

Fluid dynamic testing laboratory

For testing fluid carrying devices.



Scope of ENAC accreditation
specified inside.

Testing laboratory

We carry out functional and performance tests at high pressures, with high flow rates, using steam, air or water as test fluid.

Unique in Spain and undoubtedly one of the most complete in the world.

Designed for testing any fluid carrying element, mainly valves, and especially safety valves.

It is not only designed for our needs, but we try to provide a solution to all those; manufacturers, universities, certifying entities, inspection and regulatory control entities, authorised control organisations, entities collaborating with the administration, engineering companies, associations, etc. that need to validate for themselves or for third parties, real test trials.

With a confidentiality commitment, we will act with total rigour and seriousness.



"More than 100 years of know-how and 10 years of development, applied in a unique and one of the most comprehensive testing laboratories in the world".

Facilities



Air

Low pressure: · Range: 0,0 - 16,0 bar.
· Flow rate: 0 - 200 Nm³/h.

We have three test lines available:

Medium pressure: · Range: 0,0 - 40,0 bar.
· Flow rate: 200 - 11200 Nm³/h.

High pressure: · Range: 0,0 - 40,0 bar.
· Flow rate: 11200 - 62000 Nm³/h.



62000 Nm³/h | DN8 - DN100 | 0 - 40 bar | 0 - 60 °C



Steam

Boiler 1: · Nominal production: 2000 kg/h.
· Design pressure: 10,0 bar.
· Maximum operating pressure: 8,6 bar.

We can carry out tests with two boilers separately or in parallel without additional assembly:

Boiler 2: · Nominal production: 2600 kg/h.
· Design pressure: 16,0 bar.
· Maximum operating pressure: 13,0 bar.

Boiler 1+2: · Nominal flow rate: 4600 kg/h.
· Maximum operating pressure: 10,0 bar.



By scheduling

Boiler 1: · Nominal production: 16000 kg/h.
· Design pressure: 25,0 bar.
· Maximum operating pressure: 22,0 bar.

Parallel boilers: · Unlimited flow rate.
· Maximum operating pressure: 22,0 bar.

Electric generator: · Nominal production: 11 kg/h.
· Design pressure: 5,0 bar.
· Maximum operating pressure: 4,0 bar.



Water

Low pressure: · Range: 0 - 8270 l/h.

We cover a wide working range for water testing:

Medium pressure: · Range: 0 - 463560 l/h.



High pressure: · Range: 0 - 651890 l/h.

0 - 40 bar | 0 - 60 °C

Additional services

Pressure and temperature

Valve strength and leak tightness testing (EN 12266-1)

- DN ≤ 400 mm.
- Pressure ≤ 250 bar.

Tightening and pressure adjustment test according to UNE-EN ISO 4126-1

- DN ≤ 400 mm.
- Pressure ≤ 250 bar.

Pressure / temperature measuring in fuel gas systems with a hand-held thermograph

- Temperature: -10 a 40 °C.
- Pressure ≤ 10 bar.
- Advance: 20 mm/h.

Measurement of pressure, temperature and air velocity with thermoanemometer

- 0 - 2500 Pa.
- 0 - 25 m/s.
- -20 °C to 80 °C.

Infrared temperature

- -13 °C to 400 °C.

Pressure measurement with portable transducer

- Pressure ≤ 160 bar.

Analysis and measurement

RPM measurement with tachometer

- 100 - 30.000 rpm.

Electricity network analyser

- 0,01 - 200 kLux.
- 0,01 - 20 kFc.

Speed measurement by anemometer

- 0,25 - 35 m/s.

Analysis of combustion products

- Oxygen (O₂).
- Carbon monoxide (CO).
- Carbon dioxide (CO₂).
- Nitric oxide (NO).
- Nitrogen oxide (NO_x).
- Sulphur dioxide (SO₂).
- Draught
- Temperature.
- Efficiency.

Illumination measurement with luxmeter

- Tension.
- Resistance.
- Intervention current.
- Impedance.
- Frequency.
- Power.
- Cos. φ
- Harmonics.

Materials

Spectrometric analysis of materials

- Stainless steel.
- Carbon steel.
- Bronze.
- Brass.
- Aluminium.

Material hardness testing

- Rockwell.
- Brinell.
- Vickers.

Roughness measurement with a roughness tester

- Ra = 0,01 µm. to 100 µm.
- Rz = 0,02 µm. to 350 µm.

Compression and tensile test, especially for springs.

- Force ≤ 50 kN.

Flatness analysis with monochromatic lamp





Dimensional measurements

Ultrasonic thickness gauging

- 1 - 200 mm.

Three-dimensional measurement

- Capacity:
X = 500 mm.
Y = 400 mm.
Z = 400 mm.
- Uncertainty $\leq 5 \mu\text{m}$.

Dimensional measurement with calipers:

- Caliper.
- Micrometer.
- Cylindrical and threaded rings/screws.
- Alexometer.
- etc.

Leak detection and prevention

Ultrasonic leak detection

- Frequency: 20 kHz. - 100 kHz.
- Temperature IR: -20 °C. to 500 °C.

Detection of combustible gas leaks

- Hydrogen (H₂).
- Methane (CH₄).
- Propane (C₃H₈).

Non-destructive testing (NDT) for defect detection by:

- Penetrating liquids.
- Magnetic particles.
- Ultrasound.

Image

Microscope

- 0,7x - 4,5x.
- Digital camera.



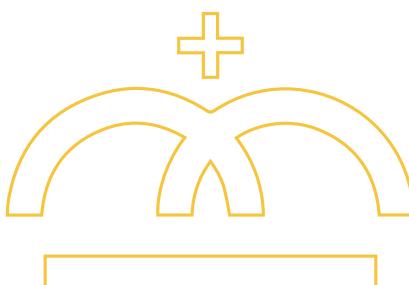
Accredited by ENAC

VYC INDUSTRIAL, SAU is the only laboratory accredited by ENAC that certifies, with gas as a test fluid, and following the test guidelines UNE-EN ISO 4126-1 "Safety valves", the results of; real discharge flow, discharge coefficient (Kd) and reduced discharge coefficient (Kdr.).

ENAC, (Entidad Nacional de Acreditación, "National accreditation entity"), is the only national organisation with the capacity to guarantee the technical competence of the organisations it accredits, following at all times the policies and recommendations established by the European Union. It is a public utility, independent and non-profit organisation, designated and supervised by the Public Administration, and internationally recognised. ENAC certification provides the client with standards of reliability and quality.

We can act as an intercomparison laboratory for other laboratories, in accordance with UNE-EN ISO/IEC 17025.

It is possible to extend our ENAC accreditation according to the needs of our clients and partners.



We provide the following results in our flow rate trial:

Stroke.

Regulating pressure (Ps.).

Deviation from Ps.

Discharge pressure (Po.).

Overpressure.

Overpressure ratio.

Restart pressure (Pr.).

Discharge ratio.

Minimum temperature at valve inlet.

Maximum temperature at valve inlet.

Real discharge flow rate.

Real discharge capacity.

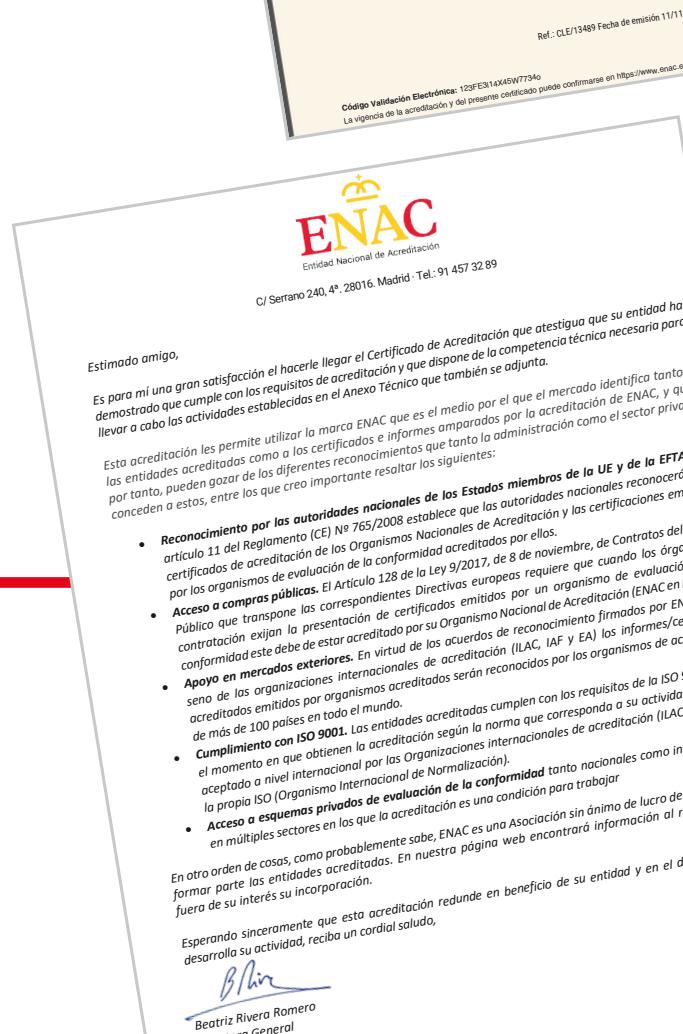
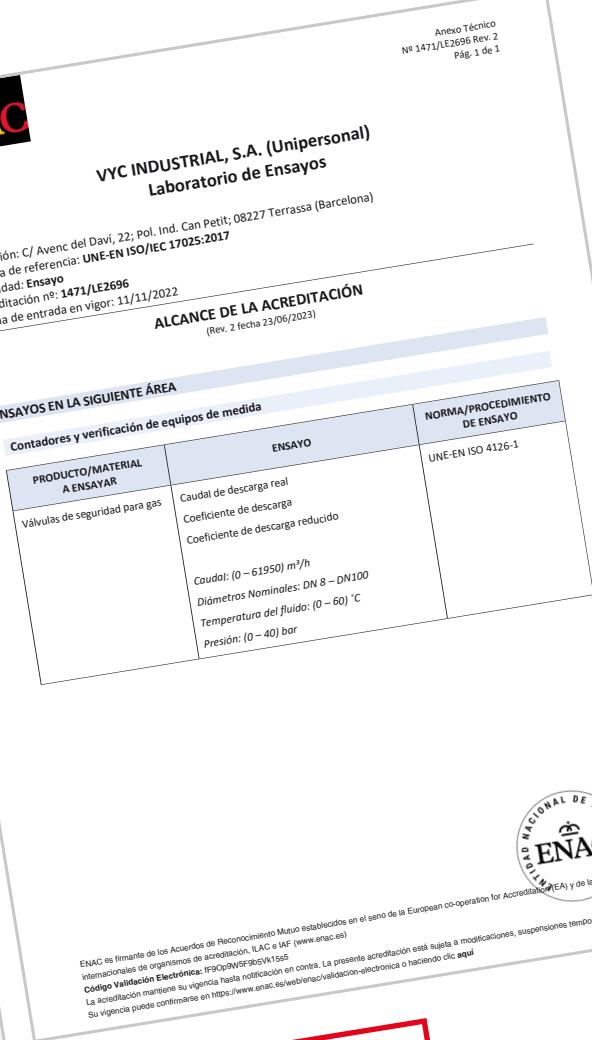
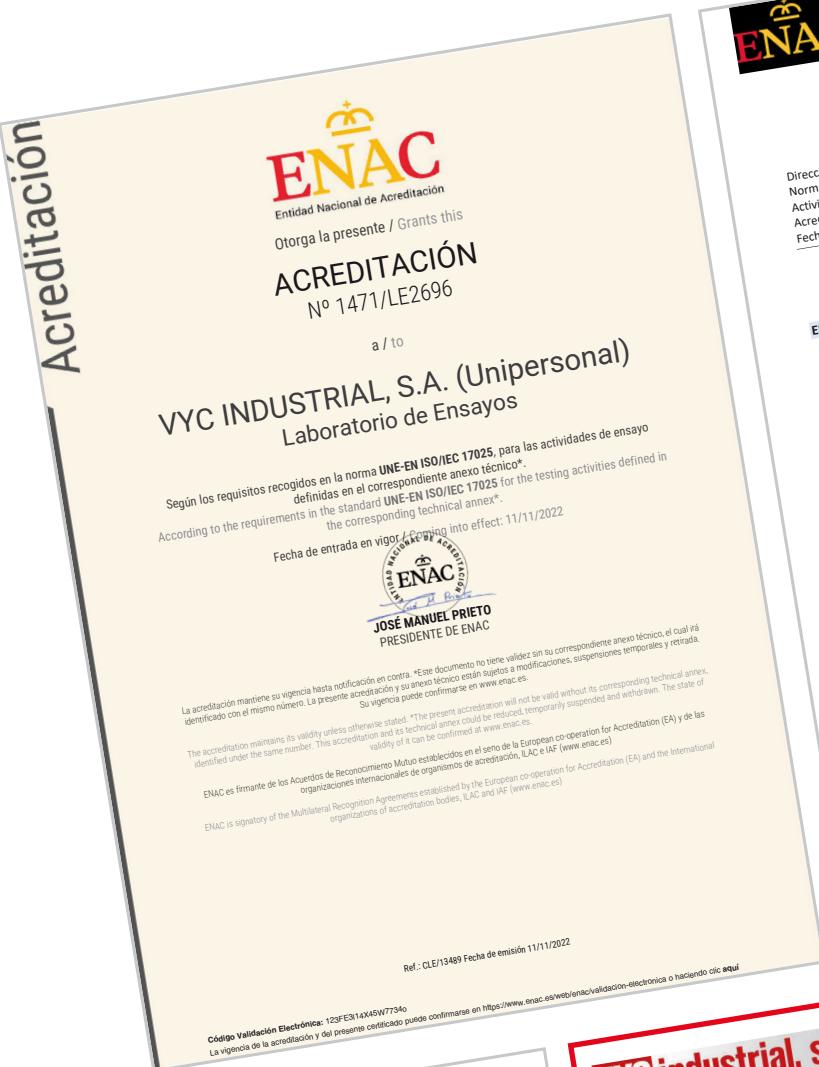
Discharge coefficient (Kd.).

Certified reduced discharge coefficient (Kdr.).

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