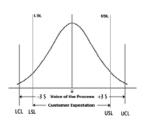


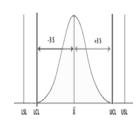
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Process Limits

A simple view of Process Control and Process Capability

- □ Process control refers only to the "<u>voice of the process</u>" looking at the process using an agreed performance measure to see whether the process forms a stable distribution over time.
- □ Process capability measures the "goodness of a process" comparing the voice of the process with the "voice of the customer". The voice of the customer here is the specification range (tolerance) and/or the nearest customer specification limit.



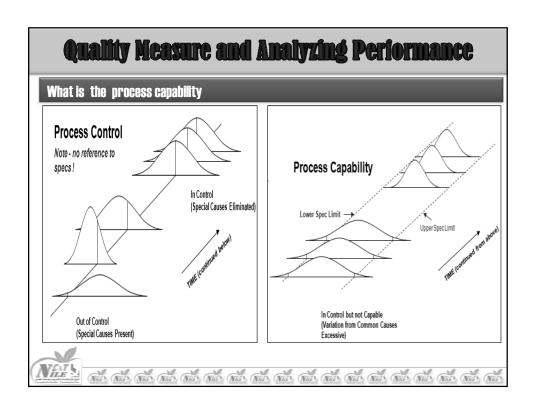


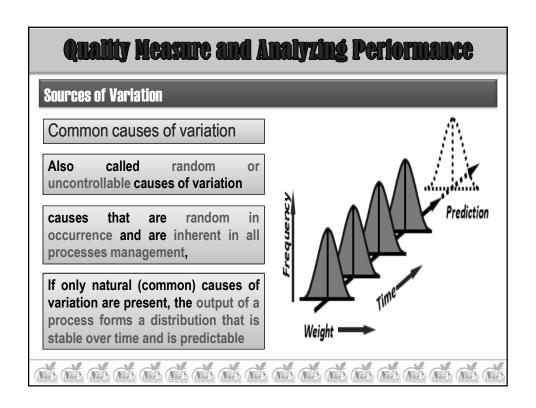
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Process Limits

What is the difference between specification limits and control limits?

Control Limits	Specification Limits
Voice of the Process	Voice of the Customer
Values calculated by Process	Values defined by user
UCL & LCL	USL & LSL





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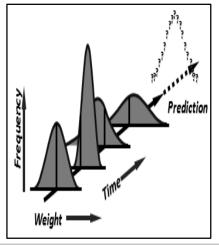
Sources of Variation

Assignable causes of variation

Also called special causes of variation the result of External sources outside the system

Must be detected, and corrective action must be taken to remove them from the process

If assignable causes are present, the process output is not stable over time and is not predicable



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Sources of Variation

Total Process Variation:

Total Process Variation = Caus

Common Cause Variation

Assignable Cause Variation

- Variation is natural; inherent in the world around us
- No two products or service experiences are exactly the same
- With a fine enough gauge, all things can be seen to differ

