

Line-element examples for grey samples ($0,2 \leq x = Y/Y_u \leq 5$)

$F(x)$ is called the line-element function of $f(x)$.

The following relations are valid for $x = Y/Y_u = Y/18$:

$$\frac{d[F(x)]}{dx} = f(x) \quad [1]$$

$$F(x) = \int \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} dx \quad [2]$$

Example for all normalized tristimulus values $x = Y/Y_u$,
for example for $Y_N = 3,6$, $Y_u = 18$, $Y_W = 90$.

$$\frac{d [k_u(x)^{1/3} - 16]}{dx} = [k_u(x)^{-2/3}] / 3 \quad [3]$$

$$k_u(x)^{1/3} + \text{const} = \int \frac{k_u(x)^{-2/3}}{3} \quad [4]$$