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C-Star Calibration

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Customer Oregon State University

Work order 001

Job# 0706021

S/N# CST-1032DR

Pathlength 25 cm

Analog meter

 V_{d}

0.060 V 4.754 V

 V_{ref}

4.651 V

Temperature of calibration water

Ambient temperature during calibration

22.8 °**C**

25.7 °C

Ambient temperature during calibration

Relationship of transmittance (Tr) to beam attenuation coefficient (c), and pathlength (x): $Tr = e^{-cx}$

To determine beam transmittance: $Tr = (V_{sig} - V_{dark}) / (V_{ref} - V_{dark})$

To determine beam attenuation coefficient: c = -1/x * In (Tr)

V_d Meter output with the beam blocked. This is the offset.

V_{air} Meter output in air with a clear beam path.

V_{ref} Meter output with clean water in the path.

Temperature of calibration water: temperature of clean water used to obtain V_{ref}.

Ambient temperature: meter temperature in air during the calibration.

V_{sig} Measured signal output of meter.

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