

EXERCISE CLASS 2 – SPC for iid data

Additional Exercices

EXERCISE 1

Data reported below represent the diameters of spheres in a recirculating ball mechanism widely used in machine tool industry. The component is very critical and the tolerance is $10 \pm 0.5mm$:

	x1	x2	x3	x4	x5
	10.10	10.04	10.13	9.98	10.14
	10.28	10.13	9.78	9.94	9.83
	9.95	10.36	9.90	9.96	9.96
	9.88	9.89	9.98	9.74	10.14
spheres.csv	10.12	9.83	10.14	9.81	9.86
	10.16	10.22	10.08	9.95	9.93
	9.65	9.98	10.19	10.03	10.15
	9.85	9.86	9.90	10.16	9.94
	9.93	10.13	9.89	10.04	10.10
	9.79	9.86	9.94	10.02	10.04
	9.92	9.98	9.85	9.98	10.17
	9.97	10.03	9.89	10.05	10.01
	10.06	9.91	10.00	9.69	10.05
	9.93	10.27	9.98	10.00	10.10
	10.21	10.15	10.05	10.07	9.99
	10.00	10.06	10.02	10.13	10.09
	10.05	10.10	9.97	10.24	10.13
	9.96	10.07	10.03	9.93	10.06
	10.22	10.10	10.09	9.67	9.73
	9.99	10.13	9.85	10.15	10.08

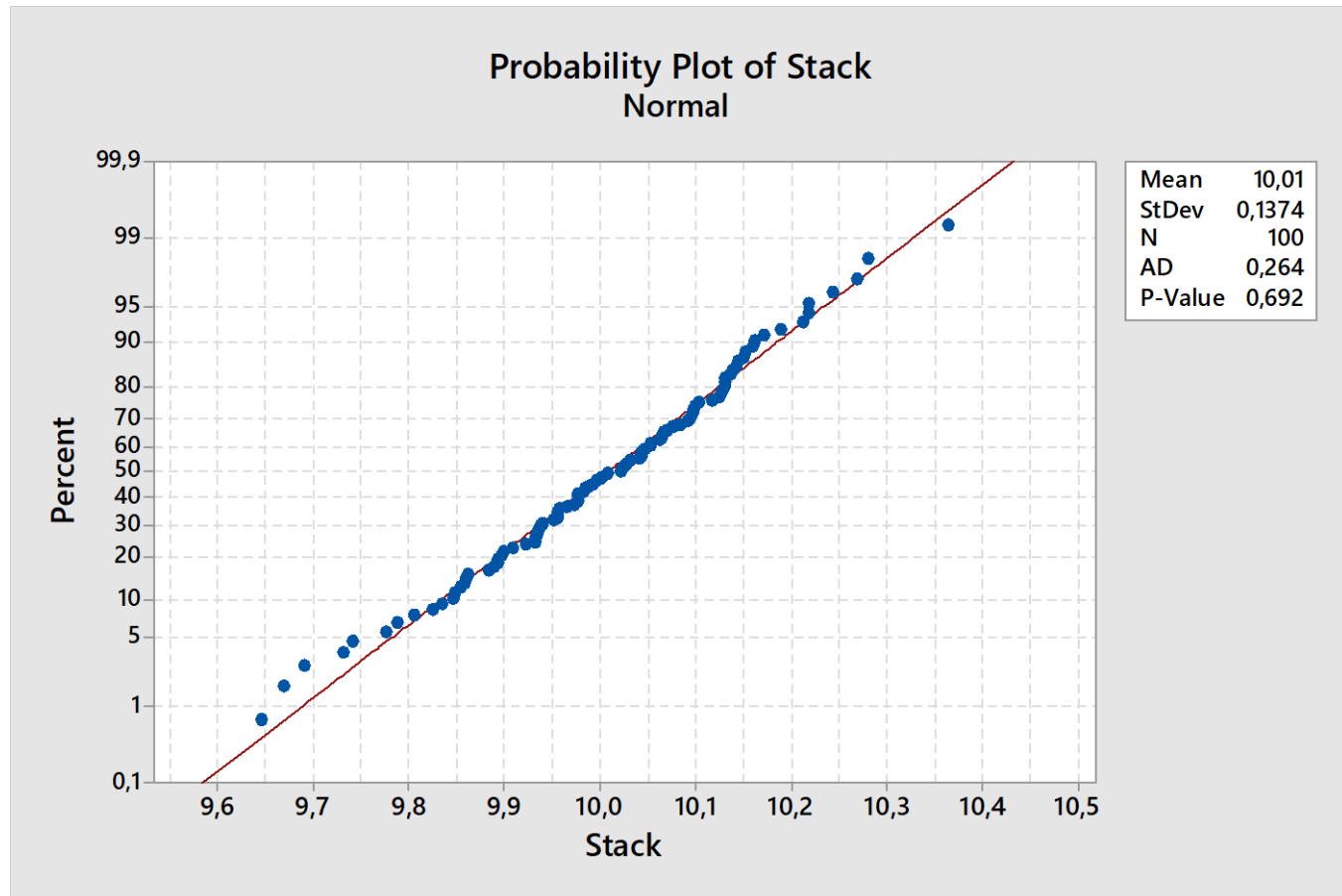
Verify if the process is in-control by using an $\bar{X} - R$ chart

EXERCISE 1 (SOLUTION)

Checking assumptions: NORMALITY

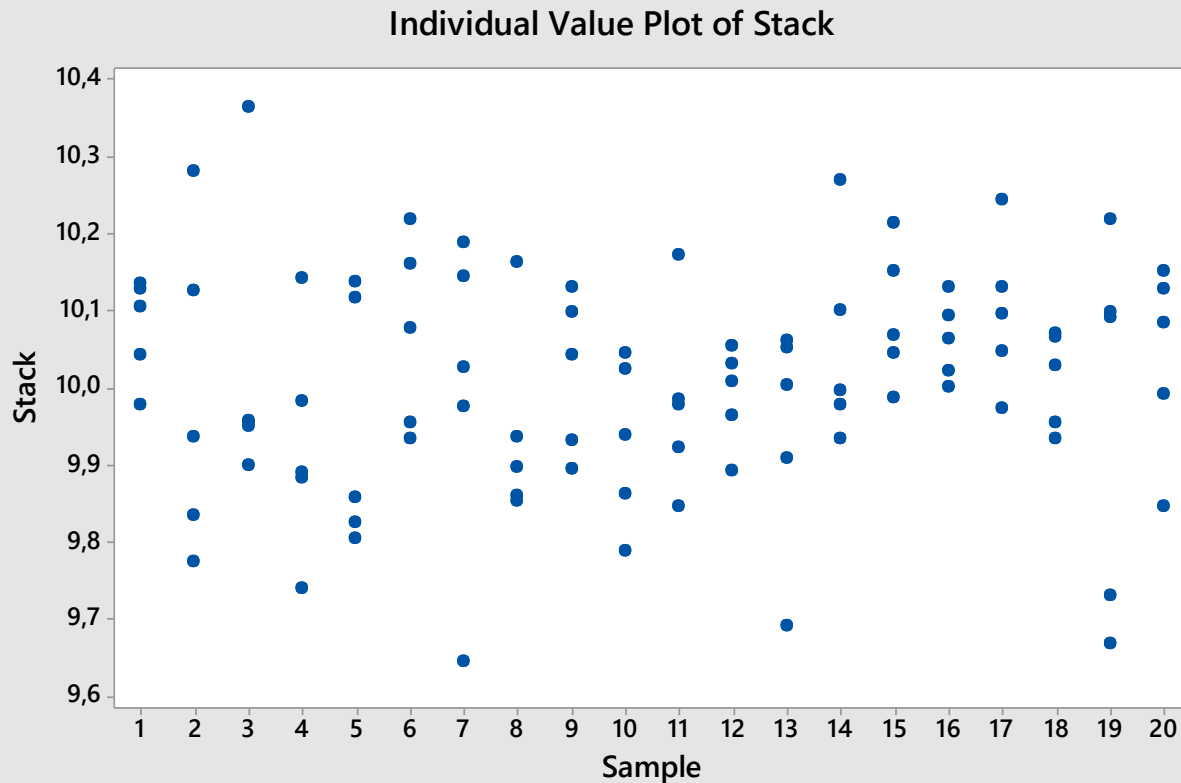
Data-> Stack -> Rows

(all data in a single column; label=sample ID)



EXERCISE 1 (SOLUTION)

a) Data snooping (strange data? Patterns?...)



No strange data

We might also check randomness but we must know within-sample order!

EXERCISE 1 (SOLUTION)

Calc->Row Statistics (sample mean and range)

$$\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1, \dots, n} X_j \quad R = \max_j X_j - \min_j X_j$$

Use 'row statistics' command

Descriptive Statistics: Xbar; R

Variable	Mean	SE Mean	StDev	Minimum	Q1	Median	Q3	Maximum
Xbar	10,008	0,0124	0,0555	9,928	9,952	10,003	10,060	10,098
R	0,3149	0,0287	0,1284	0,1301	0,2275	0,3068	0,3939	0,5507

$$\bar{\bar{X}} = 10.008 \quad \bar{\bar{R}} = 0.3149$$

mean_j	range_j
10.078	0.16
9.992	0.5
10.026	0.46
9.926	0.4
9.952	0.33
10.068	0.29
10	0.54
9.942	0.31
10.018	0.24
9.93	0.25
9.98	0.32
9.99	0.16
9.942	0.37
10.056	0.34
10.094	0.22
10.06	0.13
10.098	0.27
10.01	0.14
9.962	0.55
10.04	0.3

EXERCISE 1 (SOLUTION)

Since there is no constraint on the choice of Type I error α , we can set $K = 3$ ($\alpha = 0.0027$)

\bar{X} Control Chart

$$\begin{cases} UCL = \bar{\bar{X}} + A_2(n)\bar{R} \\ CL = \bar{\bar{X}} \\ LCL = \bar{\bar{X}} - A_2(n)\bar{R} \end{cases}$$

R Control Chart

$$\begin{cases} UCL = D_4(n)\bar{R} \\ CL = \bar{R} \\ LCL = D_3(n)\bar{R} \end{cases}$$

$$n = 5$$

$$A_2(n) = 0.577$$

$$D_3(n) = 0$$

$$D_4(n) = 2.114$$

EXERCISE 1 (SOLUTION)

Factors for constructing variable control charts

Observations in Sample, n	Chart for Averages			Chart for Standard Deviations						Chart for Ranges						
	Factors for Control Limits			Factors for Center Line		Factors for Control Limits				Factors for Center Line		Factors for Control Limits				
	A	A_2	A_3	c_4	$1/c_4$	B_3	B_4	B_5	B_6	d_2	$1/d_2$	d_3	D_1	D_2	D_3	D_4
2	2.121	1.880	2.659	0.7979	1.2533	0	3.267	0	2.606	1.128	0.8865	0.853	0	3.686	0	3.267
3	1.732	1.023	1.954	0.8862	1.1284	0	2.568	0	2.276	1.693	0.5907	0.888	0	4.358	0	2.574
4	1.500	0.729	1.628	0.9213	1.0854	0	2.266	0	2.088	2.059	0.4857	0.880	0	4.698	0	2.282
5	1.342	0.577	1.427	0.9400	1.0638	0	2.089	0	1.964	2.326	0.4299	0.864	0	4.918	0	2.114
6	1.225	0.483	1.287	0.9515	1.0510	0.030	1.970	0.029	1.874	2.534	0.3946	0.848	0	5.078	0	2.004
7	1.134	0.419	1.182	0.9594	1.0423	0.118	1.882	0.113	1.806	2.704	0.3698	0.833	0.204	5.204	0.076	1.924
8	1.061	0.373	1.099	0.9650	1.0363	0.185	1.815	0.179	1.751	2.847	0.3512	0.820	0.388	5.306	0.136	1.864
9	1.000	0.337	1.032	0.9693	1.0317	0.239	1.761	0.232	1.707	2.970	0.3367	0.808	0.547	5.393	0.184	1.816
10	0.949	0.308	0.975	0.9727	1.0281	0.284	1.716	0.276	1.669	3.078	0.3249	0.797	0.687	5.469	0.223	1.777
11	0.905	0.285	0.927	0.9754	1.0252	0.321	1.679	0.313	1.637	3.173	0.3152	0.787	0.811	5.535	0.256	1.744
12	0.866	0.266	0.886	0.9776	1.0229	0.354	1.646	0.346	1.610	3.258	0.3069	0.778	0.922	5.594	0.283	1.717
13	0.832	0.249	0.850	0.9794	1.0210	0.382	1.618	0.374	1.585	3.336	0.2998	0.770	1.025	5.647	0.307	1.693
14	0.802	0.235	0.817	0.9810	1.0194	0.406	1.594	0.399	1.563	3.407	0.2935	0.763	1.118	5.696	0.328	1.672
15	0.775	0.223	0.789	0.9823	1.0180	0.428	1.572	0.421	1.544	3.472	0.2880	0.756	1.203	5.741	0.347	1.653
16	0.750	0.212	0.763	0.9835	1.0168	0.448	1.552	0.440	1.526	3.532	0.2831	0.750	1.282	5.782	0.363	1.637
17	0.728	0.203	0.739	0.9845	1.0157	0.466	1.534	0.458	1.511	3.588	0.2787	0.744	1.356	5.820	0.378	1.622
18	0.707	0.194	0.718	0.9854	1.0148	0.482	1.518	0.475	1.496	3.640	0.2747	0.739	1.424	5.856	0.391	1.608
19	0.688	0.187	0.698	0.9862	1.0140	0.497	1.503	0.490	1.483	3.689	0.2711	0.734	1.487	5.891	0.403	1.597
20	0.671	0.180	0.680	0.9869	1.0133	0.510	1.490	0.504	1.470	3.735	0.2677	0.729	1.549	5.921	0.415	1.585
21	0.655	0.173	0.663	0.9876	1.0126	0.523	1.477	0.516	1.459	3.778	0.2647	0.724	1.605	5.951	0.425	1.575
22	0.640	0.167	0.647	0.9882	1.0119	0.534	1.466	0.528	1.448	3.819	0.2618	0.720	1.659	5.979	0.434	1.566
23	0.626	0.162	0.633	0.9887	1.0114	0.545	1.455	0.539	1.438	3.858	0.2592	0.716	1.710	6.006	0.443	1.557
24	0.612	0.157	0.619	0.9892	1.0109	0.555	1.445	0.549	1.429	3.895	0.2567	0.712	1.759	6.031	0.451	1.548
25	0.600	0.153	0.606	0.9896	1.0105	0.565	1.435	0.559	1.420	3.931	0.2544	0.708	1.806	6.056	0.459	1.541

For $n > 25$.

EXERCISE 1 (SOLUTION)

\bar{X} Control Chart

$$\begin{cases} UCL = \bar{\bar{X}} + A_2(n)\bar{R} \\ CL = \bar{\bar{X}} \\ LCL = \bar{\bar{X}} - A_2(n)\bar{R} \end{cases}$$

R Control Chart

$$\begin{cases} UCL = D_4(n)\bar{R} \\ CL = \bar{R} \\ LCL = D_3(n)\bar{R} \end{cases}$$

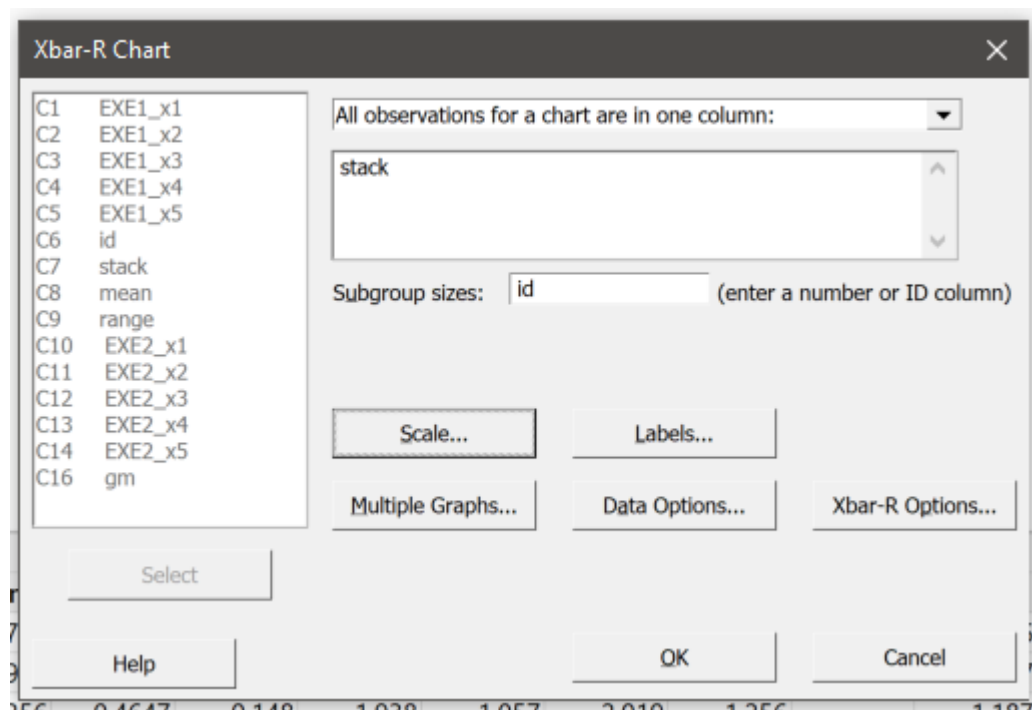
$$n = 5$$

$$A_2(n) = 0.577$$

$$D_3(n) = 0$$

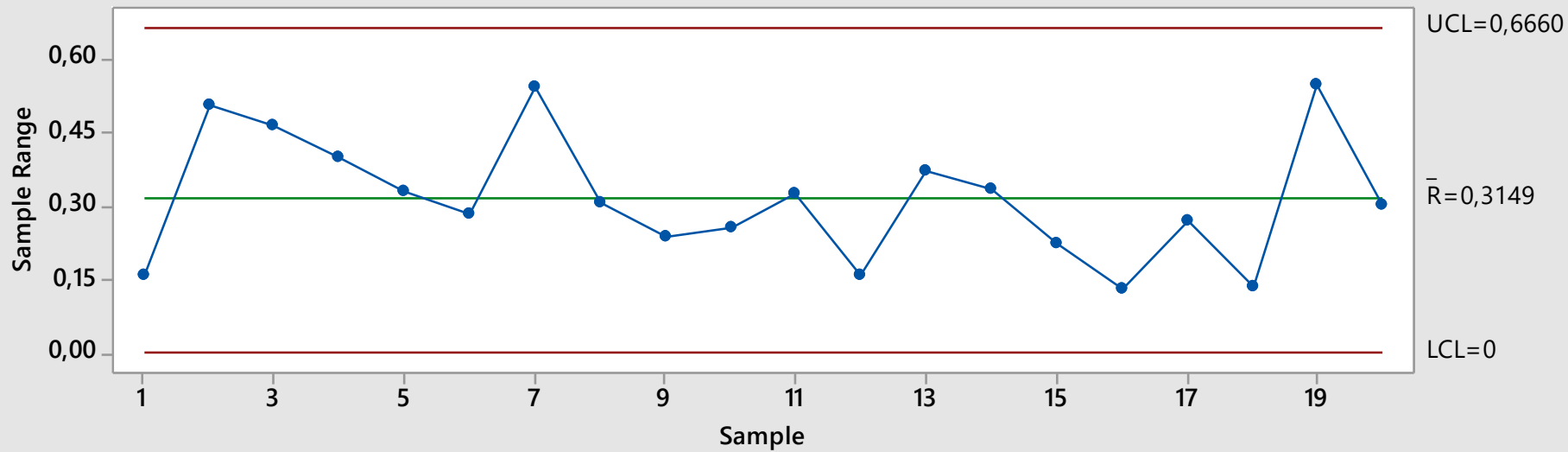
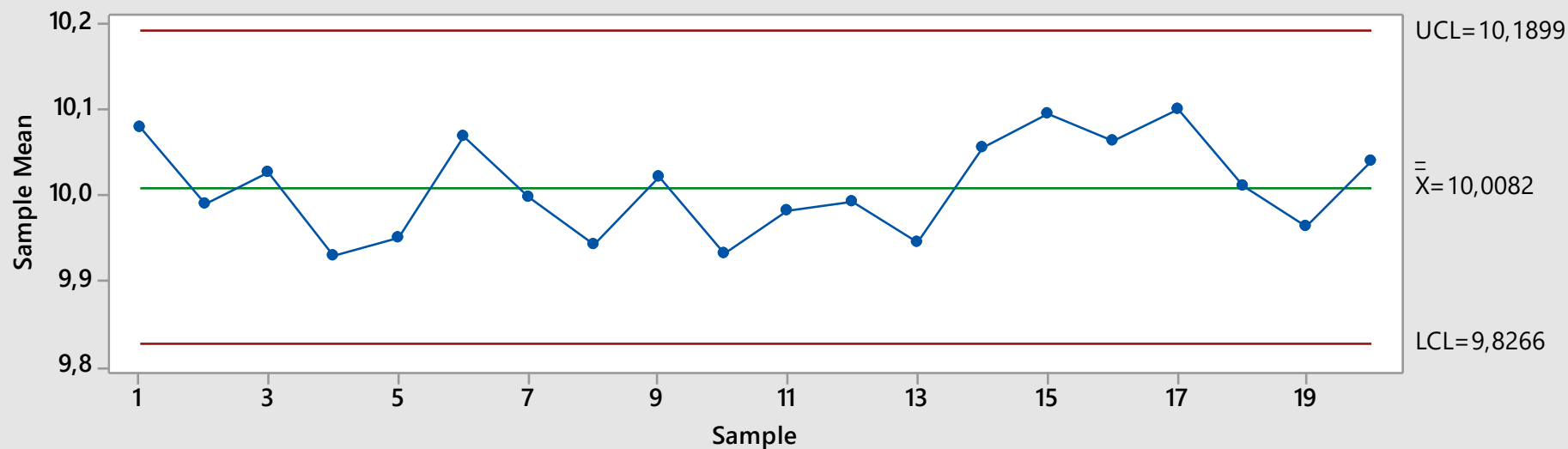
$$D_4(n) = 2.114$$

Stat → Control charts
→ Variable control
charts for subgroups



EXERCISE 1 (SOLUTION)

Xbar-R Chart of x1; ...; x5



EXERCISE 1 (Follow on)

Given the previous dataset:

- a. Redesign the $\bar{X} - R$ control chart in order to achieve in both the charts a Type I error equal to 0.002 (assuming that the normal approximation applies for both of them)
- b. Determine the operating characteristic curve (OC) for the \bar{X} chart (by using $K=3$ and expressing the shift of the mean in standard deviation units)
- c. Determine the corresponding ARL curve
- d. Estimate the standard deviation through the statistic R
- e. Design (with Minitab) the confidence interval on the process mean that corresponds to the control limits computed in point a).

EXERCISE 1 (Follow on) (SOLUTION)

a)

$$\alpha = 0.002 \quad \Rightarrow \quad z_{0.002/2} = 3.09$$

$$\text{UCL} = \bar{\bar{x}} + z_{\alpha/2} \frac{1}{d_2 \sqrt{n}} \bar{R} = 10.008 + 3.09 \left(\frac{0.3140}{2.326 \sqrt{5}} \right) = 10.195$$

$$\text{CL} = \bar{\bar{x}} = 10.008$$

$$\text{LCL} = \bar{\bar{x}} - z_{\alpha/2} \frac{1}{d_2 \sqrt{n}} \bar{R} = 10.008 - 3.09 \left(\frac{0.3140}{2.326 \sqrt{5}} \right) = 9.821$$

$$n = 5$$

$$d_2(n) = 2.326$$

$$d_3(n) = 0.864$$

$$\text{UCL} = d_2(n) \hat{\sigma} + z_{\alpha/2} d_3(n) \hat{\sigma} = \bar{R} + z_{\alpha/2} \frac{d_3(n)}{d_2(n)} \bar{R} = 0.674$$

$$\text{CL} = d_2(n) \hat{\sigma} = \bar{R} = 0.3140$$

$$\text{LCL} = \text{MAX} \{0; d_2(n) \hat{\sigma} - z_{\alpha/2} d_3(n) \hat{\sigma}\} = \text{MAX} \left\{ 0; \bar{R} - z_{\alpha/2} \frac{d_3(n)}{d_2(n)} \bar{R} \right\} = 0$$

EXERCISE 1 (Follow on) (SOLUTION)

a)

Xbar-R Chart: Options

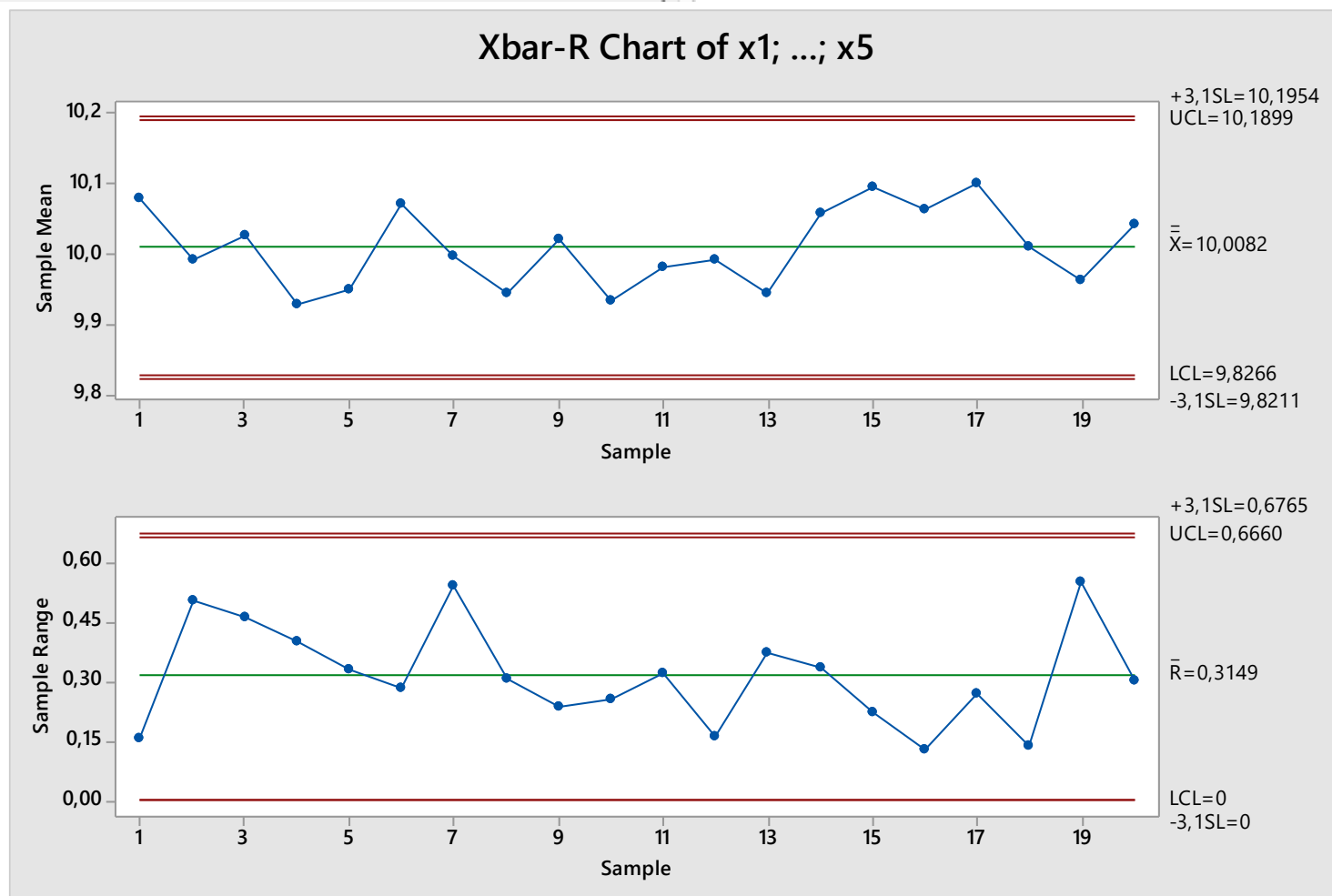
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Display additional σ limits at:

These multiples of the standard deviation:

When using $K \neq 3$, Minitab shows both limits at desired K and the ones with $K = 3$

Just ignore the ones at $K = 3$



EXERCISE 1 (Follow on) (SOLUTION)

b) $H_0 : \bar{X} \sim N(\mu_0, \sigma^2 / n)$

$$H_1 : \bar{X} \sim N(\mu_1, \sigma^2 / n)$$

$$\beta = \Pr(LCL \leq \bar{X} \leq UCL | H_1)$$

$$= \Pr\left(Z \leq \frac{UCL - \mu_1}{\sigma / \sqrt{n}}\right) - \Pr\left(Z \leq \frac{LCL - \mu_1}{\sigma / \sqrt{n}}\right) =$$

$$= \Pr(Z \leq 3 - \delta\sqrt{n}) - \Pr(Z \leq -3 - \delta\sqrt{n})$$

$$\text{where } \delta = \frac{\mu_1 - \mu_0}{\sigma}$$

Create a 'delta' column.
Create two columns of values:

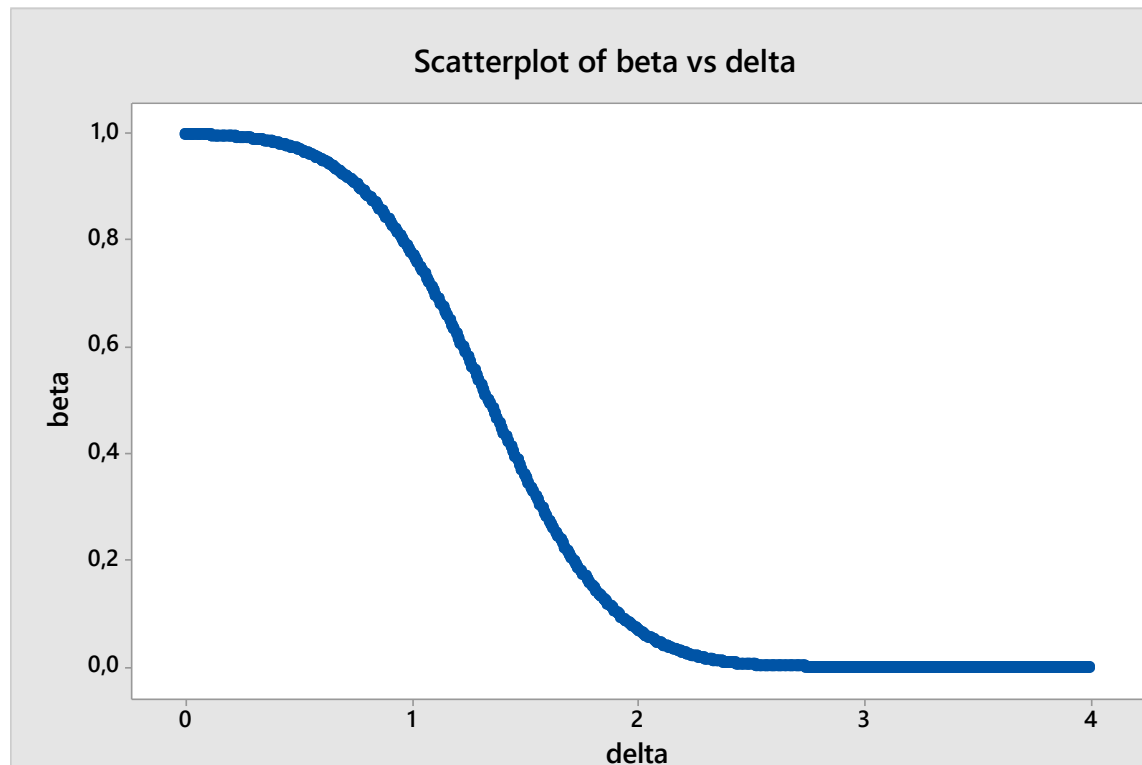
- $3 - \delta\sqrt{n}$
- $-3 - \delta\sqrt{n}$

Create two columns of values:

- $P(Z \leq 3 - \delta\sqrt{n})$
- $P(Z \leq -3 - \delta\sqrt{n})$

Create a column for β

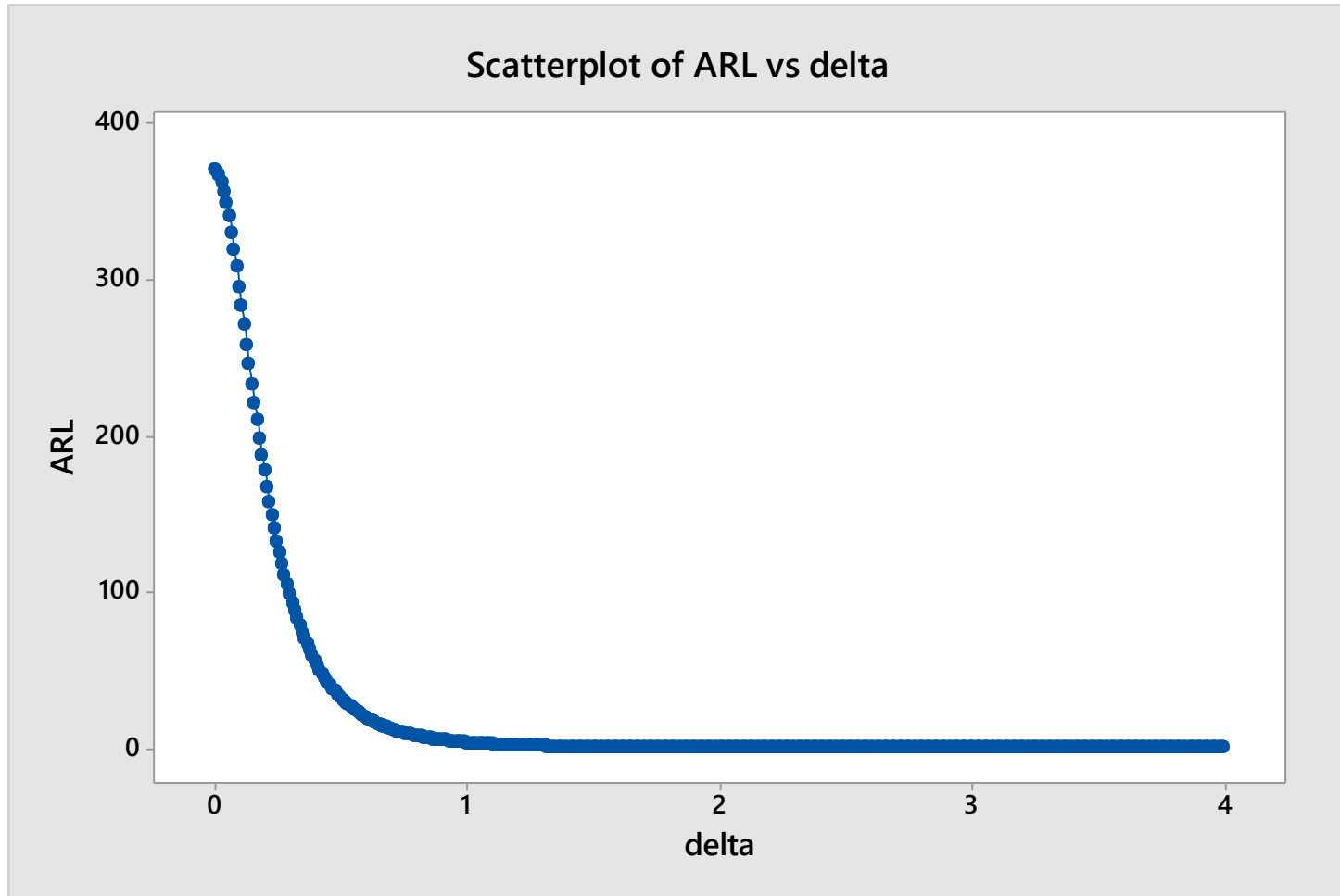
Plot β vs δ



EXERCISE 1 (Follow on) (SOLUTION)

c)

$$ARL = 1/(1 - \beta)$$

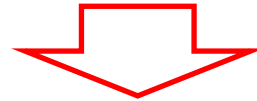


EXERCISE 1 (Follow on) (SOLUTION)

d)

Estimate the standard deviation through the statistic R

$$\bar{R} = 0.3140$$



$$\hat{\sigma} = \frac{\bar{R}}{d_2(n)} = \frac{0.314}{2.326} = 0.13499$$

EXERCISE 1 (Follow on) (SOLUTION)

e) Confidence interval at 99,8% (REMIND: Type I error = 0.002)

With:

$$n = 5$$

$$\hat{\mu} = \bar{\bar{X}} = 10.008$$

$$\hat{\sigma} = \frac{\bar{R}}{d_2(n)} = \frac{0.3140}{2.326} = 0.13499$$

CI for the means of each variable (i.e., column means)

One-Sample Z

(assumed known variance)

The assumed standard deviation = 0,13499

N	Mean	SE Mean	99,8% CI
5	10,0080	0,0604	(9,8214; 10,1946)

Control limits: $LCL = 9.821$, $UCL = 10.195$

EXERCISE 2

The following table (read from the left to the right and then top-down) shows the daily changes of the General Motors Co. closing prices since September 4, 1998 to November 27, 1998

general_motors.csv

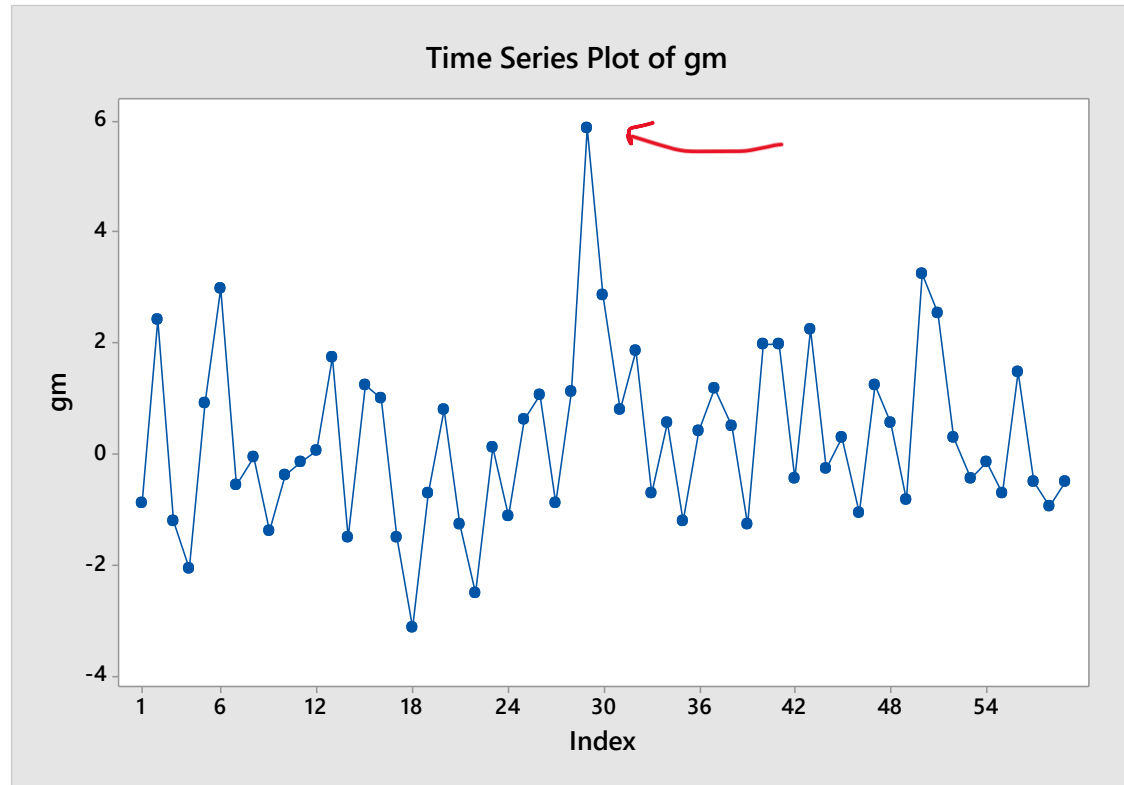
-0.875	2.437	-1.187	-2.063	0.938	3.000	-0.563	-0.062	-1.375	-0.375
-0.125	0.062	1.750	-1.500	1.250	1.000	-1.500	-3.125	-0.687	0.812
-1.250	-2.500	0.125	-1.125	0.625	1.063	-0.875	1.125	5.875	2.875
0.812	1.875	-0.687	0.562	-1.187	0.437	1.188	0.500	-1.250	2.000
2.000	-0.438	2.250	-0.250	0.313	-1.063	1.250	0.563	-0.813	3.250
2.563	0.312	-0.437	-0.125	-0.688	1.500	-0.500	-0.937	-0.500	

- Design a suitable quality control tool by assuming the existence of an assignable cause for the OOC observations (if any)
- Determine if the following values are IC (use the previously designed control chart – point a))

1.327 1.594 0.716 1.767 -0.915 -2.524 -0.563 2.053

EXERCISE 2 (SOLUTION)

a) DATA SNOOPING and Hypothesis Tests



Descriptive Statistics: gm

Variable	Mean	SE Mean	StDev	Minimum	Q1	Median	Q3	Maximum
gm	0,292	0,210	1,615	-3,125	-0,875	0,062	1,188	5,875

EXERCISE 2 (SOLUTION)

a) DATA SNOOPING and Hypothesis Tests

Test

Null hypothesis H_0 : The order of the data is random

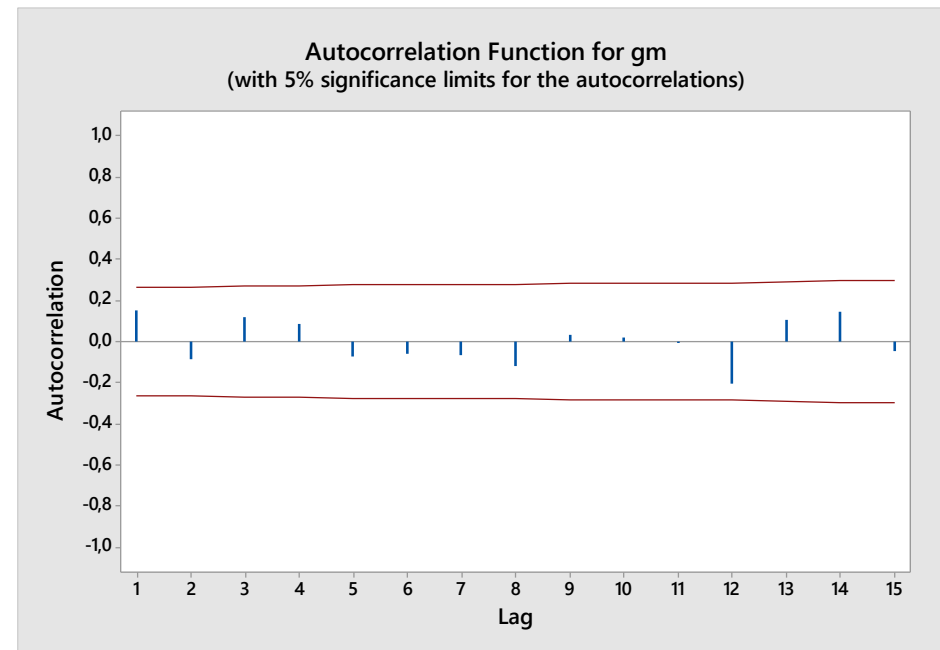
Alternative hypothesis H_1 : The order of the data is not random

Number of Runs

Observed	Expected	P-Value
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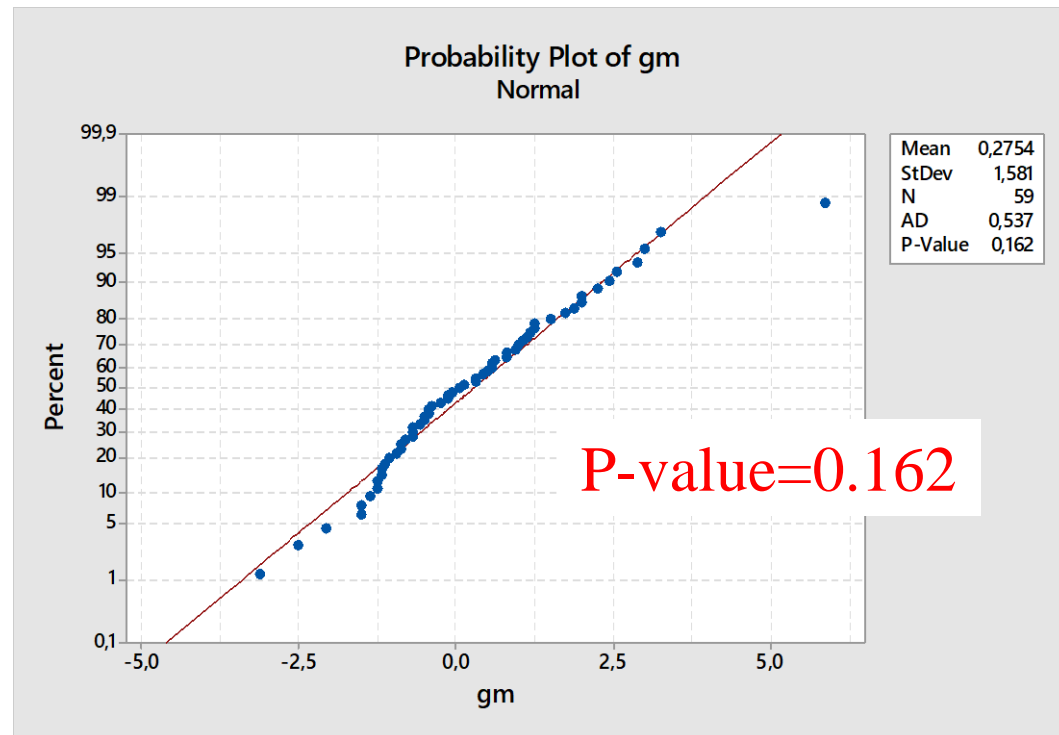
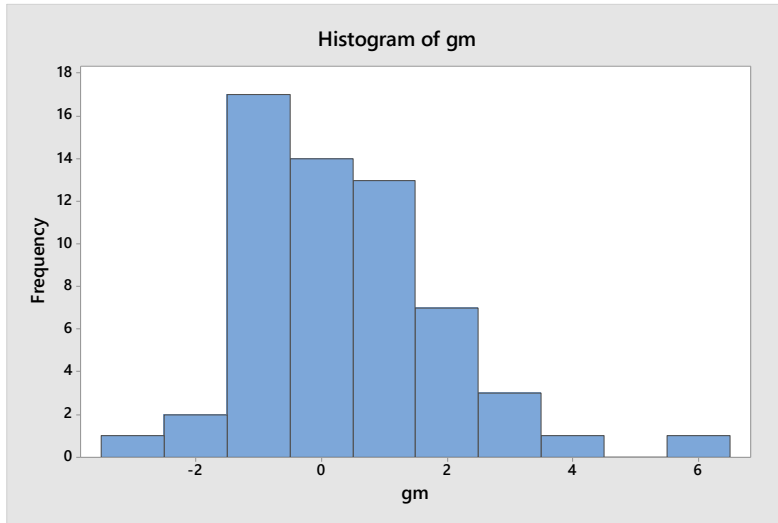
31	30,42	0,879
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There is no statistical evidence to assume non-randomness of the process



EXERCISE 2 (SOLUTION)

a) DATA SNOOPING and Hypothesis Tests



There is no statistical evidence to assume non-normality of process data

EXERCISE 2 (SOLUTION)

a)

Quality control tool: $I - MR$ control chart

Let's compute the moving ranges:

Stat-> Time series-> Differences

Calc->Abs

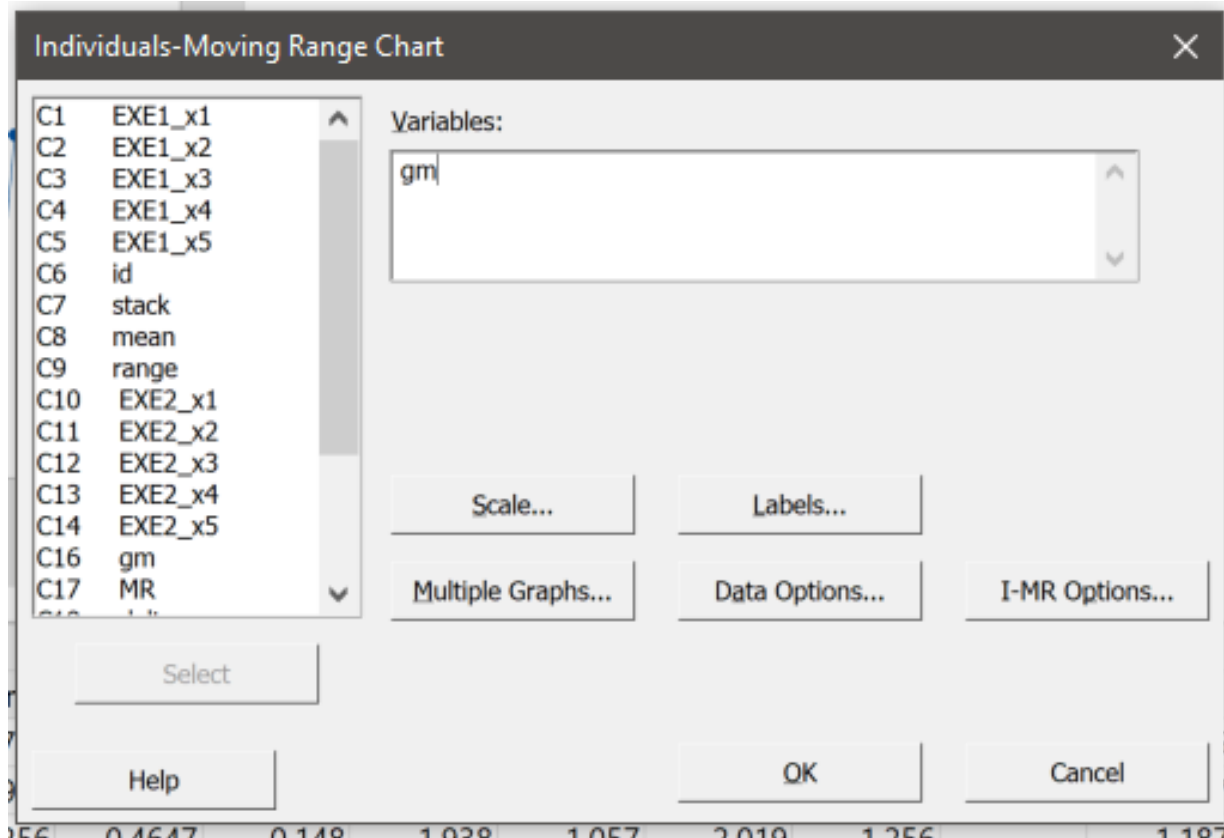
Descriptive Statistics: MR

Variable	Mean	SE Mean	StDev	Minimum	Q1	Median	Q3	Maximum
MR	1,744	0,143	1,092	0,000	0,734	1,719	2,500	4,750

$$\overline{MR} = 1.744$$

EXERCISE 2 (SOLUTION)

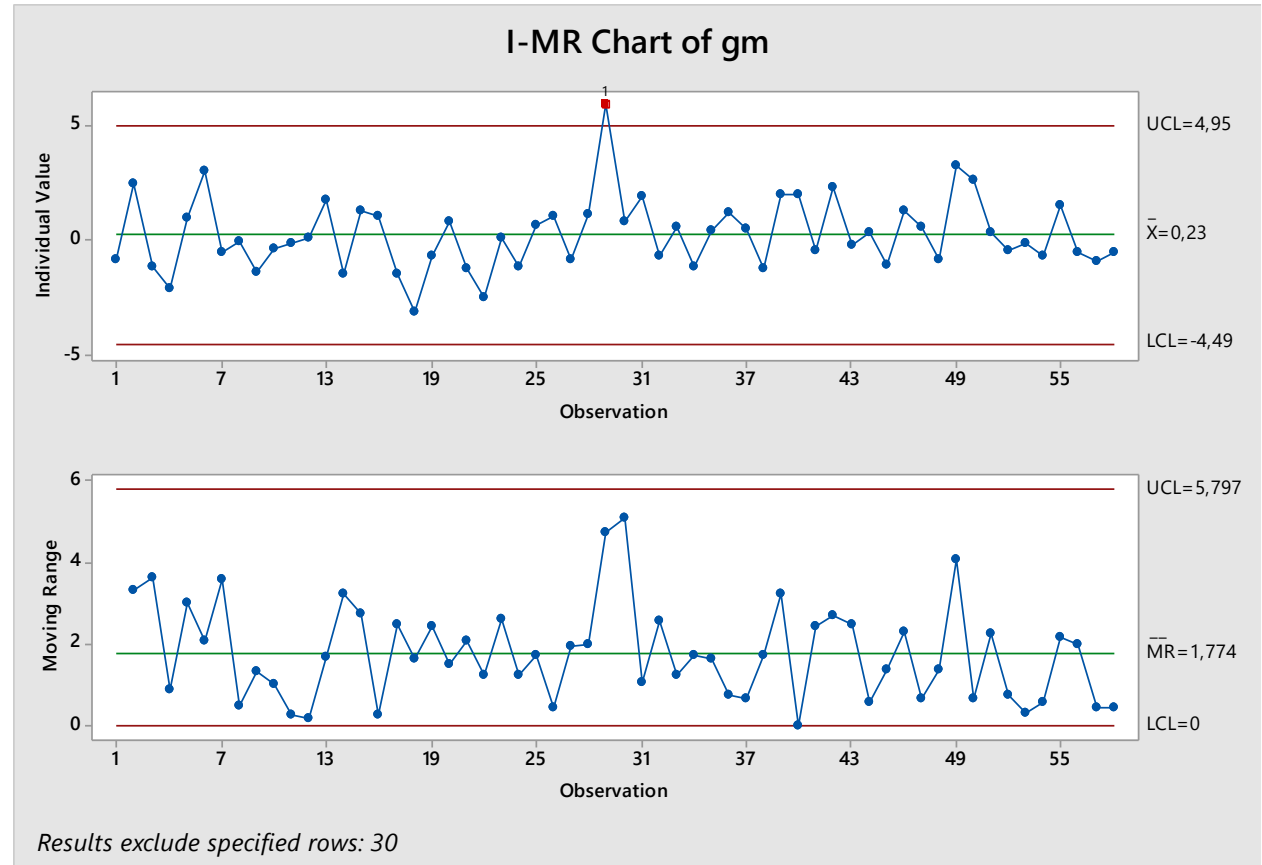
a) Stat → Control charts → Variable control charts for individuals



EXERCISE 2 (SOLUTION)

a)

One OOC observation



Assume that we found an **assignable cause** for observation 29

We have to remove the datum from the dataset

EXERCISE 2 (SOLUTION)

a)

Before removing data #29

Descriptive Statistics: gm

Variable	Mean	SE Mean	StDev	Minimum	Q1	Median	Q3	Maximum
gm	0,275	0,206	1,581	-3,125	-0,875	0,062	1,188	5,875

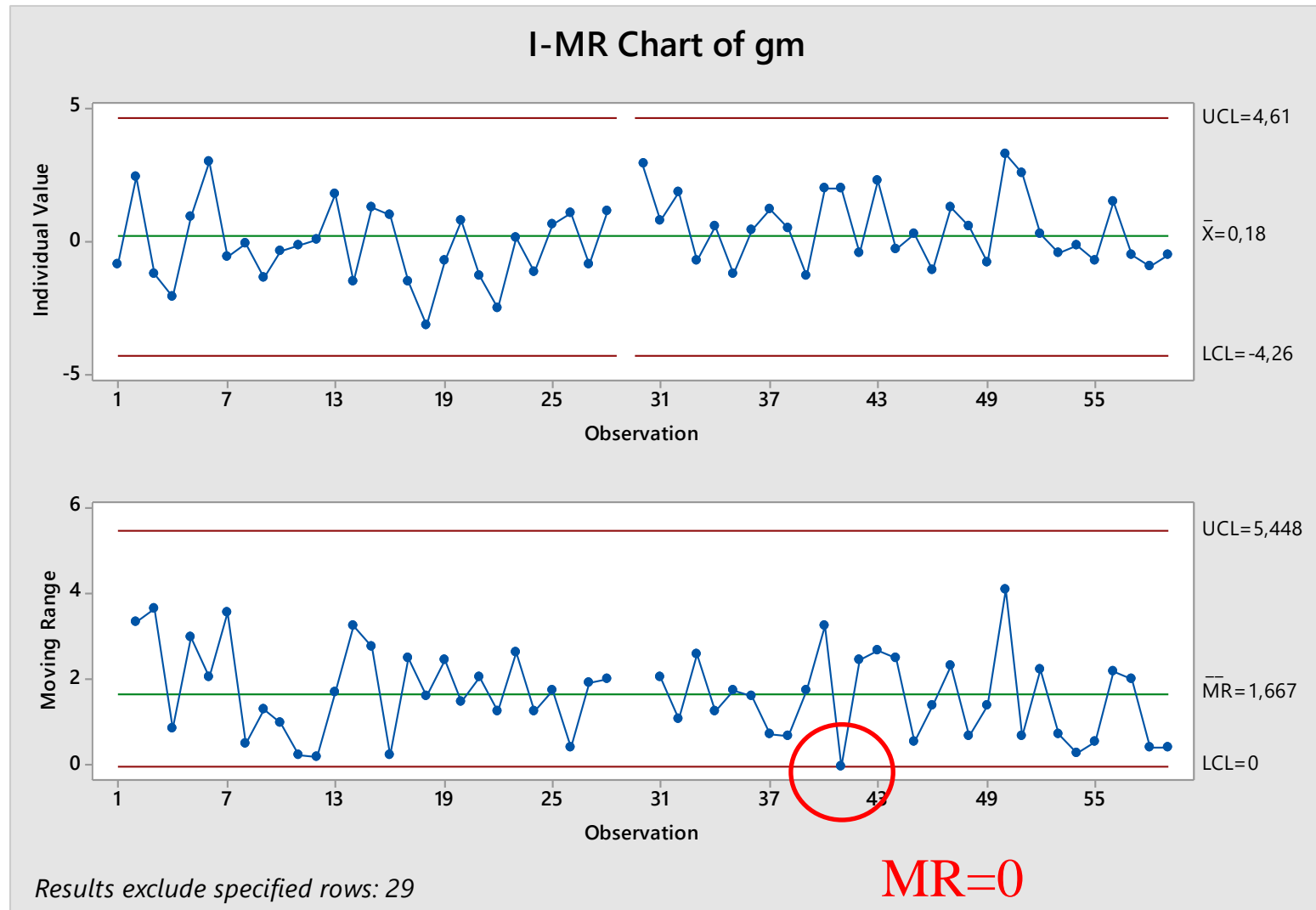
After removing data #29

Descriptive Statistics: gm_1

Variable	Mean	SE Mean	StDev	Minimum	Q1	Median	Q3	Maximum
gm_1	0,179	0,185	1,409	-3,125	-0,875	0,000	1,141	3,250

EXERCISE 2 (SOLUTION)

a)

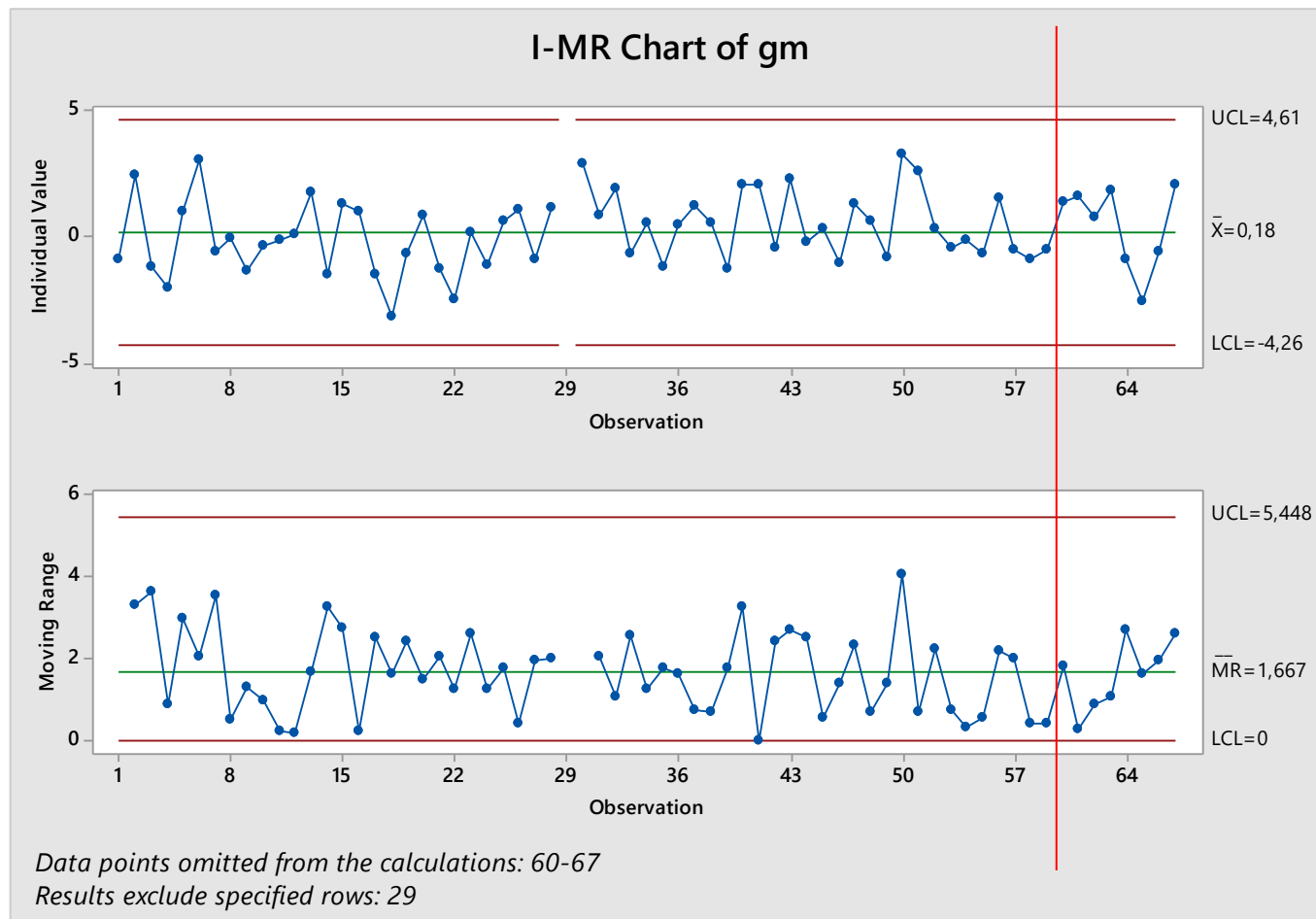


EXERCISE 2 (SOLUTION)

b) Phase II

Create a single column that includes both Phase I and Phase II data, and specify the subset of data to be used for control chart design (SEE NEXT SLIDE)

New samples
are IC



EXERCISE 2 (SOLUTION)

To exclude Phase II data
from the design of the
control chart!

Rows corresponding to
Phase 2 data

The image shows the 'Individuals-Moving Range Chart: Options' dialog box in Minitab. The 'Limits' tab is selected. In the 'Omit the following subgroups when estimating parameters (eg, 3 12:15)' list, the entry '60:67' is present. Under 'Method for estimating standard deviation', 'Subgroup size = 1' is shown, with 'Average moving range' selected. The 'Length of moving range' is set to 2. The 'Use Nelson estimate' checkbox is unchecked. At the bottom are 'Help', 'OK', and 'Cancel' buttons.

Individuals-Moving Range Chart: Options

Parameters Estimate Limits Tests Stages Box-Cox Display Storage

Omit the following subgroups when estimating parameters (eg, 3 12:15)

60:67

Method for estimating standard deviation

Subgroup size = 1

☒ Average moving range

☐ Median moving range

Length of moving range: 2

☐ Use Nelson estimate

Help OK Cancel

EXERCISE 3

Using data in `general_motors.csv`, design an I-MR control chart with probability limits (i.e., use the true distribution of both statistics) with $\alpha = 0.01$.

With regard to the MR chart, use the half-normal distribution.

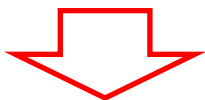
EXERCISE 3 (SOLUTION)

I Control chart

Inverse Cumulative Distribution Function

Normal with mean = 0 and standard deviation = 1

$P(X \leq x)$
0,005 -2,57583



$$z_{\alpha/2} = 2.57583$$



$$\begin{matrix} \text{UCL} \\ \text{LCL} \end{matrix} = \bar{x} \pm 2.57583 \left(\frac{\overline{MR}}{d_2} \right)$$

$$= 0.292 \pm 2.57583 \left(\frac{1.744}{1.128} \right)$$



$$\begin{matrix} UCL = 4.2745 \\ LCL = -3.6905 \end{matrix}$$

REMIND: moving range of length n=2

EXERCISE 3 (SOLUTION)

I Control chart

When using $K \neq 3$,
Minitab shows
both limits at
desired K and the
ones with $K = 3$
Just ignore the ones
at $K = 3$

In Minitab...

Individuals-Moving Range Chart: Options

Parameters | Estimate | Limits | Tests | Stages | Box-Cox | Display | Storage

Display additional σ limits at:
These multiples of the standard deviation: 2,57583

Place bounds on control limits of Individuals chart

☐ Lower standard deviation limit bound:

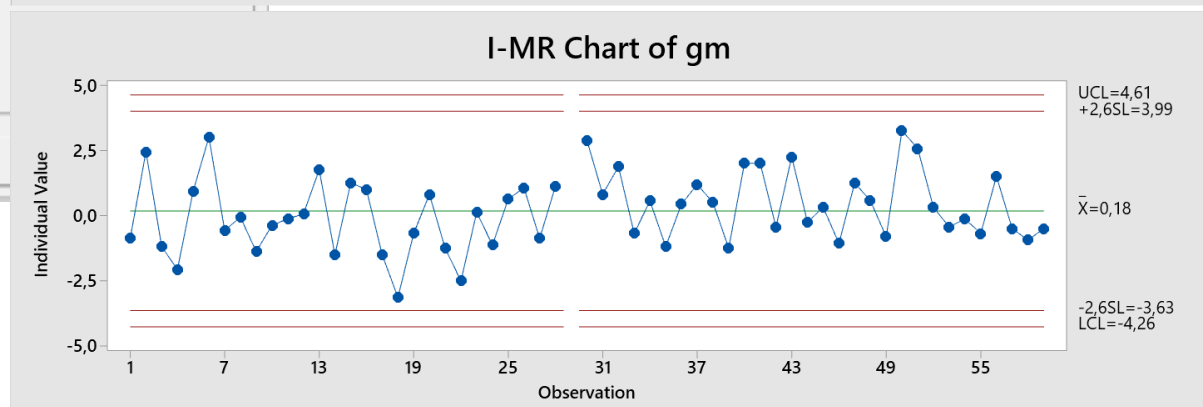
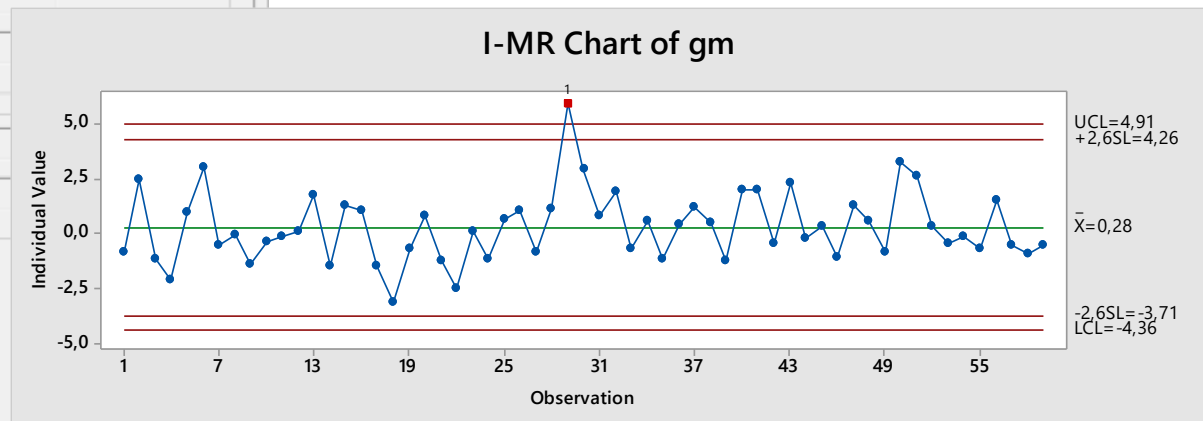
☐ Upper standard deviation limit bound:

Place bounds on control limits of Moving range chart

☐ Lower standard deviation limit bound:

☐ Upper standard deviation limit bound:

Help OK



EXERCISE 3 (SOLUTION)

MR Control chart – by using the half-normal approximation

$$\text{UCL} = D_{1-\alpha/2} \frac{\overline{MR}}{d_2} \quad \text{LCL} = D_{\alpha/2} \frac{\overline{MR}}{d_2}$$

For $n = 2$

$$D_{1-\alpha/2} = \sqrt{2} z_{\alpha/4}$$

$$D_{\alpha/2} = \sqrt{2} z_{1/2-\alpha/4}$$

Alwan – Appendix A

$$\text{LCL} = 0,0131$$

$$\text{UCL} = 5,8683$$

Excluding
row 29

Out-of-control
MR=0

