Program Description:

Coca-Cola is creating an automated quality control system. The company is looking for a software program to read a data file generated by the quality control analysis system and compute measures of central tendency and variation in volume recorded by the fluid level transmitter to determine whether or not the filler station is operating correctly.

Input: Name of Data File

Output: Filler ID, Date, Time, Batch Number, Number of Samples, Mean, Median, Mode, Variance, Standard Deviation, Maximum, Minimum, Number of Samples that Exceed Tolerances, Barcodes of Samples that Exceed Tolerances, Message if Filler Station is Not Operating Correctly

Model:

- 1. File contains *n* samples of data.
- 2. Median = middle value when n samples are ordered from least to greatest
- 3. Mean = (sum of n values) / n
- 4. Mode = value within n values that has the highest frequency
- 5. Variance = 1/(n-1) * sum of (sample(i) mean) 2
- 6. Standard Deviation = (variance) $^{1/2}$
- 7. Maximum = largest value in n samples
- 8. Minimum = smallest value in n samples
- 9. Threshold for being acceptable = mean + 3 * |Standard Deviation| (Must be < 0.1 to be acceptable)

Algorithm:

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Example:

Data File: 'file.txt'

Contents:

10 - JAN - 2012

21:31:55

24-96

0B9C1431 -0006 0B9C1492 -0156

0B9C2205 0788 0B9C2225 -1651

0B9C2389 -0089 0B9C2425 0782 0B9C2788 -0002 0B9C3041 -0031 0B9C3119 -0281

0B9C3225 -0081 0B9C3341 0780 0B9C3386 -0522 0B9C3399 -0999

1. INPUT: Name of File: 'file.txt'

- 2. Open 'file.txt'
- 3. date = 10 JAN 2012
- 4. time = 21: 31: 55
- 5. batchNum = 24
- 6. numSamples = 96
- 7. Sample = 0
- 8. barCodes = []
- 9. heightDevs = []
- 10. numExceed = 0
- 11. Exceed = []
- 12. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 13. barCodes[0] = 0B9C1431
- 14. heightDev[0] = -0.0006
- 15. |-0.0006 | > 0.1? (No)
- 16. Sample = 1
- 17. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 18. barCodes[1] = 0B9C1492
- 19. heightDev[1] = -0.0156
- 20. |-0.0156| > 0.1? (No)
- 21. Sample = 2
- 22. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 23. barCodes[2] = 0B9C2205
- 24. heightDev[2] = 0.0788
- 25. |0.0788| > 0.1? (No)
- 26. Sample = 3
- 27. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 28. barCodes[3] = 0B9C2225
- 29. heightDev[3] = -0.1651
- 30. |-0.1651| > 0.1? (Yes)
- 31. exceed[0] = 0B9C2225
- 32. numExceed = 1
- 33. Sample = 4
- 34. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 35. barCodes[4] = 0B9C2389
- 36. heightDev[4] = -0.0089
- 37. |-0.0089| > 0.1 (No)
- 38. Sample = 5
- 39. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 40. barCodes[5] = 0B9C2425

- 41. heightDev[5] = 0.0782
- 42. |0.0782| > 0.1? (No)
- 43. Sample = 6
- 44. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 45. barCodes[6] = 0B9C2788
- 46. heightDev[6] = -0.0002
- 47. |-0.0002| > 0.1? (No)
- 48. Sample = 7
- 49. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 50. barCodes[7] = 0B9C3041
- 51. heightDev[7] = -0.0031
- 52. |-0.0031| > 0.1? (No)
- 53. Sample = 8
- 54. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 55. barCodes[8] = 0B9C3119
- 56. heightDev[8] = -0.0281
- 57. |-0.0281| > 0.1? (No)
- 58. Sample = 9
- 59. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 60. barCodes[9] = 0B9C3225
- 61. heightDev[9] = -0.0081
- 62. |-0.0081| > 0.1? (No)
- 63. Sample = 10
- 64. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 65. barCodes[10] = 0B9C3341
- 66. heightDev[10] = 0.0780
- 67. |0.0780| > 0.1? (No)
- 68. Sample = 11
- 69. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 70. barCodes[11] = 0B9C3386
- 71. heightDev[11] = -0.0522
- 72. |-0.0522| > 0.1? (No)
- 73. Sample = 12
- 74. End of 'file.txt'? (No)
- 75. barCodes[12] = 0B9C3399
- 76. heightDev[12] = -0.0099
- 77. |-0.0099| > 0.1? (No)
- 78. Sample = 13
- 79. End of 'file.txt'? (Yes)

- 80. Close 'file.txt'
- 81. OUTPUT: fillerID = 0B9C
- 82. OUTPUT: date = 10 JAN 2012
- 83. OUTPUT: time = 21: 31: 55
- 84. OUTPUT: batchNum = 24
- 85. OUTPUT: numSamples = 96
- 86. OUTPUT: mean = sum(heightDev[0:12] / 13 = -0.0036
- 87. OUTPUT: median = -0.0081
- 88. OUTPUT: mode = none
- 89. OUTPUT: variance = 0.0048
- 90. OUTPUT: standardDev = 0.0695
- 91. OUTPUT: maximum = 0.0788
- 92. OUTPUT: minimum = -0.1651
- 93. (-0.0036) + 3 * |0.0695| > 0.1? (Yes)
- 94. OUTPUT: Error: The data is outside the threshold. Please recalibrate Fill Station 0B9C.
- 95. OUTPUT: numExceed = 1
- 96. OUTPUT: exceed = 0B9C2225
- 97. End of Program

