# H<sub>2</sub>S sensor calibration kit

For H<sub>2</sub>S and SULF sensors

# Manual







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### 1 Warranty and liability

#### 1.1 Notice to Purchaser

This product is for research use only. Not for use in human diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

#### 1.2 Warning

Microsensors have very pointed tips and must be handled with care to avoid personal injury and only by trained personnel. Unisense A/S recommends users to attend instruction courses to ensure proper use of the products.

#### 1.3 Warranty and Liability

The  $H_2S$  Calibration Kit is guaranteed to give the concentration indicated on the package label until expiry as indicated on the package label. The warranty does not include replacement necessitated by accident, neglect, misuse, unauthorized repair, or modification of the product. In no event will Unisense A/S be liable for any direct, indirect, consequential or incidental damages, including lost profits, or for any claim by any third party, arising out of the use, the results of use, or the inability to use this product.

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### 3 Content of the calibration kit

Item	Number			
Exetainer with ZnS suspension - H <sub>2</sub> S stock solution	10			
Exetainer with HCl (pH = 2.1) and glass beads - Mixing vial	10			
Calibration cap with O-ring and 3 cm Viton tubing	1			
10 ml syringe	1			
1 ml syringe	2			
80 x 2.1 mm needle (green)	1			
30 x 0.6 mm needle (blue)	1			
50 x 1.2 mm needle (red)	1			





Figure 1: Calibration kit contents: A: Calibration kit box with Exetainers, B: 80 x 2.1 mm needle (green), C: 1 ml syringes, D: 10 ml syringe, E 50 x 1.2 mm needle (red), F: 30 x 0.6 mm needle (blue), G: Calibration Cap with tubing, H: O-ring.

## 4 Principle of calibration

Unisense Hydrogen Sulfide sensors ( $H_2S$  and SUF) respond linearly to  $H_2S$  concentrations within their linear range (see specifications for your sensor at <a href="https://www.unisense.com/H2S">https://www.unisense.com/H2S</a>). Therefore, a two-point calibration is sufficient. One calibration point is the signal for zero  $H_2S$ , which can be water equilibrated with atmospheric air, and the other calibration point is the signal for one known  $H_2S$  concentration.

In this calibration kit, the sulfide is shipped in the form of zinc sulfide precipitate (ZnS) which is insoluble in water (Solubility product = ca.  $2 \times 10^{-25}$ ). During the calibration procedure, ZnS is injected into a dilute HCl (pH = 2.1). This causes the ZnS to dissolve and H<sub>2</sub>S is formed quantitatively.

 $H_2S$  will react slowly with  $O_2$  if this is present. To minimize this, the ZnS suspension and the dilute HCl are anoxic when dispensed into the Exetainers. However, during storage and handling a small amount of  $O_2$  will enter the solution. Therefore, the calibration must be performed relatively rapid, as described below, to keep this reaction at a negligible level.

# 5 Correction for salinity

During calibration, a relationship between sensor signal and concentrations is established. However, the sensor responds to the partial pressure of  $H_2S$  which at a given concentration varies with salinity. Therefore, a correction for salinity must be applied.

Henrys law describes how partial pressure depends on the concentration and solubility of a gas:

$$Partial\ pressure = \frac{Concentration}{Solubility}$$
 (Equation 1)



The calibration solution, prepared as described in section 6.1 below, will have the  $H_2S$  concentration stated on the package label. The solubility of  $H_2S$  will decrease with increasing salinity. Therefore, at a given concentration, the partial pressure will increase with increasing salinity. As the sensor responds to partial pressure, the sensor signal will increase as well when salinity increases at a constant  $H_2S$  concentration. The conversion of sensor signal to concentration must, therefore, take the relationship between salinity and solubility into account.

The salinity in the calibration solution (0.36‰) corresponds to freshwater. If measuring at other salinities, a correction must be made. This correction is done by assuming a  $H_2S$  concentration different from that given on the package label. This *Virtual concentration* is the one that, at the measuring salinity, gives the same partial pressure of  $H_2S$  as that in the calibration solution. If the measuring salinity is higher than that in the calibration solution, the *Virtual concentration* will be lower than that given on the package label. The reason is that when salinity is higher than in the calibration solution, a lower  $H_2S$  concentration is needed to give the same partial pressure as that in the calibration solution (see Henrys law above).

The Virtual concentration is calculated as (see Appendix 1):

$$Conc. (Virtual) = Conc. (Kit) \times \frac{Sol.(Virtual)}{Sol.(Kit)}$$
 (Equation 2)

$$Conc.(Virtual) = Conc.(Kit) \times Corr.factor$$
 (Equation 3)

where Conc. (Virtual) is the Virtual concentration, Conc. (kit) is the  $H_2S$  concentration given on the calibration box label, Sol. (Virtual) is the solubility of  $H_2S$  at the measurement salinity and temperature, Sol. (Kit) is the solubility of  $H_2S$  at the salinity in the calibration solution and the measurement temperature, and Corr. factor is the correction factor. Note that calibration and measurements must be carried out at the same temperature.

The *Virtual concentration*, calculated from Equation 3, is the concentration that must be entered as the *Known value* ( $\mu$ mol/L) in the SensorTrace software.

#### Example:

Measure at 30% and 20°C.

Calibrate at 20°C.

Concentration of  $H_2S$  in the calibration solution (*Conc. (Kit)*) = 104.3  $\mu$ M

Correction factor (Corr. factor, Table 1) = 0.871

Virtual H<sub>2</sub>S concentration (*Conc.* (*Virtual*)) = 104.7  $\mu$ M  $\times$  0.871 = 91.2  $\mu$ M

In this example a concentration of 91.2  $\mu$ M will give the same sensor signal as the concentration of 104.3  $\mu$ M in the calibration solution due to the difference in solubility of H<sub>2</sub>S at the two salinities. Therefore, 91.2  $\mu$ M is the value to be entered as the *Known value* in the SensorTrace software.



### 6 Calibration procedure

For calibrating the  $H_2S$  sensor, a low and a high calibration point are needed. Note that piercing needle sensors and microrespiration sensors will not fit the calibration cap and must be calibrated as described in section 6.4. and 6.5 This calibration kit is not for calibrating High Range  $H_2S$  sensors that work in the mM range.

#### 6.1 Preparation of the H<sub>2</sub>S calibration solution

- 1. Mount the  $50 \times 1.2$  mm needle (red) on one 1 ml syringe, mount the  $30 \times 0.6$  mm needle (blue) on the other 1 ml syringe, and mount the  $80 \times 2.1$  mm needle (green) on the 10 ml syringe.
- 2. Adjust the temperature of the Exetainers with ZnS and HCl to the wanted calibration temperature (see note A, section 6.6).
- 3. Shake the Exetainer with the ZnS precipitate vigorously for 30 seconds (see note B, section 6.6).
- 4. Open the Exetainer with the ZnS precipitate.
- 5. Aspirate ca. 0.3 ml with the 1 ml syringe with the red needle, turn the needle upwards, tap it gently to get the bubbles to the top and eject these.
- 6. Empty the syringe and aspirate 1 ml ZnS suspension and eject this back into the Exetainer with the needle immersed. Repeat this three times before filling the syringe.
- 7. Adjust the volume in the syringe to exactly 1.0 ml.
- 8. Insert the blue needle, mounted on the second 1 ml syringe, through the septum of the Exetainer with HCl. Leave the tip of the needle right below the septum.
- 9. Insert the red needle, mounted on the syringe with ZnS, fully into the HCl Exetainer and inject the ZnS. The excess liquid is pushed into the empty syringe (See note C, section 6.6).
- 10. Remove first the ZnS syringe, then the syringe with the excess liquid.
- 11. Shake the Exetainer vigorously for 10 seconds.
- 12. Leave the Exetainer for 15 minutes for the formation of H<sub>2</sub>S from ZnS to complete.



Figure 2: Sulfide sensor with the calibration cap mounted. Calibration solution is injected with the 10 ml syringe.



#### 6.2 Preparation of the hydrogen sulfide sensor

#### IMPORTANT:

- The pre-polarization period of the H<sub>2</sub>S sensor must have been completed before doing the calibration. See the H<sub>2</sub>S sensor manual for details: <a href="https://www.unisense.com/manuals/">https://www.unisense.com/manuals/</a>
- The temperature of the low and high calibration solutions must be the same.
- Perform the calibration at the same temperature as the measurements if possible. The UniAmp series of amplifiers has a built-in temperature compensation within ±3°C of the calibration temperature.
- If doing the low calibration point with the calibration cap, make sure to do this before the high calibration point to avoid carry over from the H<sub>2</sub>S standard.

#### 6.3 Calibrating most hydrogen sulfide sensors

#### 6.3.1 Obtaining the low calibration point

#### 6.3.1.1 Using the Unisense Calibration Chamber

- 1. Place the sensor with the protection tube in sulfide free water (see the H<sub>2</sub>S microsensor manual (https://www.unisense.com/manuals/))
- 2. Allow the sensor to respond and stabilize and record the calibration value in SensorTrace (see the SensorTrace manual for details: <a href="https://www.unisense.com/manuals/">https://www.unisense.com/manuals/</a>)

#### 6.3.1.2 Using the Calibration Cap

- 1. Mount the calibration cap on the protection tube with the  $H_2S$  sensor (Figure 2). Make sure that the O-ring is in place at the bottom of the calibration cap creating a seal between this and the protection tube.
- 2. Fill the 10 ml syringe with sulfide free water.
- 3. Inject this water into the calibration cap until the sensor tip is immersed at least 2-3 cm.
- 4. Allow the sensor to respond and stabilize. Then record the calibration value in SensorTrace (see the SensorTrace manual for details: <a href="https://www.unisense.com/manuals/">https://www.unisense.com/manuals/</a>)

#### 6.3.2 Obtaining the high calibration point

- 1. Mount the calibration cap, if not already mounted, as described above in 6.3.1.2.
- 2. Open the Exetainer with the H<sub>2</sub>S calibration solution prepared as above in 6.1.
- 3. Aspirate ca. 10 ml of the H<sub>2</sub>S calibration solution with the syringe and needle.
- 4. Keep the syringe vertical and avoid mixing of the calibration solution with the air bubble inside
- 5. Remove the needle and attach the 10 ml syringe to the calibration cap tubing.
- 6. Inject the calibration solution slowly until the sensor tip is immersed at least 2-3 cm.
- 7. Allow the sensor to respond and stabilize. Then record the calibration value in SensorTrace (see the SensorTrace manual for details: <a href="https://www.unisense.com/manuals/">https://www.unisense.com/manuals/</a>) (See note D, section 6.6). If the response is much slower than expected, the ZnS may not have been converted fully into H<sub>2</sub>S (See note E, section 6.6)
- 8. Remove the H<sub>2</sub>S calibration solution with the syringe.
- 9. Wash the calibration cap and protection tube carefully, removing all the H<sub>2</sub>S calibration solution using the 10 ml syringe.



#### 6.4 Calibrating hydrogen sulfide sensors with piercing needle

Sensor of the piercing needle type (SULF-NP &  $H_2S$ -NP) cannot be calibrated using the calibration cap. Therefore, the calibration done by inserting the needle directly into sulfide free water and the calibration solution.

Pay attention to the general information in section 6.1 and 6.2, the Notes and recommendations in section 6.6, and follow the procedure below.

#### 6.4.1 Obtaining the low calibration point

- 1. Place the sensor in sulfide free water.
- 2. Allow the sensor to respond and stabilize. Then record the calibration value in SensorTrace (see the SensorTrace manual for details: <a href="https://www.unisense.com/manuals/">https://www.unisense.com/manuals/</a>)

#### 6.4.2 Obtaining the high calibration point

- 1. Open the Exetainer with the H<sub>2</sub>S calibration solution.
- 2. Insert the needle of the sensor fully into the  $H_2S$  calibration solution.
  - a. Use a clamp to hold the sensor stable to avoid handling noise
- 3. Allow the sensor to respond and stabilize and record the calibration value in SensorTrace (see the SensorTrace manual for details: <a href="https://www.unisense.com/manuals/">https://www.unisense.com/manuals/</a>) (See note D, section 6.6). If the response is much slower than expected, the ZnS may not have been converted fully into H<sub>2</sub>S (See note E, section 6.6)
- 4. Remove the sensor and rinse the needle thoroughly.

#### 6.5 Calibrating hydrogen sulfide sensors for the Microrespiration system

Sensors of the Microrespiration type (OX-MR) cannot be calibrated using the calibration cap. Instead it is recommended to follow the procedure outlined below. Pay attention to the general information in section 6.1 and 6.2, the Notes and recommendations in section 6.6, and follow the procedure below



Figure 3: H<sub>2</sub>S sensor in the Microrespiration guide.

#### 6.5.1 Obtaining the high calibration point

- 1. Prepare the H<sub>2</sub>S calibration solution as described in section 6.1.
- 2. Aspirate 5 ml of the  $H_2S$  calibration solution with the syringe and needle. Do this slowly to avoid bubble formation.
- 3. Dispense the  $H_2S$  calibration solution into a microrespiration chamber. Place the needle at the bottom of the chamber, filling from below, to avoid bubbles and splashing.
- 4. Mount the lid in the microrespiration chamber making sure that no air bubbles are trapped.
- 5. Place the microrespiration chamber in the stirrer rack.
- 6. Place the H<sub>2</sub>S sensor in the stirrer rack with its plastic tip in the opening of the lid.
- 7. Insert the sensor into the chamber.
- 8. Allow the sensor to respond and stabilize and record the calibration value in SensorTrace (see the SensorTrace manual for details: <a href="https://www.unisense.com/manuals/">https://www.unisense.com/manuals/</a>).
- 9. Retract the sensor tip and remove the sensor from the stirrer rack.



#### 6.5.2 Obtaining the low calibration point

#### 6.5.2.1 Using the Unisense Cal300 Calibration Chamber

- 1. Place the sensor in the Cal300 Calibration Chamber containing H<sub>2</sub>S free water (see the H<sub>2</sub>S microsensor manual (https://www.unisense.com/manuals/).
  - The H<sub>2</sub>S sensor must be mounted in the blue Microrespiration guide and the tip must be retracted.
  - Temperature of the water must be the same as where the measurements are done.
- 2. Allow the sensor to respond and stabilize and record the calibration value in SensorTrace (see the SensorTrace manual for details: <a href="https://www.unisense.com/manuals/">https://www.unisense.com/manuals/</a>)

#### 6.5.2.2 Using a Microrespiration Chamber

- 1. Prepare a volume of H<sub>2</sub>S free water at the same temperature as the H<sub>2</sub>S calibration solution used in 6.5.1.
- 2. Transfer this water to a microrespiration chamber and mount the lid.
- 3. Place the microrespiration chamber in the stirrer rack
- 4. Place the H<sub>2</sub>S sensor in the stirrer rack with its plastic tip in the opening of the lid.
- 5. Insert the sensor into the chamber.
- 6. Allow the sensor to respond and stabilize and record the calibration value in SensorTrace (see the SensorTrace manual for details: <a href="https://www.unisense.com/manuals/">https://www.unisense.com/manuals/</a>) (See note D, section 6.6). If the response is much slower than expected, the ZnS may not have been converted fully into H<sub>2</sub>S (See note E, section 6.6)
- 7. Retract the sensor tip and remove the sensor from the stirrer rack.

#### 6.6 Notes and recommendations

- A. Perform the calibration at the same temperature as the measurements if possible. The UniAmp series of amplifiers has a built in temperature compensation within  $\pm 3^{\circ}$ C of the calibration temperature.
- B. It is important to shake the ZnS suspension very well and obtain a homogenous distribution of the precipitate. If not, the aliquot of suspension transferred to the HCl Exetainer will not contain the correct amount of ZnS and the final H<sub>2</sub>S concentration will be wrong.
- C. Injection of the  $H_2S$  containing water is done with the needle inserted fully while the blue needle on the empty syringe is inserted just below the septum. Thereby the injected  $H_2S$  containing water will not be lost.
- D. The calibration point should be saved within ca. 30-60 seconds after injecting the  $H_2S$  calibration solution. The period between injection and saving the calibration point should be long enough to obtain almost full response which depends on the sensor response time. Furthermore, it should not be longer than needed because the  $H_2S$  calibration solution will be contaminated with  $O_2$  during handling, and consumption of  $H_2S$  due to reaction with  $O_2$  will occur. This reaction is slow but can be seen as a slow decrease in signal over a few minutes.
- E. If the sensor signal keeps rising for several minutes, the formation of  $H_2S$  from ZnS may not have been completed. Leave the sensor in the  $H_2S$  until the signal is stable. For the next calibration, extend the time for the ZnS to be converted to  $H_2S$  (Section 6.1)



# 7 Calibrating at other concentrations

It is possible to obtain a lower concentration than that obtained using the standard procedure in section. This may be done either injecting less than 1.0 ml or by diluting the calibration solution obtained using the standard procedure in section.

Dilution of the solution made in section 6.1.

- 1. Prepare two Mixing Exetainers.
- 2. Transfer 1.0 ml the ZnS suspension into the first Mixing Exetainer as described above in section 6.1.
- 3. After shaking the Exetainer vigorously to obtain a homogenous distribution of H<sub>2</sub>S, open the Exetainer and aspirate a volume with a syringe.
- 4. Inject a known volume into the second Exetainer with the blue needle on a syringe inserted just below the septum to collect the excess liquid (this volume of this syringe must be sufficient to accept all the excess liquid).
- 5. Shake the Exetainer vigorously.

Now the sensor may be calibrated, as described above for the different types of sensors, using the calibration solution in the second Exetainer.

The concentration of H<sub>2</sub>S in the second Exetainer may be calculated as:

Final conc.  $(\mu M) = Inj. vol. (ml)/Exetainer vol. (ml) x Certified conc. <math>(\mu M)$ 

where Final conc. ( $\mu$ M) is the concentration obtained in the second Exetainer, Inj. vol (ml) is the volume injected transferred from the first to the second the Exetainer, Exetainer vol. ( $\mu$ M) is the volume of the second Exetainer and Certified conc. ( $\mu$ M) is the H<sub>2</sub>S concentration obtained when following the standard procedure in section. The Certified conc. and the Exetainer volume are shown on the label on the calibration kit box.

Please note that when injecting less than the full volume of a syringe, the accuracy of the injection will become lower. Therefore, always use a syringe with a full volume that is close the amount to be injected. E.g. if 3 ml is injected with a 10 ml syringe the accuracy is low.

# 8 Specifications

Volume of ZnS suspension in Exetainer<sup>1</sup>: 12.5 ml
 Volume of HCl (pH = 2.1) in Exetainer<sup>1</sup>: 12.5 ml

Lifetime of the calibration kit:
 See label on the calibration box
 Concentration of H<sub>2</sub>S in calibration solution<sup>2</sup>:
 See label on the calibration box

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The zinc sulfide suspension and the HCl solution are made anoxic with Ar bubbling before these liquids are dispensed into the Exetainers.

 $<sup>^2</sup>$ The actual concentration of  $H_2S$  in the final calibration solution is determined from measurements with a  $H_2S$  sensor calibrated with a certified calibration gas. The number of this certificate is specified on the calibration kit box. The  $H_2S$  concentration in the final calibration solution, following the procedure in section 6.1, is specified in the label on the calibration kit box.



## 9 Appendix 1: Calculation of the correction factor for salinity

The relationship between partial pressure, concentration and solubility for a gas is given by Henrys law:

where Part. press. is partial pressure of  $H_2S$ , Conc. is the molar concentrations of  $H_2S$ , Sol. is the molar solubility of  $H_2S$  at the given temperature and salinity.

In the calibration solution:

$$Part.press(Kit) = \frac{Conc.(Kit)}{Sol.(Kit)}$$

During measurement at a different salinity:

$$Part.press(Meas) = \frac{Conc.(Meas)}{Sol.(Meas)}$$

The aim is to calculate which concentration at the measuring salinity that will give the same partial pressure as in the calibration solution. The partial pressure at the measurement salinity and that at the calibration salinity are thus set to be equal:

#### Example

Concentration calculated based on the calibration =  $100 \mu M$ 

Conditions at measuring: Temperature = 20°C, Salinity = 32% => Correction factor = 0.863 (Table 1)

True concentration at 20°C, 32% = 100  $\mu$ M x 0.863 = 86.3  $\mu$ M

10 Table 1. Correction factors for calculating virtual concentration

		Salinity (‰)																			
Temp (°C)	0	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24	26	28	30	32	34	36	38	40
-1	1.001	0.993	0.985	0.978	0.970	0.962	0.954	0.946	0.939	0.931	0.924	0.916	0.909	0.902	0.895	0.887	0.880	0.873	0.866	0.859	0.852
0	1.001	0.993	0.985	0.977	0.969	0.962	0.954	0.946	0.938	0.931	0.923	0.916	0.908	0.901	0.894	0.887	0.879	0.872	0.865	0.858	0.851
1	1.001	0.993	0.985	0.977	0.969	0.961	0.953	0.946	0.938	0.930	0.923	0.915	0.908	0.900	0.893	0.886	0.879	0.871	0.864	0.857	0.850
2	1.001	0.993	0.985	0.977	0.969	0.961	0.953	0.945	0.938	0.930	0.922	0.915	0.907	0.900	0.892	0.885	0.878	0.871	0.863	0.856	0.849
3	1.001	0.993	0.985	0.977	0.969	0.961	0.953	0.945	0.937	0.929	0.922	0.914	0.907	0.899	0.892	0.884	0.877	0.870	0.862	0.855	0.848
4	1.002	0.993	0.985	0.977	0.969	0.961	0.953	0.945	0.937	0.929	0.921	0.914	0.906	0.898	0.891	0.883	0.876	0.869	0.862	0.854	0.847
5	1.002	0.993	0.985	0.977	0.968	0.960	0.952	0.944	0.936	0.928	0.921	0.913	0.905	0.898	0.890	0.883	0.875	0.868	0.861	0.853	0.846
6	1.002	0.993	0.985	0.976	0.968	0.960	0.952	0.944	0.936	0.928	0.920	0.912	0.905	0.897	0.889	0.882	0.874	0.867	0.860	0.853	0.845
7	1.002	0.993	0.985	0.976	0.968	0.960	0.952	0.943	0.935	0.927	0.920	0.912	0.904	0.896	0.889	0.881	0.874	0.866	0.859	0.852	0.844
8	1.002	0.993	0.984	0.976	0.968	0.959	0.951	0.943	0.935	0.927	0.919	0.911	0.903	0.896	0.888	0.880	0.873	0.865	0.858	0.851	0.843
9	1.002	0.993	0.984	0.976	0.967	0.959	0.951	0.943	0.935	0.926	0.918	0.911	0.903	0.895	0.887	0.880	0.872	0.864	0.857	0.850	0.842
10	1.002	0.993	0.984	0.976	0.967	0.959	0.951	0.942	0.934	0.926	0.918	0.910	0.902	0.894	0.886	0.879	0.871	0.864	0.856	0.849	0.841
11	1.002	0.993	0.984	0.976	0.967	0.959	0.950	0.942	0.934	0.925	0.917	0.909	0.901	0.894	0.886	0.878	0.870	0.863	0.855	0.848	0.840
12	1.002	0.993	0.984	0.975	0.967	0.958	0.950	0.941	0.933	0.925	0.917	0.909	0.901	0.893	0.885	0.877	0.869	0.862	0.854	0.847	0.839
13	1.002	0.993	0.984	0.975	0.967	0.958	0.950	0.941	0.933	0.924	0.916	0.908	0.900	0.892	0.884	0.876	0.869	0.861	0.853	0.846	0.838
14	1.002	0.993	0.984	0.975	0.966	0.958	0.949	0.941	0.932	0.924	0.916	0.908	0.899	0.891	0.883	0.876	0.868	0.860	0.852	0.845	0.837
15	1.002	0.993	0.984	0.975	0.966	0.957	0.949	0.940	0.932	0.923	0.915	0.907	0.899	0.891	0.883	0.875	0.867	0.859	0.851	0.844	0.836
16	1.002	0.993	0.984	0.975	0.966	0.957	0.948	0.940	0.931	0.923	0.915	0.906	0.898	0.890	0.882	0.874	0.866	0.858	0.850	0.843	0.835
17	1.002	0.993	0.983	0.975	0.966	0.957	0.948	0.940	0.931	0.922	0.914	0.906	0.897	0.889	0.881	0.873	0.865	0.857	0.850	0.842	0.834
18	1.002	0.992	0.983	0.974	0.965	0.957	0.948	0.939	0.930	0.922	0.914	0.905	0.897	0.889	0.880	0.872	0.864	0.856	0.849	0.841	0.833
19	1.002	0.992	0.983	0.974	0.965	0.956	0.947	0.939	0.930	0.921	0.913	0.905	0.896	0.888	0.880	0.872	0.864	0.856	0.848	0.840	0.832
20	1.002	0.992	0.983	0.974	0.965	0.956	0.947	0.938	0.930	0.921	0.912	0.904	0.896	0.887	0.879	0.871	0.863	0.855	0.847	0.839	0.831
21	1.002	0.992	0.983	0.974	0.965	0.956	0.947	0.938	0.929	0.920	0.912	0.903	0.895	0.886	0.878	0.870	0.862	0.854	0.846	0.838	0.830
22	1.002	0.992	0.983	0.974	0.964	0.955	0.946	0.937	0.929	0.920	0.911	0.903	0.894	0.886	0.877	0.869	0.861	0.853	0.845	0.837	0.829
23	1.002	0.992	0.983	0.973	0.964	0.955	0.946	0.937	0.928	0.919	0.911	0.902	0.893	0.885	0.877	0.868	0.860	0.852	0.844	0.836	0.828
24	1.002	0.992	0.983	0.973	0.964	0.955	0.946	0.937	0.928	0.919	0.910	0.901	0.893	0.884	0.876	0.867	0.859	0.851	0.843	0.835	0.827
25	1.002	0.992	0.983	0.973	0.964	0.955	0.945	0.936	0.927	0.918	0.910	0.901	0.892	0.884	0.875	0.867	0.858	0.850	0.842	0.834	0.826
26	1.002	0.992	0.982	0.973	0.964	0.954	0.945	0.936	0.927	0.918	0.909	0.900	0.891	0.883	0.874	0.866	0.857	0.849	0.841	0.833	0.825
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30	1.002	0.992	0.982	0.972	0.963	0.953	0.944	0.934	0.925	0.916	0.907	0.898	0.889	0.880	0.871	0.863	0.854	0.845	0.837	0.829	0.821

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