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# Character Matrix

To fully understand a story, you need to know its characters. You can learn a character by analyzing how he or she speaks, behaves, and handles conflict.

**Directions:** Use this graphic organizer to examine characters from the play *Iron Man*.

Character Name	Tony Stark	Yinsen	Obadiah Stane
What do his words say about him? Select at least one revealing line from the text.			
What conflicts challenge him?			
List some of his actions. What does his behavior reveal about the kind of person he is?			
How would you describe this character to someone who knows nothing about him?			
How do you feel about the character? Is he likable? Give examples to support your opinion.			

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