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Fifth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Feb./Mar. 2022

Statistical Quality Control

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.
2. Use of SQC tables is permitted.

Module-1

- 1 a. Define Quality. Explain what are the dimensions of quality? (10 Marks)
- b. Explain four categories of quality costs. (10 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Explain the three statistical methods for quality improvements. (10 Marks)
- b. Define "Quality Assurance". List important activities of QA department in an industry. (10 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Compare controls charts for variables with control charts for attributes. (10 Marks)
- b. A sub group of 5 items each are taken from a manufacturing process at a regular interval. A certain quality characteristics is measured and \bar{X} and R values computed. After 25 groups it is found that $\sum \bar{X} = 357.50$ and $\sum R = 8.80$. If the specification limits are 14.40 ± 0.40 and if the process is in statistical control what conclusion can you drawn about the ability of the process to produce items within specifications.
 [for sub group of 5 items $d_2 = 2.326$] (10 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Differentiate between : (i) p and np chart. (ii) C and U chart. (10 Marks)
- b. The inspection results in a machine shop based on sampling size of 50 are given below:
 - (i) Calculate the control limits for the P-chart using 3σ limits.
 - (ii) Plot the data and offer your comments on the behavior of the process.
 - (iii) What standard fraction defective would you recommended for the future period?

Sample No.	No. of defectives (d)	Sample No.	No. of defectives (d)
1	6	11	3
2	3	12	7
3	1	13	1
4	2	14	15
5	12	15	4
6	6	16	18
7	4	17	3
8	7	18	2
9	1	19	6
10	8	20	7

(10 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. What do you mean by warning limits and action limits? Explain the use of warning limits. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the following:
 - (i) Modified control charts.
 - (ii) Moving average chart. (10 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Test on shear strength of spot weld made by seven different machines gave the following results:

Machine	No. of tests	Average shear strength – kg X	Standard deviation
1	119	274	29
2	110	364	42
3	126	319	23
4	126	359	26
5	126	334	36
6	115	313	23
7	125	375	31
Total	847	2538	210

By using method with large sub-groups. Plot the \bar{X} and σ charts to judge whether their clear evidence that the different machines represent different cause systems. Use simple unweighted average to determine \bar{X} and σ and base your limits on average sub group size. (10 Marks)

- b. Write short notes on:

- Cumulative sum control charts.
- Design of a cusum chart and V-mask.

(10 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Name the various methods of calculating process capability. Explain why the “range method” is preferred for process capability analysis. (10 Marks)

- b. Write short notes on:

- Principles of rational sub groups.
- Six sigma concept of process capability.

(10 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. Write briefly : (i) Process capability (ii) Seven OC tools. (10 Marks)

- b. Determine the control limits for \bar{X} and R chart, if $\sum \bar{X} = 357.50$, $\sum R = 9.90$. Number of subgroups = 20, it is given that, $A_2 = 0.18$, $D_3 = 1.59$ and $d_2 = 3.735$. Also find the process capability. (10 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Write difference between sampling inspection and 100% inspection. (05 Marks)

- b. With a block diagram, explain double sampling plan. (05 Marks)

- c. A single sampling plan is as follows:

$$N = 4000, n = 75, C = 2$$

- Plot the OC curve.
- If AQL is 1.5% find producer's risk and if consumer risk is 10%.
- Plot the AOQ curve and determine AOQL.
- Find the ATI of the above plan 1.5% defectives of the incoming lot.

(10 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. Define producer's risk and consumers risk with a neat sketch of OC curve. (05 Marks)

- b. List advantages, limitations and uses of sampling inspection. (05 Marks)

- c. A double sampling plan is as follows:

$$N = 5000, C_1 = 3, r_1 = 6$$

$$n_1 = 150, C_2 = 8, r_2 = 9$$

$$n_2 = 200$$

$$100P' = 1.5, P' = 0.015$$

Find Pa, ATI, AOQ, ASN

(10 Marks)
