# CALIBRATION

## Traceable to ITS-90 and EN60751



Calibration is needed for high accuracy or for verification to third party.

#### **Calibration of RTD sensors**

- 1. The sensors are compared at -195 °C, -75 °C, 0 °C and 100 °C with traceable references.
- 2. A certificate with measurements, calculated Calendar Van-Dusen coefficients, uncertainty and traceability is issued.

#### **Unique calibration**

Senmatic offer a unique calibrated 4-20 mA transmitter – RTD sensor set.

What does unique calibration mean?

- 1. The RTD sensor is calibrated
- 2. The transmitter is programmed with the Callendar Van-Dusen coefficients
- 3. The transmitter is calibrated by simulating the RTD resistance at 3 points (4 mA, 12 mA and 20 mA)
- 4. Certificates for both calibrations are supplied together with the paired transmitter-sensor set

#### **Callendar Van-Dusen coefficients?**

The resistance at temperature t can be described this way  $R(t) = Ro^*(1 + A^*t + B^*t^2 + C^*(t-100)^*t^3)$  where Ro is the resistance at 0 °C and A, B and C the Calendar Van-Dusen coefficients. Above 0 °C C=0. By active use of the coefficients the sensors uncertainty is less than ±0.024 °C in the calibrated range.

### Calibration is only offered with 4 wire sensors

