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# **Seven Simple Tools for Problem Solving**

There are Seven Simple Tools that can be applied for any problem solving situation. <a href="http://bit.ly/35bLQl2">http://bit.ly/35bLQl2</a> Each section below contains a 2 minute video to expand on the topic provided. If you receive value from this video brief, please share with a colleague.

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## FLOW CHART

The flow chart is a tool needed early for project scoping. It provides the team a common picture of the existing process steps and the sequence of events. <a href="http://bit.ly/2sy0bLs">http://bit.ly/2sy0bLs</a>

## CAUSE AND EFFECT DIAGRAM

The cause and effect diagram is a brainstorming and communication tool. It organizes potential input variables (causes) that could impact the output. <a href="http://bit.ly/2ZJgP60">http://bit.ly/2ZJgP60</a>

## **CHECK SHEET**

The check sheet is a custom data gathering tool. The secret is to make it simple and quick to acquire information. There are many tricks to improve them. <a href="http://bit.ly/2ZIPphz">http://bit.ly/2ZIPphz</a>

#### SCATTER DIAGRAM

One data display is a scatter diagram. It is an x-y chart for two continuous variables. This can be used with regression and to understand relationships. http://bit.ly/1U4TDXQ

## **HISTOGRAM**

The histogram is a common display for raw data. It is used to represent process capabilities studies and for understanding variation. http://bit.ly/33DzdPm

#### PARETO CHART

The Pareto chart is a display to show data in priority order. Often, roughly 80% of impact is created by 20% of causes. This helps sort out the key variables. http://bit.ly/2EQcIw8

## CONTROL CHART

The control chart is a monitoring tool for process improvement. <a href="http://bit.ly/1n6DRtx">http://bit.ly/1n6DRtx</a>.

Have a great day!





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