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## Conductivity Calibration Report

Customer:	The University of Alaska, Fairbanks		
Job Number:	71684	Date of Report:	2/15/2013
Model Number	SBE 04C	Serial Number:	042272

*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'

☒ Performed ☐ Not Performed

Date: 2/5/2013

Drift since last cal: -0.00010 PSU/month\*

Comments:

### 'FINAL CALIBRATION'

☒ Performed ☐ Not Performed

Date: 2/14/2013

Drift since 28 Oct 11 -0.00010 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.*



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SENSOR SERIAL NUMBER: 2272  
CALIBRATION DATE: 05-Feb-13

SBE4 CONDUCTIVITY CALIBRATION DATA  
PSS 1978: C(35,15,0) = 4.2914 Seimens/meter

## GHIJ COEFFICIENTS

g = -1.02635851e+001  
h = 1.38175321e+000  
i = -2.77381613e-003  
j = 2.57045419e-004  
CPcor = -9.5700e-008 (nominal)  
CTcor = 3.2500e-006 (nominal)

## ABCDM COEFFICIENTS

a = 1.40337744e-008  
b = 1.37330254e+000  
c = -1.02421750e+001  
d = -7.24849366e-005  
m = 7.8  
CPcor = -9.5700e-008 (nominal)

BATH TEMP (ITS-90)	BATH SAL (PSU)	BATH COND (Siemens/m)	INST FREQ (kHz)	INST COND (Siemens/m)	RESIDUAL (Siemens/m)
0.0000	0.0000	0.00000	2.73102	0.00000	0.00000
-0.9999	34.7797	2.80191	5.27791	2.80187	-0.00004
1.0001	34.7795	2.97313	5.39471	2.97316	0.00003
15.0001	34.7796	4.26760	6.20636	4.26762	0.00002
18.5001	34.7795	4.61402	6.40601	4.61402	-0.00000
29.0001	34.7762	5.69650	6.99283	5.69645	-0.00005
32.5001	34.7654	6.06813	7.18316	6.06816	0.00004

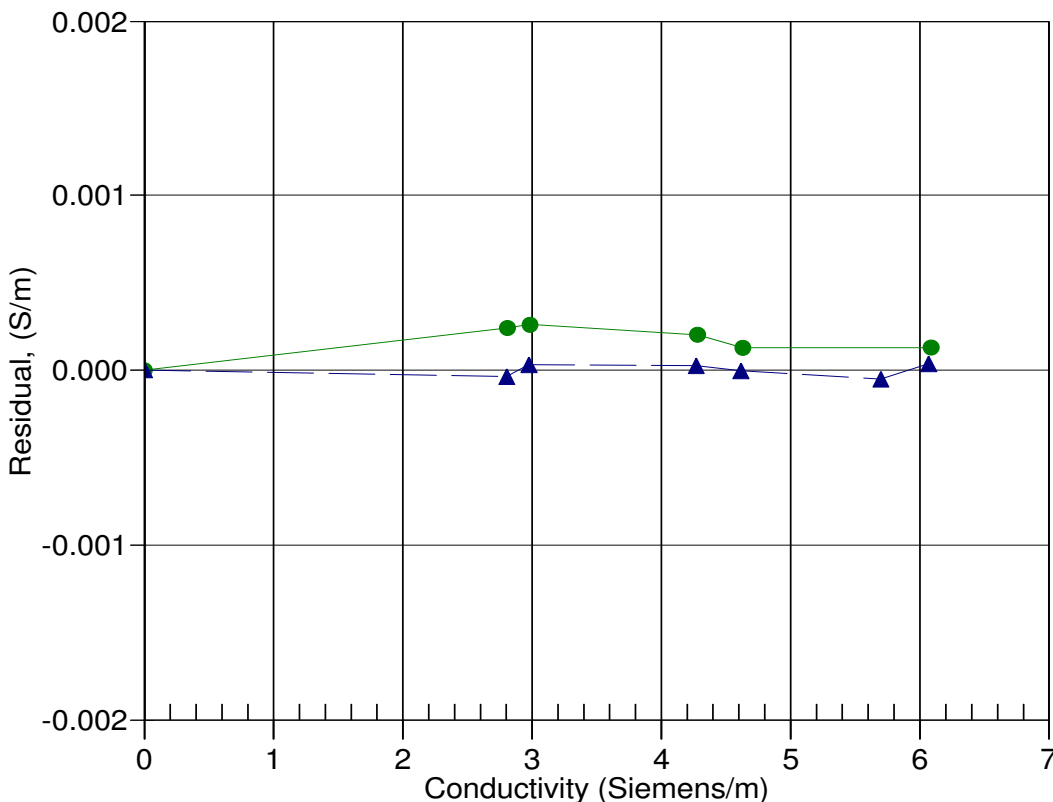
Conductivity =  $(g + hf^2 + if^3 + jf^4) / 10(1 + \delta t + \epsilon p)$  Siemens/meter

Conductivity =  $(af^m + bf^2 + c + dt) / [10(1 + \epsilon p)]$  Siemens/meter

t = temperature[°C]; p = pressure[decibars];  $\delta$  = CTcor;  $\epsilon$  = CPcor;

Residual = (instrument conductivity - bath conductivity) using g, h, i, j coefficients

Date, Slope Correction



28-Oct-11 0.9999606  
05-Feb-13 1.0000000



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CALIBRATION DATE: 14-Feb-13

SBE4 CONDUCTIVITY CALIBRATION DATA  
PSS 1978: C(35,15,0) = 4.2914 Seimens/meter

## GHIJ COEFFICIENTS

g = -1.02600396e+001  
h = 1.38084920e+000  
i = -2.58612311e-003  
j = 2.47955083e-004  
CPcor = -9.5700e-008 (nominal)  
CTcor = 3.2500e-006 (nominal)

## ABCDM COEFFICIENTS

a = 6.45367467e-008  
b = 1.37311133e+000  
c = -1.02406872e+001  
d = -7.19896379e-005  
m = 7.1  
CPcor = -9.5700e-008 (nominal)

BATH TEMP (ITS-90)	BATH SAL (PSU)	BATH COND (Siemens/m)	INST FREQ (kHz)	INST COND (Siemens/m)	RESIDUAL (Siemens/m)
0.0000	0.0000	0.00000	2.73101	0.00000	0.00000
-0.9999	34.7339	2.79857	5.27569	2.79854	-0.00003
1.0001	34.7336	2.96958	5.39238	2.96961	0.00003
15.0001	34.7343	4.26263	6.20342	4.26261	-0.00001
18.5001	34.7340	4.60864	6.40293	4.60865	0.00001
29.0001	34.7316	5.69002	6.98940	5.69001	-0.00000
32.5002	34.7223	6.06147	7.17966	6.06147	0.00000

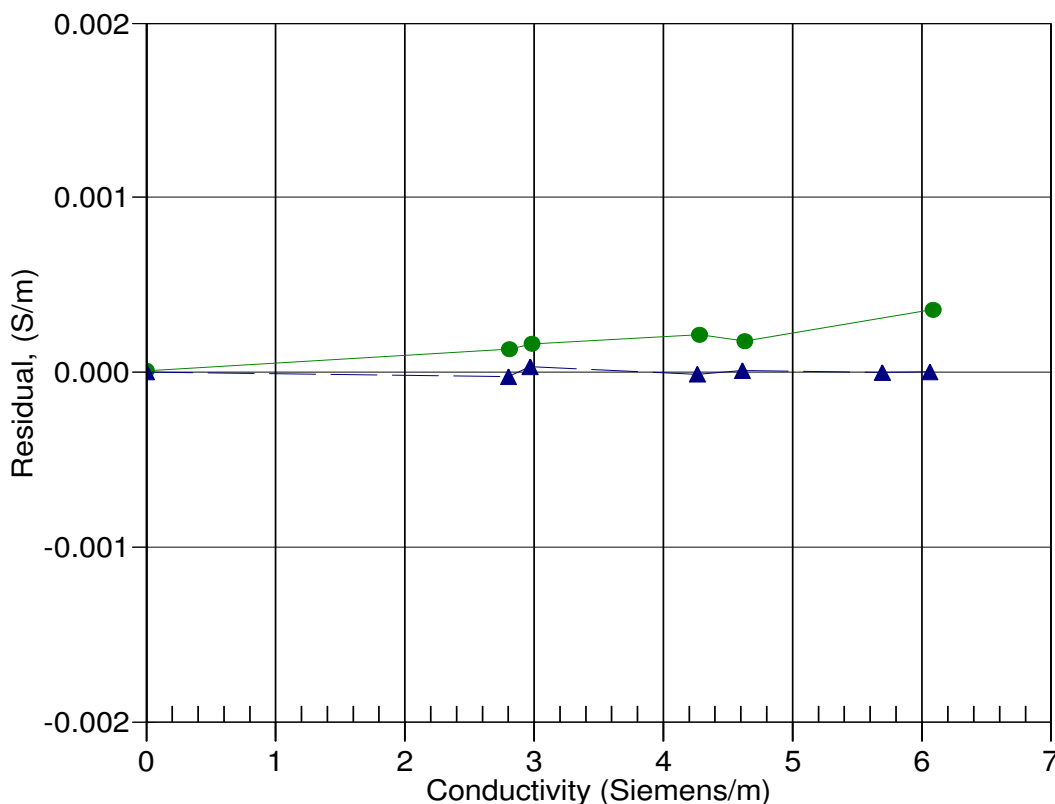
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t = temperature[°C]; p = pressure[decibars];  $\delta$  = CTcor;  $\epsilon$  = CPcor;

Residual = (instrument conductivity - bath conductivity) using g, h, i, j coefficients

Date, Slope Correction



28-Oct-11 0.9999491  
14-Feb-13 1.0000000