# Optimization of PCB Manufacturing Processes Using Statistical Quality Control (SQC)

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#### Introduction

- Overview of Manufacturing Landscape:
  - importance of efficiency, cost reduction, and quality
- Focus on PCB Assembly:
  - Backbone for electronic devices.

## Importance of SQC

- What is Statistical Quality Control (SQC)?
  - Systematic approach using statistical methods.
- Techniques Used:
  - Control charts, process capability analysis.

#### Reference

[1]. Quality Control in PCB Manufacturing | TOPFASTPCBA

# Objectives of the Project

- Main Aim:
  - Optimize a PCB assembly line.
- Targets:
  - Identify inefficiencies and reduce defect rates.

## Real-Time Monitoring

- Continuous Monitoring
  - Cycle times and defect rates.
- Benefits:
  - Detect variations in real-time.
  - Implement corrective actions promptly.

#### Reference

[2]. PCB Quality Control: Everything You Need to Know | PCBMay - PCBTok.

## Integration with Lean Principles

- Lean Manufacturing Principles
  - Streamlining processes.
  - Eliminating non-value-added activities.
- Enhanced effectiveness of SQC

#### References:

[3]. <u>How does PCB company ensure PCB quality control Methods?</u> - Leadsintec.

## Quality Control Methods

- Key Techniques in PCB Manufacturing
- Automated Optical Inspection (AOI).
- X-Ray Inspection.
- Electrical Testing.

- Reference:
- [1]. Quality Control in PCB Manufacturing | TOPFASTPCBA
- [4]. Complete PCB Quality Control Method Jhdpcb.

# Role of Quality Controls

• Enhancing defect detection rates.



• Reducing waste and improving quality.



• Reference

[5]. Quality Control of PCB using Image Processing - ResearchGate.

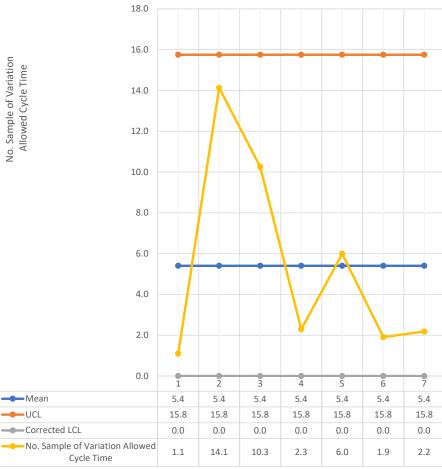
# Methodology Overview

- Process Selection
  - Focus on PCB assembly line.
- Data Collection
  - Cycle time, defect rate, performance metrics.

## Methodology Continued..

- Analysis Using SQC Techniques
  - Develop control charts for stability monitoring.
- Propose solutions
  - Standardize cycle times, reduce variations.





#### Control Charts for Component Placement Workstation

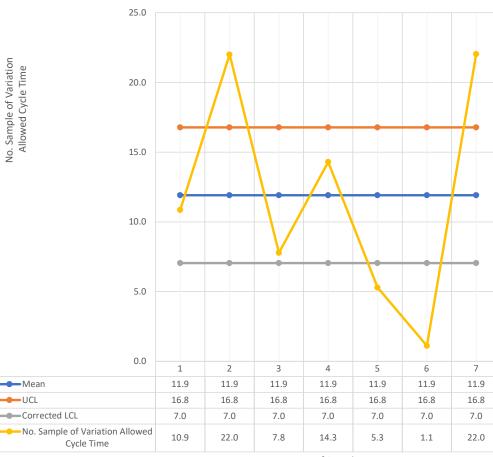


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---UCL

Corrected LCL

Cycle Time



No. of Sample

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#### Validation and Assessment

- Final Steps in Methodology
  - Validate proposed improvements.
  - Analyze updated process metrics.

#### **Expected Outcomes**

- Process Optimization
  - Improved efficiency and reduced cycle time variations.
- Quality Enhancement
  - Lower defect rates and consistent product quality.
- Organizational benefits
  - Reduced costs and increased productivity for manufacturing systems.
- Student learning
  - Practical application of statistical techniques to solve real world industrial problem.

#### Conclusion

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- SQC techniques can significantly enhance PCB manufacturing Processes.

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