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|  0459 Accredited to ISO/IEC 17025:2017 | Precision Balance Services | |
| | Issue No: 020 Issue date: 17 December 2021 | |
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Calibration performed by the Organisations at the locations specified below

Locations covered by the organisation and their relevant activities

| Location details | Activity | Location code |
|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| Address 3 Atlas Court Atlas Road Hermitage Industrial Estate Coalville Leicestershire LE67 3FL | Local contact Mr Ian Hughes | Portable weighing machines (non-automatic) P |

Site activities performed away from the locations listed above:

| Location details | Activity | Location code |
|---|---------------------------------|--|
| Customer Sites The customers' site or premises must be suitable for the nature of the particular calibrations undertaken and will be the subject of contract review arrangements between the laboratory and the customer. | Contact Mr Ian Hughes | MASS Weighing machines (non-automatic) S |



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Calibration and Measurement Capability (CMC)

| Measured Quantity Instrument or Gauge | Range | Expanded Measurement Uncertainty ($k = 2$) | Remarks | Location Code |
|--|---|--|---|---------------|
| NON-AUTOMATIC WEIGHING MACHINES (BALANCES & SCALES) See notes 1, 2 and 3. | 20 mg 50 mg 100 mg 200 mg 500 mg 1 g 2 g 5 g 10 g 20 g 50 g 100 g 200 g 500 g 1 kg 2 kg 5 kg 10 kg 20 kg 50 kg 100 kg 200 kg 500 kg | 0.0076 mg 0.010 mg 0.013 mg 0.015 mg 0.020 mg 0.025 mg 0.030 mg 0.038 mg 0.052 mg 0.067 mg 0.095 mg 0.17 mg 0.34 mg 0.86 mg 1.9 mg 2.9 mg 8.6 mg 17 mg 56 mg 160 mg 3.6 g 5.1 g 18 g | 1. Weights are available in OIML Class: E2 from 1 mg to 5 kg. Max grouped load 11 kg. F1 1 mg to 10 kg. Max grouped load 70 kg M1 5 kg to 20 kg. Max grouped load 500 kg. 2. Other loads within the overall listed range may also be used. 3. Method based on the requirements of Euramet guide cg-18 | S and P |
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Appendix - Calibration and Measurement Capabilities

Introduction

The definitive statement of the accreditation status of a calibration laboratory is the Accreditation Certificate and the associated Schedule of Accreditation. This Schedule of Accreditation is a critical document, as it defines the measurement capabilities, ranges and boundaries of the calibration activities for which the organisation holds accreditation.

Calibration and Measurement Capabilities (CMCs)

The capabilities provided by accredited calibration laboratories are described by the Calibration and Measurement Capability (CMC), which expresses the lowest measurement uncertainty that can be achieved during a calibration. If a particular device under calibration itself contributes significantly to the uncertainty (for example, if it has limited resolution or exhibits significant non-repeatability) then the uncertainty quoted on a calibration certificate will be increased to account for such factors.

The CMC is normally used to describe the uncertainty that appears in an accredited calibration laboratory's schedule of accreditation and is the uncertainty for which the laboratory has been accredited using the procedure that was the subject of assessment. The measurement uncertainty is calculated according to the procedures given in the GUM and is normally stated as an expanded uncertainty at a coverage probability of 95 %, which usually requires the use of a coverage factor of $k = 2$. An accredited laboratory is not permitted to quote an uncertainty that is smaller than the published measurement uncertainty in certificates issued under its accreditation.

Expression of CMCs - symbols and units

It should be noted that the percentage symbol (%) represents the number 0.01. In cases where the measurement uncertainty is stated as a percentage, this is to be interpreted as meaning percentage of the measurand. Thus, for example, a measurement uncertainty of 1.5 % means $1.5 \times 0.01 \times q$, where q is the quantity value.

The notation $Q[a, b]$ stands for the root-sum-square of the terms between brackets: $Q[a, b] = [a^2 + b^2]^{1/2}$