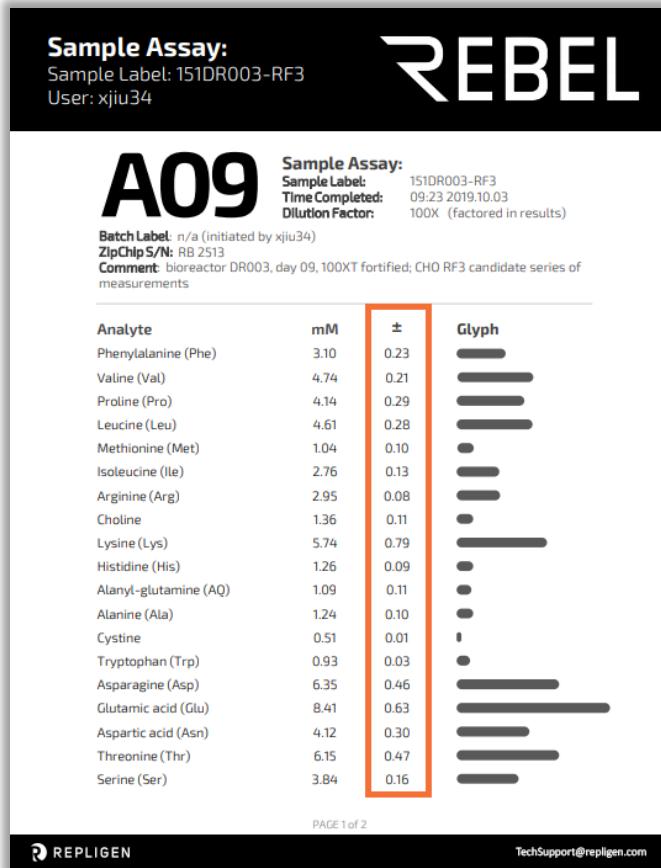


# Standard Error in Reports

PATsmart™ REBEL® System

Support Document

PATsmart™ REBEL® System reports all results in mM concentration accompanied by the associated standard error.



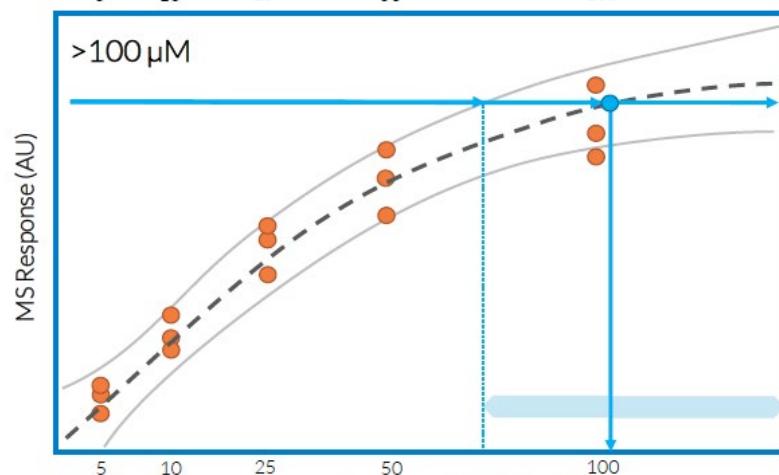
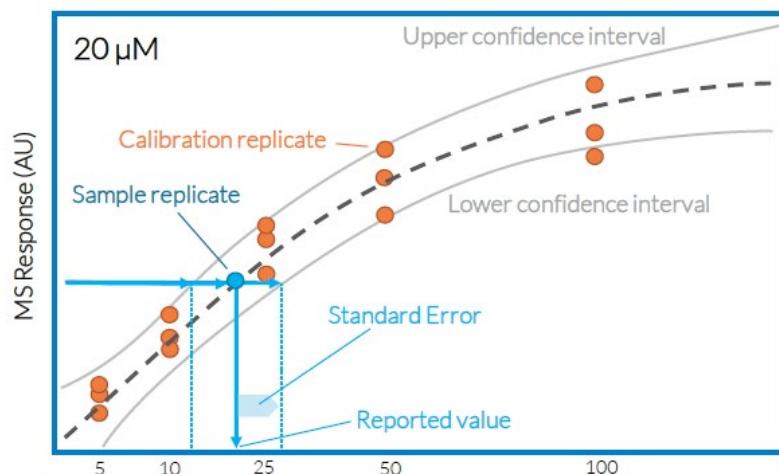
Standard error and relative standard error (RSE) are statistical propagations of error for the system as a whole, based on the QC and individual sample replicate.

*This is **not** to be confused with Coefficient of Variation (%CV) or Standard Deviation.*

The greater the RSE, the greater the uncertainty in the results

- Most common cause for large RSE is extrapolation outside of the calibrated range, or at the extremes of the curve.
- Acceptable RSE are established by each user group, but generally <15% is considered good.

Relative standard error (RSE) can be interpreted as the expected variability in estimated concentrations over many replicates - *samples are recommended to be run in triplicate.*



RSE for 20  $\mu\text{M}$  concentration <<< RSE for >100  $\mu\text{M}$  concentration

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