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KÜHME Hydrogen ready Solutions



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Hydrogen – Gamechanger for a Carbon-Free Economy



As the most common chemical element in the universe associated with a potential immeasurable availability as secondary energy carrier, the potential of hydrogen as an energy source is undisputable and has been recognized far earlier than today. In consequence hydrogen is for example an essential component of liquid rocket fuels.

Aiming for a carbon neutral economy, hydrogen has been assigned the leading strategic role based on recent decisions taken on governmental level as well as by the energy and producing industry in many states around the globe. Hence it is for sure that hydrogen as a renewable fuel in civil and industrial energy will become most significant in view to the production as well as utilization green energy strategy.

Besides setting up distribution network infrastructure the linked challenges will be to adapt equipment and technology to large scale plant design, which requires know-how and expertise but does not prerequisite rocket technology.



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H₂ Color Knowledge



Green Hydrogen

Produced solely from renewable sources, like:

- Pyrogasification or electrolysis of water with electricity from wind, solar or biomass
- Biogas steam reforming

Turcjuoise Hydrogen

Produced by means of thermal cracking of methane (methane pyrolysis) in which solid carbon is created instead of CO_2 . The heat supply of the hightemperature reactor must be based on renewable energy sources and the permanent binding of the carbon must be ensured to maintain CO_2 -neutrality.

Blue Hydrogen

Produced from conventional energy sources, either:

- Fossil sources with CO₂ capture and storage (CCS)
- Water electrolysis by means of nuclear power

Grey hydrogen

Produced from fossil sources, usually from natural gas steam reforming to H_2 and CO_2

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Due to it's low molecular mass hydrogen is a challenging medium. Within hydrogen applications suitable valve technology has to consider in particular high-performance sealing systems and material resistance. KÜHME is familiar with the relevant engineering since the 1970s, in which high-cycle switching valve series for PSA plants have been established.

KÜHME - pioneers in hydrogen applications since 1973

Nowadays - no question of color, wether green/turquoise, blue or grey - KÜHME Solutions provide uncompromising safety for hydrogen applications in its production processes as well as its consumption sided utilization in energy generation.





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No matter whether the single plate gate valve in gas distribution grid, the quick closing shut-off valve in firing system or the complex tailored mixing skid, all KÜHME solutions made in Bochum warrant for maximum degrees of reliability and safety for the individual hydrogen application.

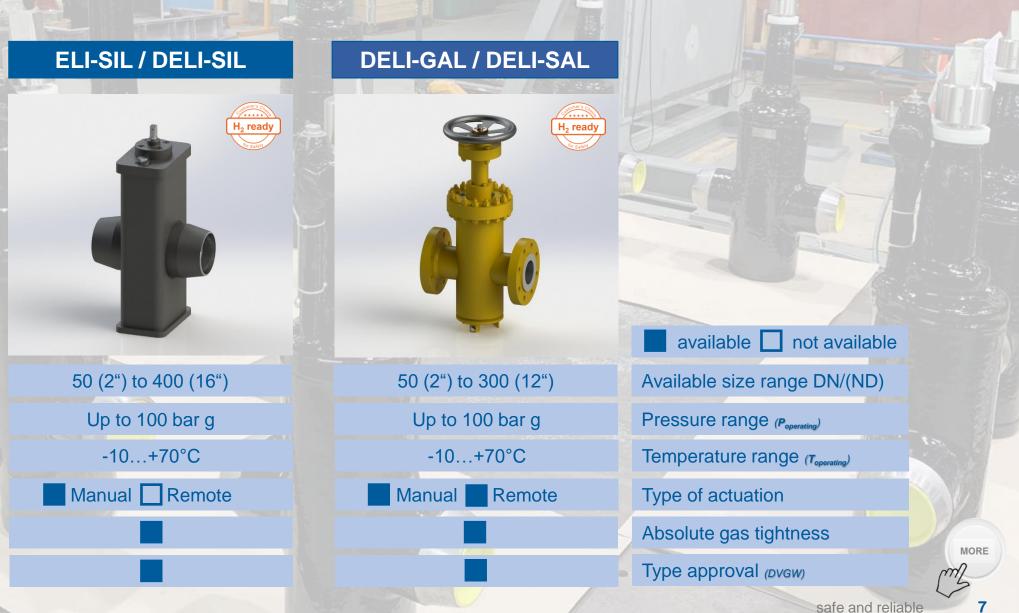
Where essential safety is not negotiable - KÜHME your first choice!

Based on these principles KÜHME as a know-how carrier as well accompanies the development of new or special applications with tailored key technology. In addition to a strong cooperation partner, we are already now able to offer a broad hydrogen ready and proven product portfolio for multiple application fields.



KÜHME Single Plate Gate Valves





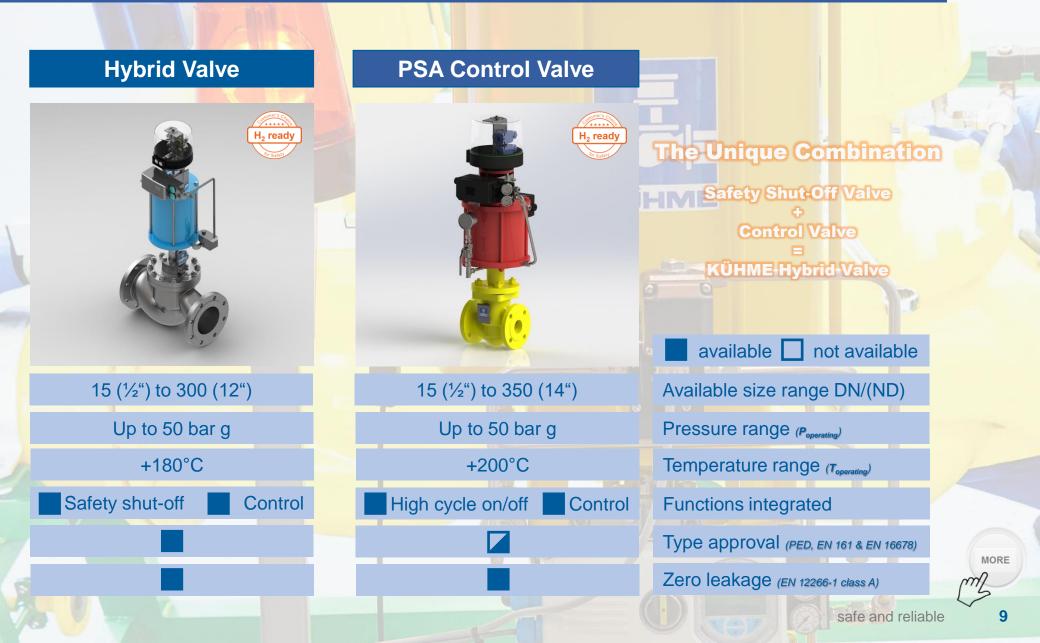
KÜHME Quick-Closing Safety Shut-off Valves





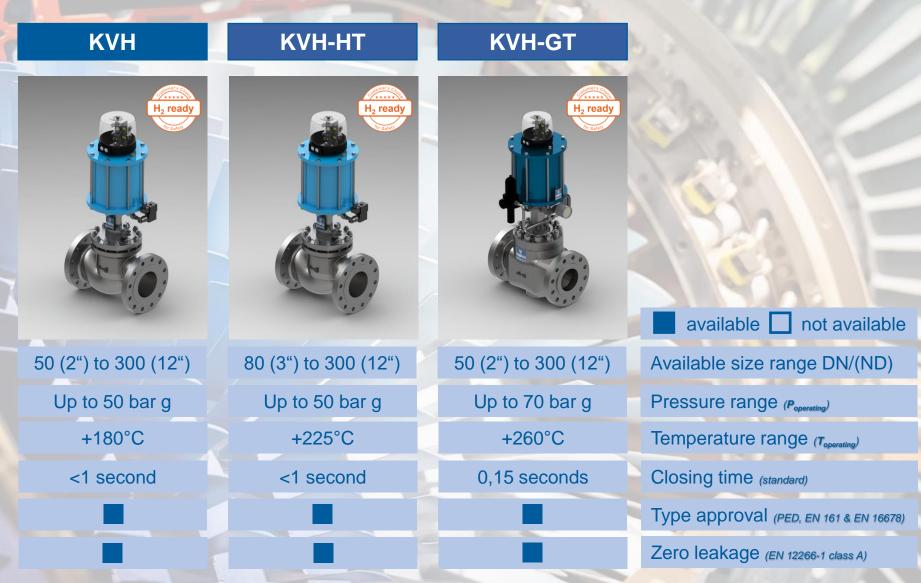
KÜHME Hybrid and Control Valves





KÜHME ESD Valves for GT Application



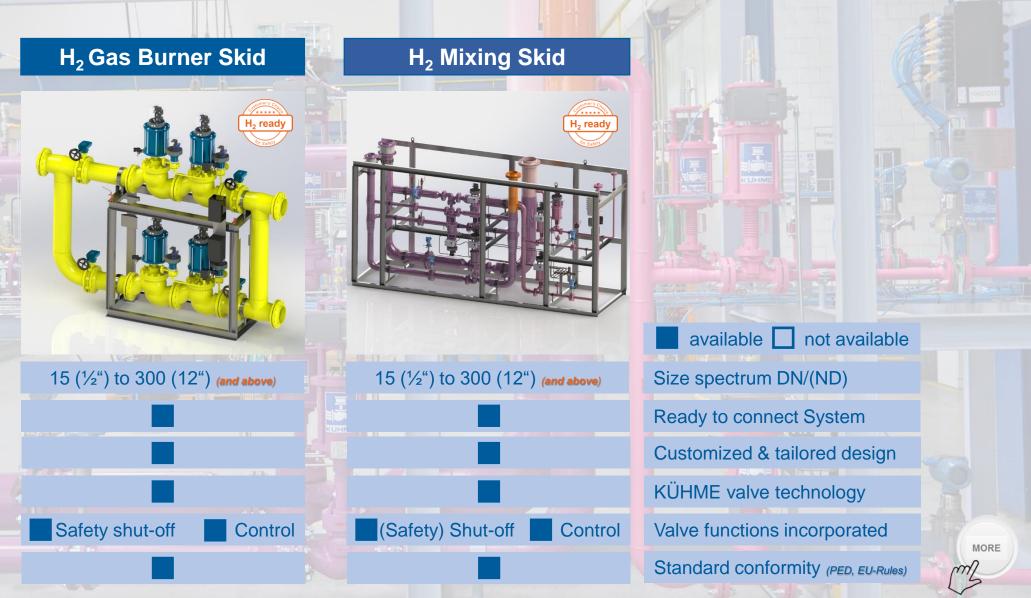


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KÜHME Valve Stations and Complete Systems





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KÜHME H₂ - ready Valve Equipment: Added Value



First class internal and external tightness

Ready to connect systems

Heavy duty design for highest number of operating cycles

Tailored system solutions from one hand - engineered and made in Bochum

High safety level through zero leakage

Diffusion and embrittlement safe design

High-performance valves with a extended service life

Compact system design, fully pre-tested and certified

Proven Valve Equipment for hydrogen application since 1973

Large or small scale: H₂ Applications served by KÜHME







Project:	Brazil
Application	Industrial firing / Steel / Residue gas (97,4% H2)
Equipment	Automatic Safety Shut-off Valves
Size(s)	ND 4" / 1"
Quantity	3 nos.
Features	KÜHME Safety Shut-off & Vent Valves



Project:	Sweden
Application	Self acting overpressure protection (@ 335 bar)
Equipment	Emergency Shutdown Valve (ESDV)
Size(s)	DN 25
Quantity	2 nos.
Features	Tailored KÜHME high pressure ESDV





Project:	The Netherlands
Application	Naphta Cracker / Hydrogen production
Equipment	High-cycling On/Off and Control Valves
Size(s)	DN 25 / 40 / 50
Quantity	20 nos.
Features	KÜHME PSA On/Off and Control Valves



Project:	Ivory Coast
Application	PSA (Pressure Swing Adsorption) Plant
Equipment	High-cycling On/Off and Control Valves
Size(s)	ND 2" / 3" / 4" / 6" / 14"
Quantity	59 nos.
Features	KÜHME PSA On/Off and Control Valves





Project:	India
Application	Firing (100% H2) / Chemical plant
Equipment	Automatic Safety Shut-off Valves
Size(s)	ND 3" / ½"
Quantity	1 nos.
Features	KÜHME DBB Valve Combination



Project:	Germany
Application	Hydrogen Flare (@ up to 180 bar) / Refinery
Equipment	Angle seat Quick Opening Valves
Size(s)	DN 350
Quantity	2 nos.
Features	Tailored KÜHME Valve Upgrading





Project:	Korea
Application	Strip processing / Rapid cooling
Equipment	Hydrogen / Nitrogen Mixing Skid
Size(s)	DN 250 / 125 / 50
Quantity	1 nos.
Features	KÜHME Hybrid Valves



Project:	P. R. China
Application	Strip processing / Rapid cooling
Equipment	Hydrogen / Nitrogen Mixing Skid
Size(s)	DN 100 / 80 / 25
Quantity	1 nos.
Features	KÜHME Hybrid Valves





Project:	United States
Application	Strip processing / Rapid cooling
Equipment	Hydrogen / Nitrogen Mixing Skid
Size(s)	ND 4" / 3" / ¾"
Quantity	4 nos.
Features	KÜHME Hybrid Valves



Project:	United States
Application	Strip processing / Rapid cooling
Equipment	Hydrogen Main Supply Skid
Size(s)	ND 11/2"
Quantity	1 nos.
Features	KÜHME Safety Shut-off Valves





Project:	Germany
Application	Flat glass production / prot. atmosphere
Equipment	Double Hydrogen / Nitrogen Mixing Skid
Size(s)	DN 150 / 50
Quantity	1 nos.
Features	KÜHME Hybrid & Safety Shut-off Valves



Project:	Mexico
Application	Flat glass production / prot. atmosphere
Equipment	Hydrogen / Nitrogen Mixing Skid
Size(s)	ND 4" / 1"
Quantity	1 nos.
Features	KÜHME Hybrid Valves



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