Statistical Process Control (SPC)

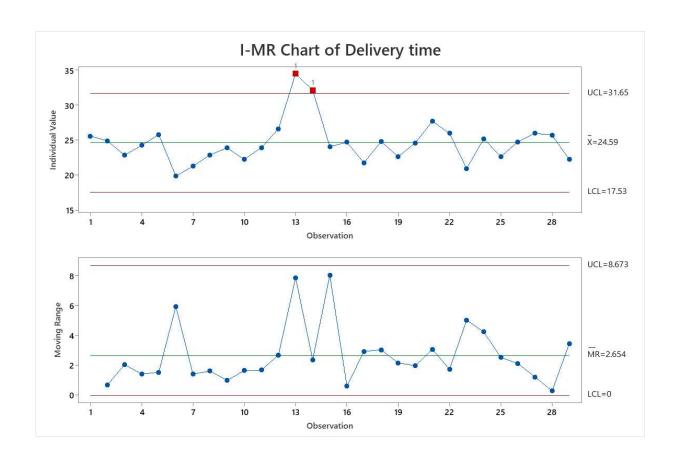
Analyze for non-random or special cause variations happen.

I-MR Chart

Stat -> Control Charts -> Variable Charts for Individuals -> I-MR

Select variable (single column of measurements)
Select I-MR options -> Tests (check that all applies)

RESULT: process is not in control



Test Results for I Chart of Delivery time

TEST 1. One point more than 3.00 standard deviations from center line.

Test Failed at points: 13, 14

Xbar-R

Used for repetitive process. Sensitive for tracking and identifying causes.

Xbar = Average of samples

R= range of value within a sample

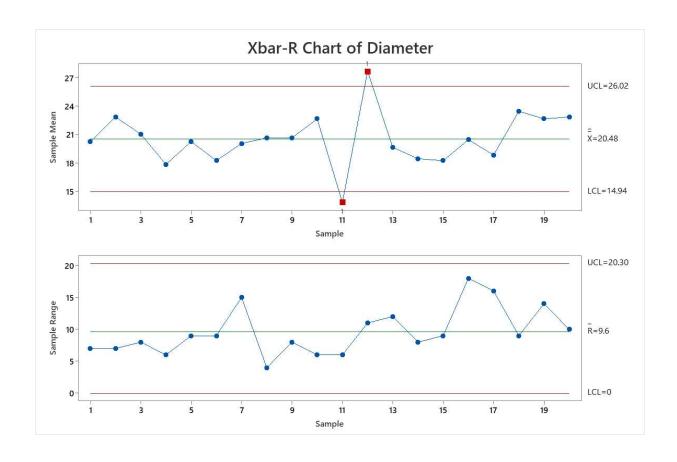
Stat -> Control Charts -> Variable Charts for Subgroups -> Xbar-R

Select Diameter as a variable

Select Sample as Subgroup sizes.

Select Xbar-R Options and all tests.

RESULT: process is not in control



Test Results for Xbar Chart of Diameter

TEST 1. One point more than 3.00 standard deviations from center line.

Test Failed at points: 11, 12

Xbar-S

Used for repetitive process. Sensitive for tracking and identifying causes.

Xbar = Average of samples

S= standard deviation within a sample

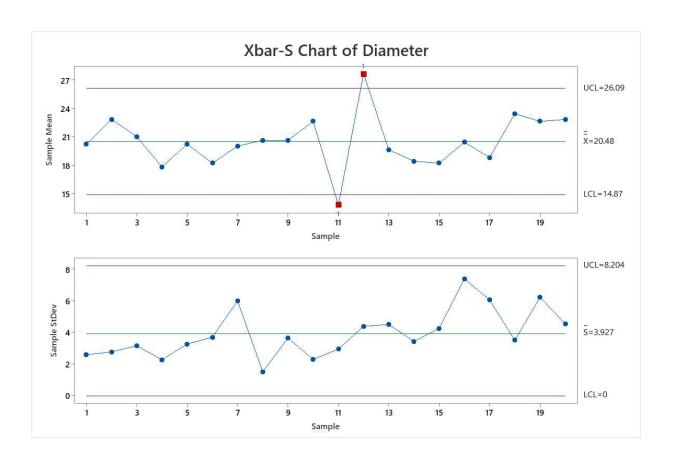
Stat -> Control Charts -> Variable Charts for Subgroups->Xbar-S

Select Diameter as a variable

Select Sample as Subgroup sizes.

Select Xbar-S Options and all tests.

RESULT: process is not in control (same as Xbar-R)



Test Results for Xbar Chart of Diameter

TEST 1. One point more than 3.00 standard deviations from center line.

Test Failed at points: 11, 12

Charts for Attributes

C chart = number of defects

U chart = number of defects per unit

P chart = proportion of defective items

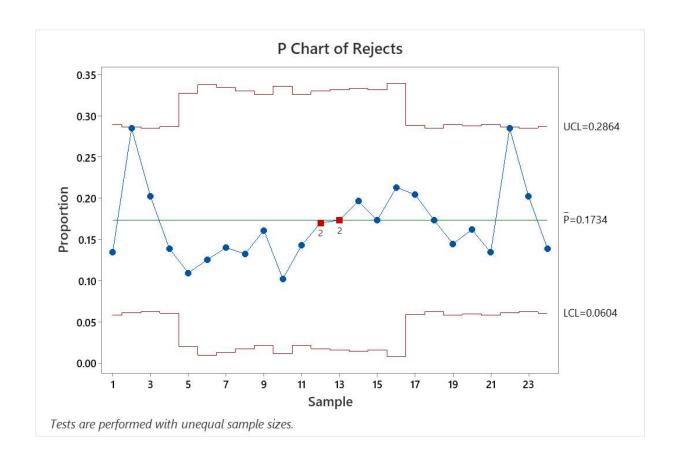
NP chart = number of defective items

P chart

Stat -> Control Charts -> Attributes Charts -> P

Select Reject as a variable Select Sampled as Subgroup sizes. Select Options and all tests.

RESULT: 2 points failed Process is not in control



Test Results for P Chart of Rejects

TEST 2. 9 points in a row on same side of center line.

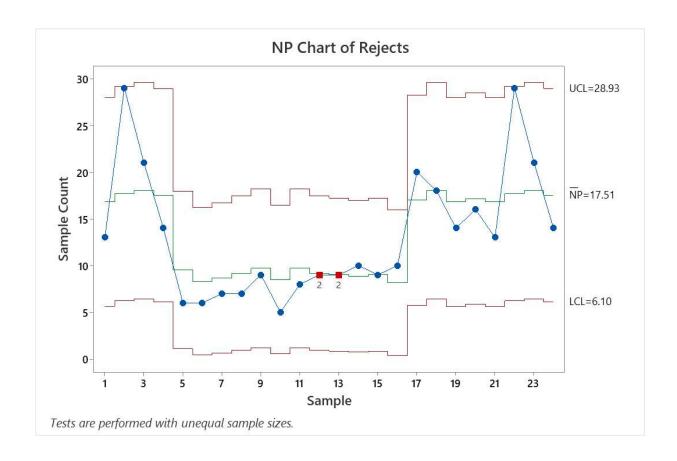
Test Failed at points: 12, 13

NP chart

Stat -> Control Charts -> Attributes Charts -> NP

Select Reject as a variable Select Sampled as Subgroup sizes. Select Options and all tests.

RESULT: 2 points failed. Process is not in control



Test Results for NP Chart of Rejects

TEST 2. 9 points in a row on same side of center line.

Test Failed at points: 12, 13

Individuals chart (I Chart of Process)

Stat -> Control Charts -> Variable Charts for Individuals -> Individuals

Select Process as Variable.

Select Options -> Stages , enter Phase , "with first occurrence of these values" and enter Phase # (ie 2)

Phase 1 and 2 = part of the process before (1) and after (2) the change

RESULT: Process significantly improved in the second stage

