

To calculate relative humidity using temperature and dew point, you need to use a formula that factors in both the current air temperature and the temperature at which water vapor condenses (dew point). This formula is:  $RH = 100 * [\exp(17.625 * T_d / (243.04 + T_d)) / \exp(17.625 * T / (243.04 + T))]$ , where RH is the relative humidity,  $T_d$  is the dew point temperature in Celsius, and  $T$  is the air temperature in Celsius.

Here's a breakdown of the process:

### **1. 1. Obtain Temperature and Dew Point:**

You'll need the current air temperature (in Celsius) and the dew point temperature (also in Celsius).

### **2. 2. Apply the Formula:**

Plug the temperature ( $T$ ) and dew point ( $T_d$ ) values into the formula:

- $RH = 100 * [\exp(17.625 * T_d / (243.04 + T_d)) / \exp(17.625 * T / (243.04 + T))]$
- **exp()**: represents the exponential function (e raised to the power of the value inside the parentheses).
- You can use a calculator with exponential and natural logarithm functions to compute this accurately.

### **3. 3. Calculate Relative Humidity:**

The result of the calculation will give you the relative humidity as a percentage.

Example:

If the air temperature is 25°C and the dew point is 15°C, the calculation would be:  $RH = 100 * [\exp(17.625 * 15 / (243.04 + 15)) / \exp(17.625 * 25 / (243.04 + 25))]$ ,  $RH \approx 100 * [\exp(0.998) / \exp(1.498)]$ ,  $RH \approx 100 * (2.71 / 4.47)$ , and  $RH \approx 60.6$ .

Therefore, the relative humidity would be approximately 60.6%.