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## ANSSELL GENERAL PURPOSE GLOVES & SLEEVES

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### A. Use

This Instruction for Use note is to be used in combination with the specific information that is mentioned on/ or inside each packaging enclosure. These gloves/sleeves are designed to protect the hands and/or forearms against mainly mechanical and/or thermal risks. They are in conformity with, and are marked per the requirements, of the European Directive 89/686/EEC and its amendments. They also comply (=gloves) and are tested (=sleeves) in accordance to the applicable European Standards. Gloves or sleeves which are accompanied with the pictogram which designates contact with foodstuffs, are also in conformity with the European Regulations 1935/2004 and 2023/2006 as well as with all applicable National Regulations for Food-contact materials. Please ensure the gloves/sleeves are used only for the designated purposes.

### Explanation of symbols & pictograms:

 A B C D E P EN 388:2016	Protection from mechanical risks A: Abrasion resistance (performance levels 0 to 4) B: Blade cut resistance (performance levels 0 to 5) C: Tear resistance (performance levels 0 to 4) D: Puncture resistance (performance levels 0 to 4) E: TQM ISO EN 13997 cut resistance (performance levels A to F) P: Impact Protection (optional) = gloves providing impact protection in the back of the glove that contain added impact pads (does not apply to the finger areas which cannot be tested). If the levels under the pictogram are marked with a prefix EU or BR or PRC, this refers to the levels obtained respectively	by the European Notified Body according EN 388:2016, by the Brazilian Certification Institute according EN 388:2003 or by the People Republic of China Certification Institute according GB 24541-1. <b>Warning:</b> the performance levels claimed for the gloves are based on tests performed on the palm area of the gloves. For gloves with two or more layers, these overall performance levels may not necessarily reflect the performance of the glove's outermost layer.	
 A B C D E F EN 407:2004	Protection against heat A: Flammability (levels 0 to 4) B: Contact heat (levels 0 to 4) C: Convective heat (levels 0 to 4) D: Radiant heat (levels 0 to 4) E: Small splashes of molten metal (levels 0 to 4) F: Large quantities of molten metal (levels 0 to 4)	 A B C EN 511:2006	Protection from cold A: Convective cold (levels 0 to 4) B: Contact cold (levels 0 to 4) C: Water penetration (0 or 1) – <b>Warning:</b> for gloves that are claimed with level 0, it must be noted that these may lose their cold insulative properties when wet.
	Product is compliant to the requirements of the European PPE Directive 89/686/EEC. If the mark is followed by a four digit code, this refers to the identification number of the Notified Body that certifies the product as a Cat III product.	 CA XX.XXX	Suitable for contact with foodstuffs.  Certificate of Approval, as certified to the requirements of the Brazilian Regulation (whereas XXXX refers to the certificate number),
 EN 420:2003 + A1:2009	Please read the Instructions for Use, prior to using the gloves/sleeves, or contact Ansell for more information.	 TP TC 019/2011	Product is compliant and certified to the requirements of the Russian Custom Regulation TP TC 019/2011.
	Abrasion resistance grading (levels 0 to 6) according to the American National Standard Institute 105-2011.		Cut resistance grading (levels 0 to 5) according to the American National Standard Institute 105-2011.

European EC-Type examination certificate from Centexbel Belgium (I.D. 0493), Technologiepark 7, B-9052 Zwijnaarde. For more detailed information on the product's performance and to obtain a copy of the Conformity Declaration, please consult Ansell.

### B. Precautions for use

- NEVER USE THESE GLOVES/SLEEVES WITH CHEMICALS.
- Gloves/sleeves should not be used when there is a risk of entanglement with moving machine parts.
- Before usage, inspect the gloves/sleeves for any defects or imperfections. Avoid wearing damaged, dirty or worn out gloves/sleeves.
- The gloves/sleeves should not come in contact with a naked flame.
- For the sleeves, the EN performance levels are only applicable to the area covering the wearer's arms. They should be used in combination with appropriate protective gloves if the hands also need protection.
- Not all gloves/sleeves that are suitable for contact with foodstuffs can be used against all foodstuffs. Some gloves/sleeves may show excessive migration towards certain types of foodstuffs. To know which restrictions apply and for which specific foodstuffs the gloves/sleeves can be used, please obtain advice from the Ansell technical department or consult the Ansell Food Conformity declaration.
- If gloves/sleeves are marked, the printed surfaces shall not come in contact with food.
- Some glove type versions may have a length which falls below the minimum glove length as defined in EN 420:2003 – as shown in the table below. These gloves are 'Fit for Special Purpose gloves' because they are to be used to protect the hand ONLY from mechanical actions. Do not use these gloves when protection in the cuff area is needed. Please consult the Ansell Technical department or ask for the technical datasheet should you want to know the glove length of the glove(s).

Size	6	7	8	9	10	11
Minimum glove length (mm)	220	230	240	250	260	270

### C. Ingredients/Hazardous ingredients

Some gloves/sleeves might contain ingredients which are known to be a possible cause of allergies in sensitised persons, who may develop irritant and/or allergic contact reactions. If allergic reactions should occur, obtain medical advice immediately.

**WARNING: THIS PRODUCT CONTAINS NATURAL RUBBER LATEX WHICH MAY CAUSE ALLERGIC REACTIONS.**

For more information, please contact Ansell's Technical department.

### D. Care instructions

**Storage:** Keep away from direct sunlight; store in a cool dry place. Keep away from ozone sources or naked flame.  
**Cleaning:** Gloves/sleeves that can be laundered will carry care pictograms, which will be depicted on the specific information on or inside each packaging enclosure. For these gloves/sleeves, the performance levels of the unused glove/sleeve will not be reduced after 1 laundering cycle. However, the customer or launderer is responsible for the performance of the gloves after laundering when the gloves have already been used. Ansell cannot be held liable for this.

### E. Disposal

Used gloves/sleeves may be contaminated with infectious or other hazardous materials. Dispose of according to Local Authority Regulations. Landfill or incinerate under controlled conditions.