

The QPS Difference



In the Industry, QPS is recognised as 'the Pro-Business' third-party testing and certification organisation. We are your trusted service-partner and our goal is to facilitate your access to the USA and Canada. We offer you one-stop product approval services for North America and many other countries around the world.

Customers, around the globe, choose QPS because of our:

TIME-TO-MARKET

we work in partnership with customers to meet their deadlines

PRICE

we offer competitive rates

QUALITY

our staff's competence and experience is unmatched

SERVICE

our customised service and flexible solutions for customers' needs are unique

About QPS

QPS Evaluation Services Inc. was established in 1995. We are an independent third-party testing, certification and field evaluation body. Currently, we have some 100 professionals located in Canada, the USA and Europe. Our headquarters are in Toronto, Canada, where our main state-of-the-art testing facilities are located. In Europe, we work in cooperation with several accredited laboratories to provide local testing for market access to the USA and Canada.

At QPS, our highly qualified and experienced engineering and support staff guarantee the best assistance to quickly get your products approved and labelled for acceptance by the US, Canadian, and international regulatory Authorities.



OUR CERTIFICATION MARKS

*Products certified
for Canada*



*Products certified
for the USA*



*Products certified
for Canada and
the USA*





Our Services

QPS offers the following services:

- Pre-certification design evaluation.
- Testing and Certification for North America of all electrical products, including equipment used in explosive atmospheres.
- Field Evaluation and Field Certification for the USA and Canada.
- Testing and Certification to IEC standards for the global market using the IECEx Scheme for equipment used in explosive atmospheres; and CB Scheme for electrical/electronic products.
- Testing and Certification to MSHA (Mine Safety and Health Administration) requirements for the US market.
- Energy Efficiency testing and certification for the US and Canadian market.
- Customised testing.

Local services in Europe

Our own experts in Europe can provide our services at your facility. QPS also collaborates with several laboratories throughout Europe that can test your products, and from which we accept test results. This means your products can be tested locally and do not have to be shipped to the USA or Canada.

North America versus Europe

- CE Marking and European Test Reports are not recognised in North America.
- The product has to be evaluated to the applicable North American Standards by a Certification Body accredited in the USA and Canada.
- The Certification Body has to inspect each factory where the certified product is manufactured.

More information

For more information about our services, we refer to one (or more) of the following documents:

- QPS Services for [industrial equipment](#)
- QPS Services for [medical and laboratory equipment](#)
- QPS Services for equipment used in [explosive atmospheres](#)

Contact QPS Europe

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QPS is accredited by:

- Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA)
- International Accreditation System (IAS)
- American Association of Laboratory Accreditation (A2LA)
- Standard Council of Canada (SCC)
- IECEE/CB Scheme
- IECEx Scheme