

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

Statistical process control 780 (SPC 780)

| Qualification | Postgraduate |
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| Faculty | Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences |
| Module credits | 15.00 |
| NQF Level | 08 |
| Programmes | BComHons Statistics and Data Science |
| | BScHons Statistics and Data Science |
| Service modules | Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences |
| Prerequisites | Admission to either BScHons Statistics and Data Science or BComHons Statistics and Data Science. |
| Contact time | 1 lecture per week |
| Language of tuition | Module is presented in English |
| Department | Statistics |
| Period of presentation | Semester 1 or Semester 2 |

Module content

Quality control and improvement. Shewhart, cumulative sum (CUSUM), exponentially weighted moving average (EWMA) and Q control charts. Univariate and multivariate control charts. Determining process and measurement systems capability. Parametric and nonparametric (distribution-free) control charts. Constructing control charts using Microsoft Excel and/or SAS. Obtaining run-length characteristics via simulations, the integral equation approach, other approximate methods and the Markov-chain approach.

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