

Continuous Data – Master Equations

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Normal Distribution: Probability Density Function (PDF)

$$f(x|\mu, \sigma) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}\right)^2}$$

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(1996). ISBN 0-471-30353-4. Page 57.

Normal Distribution: Cumulative Probability Density Function (CDF) – (Area under the Curve)

$$\Phi(a) = P(x \leq a) = \int_{-\infty}^a \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}\right)^2} dx$$

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Fraction Defective

One-Sided, Lower Design Requirement (LDR)

$$\Phi(LDR) = P(x \leq LDR) = \int_{-\infty}^{LDR} \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{LDR-\bar{x}}{\sigma}\right)^2} dx$$

$$\% \text{ Defective} = \Phi(LDR) * 100$$

$$\text{PPM Defective}_{\text{Below LDR}} = \Phi(LDR) * 1,000,000$$

One-Sided, Upper Design Requirement (UDR)

$$1 - \Phi(UDR) = 1 - P(x \leq UDR) = \int_{UDR}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{UDR-\bar{x}}{\sigma}\right)^2} dx$$

$$\% \text{ Defective} = (1 - \Phi(UDR)) * 100$$

$$\text{PPM Defective}_{\text{Above UDR}} = (1 - \Phi(UDR)) * 1,000,000$$

$$\% \text{ Defective}_{\text{Below LDR}} + \% \text{ Defective}_{\text{Above UDR}} = \text{Total Estimated \% Defective}$$

STATISTICAL CONFIDENCE INTERVAL OF THE MEAN

One-Sided Confidence Interval of the mean, Lower Design Requirement (LDR) or Upper Design Requirement (UDR)

$$\mu \geq \bar{x} - (Z_c) \left(\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} \right)$$

Use this to determine the lower bound of the confidence bound – important when comparing the sample mean to a LDR

$$\mu \leq \bar{x} + (Z_c) \left(\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} \right)$$

Use this to determine the upper bound of the confidence interval – important when comparing the sample mean to a UDR

Two-Sided Confidence Interval of the Mean, Lower & Upper Design Requirements (LDR & UDR)

$$\bar{x} - (Z_{c/2}) \left(\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} \right) \leq \mu \leq \bar{x} + (Z_{c/2}) \left(\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} \right)$$

Use this to determine the lower and upper bounds of the confidence interval simultaneously – important when comparing the sample mean to both a LDR and a UDR

Applied Statistics and Probability for Engineers. Third Edition. Douglas C. Montgomery. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. (2003). ISBN 0-471-20454-4. Page 250.

STATISTICAL TOLERANCE INTERVALS FOR THE NORMAL DISTRIBUTION

One-Sided Tolerance Interval

$$P(R_L < \Phi(LTL \leq x \leq \infty) < 1) = 1 - \alpha \quad \text{OR} \quad P(R_L < \Phi(\infty \leq x \leq UTL) < 1) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\begin{aligned} LTL &= \bar{x} - k_1(s) \\ UTL &= \bar{x} + k_1(s) \end{aligned} \quad K_1 = \frac{Z_p + \sqrt{Z_p^2 - \left(1 - \frac{Z_C^2}{2(n-1)}\right) \left(Z_p^2 - \frac{Z_C^2}{n}\right)}}{1 - \frac{Z_C^2}{2(n-1)}}$$

Natrella 1963, *Experimental Statistics*, NBS Handbook 91, US Department of Commerce.

n = sample size
p = minimum proportion covered by tolerance interval
 α = probability of coverage
 Z_p = z-value for minimum covered proportion of distribution
 Z_α = z-value for alpha

Two-Sided Tolerance Interval

$$P(R_L < \Phi(LTL \leq x \leq UTL) < 1) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\begin{aligned} LTL &= \bar{x} - k_2(s) \\ UTL &= \bar{x} + k_2(s) \end{aligned} \quad K_2 = Z_{(1+p)/2} \sqrt{\frac{v \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)}{\chi_{\alpha, v}^2}}$$

Howe 1969, "Two-sided Tolerance Limits for Normal Populations - Some Improvements", Journal of the American Statistical Association, 64, pages 610-620.
<https://www.itl.nist.gov/div898/handbook/prc/section2/prc263.htm>

n = sample size
v = n-1 (aka degrees of freedom)
p = minimum proportion covered by tolerance interval
 α = $1 - \alpha$ = probability of coverage
 χ^2 = chi-square value for α and v degrees of freedom
 $Z_{(1+p)/2}$ = z-value for cumulative probability (1+p)/2

IDCF for χ^2 Distribution: $P = F_{(x,v)} = \int_0^x \frac{t^{(v-2)/2} e^{-t/2}}{2^{vc/2} \Gamma(v/2)} dt$

Algebraic Approximation of χ^2 : $\chi^2 = \left[\left(\left(Z_\alpha \sqrt{\frac{2}{9v}} \right) + \left(1 - \left(\frac{2}{9v} \right) \right) \right)^3 \right] * (v)$

Wilson, E. B., & Hilferty, M. M. (1931). The distribution of chi-square. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 17, 684-688.

Two-Sided Process Specification

$$C_p = \frac{USL - LSL}{6\hat{\sigma}}$$

Cp is a rate of process capability. Here the estimated standard deviation comes from the data measured from one sample (sample group / lot / batch/ etc.). This metric does not consider if the sample distribution is centered between the LSL and USL or not.

$$C_{pk} = \min\left(\frac{USL - \hat{\mu}}{3\hat{\sigma}}, \frac{\hat{\mu} - LSL}{3\hat{\sigma}}\right)$$

Cpk is a rate of process capability. Here the estimated standard deviation comes from the data measured from one sample (sample group / lot / batch/ etc.). This metric does consider if the distribution of the sample taken is centered between the LSL and USL or not.

One-Sided Process Specification

$$C_{p-lower} = \frac{\mu - LSL}{3\hat{\sigma}}$$

$$C_{p-upper} = \frac{USL - \mu}{3\hat{\sigma}}$$

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2 sided “1-α” Confidence Interval for Cp

$$C_P \leq \widehat{C}_p \left(\sqrt{\frac{\chi^2_{(\alpha/2), (n-1)}}{n-1}} \right)$$

Upper Bound of 2 sided “1-α” confidence interval for Cp

$$C_P \geq \widehat{C}_p \left(\sqrt{\frac{\chi^2_{(1-\alpha/2), (n-1)}}{n-1}} \right)$$

Lower Bound of 2 sided “1-α” confidence interval for Cp

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2 sided “1-α” Confidence Interval for CpK

$$C_{pk} \geq \widehat{C}_{pk} \left[1 - z_{\alpha/2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{9n\widehat{C}_{pk}^2} + \left(\frac{1}{2(n-1)} \right)} \right]$$

Lower Bound of 2 sided “1-α” confidence interval for CpK

$$C_{pk} \leq \widehat{C}_{pk} \left[1 + z_{\alpha/2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{9n\widehat{C}_{pk}^2} + \left(\frac{1}{2(n-1)} \right)} \right]$$

Lower Bound of 2 sided “1-α” confidence interval for CpK

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Probability of Acceptance for Lot Sampling – AQL an RQL

$$\varphi(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(z)^2}{2}}$$

Standard Normal Distribution:
Probability Density Function (PDF)
($\mu=0$, $\sigma^2=1$) and $z=(x-\mu)/\sigma$

Statistics 5th Edition. William L. Hays.
Wadsworth Group / Thompson
Learning. ©1994. ISBN 0-03-074467-
9. Page 238.

$$\Phi(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(x)^2}{2}} dx$$

Standard Normal Distribution:
Cumulative Density Function (CDF)

<https://www.itl.nist.gov/div898/handbook/eda/section3/eda3661.htm>

$$\varphi_{\mu,\sigma}(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

General Normal Distribution
Probability Density Function (PDF)

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Wadsworth Group / Thompson
Learning. ©1994. ISBN 0-03-074467-
9. Page 238.

$$\Phi_{\mu,\sigma}(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} dx$$

General Normal Distribution:
Cumulative Density Function (CDF)

CRC Standard Mathematical Tables
25th Edition. William H Beyer. CRC
Press Inc. ©1979 ISBN 0-8493-0625-6
page 521

Probability of Acceptance for Lot Sampling – AQL an RQL

$$P(x \leq L) = Pa = \Phi(\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-p} - k)) \quad \text{where,} \quad k = \frac{(Z_{1-\alpha})(Z_{1-RQL}) + (Z_{1-\beta})(Z_{1-AQL})}{(Z_{1-\alpha}) + (Z_{1-\beta})}$$

Duncan (1986). *Quality Control and Industrial Statistics*, 5th edition

$$\Phi(\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-p} - k)) = P(x \leq (\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-p} - k))) = \int_{-\infty}^{\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-p} - k)} \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{(\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-p} - k)) - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2} d_{\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-p} - k)}$$

General Form
Probability of
Acceptance at a percent
defective = p

$$\Phi(\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-AQL} - k)) = P(x \leq (\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-AQL} - k))) = \int_{-\infty}^{\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-AQL} - k)} \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{(\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-AQL} - k)) - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2} d_{\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-p} - k)}$$

Probability of
Acceptance at a percent
defective = AQL

$$\Phi(\sqrt{n}(Z_{0.5} - k)) = P(x \leq (\sqrt{n}(Z_{0.5} - k))) = \int_{-\infty}^{\sqrt{n}(Z_{0.5} - k)} \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{(\sqrt{n}(Z_{0.5} - k)) - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2} d_{\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-p} - k)}$$

Probability of
Acceptance at a percent
defective = IQL

$$\Phi(\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-RQL} - k)) = P(x \leq (\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-RQL} - k))) = \int_{-\infty}^{\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-RQL} - k)} \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{(\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-RQL} - k)) - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2} d_{\sqrt{n}(Z_{1-p} - k)}$$

Probability of
Acceptance at a percent
defective = RQL