMPT	STATUS	ANSWER SOURCES	PAGES OPENED
1	best directory of AI agent tools category · top	Run	skillful.sh/; agentscouthq.com/; agentshortlist.dev/; deepyard.dev/; fushu.dev/	—
2	where to find MCP servers problem · top	Run	github.com/mcp/; registry.modelcontextprotocol.io/; automationswitch.com/mcp; mcp-hunter.com/docs/how-to-find-mcp-servers; modelcontextprotocol.io/registry/registry-aggregators	automationswitch.com/mcp
3	list my AI agent tool problem · top	Run	agentfieldguide.net/; aimap.page/en/for-ai/all/; agentools.sh/tools/; agenttoolslist.com/; aiagenttools.dev/	—
4	best MCP server directory 2026 category · top	Run	agentopsguide.com/smithery-vs-glama-vs-official-mcp-registry/; glama.ai/; codex.danielvaughan.com/2026/05/27/codex-cli-mcp-server-discovery-registries-smithery-glama-official-registry/; explainx.ai/blog/top-10-mcp-server-directories-2026; skillburst.ai/blog/skill-registries-compared/	explainx.ai/blog/top-10-mcp-server-directories-2026
5	where to submit an AI agent tool problem · top	Run	agentfieldguide.net/submit/; agentstackd.com/submit/; skillsindex.dev/submit/; aiagenttools.dev/submit; agentscouthq.com/submit.html	—
6	best AI tools directory 2026 category	Run	raunakpatil.com/ai-tools/; chataitools.com/; www.aitoolcrux.com/; theindependentai.com/directory; best-ai.org/	—
7	PulseMCP alternative comparison	Run	faun.dev/toolbox/alternatives/pulsemcp-alternatives/; mcpvault.io/alternatives; mcpifex.com/compare/best-mcp-marketplaces; indielaunch.dev/directories/pulsemcp; skillzbench.com/compare/the-5-best-pulsemcp-alternatives-in-2026	faun.dev/toolbox/alternatives/pulsemcp-alternatives/; mcpvault.io/alternatives; mcpifex.com/compare/best-mcp-marketplaces; indielaunch.dev/directories/pulsemcp; skillzbench.com/compare/the-5-best-pulsemcp-alternatives-in-2026
8	There's An AI For That alternative comparison	Run	poweredbyai.app/alternatives/theresanaiforthat; www.aicentralresources.com/top-10-best-ai-tool-directories; launchit.fast/blog/theres-an-ai-for-that-alternatives-2026; github.com/DirectorySurf/awesome-theresanaiforthat-alternatives; www.tooljunction.io/vs	poweredbyai.app/alternatives/theresanaiforthat; www.aicentralresources.com/top-10-best-ai-tool-directories; launchit.fast/blog/theres-an-ai-for-that-alternatives-2026
9	AgentScout AI agent tools brand	Run	agentscouthq.com/; agentscouthq.com/about.html; agentscouthq.com/new.html; agentscouthq.com/best/; agentscouthq.com/tasks/index.html	—
10	how to find MCP servers for Claude problem	Run	claude.com/docs/connectors/directory; support.claude.com/en/articles/11176164-use-connectors-to-extend-claude-s-capabilities; code.claude.com/docs/en/mcp; claude.com/docs/connectors/custom/add-unlisted; mcpstepbystep.com/learn/finding-servers/	mcpstepbystep.com/learn/finding-servers/