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C-Star Calibration

Date	June 30, 2011	S/N#	CST-1431DR		Pathlength	25cm
$oldsymbol{V_d}{oldsymbol{V_{air}}}$			Analog output 0.007 V 4.888 V	Digital output 0 counts 16038 counts		
V_{ref}			4.751 V	15589 counts		
Temperature of calibration water Ambient temperature during calibration					22.3 21.1	

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

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.

Vair 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.