

**Equal 9 step grey scaling between  $L^*_{0aN}=17.9$  and  $L^*_{0aW}=95.9$ ,  $Y_{0ref}=90.0$ , normalisation grey U**
 $L^*_{0aN}=17.9, L^*_{0aU}=56.9, L^*_{0aW}=96.0, Y_{0aN}=2.5, Y_{0aU}=24.9, Y_{0aW}=90.0, C_{0aY}=Y_{0aW}:Y_{0aN}=36.0$ 
 $L^*_{taN}=51.9, L^*_{taU}=57.0, L^*_{taW}=68.7, Y_{taN}=20.0, Y_{taU}=24.9, Y_{taW}=39.0, C_{taY}=Y_{taW}:Y_{taN}=1.9$ 
**Regularity index according to ISO/IEC 15775:2022, annex G for 5 and 9 steps**
 $g^* = 100 [\Delta L^*_{min}] / [\Delta L^*_{max}], L^*_{CIELAB} = 116 [Y/Y_n]^{1/3} - 16 \text{ with } Y \geq 0.882, Y_n=100$ 

$g^*_5 = 99, g^*_9 = 99$

$g^*_5 = 25, g^*_9 = 19$

$g^*_5 = 89, g^*_9 = 73$

| $L^*_{CIELAB}$<br>n0. i | intended output |            |          |          | $Y_{0r}$ | real output |                   |            |          | linearized output     |            |
|-------------------------|-----------------|------------|----------|----------|----------|-------------|-------------------|------------|----------|-----------------------|------------|
|                         | $L^*_{0a}$      | $L^*_{0r}$ | $Y_{0a}$ | $Y_{0r}$ |          | $L^*_{ta}$  | $\Delta L^*_{ta}$ | $L^*_{tr}$ | $Y_{ta}$ | $(L^*_{tr})^{1/1.68}$ | $L^*_{la}$ |
| 100                     | 96.0            | 1.0        | 90.0     | 1.0      | 68.7     | 3.5         | 1.0               | 39.0       | 1.0      | 68.7                  | 2.2        |
| 86.2                    | 0.875           | 68.5       | 0.754    | 65.2     | 3.2      | 0.791       | 34.3              | 0.87       | 66.5     | 2.2                   |            |
| 76.5                    | 0.75            | 50.7       | 0.55     | 62.0     | 2.8      | 0.603       | 30.5              | 0.741      | 64.4     | 2.1                   |            |
| 66.7                    | 0.625           | 36.3       | 0.386    | 59.3     | 2.3      | 0.44        | 27.3              | 0.613      | 62.2     | 2.1                   |            |
| 56.9                    | 0.5             | 24.9       | 0.256    | 57.0     | 1.9      | 0.301       | 24.9              | 0.49       | 60.1     | 2.0                   |            |
| 47.2                    | 0.375           | 16.2       | 0.156    | 55.1     | 1.4      | 0.189       | 23.0              | 0.371      | 58.1     | 1.9                   |            |
| 37.4                    | 0.25            | 9.8        | 0.083    | 53.6     | 1.0      | 0.103       | 21.6              | 0.258      | 56.2     | 1.8                   |            |
| 27.7                    | 0.125           | 5.3        | 0.032    | 52.6     | 0.7      | 0.041       | 20.6              | 0.149      | 54.4     | 2.5                   |            |
| 17.9                    | 0.0             | 2.5        | 0.0      | 51.9     |          | 0.0         | 20.0              | 0.0        | 51.9     |                       |            |

$\Delta L^*_{0a}=9.7$

$(i=1,2,\dots,8)$

normalisation:  $Y_{taU}=Y_{0aU} \frac{Y_{0ai}+Y_{0ref}}{Y_{0aU}+Y_{0ref}}$