

**TOTAL QUALITY MANAGEMENT
(CHEN 4242)**

Time Allotted : 3 hrs

Full Marks : 70

Figures out of the right margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to answer Group A and any 5 (five) from Group B to E, taking at least one from each group.

Candidates are required to give answer in their own words as far as practicable.

**Group - A
(Multiple Choice Type Questions)**

1. Choose the correct alternative for the following: **10 × 1 = 10**
- (i) What is the primary goal of quality improvement in an organisation?
(a) Better specification of the product (b) Customer's satisfaction
(c) Low cost for the product (d) Increasing profit.
 - (ii) Fish-bone diagram is used for the propose of
(a) work-study & motion-study,
(b) finding out the root causes of a problem
(c) estimating the weightage of the individual factors
(d) sorting out major factors responsible for a problem.
 - (iii) In relation to quality management programme, Kaizen is the word used to mean
(a) just in time (b) continuous Improvement
(c) systematic process (d) random Sampling.
 - (iv) The term Quality (Q) is related to performance (P) of the product and expectation of the customer (E) as under
(a) $P \times E$ (b) P/E (c) E/P (d) $P + E$.
 - (v) If an event may happen in 2 ways and fail to happen in 3 ways, and all these ways are mutually exlusive and equally likely to occur, then the probability of success is
(a) 100% (b) 60% (c) 40% (d) 66%.

- (vi) ISO 14000 quality standard deal with
(a) installation & production
(b) environmental management
(c) implementation of Quality Assurance procedures
(d) industrial safety operations
- (vii) Process control chart makes use of the data involving
(a) mean and dispersion (b) only mean
(c) only dispersion (d) only customers specification
- (viii) Pareto analysis is a statistical technique in decision making that is used for
(a) selection of a limited number of tasks that produce significant overall effect.
(b) overall examination of the total process for fault finding
(c) a failure mode analysis
(d) fault tree analysis.
- (ix) The 95% confidence interval means which of the following % level of significance?
(a) 5 (b) -5 (c) 100 (d) 0.
- (x) Six Sigma process capability corresponds to defects per million of the magnitude
(a) 5 (b) 3.4 (c) 2.66 (d) 6.

Group - B

2. (a) What are seven quality control techniques adopted in the manufacturing & service sectors? Explain the each technique in brief with illustration.
- (b) Define Central tendency and dispersion of a collection of data with the help of suitable example of marks obtained by 80 students as given in the table below:

Marks	0 -10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60
Frequency	3	9	15	30	18	5

Read off the value of the median of the distribution by graphical means and compare with that obtained by calculation.

6 + 6 = 12

3. (a) Narrate in brief about the paradigm shift in the concept of quality assessment of products.
- (b) What do you understand by Total Quality Management in an organisation?
- (c) Mention the different quality management tools and techniques adopted for the total quality management in an organisation.

4 + 4 + 4 = 12

Group - C

4. (a) Draw a \bar{X} & \bar{R} process control chart with following data set as given in the table for a manufacturing organisation and comment on the state of control in the process.

Sub groups No. / samples	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
X ₁	15.3	14.4	15.3	15	15.3	14.9	15.6	14	14
X ₂	14.9	15.8	15.1	14.8	16.4	15.3	16.4	15.8	15.2
X ₃	15	14.8	15.3	16	17.2	14.9	15.3	16.4	13.6
X ₄	15.2	15.6	18.9	15.6	15.5	16.5	15.3	16.4	15
X ₅	16.4	14.9	14.9	15.4	15.5	15.1	15	15.3	15

The following table gives the values of the constants A₂ to be used for setting the limits of control' against the sample size:

n	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
A ₂	1.88	1.023	0.729	0.577	0.483	0.419	0.373	0.337	0.308
D ₄	3.627	2.574	2.282	2.114	2.004	1.924	1.864	1.816	1.777

- (b) What is the significance of control limits in a Process Control Chart?
8 + 4 = 12
5. (a) How would you draw line of comparison of definition or perception of quality between the manufacturing sector and service sector?
- (b) Explain the implications of continuous improvement with the help of Deming's wheel in terms of PDCA cycle.
- (c) Enumerate 7-S principles for Continuous Process Improvement known as CPI-7 cycle used in the industry.

4 + 4 + 4 = 12

Group - D

6. (a) What are Sampling and Non-Sampling errors?
- (b) How would you classify the sampling inspection on various modes of operations?
- (c) What are different kinds of 'Lot Acceptance sampling Plans' (LASP) practiced generally?

3 + 4 + 5 = 12

7. (a) Draw a p chart from the following results of inspection of a lot of machine parts where the % of scraps are calculated for 1st to 15th day in a month as given in the following table:

Date	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
%Scrap	19.1	20	17.7	15.2	21.3	16	14.9	
Date	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
%Scrap	18.3	18.9	16.2	18.8	17.5	19.2	20.1	21.5

- (b) Discuss about 6σ as a spread for the control limit in a process control chart.

6 + 6 = 12

Group - E

8. (a) What are the merits and demerits of 'Complete Enumeration' and 'Sampling Inspection' of the quality characteristic of a population of products or services?
- (b) What are Sampling and Non-Sampling errors?
- (c) Define and explain briefly the simple sampling plan for sampling of attributes.

6 + 2 + 4 = 12

9. (a) Write short notes on any two of the following:

- i) Ishikawa diagram;
- ii) SWOT Analysis;
- iii) Kaizen

- (b) Discuss about the ISO 9000 family of standards in regard to implementation of TQM.

(4 + 4) + 4 = 12