

# Six Sigma Quality Using R

## Tools and Training

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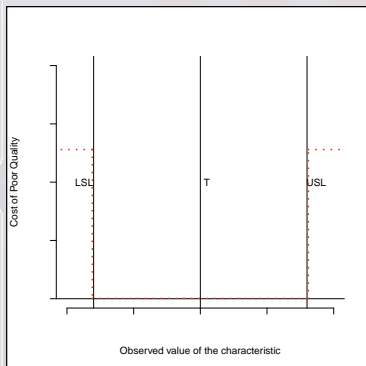
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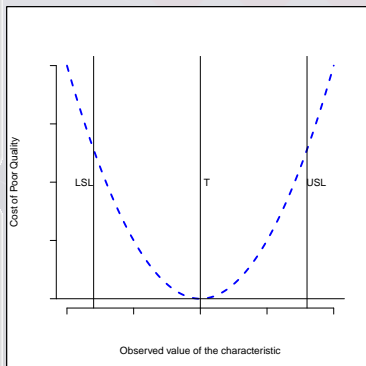
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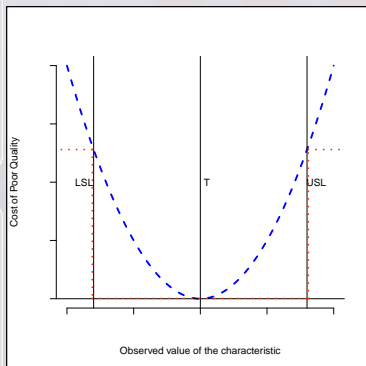
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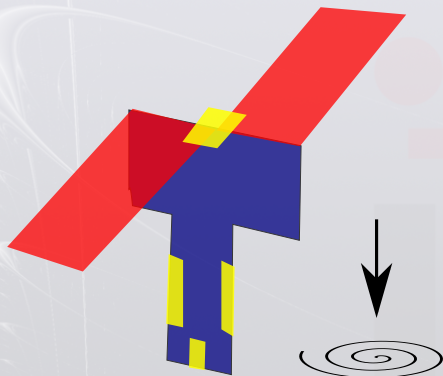


Figure: Paper Helicopter Design

Box [1992]

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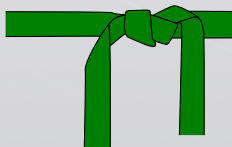
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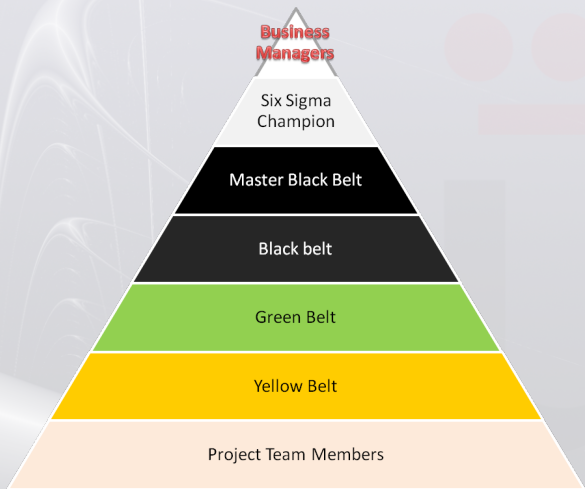
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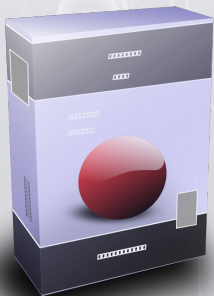
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## Programs

- Minitab
- SPSS
- StatGraphics
- JMP & SAS
- Any statistical software, or even spreadsheets

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## Innovation

A company can develop and deploy an **innovative method** from its R&D department, or from the result of other published researches.



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### qualityTools 1.47 (Roth [2011])

This is a package for teaching statistical methods in the field of Quality Science [...]. The focus is on teaching [...]

# SixSigma package

Focused in SixSigma Practitioners

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## Version History

- 1 0.2.0 March 2011
- 2 0.2.1 April 2011
- 3 0.3.0 July 2011  
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## Data

```
ss.data.rr  
ss.data.ca
```

## Functions

```
ss.pMap  
ss.ceDiag  
ss.rr  
ss.ci  
ss.study.ca  
ss.ca.yield  
ss.ca.z  
ss.ca.cp  
ss.ca.cpk  
ss.heli
```

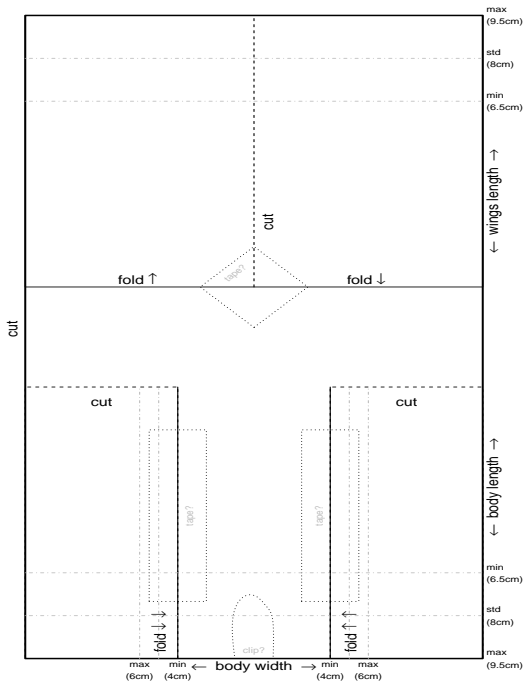
# Helicopter

## Training Stuff

### Template in pdf format to build paper helicopter prototypes (Box [1992])

```
> ss.heli()  
  
null device  
  1  
  
> #vignette("HelicopterInstructions") for instructions
```

# Six Sigma with R | Paper Helicopter template



# Diagrams

## SixSigma Package

### Cause-and-effect Diagram

```
> example(ss.ceDiag)
```

```

ss.cDg> #Data
ss.cDg> effect<-"Flight Time"
ss.cDg> causes.gr<-c("Operator", "Environment", "Tools", "Design",
ss.cDg+   "Raw.Material", "Measure.Tool")
ss.cDg> causes<-vector(mode="list", length=length(causes.gr))
ss.cDg> causes[1]<-list(c("operator #1", "operator #2", "operator #3
ss.cDg> causes[2]<-list(c("height", "cleaning"))
ss.cDg> causes[3]<-list(c("scissors", "tape"))
ss.cDg> causes[4]<-list(c("rotor.length", "rotor.width2", "paperclip
ss.cDg> causes[5]<-list(c("thickness", "marks"))
ss.cDg> causes[6]<-list(c("calibrate", "model"))
ss.cDg> ss.ceDiag(effect, causes.gr, causes, sub="Paper Helicopter P

```



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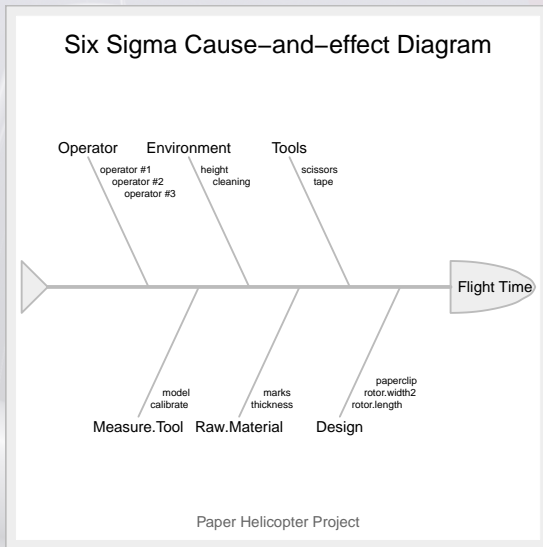
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### Process Map

```
> example(ss.pMap)
```

```

ss.pMp> inputs.overall<-c("operators", "tools", "raw material", "fac
ss.pMp> outputs.overall<-c("helicopter")
ss.pMp> procs<-c("INSPECTION", "ASSEMBLY", "TEST", "LABELING")
ss.pMp> input.output<-vector(mode="list",length=length(procs))
ss.pMp> input.output[1]<-list(c("sheets", "..."))
. . .
ss.pMp> x.parameters<-vector(mode="list",length=length(procs))
ss.pMp> x.parameters[1]<-list(c(list(c("width", "NC")),list(c("opera
ss.pMp+ list(c("Measure pattern", "P")), list(c("discard", "P"))))
. . .
ss.pMp> y.features<-vector(mode="list",length=length(procs))
ss.pMp> y.features[1]<-list(c(list(c("ok", "Cr"))))
. . .
ss.pMp> ss.pMap(procs, inputs.overall, outputs.overall,
ss.pMp+         input.output, x.parameters, y.features,
ss.pMp+         sub="Paper Helicopter Project")

```

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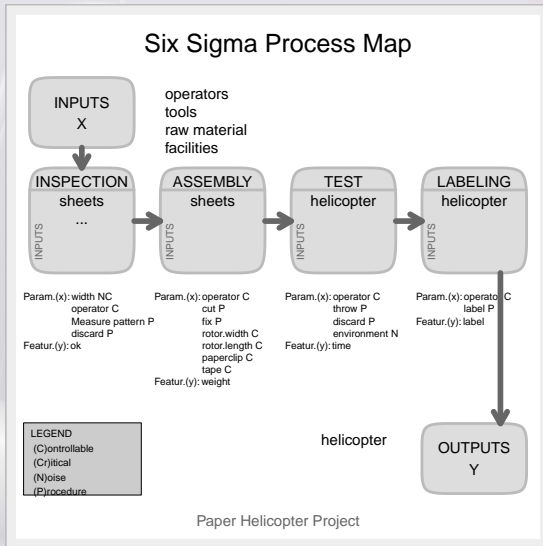
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```
> #... Some theme instructions
> ss.rr(time1, prototype, operator,
+       data=ss.data.rr, sub="Helicopter Project")
```

### Analysis of Variance Table

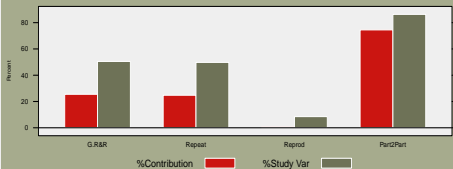
Response: var

	Df	Sum Sq	Mean Sq	F value	Pr(>F)
part	2	1.20072	0.60036	28.0396	2.952e-06
appr	2	0.05294	0.02647	1.2363	0.3140
part:appr	4	0.08339	0.02085	0.9737	0.4462
Repeatability	18	0.38540	0.02141		

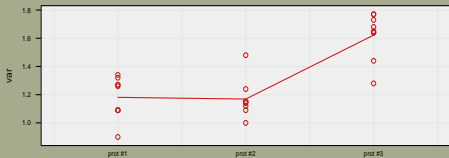
	VarComp	%Contrib
Total Gage R&R	0.0220358	25.50
Repeatability	0.0214111	24.77
Reproducibility	0.0006247	0.72
appr	0.0006247	0.72
part:appr	0.0000000	0.00
Part-To-Part	0.0643901	74.50
Total Variation	0.0864259	100.00
. . .		

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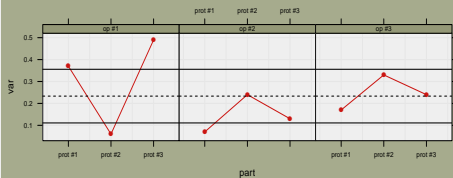
### Components of Variation



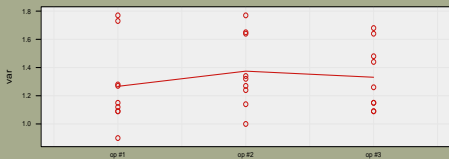
### Var by Part



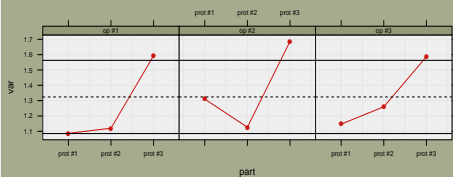
### R Chart by appraiser



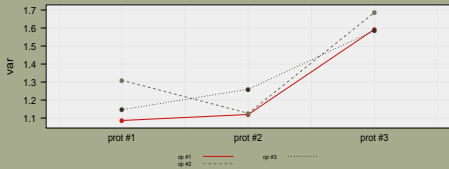
### Var by appraiser



### $\bar{x}$ Chart by appraiser



### Part\*appraiser Interaction



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```
> ss.ca.yield(c(3, 5, 12), c(1, 2, 4), 1915)
```

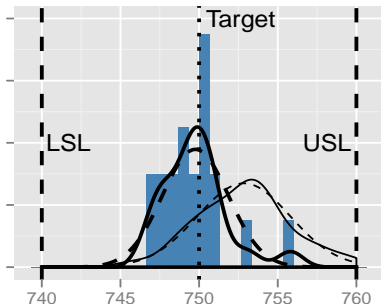
	Yield	FTY	RTY	DPU	DPMO
1	0.9895561	0.9859008	0.9859563	20	10443.86

```
> ss.ca.cpk(ss.data.ca$Volume, 740, 760)
```

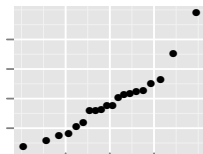
```
[1] 1.546513
```

```
> ss.study.ca(ss.data.ca$Volume, rnorm(40, 753, 3), LSL = 740,
+             USL = 760, T = 750, alpha = 0.5, f.sub = "Winery Project")
```

# Six Sigma Capability Analysis Study



Check Normality



Normality accepted when p-value > 0.05

Shapiro-Wilk Test  
p-value: 0.07506

Lilliefors (K-S) Test  
p-value: 0.2291

## Density Lines Legend

- Density ST
- Theoretical Dens. ST
- Density LT
- Theoretical Density LT

## Specifications

**LSL:** 740  
**Target:** 750  
**USL:** 760

Short Term **Process** Long Term

<b>Mean:</b> 749.7625	<b>Mean:</b> 752.8443
<b>SD:</b> 2.1042	<b>SD:</b> 2.9577
<b>n:</b> 20	<b>n:</b> 40
<b>Z<sub>s</sub>:</b> 3.14	<b>Z<sub>s</sub>:</b> 2.42
<b>DPMO:</b>	

Short Term **Indices** Long Term

<b>C<sub>p</sub>:</b> 1.5841	<b>P<sub>p</sub>:</b> 1.1270
<b>Cl:</b> [1.1,2.1]	<b>Cl:</b> [0.9,1.4]
<b>C<sub>pk</sub>:</b> 1.5465	<b>P<sub>pk</sub>:</b> 0.8065
<b>Cl:</b> [1.1,2.1]	<b>Cl:</b> [0.9,1.4]

Winery Project

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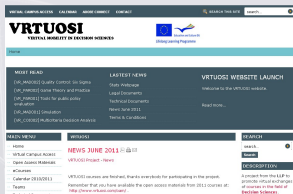
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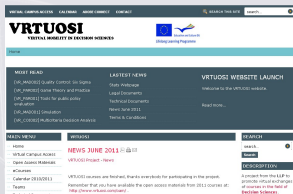
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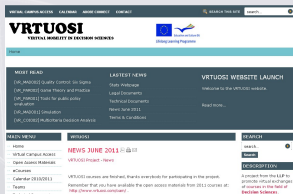
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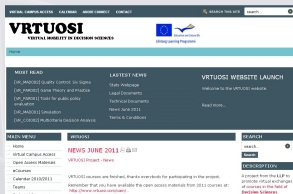
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- Developed and carried out through the **Six Sigma methodology.**



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VRTUOSI courses are finished, thanks everybody for participating in the project.

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## DESCRIPTION

A project from the **LLP** to promote virtual exchanges of courses in the field of **Decision Sciences**.

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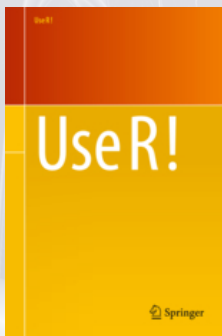
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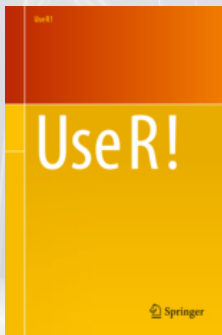
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## Features

- Title:  
**Six Sigma with R**
- Due **2012**
- 350 pages approx.
- Wide background scope
- Examples, a Case Study and practices

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We are available for other projects that need partners in this area



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