

Cross-calibration consensus forum



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What?

- ★ Action initiated in 2016 IACHEC meeting
- ★ A forum for dedicated discussion between the different working groups
- ★ Utilise the collective experience of IACHEC to go beyond the WG tasks
- ★ Attempt to understand the instruments as a whole
- ★ Verify that WGs are consistent
- ★ Ask and answer questions like:
 - How do the analyses of different types of objects look when put together?
 - Are the residuals btw two given instruments similar, independent of the object type? Should they be similar?
- ★ Experts on the calibration of different instruments could try to understand the cross-cal patterns. Find and test different sources of calibration problems. (Complementary to Concordance Calibration, PyBLocks)

How?

- ★ WG chair telecons in 2016
- ★ Decided that Matteo and Jukka put together the published IACHEC results to get a full picture of IACHEC cross-cal status
- ★ In practise, a meta-analysis of stack residual ratios (Matteo's and Jukka's presentations)
- ★ **1) Do we have a consistent picture?**
- ★ **2) How does the picture look like?**
- ★ **3) If yes, how do we proceed towards understanding, what calibration component(s) of which instrument(s) should be revised?**