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MINITAB CUSTOMER SUCCESS STORIES

Organizations Save Time and Money with Minitab

World-class organizations trust Minitab products to help them achieve quality, performance, and bottom-line goals.

‣ **Ford Motor Company**

With the launch of its Fiesta looming, Ford determined the appearance of brush marks on vehicle carpets would be unacceptable to customers. The carpet supplier worried that altering the manufacturing settings would affect other carpet qualities, such as plushness and stain resistance. Using Minitab's powerful Design of Experiment (DOE) tools, Ford found the optimal setting and resolved the problem in just 12 days.



‣ **Phoenix Contact**

Phoenix Contact's continuous improvement projects were completed using a variety of software programs, and were scattered across the company's network in multiple files, formats, and folders. By standardizing project tools and centralizing project storage, Quality Companion transformed Phoenix Contact's entire Lean Six Sigma initiative and saved millions of dollars.



‣ **Cummins**

Applying Six Sigma throughout the organization reaps great benefits for Cummins. But, participants entered Six Sigma training with varying levels of statistical know-how, making instruction inconsistent and inefficient. With Quality Trainer by Minitab, Cummins quickly gets everyone involved in Six Sigma up to speed with statistics and data analysis.



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A DAILY DOSE OF STATISTICS

Minitab Blog Writers' Insights Make Statistics Accessible

Minitab has helped people learn and apply statistics for almost 40 years. Now the company's specialists seek to make statistics more accessible by sharing their personal insights and experiences through the Minitab Blog.



Contributors include statistical trainers, technical writers, tech support specialists and other experts. Their breadth of expertise and interests helps ensure that the blog includes topics relevant for both advanced and novice Minitab users, and everyone in between.

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ACCESSING THE POWER OF MINITAB

Online Resources Maximize Minitab's Benefits

Extend Minitab's powerful capabilities even further with free utilities and resources available from our Web site.

‣ **Tutorials**

Access our online tutorials, with easy-to-follow examples and illustrated instructions on topics such as managing data, creating and editing graphics, and much more.

‣ **Webinars**

Attend one of our free, live webinars by accessing the registration page on our Web site. If you miss a webinar, you can always access our recorded [webcasts](#).

‣ **Articles**

Topics of our online articles include Six Sigma Project management, General and Basic Statistics, Regression & ANOVA, DOE, Control Charts, and Quality Tools.

‣ **Minitab downloads**

Available downloads include language packs to help you install one or more additional language versions of Minitab, multi-user deployment downloads, and resources such as a library of macros that extend software functionality.

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Minitab

In Capability Analysis, what is the relationship between the overall standard deviation and the Between/Within standard deviation?

[>> ANSWER](#)

Minitab

How can I perform a Gage R&R study with only one operator?

[>> ANSWER](#)

Quality Companion

How do I switch the layout of brainstorming tools? For example: how do I change an idea map into a fishbone diagram, or a fishbone into a CT tree?

[>> ANSWER](#)

View hundreds of additional tips in our [Knowledgebase/FAQ](#).

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MINITAB TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

Get more out of your data and maximize your improvement program by attending Minitab public training sessions. On-site and online training are also available.

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VOICE OF THE CUSTOMER

"With Minitab, you don't need to be a statistician to see what your data are telling you."

—*Gilbert Tapia, Lean Six Sigma Black Belt, U.S. Army White Sands Missile Range*

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FROM THE MINITAB BLOG...

The Ascent to Everest: Exploratory Statistics



Last month, thousands of trekkers were stranded by bad weather near Mount Everest and had to be evacuated. The news made me wonder: Just how many people are chillin' on Cholorungma ("Holy Mother"—the Tibetan name for Everest) these days? So I decided to do some exploring of the statistical variety, using Minitab as my trusty Sherpa.

‣ **[Full story at the Minitab Blog](#)**

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