

SUBJECT	FAILURE MODE	REASON FOR FAILURE	EFFECT	RECOMMENDATION
My car	My car will not start	Lack of compliance with service intervals	I can't get to work	Comply with service intervals
	My car will not start	Run out of petrol	I can't get to work	Remember to fill up the tank as soon as possible after the petrol gauge on the dashboard lights up.

FIGURE 4.53
Example of a simple FMEA (Failure Mode and Effect Analysis).