

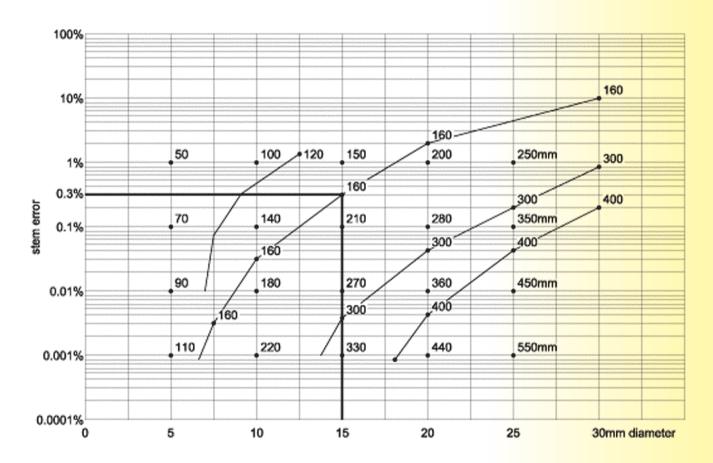
Fast Calibrators

Introduction to Fast Calibrators

Immersion depth is very important

When selecting a Dry Block Calibrator depth of immersion is very important. The chart below provides guidance in selecting a bath for immersion depth. Note that sensors with a long sensing length will require greater immersion. The chart is general and applies equally to all dry blocks - not to a particular model or manufacturer.

Immersion depths for various diameter thermocouples or thermistors in a dry block bath



Example shows 0.3% stem error for a 15mm diameter thermocouple immersed 160mm in a dry block.

- Note 1. For sensors immersed in stirred liquids the diameter of sensor can be doubled, or the minimum depth halved.
- Note 2. The sensing length must be added to the above immersion depth calculation
- N.B. The above gives a good guide, however each sensor will be slightly different.

For full information on selecting the correct immersion depth for all types of sensors ask for our free 8 page immersion tutorial.