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## **ECO CDOM Fluorometer Characterization Sheet**

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CDOM (Quinine Dihydrate Equivalent) concentration expressed in ppb can be derived using the equation:

**CDOM (QSDE) = Scale Factor \* (Output - Dark Counts)** 

	Analog Range 1	Analog Range 2	Analog Range 4 (default)	Digital
Dark Counts	0.084	0.042	0.021 V	69 counts
Scale Factor (SF)	30	60	120 ppb/V	0.0362 ppb/count
Maximum Output	4.99	4.99	4.99 V	16320 counts
Resolution	2.3	2.3	2.3 mV	2.7 counts
Ambient temperature during characterization				21.0 °C

Analog Range: 1 (most sensitive, 0-4,000 counts), 2 (midrange, 0-8,000 counts), 4 (entire range, 0-16,000 counts).

**Dark Counts:** Signal output of the meter in clean water with black tape over detector.

**SF**: Determined using the following equation:  $SF = x \div (output - dark counts)$ , where x is the concentration of the solution used during instrument characterization. SF is used to derive instrument output concentration from the raw signal output of the fluorometer.

Maximum Output: Maximum signal output the fluorometer is capable of.

**Resolution:** Standard deviation of 1 minute of collected data.

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