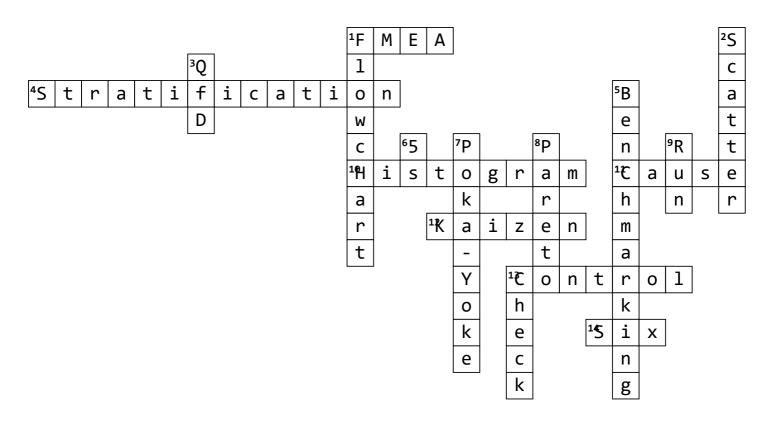
## TQM Tools



## Across

**1.** Failure Modes and Effects Analysis, a tool for risk assessment

**4.** A method of grouping data to identify patterns

**10.** A bar chart that shows the frequency distribution of data

**11.** and Effect Diagram A tool to identify root causes of a problem (Ishikawa Diagram)

**12.** A philosophy of continuous small improvements

**13.** Chart A tool used to monitor process variation over time

**14.** Sigma A methodology for reducing defects and improving quality

## Down

**1.** A diagram that represents a process step by step

**2.** Diagram A plot used to identify relationships between two variables

**3.** Quality Function Deployment, a tool for translating customer needs into product design

**5.** Comparing business processes with industry best practices

**6.** A workplace organization method (Sort, Set in order, Shine, Standardize, Sustain)

**7.** A mistake-proofing technique to prevent errors

**8.** Chart A graph that prioritizes problems based on frequency (80/20 rule)

**9.** Chart A line graph that displays trends over time

**13.** Sheet A structured form for collecting and analyzing data