Good Practices
Quality Control Workstation Design

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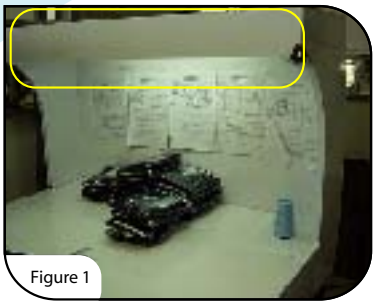
Because quality control is very important in garment manufacturing, the quality control workstation must be well designed. A poorly designed workstation may lead to poor quality work and the reputation of the factory can suffer. When designing the workstation, provide good lighting, clear work instructions, and all necessary tools.

Good practices for the quality control checking table

- Ensure that there is good clear lighting, but that it does not shine directly into the worker's eyes (Figure 1).
- Provide clear work instructions in the worker's language, illustrated with pictures as necessary (Figure 2).
- A measuring tape can be fixed to the table to help when checking garment sizes. This measure can be permanently marked to indicate garment sizes (Figure 3).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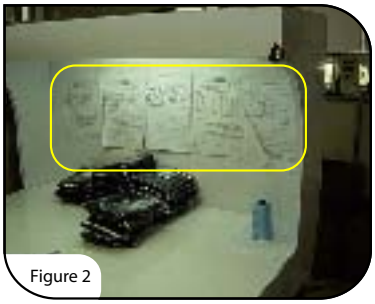
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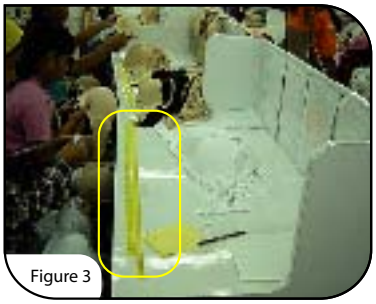
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Benefits:

- ✓ Increases quality and productivity
- ✓ Reduces worker tiredness and mistakes
- ✓ Makes quality control easier when new products are introduced
- ✓ Ensures that workers are given clear instructions and understand what is expected

How:

- ✓ Have factory staff build quality control workstations using plain white board
- ✓ Install adequate lighting
- ✓ Attach a tape measure to each workstation
- ✓ Provide clear written and illustrated instructions to quality control workers

Cost:

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$ Low cost

$$ Moderate cost

$$$ High cost