

QUESTIONS

1. The following data relate to the life(in hours) of 15 samples of 6 electric bulbs each, drawn at intervals of one hour from a production process. Draw the \bar{x} and R charts and comment.

Sample No.	Life-time (in hours)					
1	620	687	666	769	839	686
2	501	585	524	585	655	668
3	673	701	636	567	622	660
4	646	626	572	628	632	743
5	494	984	659	643	660	640
6	634	755	625	582	685	555
7	619	710	664	693	773	534
8	631	723	614	535	551	570
9	482	791	533	612	497	499
10	706	524	626	503	662	754
11	530	432	379	690	724	536
12	485	497	608	393	648	729
13	585	535	762	588	625	737
14	462	490	635	587	554	673
15	722	608	665	587	531	705

2. A machine is set to deliver the packets of a given weight. Ten samples of size five each were examined and the following results were obtained :

Sample no.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Mean	43	49	37	44	45	37	51	46	43	47
Range	5	6	5	7	7	4	8	6	4	6

Calculate the values for the central line and the control limits for the mean chart and range chart. Comment on the state of control.

3. Construct a control chart for mean and the range for the following data on the basis of fuses, samples of 5 being taken every hour(each set of 5 has been arranged in ascending order of magnitude). Comment on whether the production seems to be under control, assuming that these are the first data :

42	42	19	36	42	51	60	18	15	69	64	61
65	45	24	54	51	74	60	20	30	109	90	78
75	68	80	69	57	75	72	27	39	113	93	94
78	72	81	77	59	78	95	42	62	118	109	109
87	90	81	84	78	132	138	60	84	153	112	136