

# Accreditation



The Deutsche Akkreditierungsstelle attests with this **Accreditation Certificate** that the calibration laboratory

## **ABB AG**

### **Calibration laboratory for pressure, flow and temperature Schillerstraße 72, 32425 Minden**

meets the requirements according to DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025:2018 for the conformity assessment activities listed in the annex to this certificate. This includes additional existing legal and normative requirements for the calibration laboratory, including those in relevant sectoral schemes, provided they are explicitly confirmed in the annex to this certificate.

The management system requirements of DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025 are written in the language relevant to the operations of calibration laboratories and confirm generally with the principles of DIN EN ISO 9001.

This accreditation was issued in accordance with Art. 5 Para. 1 Sentence 2 of Regulation (EC) 765/2008, after an accreditation procedure was carried out in compliance with the minimum requirements of DIN EN ISO/IEC 17011 and on the basis of a review and decision of the appointed accreditation committees.

This accreditation certificate only applies in connection with the notices of 13.09.2023 with accreditation number D-K-12115-01.

It consists of this cover sheet, the reverse side of the cover sheet and the following annex with a total of 4 pages.

Registration number of the accreditation certificate: **D-K-12115-01-00**

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# Deutsche Akkreditierungsstelle

## Annex to the Accreditation Certificate D-K-12115-01-00 according to DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025:2018

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Holder of accreditation certificate:

### **ABB AG**

**Calibration laboratory for pressure, flow and temperature  
Schillerstraße 72, 32425 Minden**

The calibration laboratory meets the requirements of DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025:2018 to carry out the conformity assessment activities listed in this annex. The calibration laboratory meets additional legal and normative requirements, if applicable, including those in relevant sectoral schemes, provided that these are explicitly confirmed below.

The management system requirements of DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025 are written in the language relevant to the operations of calibration laboratories and confirm generally with the principles of DIN EN ISO 9001.

Calibration in the fields:

#### **Mechanical quantities**

**Pressure**

**Fluid Quantities**

– **Gas flow rate**

#### **Thermodynamic quantities**

**Temperature quantities**

– **Resistance thermometers**

– **Thermocouples**

– **Direct reading thermometers**

– **Temperature transmitters, data loggers**

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Abbreviations used: see last page

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Permanent Laboratory

Calibration and Measurement Capabilities (CMC)				
Measured quantity / Calibration item	Range	Measurement conditions / procedure	expanded uncertainty of measurement <sup>1)</sup>	Remarks
<b>Pressure</b> Absolute pressure $p_{abs}$	> 0 bar to 1 bar	DKD R 6-1:2014	$14 \mu\text{bar} + 2.1 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot p_{abs}$	Pressure medium: Gas The uncertainty of the measured residual pressure has to be taken into account.
	> 1 bar to 5 bar		$60 \mu\text{bar} + 2.3 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot p_{abs}$	
	> 5 bar to 20 bar		$0.14 \text{ mbar} + 2.2 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot p_{abs}$	
Absolute pressure $p_{abs}$	> 20 bar to 101 bar		$0.9 \text{ mbar} + 2.2 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot p_{abs}$	Pressure medium: Gas The uncertainty of the barometer has to be taken into account. Measuring principle: $p_{abs} = p_e + p_{amb}$
	> 101 bar to 401 bar		$9.0 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot p_{abs}$	
Absolute pressure $p_{abs}$	1 bar; 41 bar to 1001 bar		$1.1 \cdot 10^{-4} \cdot p_{abs}$ ; but not lower than 25 mbar	Pressure medium: Oil The uncertainty of the barometer has to be taken into account. Measuring principle: $p_{abs} = p_e + p_{amb}$
	> 1001 bar to 2501 bar		$2.1 \cdot 10^{-4} \cdot p_{abs}$	
Positive gauge pressure $p_e$	0 mbar; 0.2 mbar to 50 mbar		$1.1 \mu\text{bar} + 1,6 \cdot 10^{-4} \cdot p_e$	Pressure medium: Gas
	> 50 mbar to 1 bar		$9 \mu\text{bar} + 2.5 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot p_e$	
	> 1 bar to 5 bar		$17 \mu\text{bar} + 1.9 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot p_e$	
	> 5 bar to 20 bar		$75 \mu\text{bar} + 1.7 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot p_e$	
	> 20 bar to 100 bar		$0.9 \text{ mbar} + 2.2 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot p_e$	
	> 100 bar to 400 bar		$9.0 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot p_e$	
Gauge pressure $p_e$	0 bar; 40 bar to 1000 bar		$1.1 \cdot 10^{-4} \cdot p_e$ ; but not lower than 25 mbar	Pressure medium: Oil
	> 1000 bar to 2500 bar		$2.1 \cdot 10^{-4} \cdot p_e$	
Differential pressure $\Delta p_e$	0 mbar to 160 mbar		$1.1 \mu\text{bar} + 1,6 \cdot 10^{-4} \cdot \Delta p_e$	Pressure medium: Gas line pressure $p_{stat} = 10 \text{ mbar}$
	0 bar to 4.0 bar		$1 \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ bar} + 1 \cdot 10^{-4} \cdot \Delta p_e + 4.0 \cdot 10^{-6} \cdot p_{stat}$	

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<b>Temperature</b> Resistance thermometers (with or without direct indication)	0 °C	DKD-R 5-1:2018 Ice point	10 mK	Mixture of ice and water in Dewar (electrical conductivity ≤ 20 μS/cm)
	0.01 °C	DKD-R 5-1:2018 triple point of water	5 mK	Calibration at fixed point temperatures
	-196 °C	DKD-R 5-1:2018 boiling point of liquid nitrogen	0.10 K	Comparison with standard resistance thermometers
	-35 °C to 350 °C	DKD-R 5-1:2018	20 mK	Comparison with standard resistance thermometers in thermostatic liquid baths
	> 350 °C to 500 °C		50 mK	
	> 500 °C to 850 °C		1.0 K	Comparison with thermocouple type S in tube furnace
Noble metal thermocouples in wire style ( $d_{max} = 1$ mm)	1553.4 °C	DKD-R 5-3:2018 Melting point of Palladium in atmospheric air	2.5 K	Melting off method
Noble metal thermocouples (with or without direct indication)	-35 °C to 500 °C	DKD-R 5-3:2018	0.5 K	Comparison with standard resistance thermometers in thermostatic baths
	500 °C to 1000 °C	DKD-R 5-3:2018	1.0 K	Comparison with thermocouple type S in tube furnace
	> 1000 °C to 1200 °C	Sodium heat pipe for the range from 550 °C to 1000 °C	1.5 K	
Base metal thermocouples (with or without direct indication)	-35 °C to < 0 °C	DKD-R 5-3:2018	1.0 K	Comparison with standard resistance thermometers in thermostatic baths
	0 °C to 200 °C		0.2 K	
	> 200 °C to 400 °C		0.4 K	
	> 400 °C to 500 °C		1.0 K	
	500 °C to 1000 °C	DKD-R 5-3:2018	2.0 K	Comparison with thermocouple type S in tube furnace
	> 1000 °C to 1200 °C	Sodium heat pipe for the range from 550 °C to 1000 °C	3.0 K	
Transmitters with resistance thermometer	-35 °C to 850 °C	DKD-R 5-1:2018 see resistance thermometers	$U_{PRT} + 0.10$ K	$U_{PRT}$ , $U_{TE}$ is the expanded measurement uncertainty from the calibration of the sole resistance thermometer
Transmitters with thermocouple	-35 °C to 1200 °C	DKD-R 5-1:2018 see thermocouples	$U_{TE} + 0.10$ K	resp. the sole thermocouples

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<b>Gas flow rate</b> Volume flow rate $dV/dt$ of flowing gases	0.8 m <sup>3</sup> /h to 100 m <sup>3</sup> /h	critical Venturi nozzle IOM-AA-0136 Version 02: 2023-05-15	0.4 %	Measured fluid: atmospheric air
	> 100 m <sup>3</sup> /h to 7300 m <sup>3</sup> /h		0.3 %	calibration of positive displacement and flow gas meters, flow meters (e.g. laminar or thermal flow meter) and pressure differential devices (e.g. nozzles or orifices)
Mass flow rate $dm/dt$ of flowing gases	1 kg/h to 120 kg/h		0.4 %	
	> 120 kg/h to 8800 kg/h		0.3 %	

1) Unless otherwise specified, the unit of the variable corresponds to the unit of the measuring range.

**Abbreviations used:**

CMC Calibration and measurement capabilities  
 DKD-R Guideline of Deutscher Kalibrierdienst (DKD)  
 DIN Deutsches Institut für Normung e.V. (German Institut for Standardization)  
 IOM-AA In house procedure of ABB AG

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