

Webinaron

# Issues in Calibrations and Accuracy in Method Validation

# **Learning Objectives**

How accuracy is determined

What are the various types of standards and what are their strengths and weaknesses

The importance of traceability

Calibration curves — what are the important criteria? Linearity versus nonlinearity, slope, intercept and what they mean

Matrix effects and how to deal with them

Using calibration data to monitor performance



This webinar will cover the validation of calibrations and the strengths, weaknesses, and appropriateness of the different types of standards. Without accuracy, a result is not acceptable.

### **PRESENTED BY:**

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# **Webinar Description**

Accuracy, the ability of a methodology to give results within acceptable limits when compared to known values, is a fundamental and key requirement. Calibration is the most common approach to obtain accuracy.

Accuracy requires a comparison to a validated material. The level of confidence depends on traceability, a chain connecting the samples of interest all the way to the specific metric standards. This can be a complex task that can raise doubts in an auditor. There are different situations for the use of each of the standards of the various types. How to access validity is key.

In calibration, fundamental reliance on the linearity of response make proof of linearity important. This is more involved than only obtaining a linear regression factor or correlation coefficient. Once proven, though, calibrations can change with various factors. Monitoring calibration behavior and using that to maintain or even improve a methodology can be very useful.



## **Who Should Attend?**

Lab Chemists

Lab Managers

Lab Technicians

Lab Analysts

Industries into Compliance Methodology (Biotech, Pharma)



Why Should You Attend?

One of the most important concepts and criteria of Good Laboratory Practices are accuracy, how well does a methodology stand in terms of quantifying when compared to an expected value? There are various approaches in calibration and in the use of standards for comparisons. This webinar will cover the validation of calibrations and the strengths, weaknesses, and appropriateness of the different types of standards. Without accuracy, a result is not acceptable. There are many issues that affect accuracy and there are many approaches to deal with them. The importance of response, matrix effects, the selectivity of identification, and other issues will be covered.





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