



## Statistical Process Control (SPC) for Practitioners

Which of the following scenarios best describe where you are now on SPC?

- ✓ You want to initiate SPC and you want to **do it right the first time** ...
- ✓ You have trained your people, yet SPC has NOT taken off ...
- ✓ You have been trying to get it going, but your SPC still falls short of expectations ...
- ✓ There is so much conflicting information on the Net; what should I believe?
- ✓ You think you have a good SPC program, but there are **still too many customer complaints** ...
- ✓ You have a respectable SPC program, but you want to **take it to its pinnacle** ...

If any of the above scenarios describe where you are, **we have the answers for you.**

- ✓ **What do you do with machines that are “not capable”?**
- ✓ **How do you know if your spec limits are correct? optimal?**
- ✓ How do you go about understanding the capabilities of your machines/processes?
- ✓ **Know that some cases of “out-of-control” are really due to the wrong use of charts**
- ✓ How do you locate the ever-elusive **assignable cause**?
- ✓ Who, or which department should be responsible for SPC?
- ✓ How many control charts should you have?
- ✓ How do we design machines to **eliminate** the need for SPC?
- ✓ **Will SPC replace Sampling Acceptance?**

These questions and many more will be answered at **this SPC for Practitioners** course.

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| <p><b>Day 1</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Proof of the Need</li> <li>✓ Basic Statistics: Quick Refresh</li> <li>✓ Central Limit Theorem</li> <li>✓ Cp and Cpk</li> <li>✓ Cautions in the Use of Cpk</li> <li>✓ Intrinsic Machine Capability Study</li> <li>✓ Long Term Capability Study</li> <li>✓ Control Charts for Variables</li> </ul>   | <p><b>Day 2</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Control Charts for Attributes</li> <li>✓ Variable vs Attribute Charts</li> <li>✓ When the usual charts do not work</li> <li>✓ Choice of control charts</li> <li>✓ SPC of Batch (lot by lot) processes</li> <li>✓ Capability of measuring equipment:<br/>Repeatability &amp; reproducibility</li> </ul> |
| <p><b>Day 3</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Selection of Critical Parameters for SPC</li> <li>✓ SPC Implementation: A Step-by-Step Guide</li> <li>✓ Control Chart Administration</li> <li>✓ Material Disposition</li> <li>✓ SPC Ownership</li> <li>✓ Benefits of SPC</li> <li>✓ Designing Machines to <b>Eliminate</b> SPC</li> <li>✓ SPC Progress Indicators</li> <li>✓ Beyond SPC</li> <li>✓ Real-life Case Studies</li> </ul> |   |

**Participants are welcome to bring along their own SPC cases/questions and will get instant solutions during the course**

### **Who should attend**

Production Supervisors & Managers  
Engineers and Engineering Assistants in R&D, Quality & Reliability, Process Engineering, Production Engineering, Equipment or Maintenance Engineering  
Technical Managers & Heads of Departments

**Pre-requisite** Preferably a technical degree or diploma

### **What ex-participants say about this course**

- ✓ An excellent trainer ...
- ✓ Very clear and precise information; easy to understand; lectures not boring
- ✓ Lecturer is knowledgeable; enough examples given; handouts given are practical
- ✓ An excellent course!
- ✓ Ms Tan Chor Hoong was very humorous all thru the course.
- ✓ The way the course material is prepared is excellent.
- ✓ The class was very informative and enlightening
- ✓ Ms Tan is a very knowledgeable trainer. She can explain in relation to our prodn line; this helps us to understand better.
- ✓ Ability of instructor to give daily practical examples to illustrate the subject
- ✓ The ability of the instructor to relate theory to real life practical line examples.
- ✓ The polite way that we were asked to pay attention whenever someone drifted off
- ✓ Interaction between lecturer & participants is lively. Lecturer is knowledgeable ...
- ✓ ... clear explanations on questions asked
- ✓ The overall sessions are very enjoyable
- ✓ The instructor has demonstrated professional ways of delivering & problem solving
- ✓ The applications of SPC and its benefits were explained clearly ...
- ✓ **Never met a trainer that can make me understand SPC like herself**
- ✓ Generally, the course is **very useful for industry** and you are an **excellent teacher**
- ✓ Sound coaching from instructor
- ✓ Very good instructor
- ✓ Ability to sustain interest throughout course.
- ✓ Interactive nature. Prompt answers and discussion among participants.