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# **CARGO & SHIPMENT INSPECTION SERVICES**

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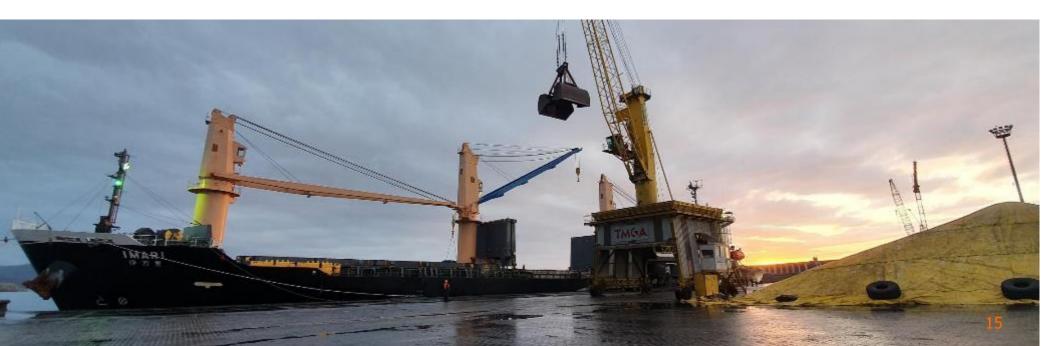
# Introduction



Applus+ as one of the world's leading Testing, Inspection & Certification companies offers complete cargo inspection before, during and after shipment.

Our teams composed by high skilled inspectors verify for our clients quantity and quality of their shipments as well as the compliance with contract and legal requirements.

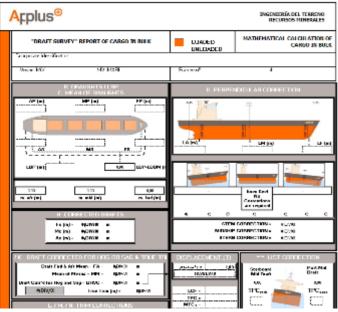
Applus has the necessary resources, experience and laboratories to complete all the process: draft survey, sampling, sample preparation and testing for different kinds of goods such us Coal & Coke, Agricultural Products, Cereals and Flours, Minerals , LNG & LPG and Containers.



# **Draft Survey**

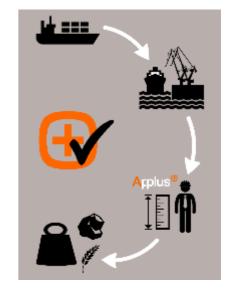


The objective is to determine the weight of the material load into or unload from a vessel using draft survey measures according to internationally standardised draft survey protocol (Procedure EC/ENERGY/19)





We measure the displacement of the water before and after the loading or unloading, and using our specific software, we obtain the weight of the cargo from the difference between the two displacements



- Applicable to Vessels with cargo>5000T
- Inspections at origin and final destination
- Inspections carried out by Surveyors
- High performance inspections, optimized procedure

# **Inspection Services**

# Load and discharge supervision

Vessels with cargo < 5,000T

Applus provides inspection services during load and unload assuring our clients that the cargo shipped is the one bought or sold.

Our surveyors conduct the inspection of the vessel before the loading to verify cleanliness, environmental and safety conditions. After the cargo they check secure conditions.

Our report includes information of all the shipment process: storage, handling, stowage in the receiving carrier; type, name and/or number of receiving carrier; date of arrival and departure, incidents, delays during the process, etc.

Successful case: Applus has been responsible since 2002 for the control and monitoring for Coke Discharges in La Coruña Port for Showadenko (SGL Carbon Group)



# **Sampling & Sample Preparation**

### **According to International Standards**

First step before Testing. Great importance to guarantee representativeness.

### **Representative Sampling**

Where? Carried out in Ports, IndustrialZones, Stores... From:- Stockpiles- Conveyorbelts- Trucks and Wagons- VesselsHow? Automatically- Manually

### Sample preparation

Different equipment, physical operations: grinding, quarting, screening, drying...

Different methods depending on the product size and test

We prepare samples as per client internal procedures



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Coal Sample. Thermoelectric Plant Test



## **Coal Sampling**

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COAL SAMPLING IN THERMOELECTRIC PLANT IN ANDORRA (Teruel)

COAL SAMPLING IN THERMOELECTRIC PLANT IN CARBONERAS (Almería)





#### COAL SAMPLE EXTRACTION IN THERMOELECTRIC PLANT MEIRAMA



### DETAIL VIEW OF MANUAL SAMPLING OF COAL

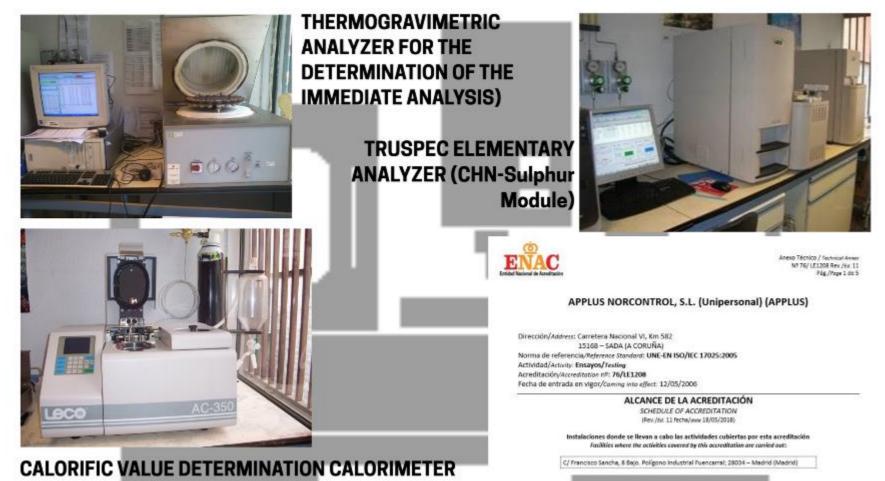


# Testing



Applus + performs material testing both in laboratory and on site, to verify cargo quality according to International Standards. We verify characteristics of the products and compliance with the International Regulations as well as contract conditions.

We conduct physical & chemical testing depending on the type of the goods and nature.



# **Stockpile Measurement**

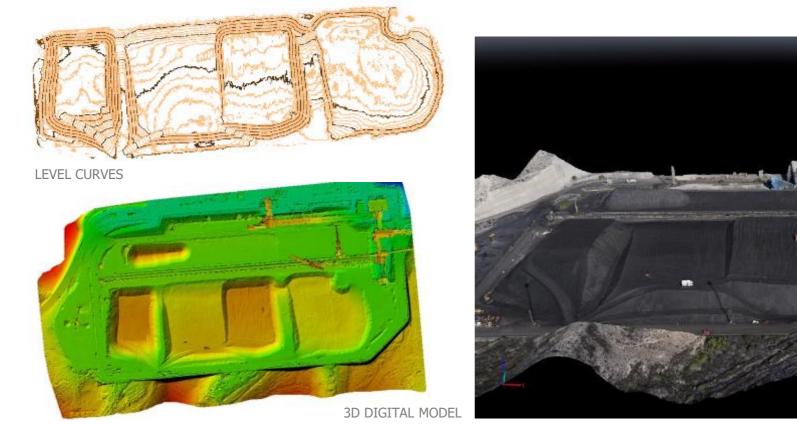


**3D MODEL WITH TEXTURES** 

Applus+ provides comprehensive Service for Stockpile Measurement at ports, storehouses, mines, refineries or manufacturing facilities. We have cutting-edge technologies to determine volume and density of different materials

Depending on the work, we determine volume using laser scanner, LIDAR, topographic survey (GPS) or RPAS. **TOPODRON** is a complete system that performs photogrammetry works. It includes Pix4D software for processing data as well as planning and flight simulator software

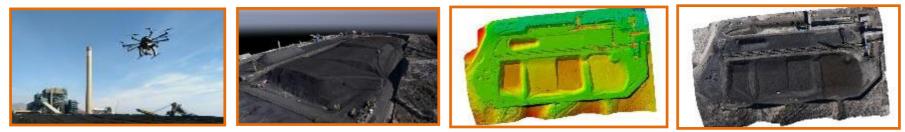
We obtain the 3D Model and we provide our clients with the Ground Digital Model, Ortophoto and Level Curves



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# **Main Experiences**

### Thermal Power Plant (ALMERÍA)



#### Road Survey: VIVEIRO-SAN CIBRAO (LUGO)



#### Stone Quarry (GALICIA)



