

# RAAD VOOR ACCREDITATIE

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De Stichting Raad voor Accreditatie,  
bij wet aangewezen als de nationale accreditatie-instantie voor Nederland,  
verklaart hierbij accreditatie te hebben verleend aan:

## VSL B.V. Delft

De instelling heeft aangetoond in staat te zijn het produceren van referentiematerialen op een competente wijze uit te voeren.

Deze accreditatie is gebaseerd op een beoordeling tegen de vereisten zoals vastgelegd in EN ISO 17034:2016.

De accreditatie is van toepassing op de activiteiten zoals gespecificeerd in de gewaarmerkte bijlage die is voorzien van het registratienummer.

De accreditatie is van kracht, onder voorwaarde dat de instelling blijft voldoen aan de vereisten.

De accreditatie voor registratienummer:

**P 002**

is verleend op 28 oktober 2009

Deze verklaring is geldig tot  
**1 november 2025**

Het bestuur van de Raad voor Accreditatie,  
namens deze,

mr. J.A.W.M. de Haas

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The Dutch Accreditation Council RvA, by law appointed as  
the national accreditation body for The Netherlands,  
hereby declares that accreditation has been granted to:

## VSL B.V. Delft

The organisation has demonstrated to be able to produce reference materials  
in a competent manner.

This accreditation is based on an assessment against the requirements as  
laid down in EN ISO 17034:2016.

The accreditation covers the activities as specified in the authorized  
annex bearing the accreditation number.

The accreditation is valid provided that the organisation  
continues to meet the requirements.

This accreditation with registration number:

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is granted on 28 October 2009

This declaration is valid until  
**1 November 2025**

The board of the Dutch Accreditation Council,  
on its behalf,

mr. J.A.W.M. de Haas

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**Location(s) where activities are performed under accreditation**

**Head Office**

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Thijsseweg 11  
2629 JA  
Delft  
The Netherlands

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<b>Location</b>	<b>Abbreviation/ location code</b>
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<b>RM 20</b>	<b>Gas mixtures</b>			
	<b>Binary Gas Mixtures</b>			
1.	CO in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air CO in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air CO <sub>2</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air CO <sub>2</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air CH <sub>4</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air CH <sub>4</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air CH <sub>4</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>8</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>8</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>8</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> NO in N <sub>2</sub> NO in N <sub>2</sub> NO in N <sub>2</sub> NO <sub>2</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air NO <sub>2</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air N <sub>2</sub> O in synth. air or N <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>2</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air SO <sub>2</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air SO <sub>2</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> and synthetic air	0.5·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 50·10 <sup>-2</sup> 0.5·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 50·10 <sup>-2</sup> 0.5·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 2.2·10 <sup>-2</sup> 2.2·10 <sup>-2</sup> – 50·10 <sup>-2</sup> 1·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 1·10 <sup>-2</sup> 1·10 <sup>-2</sup> – 50·10 <sup>-2</sup> 0.5·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 50·10 <sup>-2</sup> 0.1·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 1·10 <sup>-6</sup> 1·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 1·10 <sup>-2</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 100·10 <sup>-6</sup> 100·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 1000·10 <sup>-6</sup> 0.3·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 1000·10 <sup>-6</sup> 0.5·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 1·10 <sup>-6</sup> 1·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 5·10 <sup>-2</sup>	2 % – 0.09 % 0.09 % – 0.09 % 2 % – 0.09 % 0.09 % – 0.09 % 0.4 % – 0.3 % 0.3 % – 0.12 % 0.12 % – 0.12 % 0.2 % – 0.14 % 0.14 % – 0.12 % 0.12 % – 0.12 % 2 % – 0.08 % 0.08 % – 0.08 % 2 % – 0.9 % 0.9 % – 0.5 % 0.5 % – 0.10 % 1.5 % – 1 % 1.0 % – 0.5 % 2 % – 1 % 2 % – 0.9 % 0.9 % – 0.09 % 0.09 % – 0.09 %	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry).  Verification method selected from: ND-IR, ND-UV, photo acoustic-IR, cavity ring down spectroscopy, chemiluminescence, pulsed fluorescence-UV, electrochemical and/or paramagnetic techniques, GC-TCD, GC-FID, Gas Filter Correlation Infra-Red spectroscopy, GC-SCD and/or GC-PDHID.
	H <sub>2</sub> S in N <sub>2</sub> H <sub>2</sub> S in N <sub>2</sub> H <sub>2</sub> S in CH <sub>4</sub> C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub> OH in synth. air or N <sub>2</sub> NH <sub>3</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> H <sub>2</sub> O in N <sub>2</sub> and CH <sub>4</sub>	1·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 1000·10 <sup>-6</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 1000·10 <sup>-6</sup> 75·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 800·10 <sup>-6</sup> 30·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 300·10 <sup>-6</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 100·10 <sup>-6</sup>	2.5 % – 1 % 1.5 % – 0.5 % 2 % – 1 % 1 % – 0.5 % 5 % – 2 % 5 %	CRM (NH <sub>3</sub> in N <sub>2</sub> ) CRM (H <sub>2</sub> O in N <sub>2</sub> and CH <sub>4</sub> )
2.	<b>Natural gas</b> Methane Ethane Propane <i>n</i> -Butane <i>i</i> -Butane <i>n</i> -Pentane <i>i</i> -Pentane neo-Pentane <i>n</i> -Hexane Nitrogen Carbon dioxide Helium Hydrogen	60 % – 99.9 % 0.1 % – 14 % 0.05 % – 10 % 0.01 % – 3 % 0.01 % – 3 % 0.01 % – 0.8 % 0.01 % – 0.8 % 0.01 % – 0.8 % 0.01 % – 0.4 % 0.1 % – 20 % 0.05 % – 20 % 0.05 % – 0.4 % 3.5% – 15 %	0.15 % 0.5 % – 0.2 % 1 % – 0.5 % 0.5 % – 0.2 % 0.7 % – 0.2 % 0.5 % – 0.2 % 1 % – 0.5 % 0.4% – 0.2 %	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry).  Verification method selected from: GC-TCD and/or GC-FID

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3.	<b>Main refrigerant (MR)</b> Ethane Propane Nitrogen Methane	(20 % – 35 %) mol/mol (5 % – 15 %) mol/mol (8 % – 16 %) mol/mol (45 % – 90 %) mol/mol	0.5 % – 0.3 % 0.5 % – 0.3 % 0.5 % – 0.3 % 0.2 %	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry).  Verification method selected from: GC-TCD and/or GC-FID
4.	<b>Coke oven gas</b> Hydrogen Methane Carbon monoxide Carbon dioxide Nitrogen	0.2 % – 70 % 4 % – 35 % 3 % – 70 % 1 % – 25 % 3 % – 45 %	0.5 % 0.5 % 0.5 % 0.5 % 0.5 %	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry).  Verification method selected from: GC-TCD and/or GC-FID
5.	<b>Automotive gas</b> O <sub>2</sub> CO CO <sub>2</sub> C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>8</sub>	0.1 % – 22 % 0.1 % – 9 % 1 % – 18 % 0.005 % – 0.5 %	0.3 – 0.2% 0.3 – 0.2% 0.2 % 0.5 – 0.2%	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry).  Verification method selected from: ND-IR, GC-TCD and/or GC-FID
6.	<b>Sulphur in Methane</b> Hydrogen sulphide Methyl mercaptane Ethyl mercaptane Carbonyl sulphide Dimethyl sulphide	10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 50·10 <sup>-6</sup>	3 – 2 %	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry).  Verification method GC-SCD
7.	<b>Stack gas</b> Carbon monoxide Carbon dioxide Nitrogen monoxide Sulphur dioxide Propane	10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 1 000·10 <sup>-6</sup> 1·10 <sup>-2</sup> – 20·10 <sup>-2</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 1 000·10 <sup>-6</sup> 10·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 1 000·10 <sup>-6</sup> 3·10 <sup>-6</sup> – 1000·10 <sup>-6</sup>	1 % – 0.15 %	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry).  Verification method selected from: GC-TCD and/or GC-FID
8.	<b>Refinery gas A</b> Methane Ethane Ethene Propane Propene 1,3-Butadiene 1-Butene <i>i</i> -Butene Hydrogen Nitrogen Helium	10 % – 13 % 1 % – 3 % 12 % – 16 % 0.4 % – 0.7 % 3 % – 5 % 0.75 % – 1.5 % 0.4 % – 0.65 % 0.4 % – 0.65 % 7 % – 9 % 3.5 % – 4.5 % 50 % – 60 %	0.4 % – 0.2 % 0.6 % – 0.3 % 0.6 % – 0.3 % 0.6 % – 0.3 % 0.6 % – 0.3 % 2 % – 1 % 2 % – 1 % 2 % – 1 % 1 % – 0.5 % 1 % – 0.5 % 1 % – 0.5 %	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry).  Verification method selected from: GC-TCD, GC-FID, ND-IR, ND-UV, pulsed fluorescence-UV.

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9.	<b>Refinery gas B</b> Methane Ethane Propane Hydrogen <i>n</i> -Butane <i>i</i> -Pentane <i>n</i> -Pentane <i>n</i> -Hexane Carbon monoxide Carbon dioxide Nitrogen	10 % – 13 % 1.5 % – 2.5 % 0.4 % – 0.6 % 7 % – 8 % 0.8 % – 4.2 % 0.5 % – 1 % 0.5 % – 1 % 0.01 % – 0.1 % 1 % – 4 % 0.4 % – 0.8 % 60 % – 80 %	0.15 % 0.3 % 0.3 % 0.15 % 0.3 % 0.5 % 0.5 % 0.5 % 0.4 % 0.4 % 0.3 %	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry).  Verification method selected from: GC-TCD and/or GC-FID
10.	<b>VOC (in cylinders)</b> ethane, ethene, Ethyne, propene, propane, 1-Butene, <i>i</i> -Butene, 1,3-Butadiene, <i>n</i> -Butane, <i>i</i> -Butane, <i>cis</i> -2-Butene, <i>trans</i> -2-Butene, 2-methyl-1,3-Butadiene, <i>n</i> -Pentane, <i>i</i> -Pentane, 1-Pentene, <i>trans</i> -2-Pentene, <i>cis</i> -2-Pentene, <i>n</i> -Hexane, <i>n</i> -Heptane, <i>n</i> -Octane, iso-Octane, 3-methyl-Pentane, 2-methyl-pentane, Benzene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, <i>o</i> -Xylene, <i>m</i> -Xylene, <i>p</i> -Xylene, 1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene, 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene in nitrogen	2·10 <sup>-9</sup> – 1000·10 <sup>-9</sup>	5 % – 2 %	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry).  Verification method: GC-FID
11.	<b>BTEX</b> benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, <i>o</i> -xylene, <i>m</i> -xylene, <i>p</i> -xylene in nitrogen	2·10 <sup>-9</sup> – 1000·10 <sup>-9</sup>	5 % – 2 %	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry).  Verification method: GC-FID, and/or GC-ATD

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12.	<b>Energy gases</b> Helium Hydrogen Methane Nitrogen Carbon monoxide Carbon dioxide Oxygen Ethene Ethane Propene Propane <i>n</i> -Butane <i>i</i> -Butane 1,3-Butadiene 1-Butene <i>i</i> -Butene <i>n</i> -Pentane <i>i</i> -Pentane Neo-Pentane <i>n</i> -Hexane	0.025 % – 1 % 0.2 % – 85 % 1 % – 99.9 % 0.1 % – 70 % 1 % – 70 % 0.05 % – 45 % 0.2 % – 1.5 % 1.0 % – 16 % 0.2 % – 14 % 0.05 % – 5 % 0.05 % – 10 % 0.01 % – 3 % 0.01 % – 3 % 0.5 % – 1.5 % 0.2 % – 0.8 % 0.2 % – 0.8 % 0.01 % – 1 % 0.01 % – 1 % 0.01 % – 0.8 % 0.01 % – 0.4 %	1 % – 0.5 % 0.8 % – 0.2 % 0.3 % – 0.15 % 0.7 % – 0.2 % 1 % – 0.5 % 0.5 % – 0.2 % 1.5 % – 1.3 % 0.5 % – 0.2 % 2 % – 1 % 0.5 % – 0.2 %	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry). Verification method selected from: GC-TCD and/or GC-FID
13.	<b>OVOC in nitrogen</b> Methanol Ethanol Acetone	$1 \cdot 10^{-6} - 10 \cdot 10^{-6}$ mol/mol $1 \cdot 10^{-6} - 10 \cdot 10^{-6}$ mol/mol $1 \cdot 10^{-6} - 10 \cdot 10^{-6}$ mol/mol	5 % 3 % 2 %	Preparation by a single reference procedure (gravimetry) Verification method: GC-FID.
14.	<b>Single and Multi-Component Gas Mixtures</b> containing: permanent gases, hydrocarbons up to n-C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>14</sub> , automotive gas mixtures, stack gas mixtures, sulphur components, BTEX mixtures, Nobel gases, greenhouse gases, NH <sub>3</sub> , HNO <sub>3</sub> , H <sub>2</sub> O in Nitrogen, Synthetic Air, Methane, Helium, Hydrogen, Argon	$0.1 \cdot 10^{-6} - 50 \cdot 10^{-2}$ mol/mol	10% – 0.1%	Preparation by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry). Verification method selected from: ND-IR, ND-UV, photo acoustic-IR, cavity ring down spectroscopy, chemiluminescence, pulsed fluorescence-UV, electrochemical and/or paramagnetic techniques, GC-TCD, GC-FID, GC-SCD and/or GC-PDHID.

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15.	<b>Single and Multi-Component Gas Mixtures</b> containing: VOC's, s-VOC's, OVOC's, BTEX, alcohols in Nitrogen, Synthetic Air, Methane, Helium, Hydrogen, Argon	$0.1 \cdot 10^{-9} - 1000 \cdot 10^{-6}$ mol/mol	30 % – 0.5 %	<p>Preparation by a single reference procedure (gravimetry)</p> <p>Verification method selected from: ND-IR, ND-UV, photo acoustic-IR, cavity ring down spectroscopy, chemiluminescence, pulsed fluorescence-UV, electrochemical and/or paramagnetic techniques, GC-TCD, GC-FID, GC-SCD and/or GC-PDHID.</p>
16.	<b>S-VOCs in sorption tubes</b> (ISO 6145-4) Naphthalene Dodecamethyl-cyclohexasiloxane n-Decane n-Dodecane n-Tetradecane n-Hexadecane n-Octadecane n-Eicosane Dimethyl phthalate Diethyl phthalate	10 ng – 1000 ng	8 % 6 % 5 % 5 % 7 % 9 % 11 % 11 % 6 % 12 %	<p>Prepared by continuous syringe injection (ISO 6145-4)</p> <p>Verification method: ATD-GC-FID</p>
17.	<b>Siloxanes in methane</b> (in cylinder) Hexamethyldisiloxane (L2) Octamethyltrisiloxane (L3) Hexamethyl-cyclotrisiloxane (D3) Octamethyl-cyclotetrasiloxane (D4) Decamethyl-cyclopentasiloxane (D5)	$0.5 \cdot 10^{-6} - 50 \cdot 10^{-6}$ mol/mol $0.3 \cdot 10^{-6} - 35 \cdot 10^{-6}$ mol/mol $0.3 \cdot 10^{-6} - 20 \cdot 10^{-6}$ mol/mol $0.2 \cdot 10^{-6} - 9 \cdot 10^{-6}$ mol/mol $0.1 \cdot 10^{-6} - 3 \cdot 10^{-6}$ mol/mol	2 % 2 % 3 % 3 % 4 %	<p>Prepared by a single primary reference procedure (gravimetry)</p> <p>Verification method: GC-FID</p>

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DV 10	<b>Density and Viscosity</b>			
DV 11	Density of liquids			
18.	Density of demineralised doubly distilled water	998 kg/m <sup>3</sup> (at 15 °C – 40 °C)	0.001 %	Measurement by Oscillation type density meter.
DV 12	Viscosity of liquids			
19.	Organic solutions and oils	Kinematic viscosity (0.6 mm <sup>2</sup> /s – 47000 mm <sup>2</sup> /s levels at 15 °C – 40 °C)	0.1 % – 0.5 %	Measurement by a single primary reference measurement procedure: Measurement by Ostwald-type viscometers
20.	Organic solutions and oils	Dynamic viscosity (0.4 mPa·s – 42000 mPa·s levels at 15 – 40 °C)	0.1 % – 0.5 %	Calculated from kinematic viscosity and density