

Conductivity Calibration Report

Customer:	Oregon State University				
Job Number:	77327	Date of Report:	2/25/2014		
Model Number	SBE 04-01/0	Serial Number:	041568		

Conductivity sensors are normally calibrated 'as received', without cleaning or adjustments, allowing a determination of sensor drift. If the calibration identifies a problem or indicates cell cleaning is necessary, then a second calibration is performed after work is completed. The 'as received' calibration is not performed if the sensor is damaged or non-functional, or by customer request.

An 'as received' calibration certificate is provided, listing the coefficients used to convert sensor frequency to conductivity. Users must choose whether the 'as received' calibration or the previous calibration better represents the sensor condition during deployment. In SEASOFT enter the chosen coefficients. The coefficient 'slope' allows small corrections for drift between calibrations (consult the SEASOFT manual). Calibration coefficients obtained after a repair or cleaning apply only to subsequent data.

'AS RECEIVED CALIBRATION'	✓ Per	formed	🗌 No	t Performed
Date: 2/14/2014	Drift since last cal:	+0.0	00010	PSU/month
Comments:				
'FINAL CALIBRATION'	✓ Pert	formed	🗆 No	t Performed
Date: 2/25/2014	Drift since 28 Nov 12	+0.0	00030	PSU/month
Comments:				

The O-rings were replaced.

*Measured at 3.0 S/m

Cell cleaning and electrode replatinizing tend to 'reset' the conductivity sensor to its original condition. Lack of drift in post-cleaning-calibration indicates geometric stability of the cell and electrical stability of the sensor circuit.