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CATEGORY III CERTIFICATION

CE 0334

VITAL 124

CE-Type Examination Certificate

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Certificate of conformity of the Quality Assurance System issued by the approved body nr. 0334

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This glove conforms to the provisions of Directive 89/686/EEC for protection against mechanical risks, chemicals, micro-organisms and radioactive contamination.

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DESCRIPTION AND GENERAL PROPERTIES

Liquidproof glove made of **yellow natural latex**.

Cotton flock-lining over an internal layer of **white natural latex**.

Curved fingers and **contoured palm**.

Non-slip finish in palm and fingers area.

External surface lightly coated with **silicone**.

Conform to the FDA (Food and Drug Administration) regulation for **food contact**.

Length (for all sizes) : **32 cm** (nominal value)

Thickness (in wrist area) : **0.40 mm** (nominal value)

Sizes available	Weight per pair (g) (typical value)
6 - 6 ½	56
7 - 7 ½	61
8 - 8 ½	63
9 - 9 ½	70
10 - 10 ½	74

Standard packaging :

- **each pair** in printed polyethylene bag
- **100 pairs** per carton

“CE ” - TYPE EXAMINATION RESULTS



PROTECTION AGAINST CHEMICALS

According to EN 374 standard.
Liquidproof glove.
Permeation data : see the enclosed chemical resistance chart.

Acceptable Quality Level (AQL) : 0.65%



PROTECTION AGAINST MICRO-ORGANISMS

According to EN 374 standard



PROTECTION AGAINST MECHANICAL RISKS

Levels of performance according to EN 388 standard.

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↳puncture resistance (0 to 4)

↳tear resistance (0 to 4)

↳blade cut resistance (0 to 5)

↳abrasion resistance (0 to 4)



PROTECTION AGAINST RADIOACTIVE CONTAMINATION

According to EN 421 standard.

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SPECIFIC ADVANTAGES

- Excellent dexterity thanks to the flexibility of natural latex rubber.
- Comfort of the cotton flock-lining.
- Good resistance to diluted acids and cleaning agents.
- Products manufactured in a MAPA factory which is ISO 9001 certified.

MAIN FIELDS OF USE

- Janitorial jobs in offices and institutions.
- Industrial cleaning
- Basic works in chemical industries.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

For enhanced safety and service life of the gloves :

- Store the gloves in their original packaging protected from direct sunlight, far from heat sources or electric equipment.
 - It is recommended to check that the gloves are suitable for the intended use, because the conditions of use at workplace may differ from the "CE"-type tests.
 - It is not recommended for persons sensitised to natural latex, dithiocarbamates and thiazoles to use these gloves.
 - Put the gloves on dry, clean hands.
 - Do not use the gloves in contact with a chemical for a duration in excess of the measured breakthrough time. Refer to the chemical resistance chart hereafter or contact the Technical Customer Service - MAPA PROFESSIONNEL in order to know this breakthrough time. Use 2 pairs alternatively when in long duration contact with a solvent.
 - Turn the cuff end down in order to prevent a hazardous chemical from dripping onto the arm.
 - Before taking off the gloves, clean them as appropriate :
 - in use with a solvent (alcohol, etc...) : rub over with a dry cloth
 - in use with acids or alkalies: thoroughly rinse the gloves under running water, and rub over with a dry cloth.
- Caution : improper use of the gloves or submitting them to a cleaning or laundering process that is not specifically recommended can alter their performance levels.
- Ensure the inside of the gloves is dry before putting them on again.
 - Inspect the gloves for cracks or snags before reusing them.

CHEMICAL RESISTANCE CHART

This glove is designed for protection against numerous chemicals such as mild acids, bases, detergents, and alcohols. It is not recommended for contact with petroleum, aromatic or chlorinated solvents. In order to know whether this glove is appropriate for a given chemical, refer to the table hereafter or enquire to Mapa Professionnel's Technical Customer Service.

The results quoted in this table are relative to tests performed on a glove of identical nature and thickness.

CHEMICAL	N° CAS	Chemical Resistance Index	Degradation Index (1 to 4)	Permeation (EN 374)	
				Breakthrough time (minutes)	Permeation index (0 to 6)
Acetic acid 100%	64-19-7	=	3	9	0
Cyclohexanone	108-94-1	-	2	9	0
N-N Dimethylacetamide	127-19-5	=	3	14	1
Dimethyl formamide	68-12-2	=	3	12	1
Ethanol	64-17-5	=	3	14	1
Formaldehyde 30% *	50-00-0	++	4	NT	NT
Hydrochloric acid 35%	7647-01-0	++	4	> 480	6
Hydrogen peroxide 9%	7722-84-1	++	4	> 480	6
Isopropanol	67-63-0	=	3	16	1
Methanol	67-56-1	=	3	8	0
Methylethylketone	78-93-3	-	2	2	0
N-Methyl-2-Pyrrolidone	872-50-4	=	3	18	1
Nitric acid 20%	7697-37-2	++	4	> 480	6
Phosphoric acid 20%	7664-38-2	++	4	> 480	6
Sodium hydroxide 20%	1310-73-2	++	4	> 480	6
1,1,1 Trichlorethane	71-55-6	-	2	3	0

NT : not tested yet

* : Chemical resistance index determined from degradation result only

Chemical Resistance Index :

- ++ can be used for **long duration contact**
(limited to breakthrough time)
- + can be used for **short repeated contacts**
(for a total duration not exceeding the breakthrough time)
- = can be used against **splashes**
- **not recommended**

Degradation Index : a high index indicates a low degradation of the gloves in contact with the chemical.

Breakthrough Time : permeation test performed on the palm of the glove in MAPA laboratories, unless otherwise specified.

Permeation Index : a high index indicates a long breakthrough time.