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1 Introduction

As you can see, my starting point is very down-to-earth, and it may seem to some that I have treated the most spiritual matter in too terrestrial a fashion; but I may be permitted to observe that the goods of the Greeks were not enthroned in the seventh or in the tenth heaven but on the Olympus, taking a giant-sized stride not from sun to sun but, at most, from mountain to mountain.

1.1 80/20 rule (how to use foot note, references and sub-titles)

A high percentage of effects in any large system are caused by a low percentage of variables[1].

1.1.1 Pareto's Principles

The 80/20 rule assert that approximately 80 percent of the effects generated by a large system are caused by 20 percent of the variables in the system. The 80/20 rule is observed in all large systems, including those in economics, management, user interface design, quality control, and engineering, to name a few [9].

1.2 Equations

Cite the equation in the text as eq. 1, eq. 2. All formulas must be numbered consecutively:

$$E = m \cdot c^2 \qquad (1)$$

$$\sigma = \frac{\sum_{i=0}^{n} (x - x_i)^2}{n} \qquad (2)$$

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2 Conclusion

Quelli che s'innamorano di pratica senza scienza sono come il nocchiero che entra in naviglio senza timone o bussola e mai ha la certezza di dove si vada. Sempre la pratica deve essere edificata sopra buona teoria.

[1] *Also known as Pareto's Principle. The first recognition of the 80/20 rule is attributed to Vilfredo Pareto, an Italian economist who observed that 20 percent of the Italian people possessed 80 percent of the wealth.*

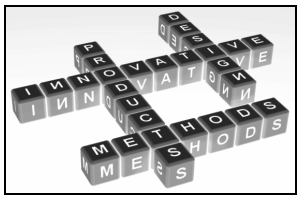

Fig. 1 IMProVe logo.

Fig. 2 IMProVe venue: Rialto bridge.

Appendix

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Acknowledgement

Ogni nostra cognizione, principia dai sentimenti. Leonardo Da Vinci.

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