Unlocking the Hidden Cost of Welding™ program
A five stage program that keeps you competitive

- Benchmark performance against industry standards using data collected from over 2,500 customer case studies
- Develop and implement quality standards with an improvement plan designed for your business
- Find sustainable cost savings using a systematic approach to analyze your operating expenses and drive down costs
- Track your progress over time and ensure you’re meeting your goals leveraging a digital dashboard designed to help you monitor your performance

How competitive are you when benchmarked against your peers?
As a business owner or manager responsible for delivering quality and managing your bottom line, you have to consider all the factors that impact your ability to compete. Is your process as efficient as it could be? Are you producing the quality that your customers expect? Could you be producing more while spending less? Answering these questions with certainty will help you succeed by improving quality and reducing your costs.

Backed by the support of our team of 90+ Advanced Fabrication experts, Airgas, an Air Liquide company, developed the Unlocking the Hidden Cost of Welding program. The program takes a systematic approach to keeping you competitive by analyzing your operation then helping you to develop and implement an improvement plan. We also offer tools that monitor your performance and support continuous improvement.

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2,500+ welding operations studied
20–40% reduction in waste and improvement in productivity
90+ Advanced Fabrication experts
10 Advanced Fabrication application centers

Sustainable cost reductions

Step 1: Executive seminar
Learn how this transformative program creates value for your company in just one hour.

Step 2: Welding Efficiency Analysis™
Find out how efficient your operation is and identify potential areas of improvement and cost-saving opportunities for your business with a Welding Efficiency Analysis.

Step 3: 3 ½-day UHCW class
Focus on understanding the economics of your welding operation and identifying quality standards as you develop a plan to help you run a more efficient, competitive business in our hands-on workshop.

Step 4: On-site training and project implementation
Implement your improvement plan with Airgas’ Job Box on-site training for your team at your facility and prioritize projects for implementation.

Step 5: Digital Welding Efficiency Analysis™ (DWEA™)
Track and monitor your progress via our digital dashboard.

Considering automation?
In some cases, automation may be necessary to help you achieve your production goals. Ask us for more information about our automation offer and how we can help you find and implement the right solution to meet the production needs of your business.