

PROTECTION SOLUTIONS

GUIDE



Protecting workers in all of their activities, no matter where they are or which industry they work in. That is what we do.



Every day workers in diverse industries around the world put on personal protective solutions. They place their safety in our hands as they rely on Ansell's high-performance products to protect their hands and bodies, preserve their comfort and contribute to their overall well-being.

With over 125 years of experience, we take our customers' trust extremely seriously. Through dedicated R&D, extensive testing and the use of advanced new technologies, we work continuously to enhance the performance and comfort of our product portfolio and ensure that our solutions are performing against the most recent standards and compliant to the new Regulation.

Ansell Guardian®, our proprietary service, helps companies to select the right personal protective equipment solution to improve their safety, productivity and overall business performance.

Our valued customers are driving our leading global position in hand, arm and body protection. We strive to deliver optimal solutions to them that safeguard the health and livelihoods of their workers. A commitment to continuous improvement of products and services enables us to become the preferred supplier in Europe, the Middle East, Africa and beyond.

In this brand-new catalogue we proudly present our full range of chemical, liquid and mechanical protection solutions for hand, arm and body, including over 50 newcomers. The recent simplification of our portfolio around our key brands ActivArmr®, AlphaTec®, EDGE®, HyFlex®, MICROFLEX® and TouchNTuff® will enable you to select the most suited protection solution more easily and is also a testament to the pride we have for our brands.

In addition to this comprehensive product overview, our sales and customer service teams will be delighted to provide expert know-how and advice, explaining how our solutions support to improve your organisations' safety, productivity and cost performance in the best possible way.

Enjoy your journey through our world of protection!

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rikard Froberg'.

Rikard Froberg
Chief Commercial Officer EMEA-APAC &
Global Ansell Guardian®

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Ansell offers a wide range of protective gloves and clothing for an array of applications.

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A WORLD LEADER IN PERSONAL PROTECTION SOLUTIONS

This is how our business works: an overview of Ansell’s global sales, products and supply chain infrastructure.



No. 1 or 2 position
in all key segments globally



Provide protection solutions to
more than 25 specific industries



Sell **10 billion+** gloves
per year



Average medical professional personally
wears nearly **1,200 pairs of Ansell gloves**
per year



Protect more than
10 million workers each day



Over **100 new product**
launches in the last 2 years

Dedicated to safety

Ansell has been protecting people for over 125 years. We have created specialised teams to focus on the personal protection needs of workers in many industries. Our employees are dedicated to developing solutions that are based on the hazardous conditions that workers face on the job every day.

Ansell is dedicated to worker safety: we provide a comprehensive range of gloves and clothing to meet all worker and product protection requirements.

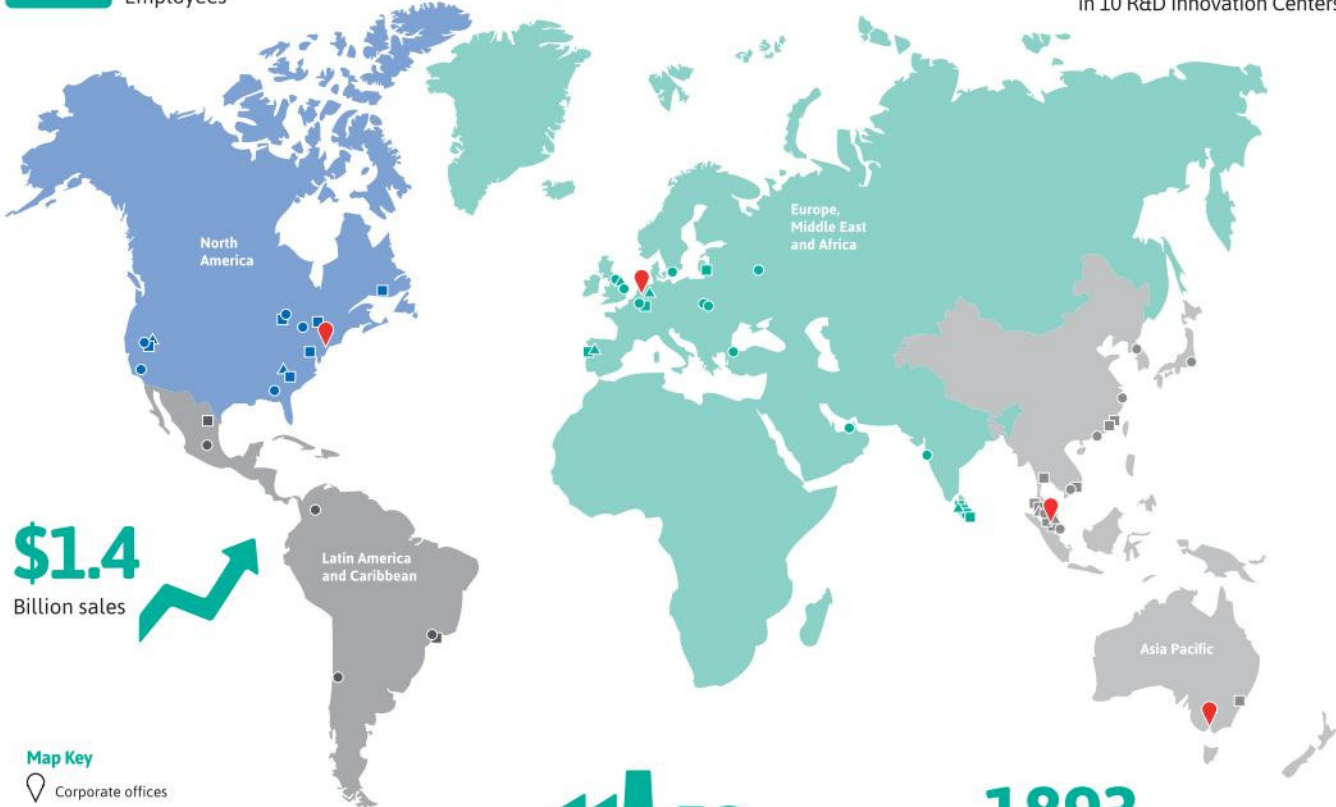


12,000
Employees

200



R&D employees worldwide
in 10 R&D Innovation Centers



\$1.4
Billion sales



Map Key

- Corporate offices
- Operating facilities
- Manufacturing and distribution facilities
- Research and development facilities



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Facilities

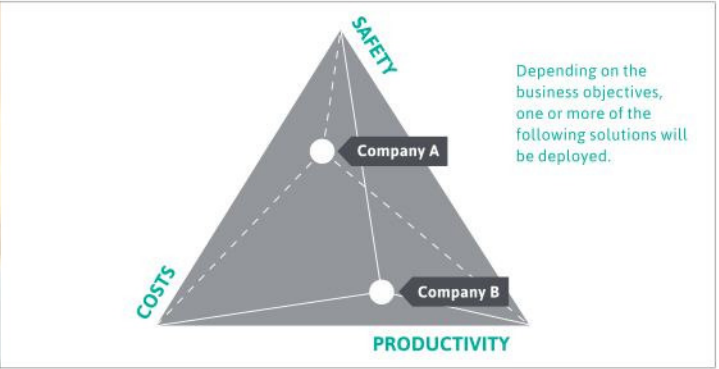
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Founded in
Australia

Ansell **GUARDIAN**®






FOCUS ON SAFETY TO IMPROVE YOUR BUSINESS PERFORMANCE

Ansell Guardian® is our proprietary service to help companies select the right personal protective equipment solution to improve their safety, productivity and cost performance.



An integrated approach

Ansell Guardian® partners with industrial and medical organisations to address the challenges in today's PPE environment and deliver measurable safety and business improvements.

Safety/compliance	Productivity	Costs
<p>Personalised risk management solutions (industrial and chemical) and data-driven recommendations</p>	<p>Best practice recommendations to optimise PPE dispensing, improve output and eliminate waste</p>	<p>Business performance improvement/implementation across 7 cost drivers that measure financial progress</p>
		
		
<p style="text-align: center;">∨</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Increased safety and compliance</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">∨</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Improved productivity</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">∨</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Lower costs</p>

➔ For more information on Ansell Guardian®, please visit www.ansell.com/services

What's the process?

By focusing on the most relevant areas, Ansell Guardian® can deliver best practice recommendations with the most impact for our customers' businesses. Our solutions can be implemented within a single application or entire site, locally or globally. We have the capability to consolidate data around different sites.



Proof points

Experience: More than 12,000 assessments conducted since 2010.
Results: Since July 2014, our recommendations have resulted in injury reductions on an average of 65%, customers have decreased product styles by an average of 25%, and we have saved companies a total of \$148 million, a \$65,000 average.
Global: We operate in more than 55 countries.
Technology: Industry pioneer with the most advanced and proprietary technology and analytics.

Our operating principles

Partnership: While supplying safety solutions, we share our expertise to analyse, benchmark, implement and improve PPE-related operations and performance.
Adaptation: No matter what business, industry or application, we tailor and adapt solutions based on data-driven analytics.
Transformation: Full implementation of our recommendations to ensure the success of PPE change management initiatives.

<h3>Safety and Compliance</h3> <p>Ansell Guardian® helps our customers to improve worker safety and ensure compliance with safety regulations among the workforce.</p>	<p>Reduced injuries by 65%*</p>	<p>Reduced 6,400 major recordable injuries*</p>	<p>Reduced 9,200 first-aid injuries*</p>
<h3>Productivity</h3> <p>Ansell Guardian® helps our customers to find the right PPE solution that allows for increased efficiency, better performance and improved productivity.</p>	<p>Decreased 2,100 references*</p>	<p>Decreased product styles by 25%*</p>	<p>Decreased SKUs by 10%*</p>
<h3>Costs</h3> <p>Ansell Guardian® helps our customers to reduce injuries and follow-up costs, thus optimising your cost performance.</p>	<p>24% cost decrease by standardisation*</p>	<p>\$6.24 million savings in injury reduction*</p>	<p>\$148 million total savings*</p>

* Data based upon Ansell Guardian® global surveys since 2014. Final results may vary. Source: Ansell Guardian® global surveys database since 2014.

Ansell GUARDIAN®

CHEMICAL GLOVE AND SUIT SELECTION SIMPLIFIED

Ansell Guardian® Chemical simplifies the glove and suit selection process for your unique set of chemicals.



How Ansell Guardian® Chemical works

Ansell Guardian® Chemical evaluates the resistance of glove and suit materials against your chemicals to offer a risk assessment with expected permeation breakthrough times. This assessment can either be carried out during a personal consultation with one of our Ansell Guardian® specialists or online by using our chemical permeation database. As a result, selecting the right chemical glove and suit has never been easier.



Your benefits

Safety

Performance

Compliance

An optimal solution for selecting the right chemical glove and suit

- Estimated permeation breakthrough times for both single and mixed chemicals
- Confidence that goes with knowing you are always selecting the right chemical product
- A comprehensive range of gloves and suits to cover workers' needs across different industries and applications
- Global sales, business support and availability of technical documentation

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ANSELL GUARDIAN® PERSONALISED CHEMICAL ASSESSMENT ANYTIME

Ansell Guardian® Chemical evaluates the resistance of glove and suit materials with your chemicals to offer a personalised assessment with expected permeation breakthrough times. The Ansell Guardian® Chemical database contains over 7,000 single chemicals and 17,500 mixed chemicals. Over the past four years, our chemical experts have conducted over 20,000* assessments.

Gloves

Material		Butyl	LLDPE	Neoprene	Nitrile	Nitrile	Nitrile	Nitrile	Nitrile	Nitrile/Neoprene	Viton Butyl	Permeation Breakthrough Times (min)	
Thickness (mm)		0.35	0.662	N.A.	0.12	0.38	0.425	N.A.	N.A.	0.19	0.7		
Product Name / Style		ChemTek	Barrier	Scorpio	TouchNTuff	Solvex	Solvex	AlphaTec	AlphaTec	Microflex	ChemTek		
Type	CAS	Chemical name	%	38-514	02-100	08-352.354	92-500.690.605 / 93-250.300.700	37-675.676	37-900	58-128	58-530.535	93-260	38-628
sgl	110-54-3	n-Hexane	100	<10'	>480'	54'	>480'	>480'	>480'	>480'	>480'	>480'	>480'
sgl	123-86-4	Butyl acetate	100	60-120'	>480'	9'	<10'	29'	44'	<10'	27'	10-30'	132'
sgl	7664-93-9	Sulphuric acid	98	60-120'	>480'	240-480'	<10'	30-60'	60-120'	10-30'	60-120'	30-60'	>480'

Clothing

Suit Type		Non-Gastight	Non-Gastight	Non-Gastight	Non-Gastight	Gastight	Gastight	Gastight	Permeation Barrier Performance	
Brand		MICROGARD	MICROCHEM	MICROCHEM	MICROCHEM	TRELLCHEM	TRELLCHEM	TRELLCHEM		
Type	CAS	Chemical name	%	2300	3000	4000	5000	SUPER	VPS	EVO
sgl	100-42-5	Styrene	100	>480'	<1'	303'	>480'	>480'	>480'	>1440'
sgl	67-56-1	Methanol	100	>480'	>480'	>480'	>480'	>480'	>480'	>1440'

Permeation breakthrough times - BT_{1.0}

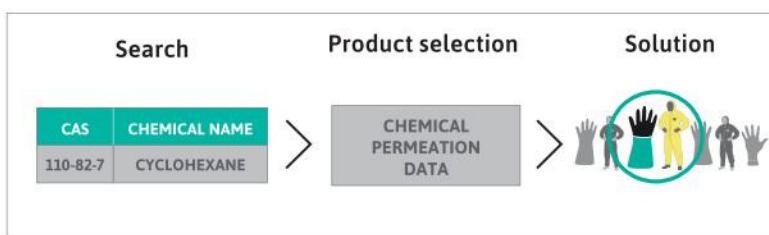
The BT_{1.0} is the time taken (in minutes) for the chemical in question to be permeating through the material at a rate of 1.0 µg cm⁻² min⁻¹. This can be determined using any of the following standard test methods: EN 374-3 and ISO 6529. It is commonly utilised mainly within the regions concerned with the EN and ISO standards.

Disclaimer: Permeation breakthrough times evaluate the time necessary for a chemical to pass through a glove or suit material. Recommendations are based on extrapolations from laboratory test results and information regarding the composition of chemicals and may not adequately represent specific conditions of end use. Synergistic effects of mixing chemicals have not been accounted for. For these reasons, and because Ansell has no detailed knowledge of or control over the conditions of end use, any recommendation must be advisory only and Ansell fully disclaims any liability including warranties related to any statement contained herein.

NEW DIGITAL SOLUTION

Powerful NEW digital tool allows easy access to chemical permeation data for hazardous substances, including ASTM, EN and ISO standardised lists of challenge chemicals.

Our new digital solution is designed to simplify the selection of Ansell hand and body protection solutions. This tool offers an instant visual evaluation and an easy-to-use search functionality including the unique Chemical Abstracts Service (CAS) number system. For specific chemical protection challenges, an expert assessment is also available to provide a simplified set of choices, drawn from our broad portfolio of chemical protection solutions.



➤ For up-to-the-minute chemical permeation data, please visit:
www.ansellguardianpartner.com (hand protection)
www.ansell.com/permeation (body protection)

* Source: Ansell Guardian chemical database since 2014.

FINDING THE RIGHT PPE SOLUTION WITH THIS GUIDE













This guide has been designed to make it easy for you to find the right personal protective equipment solution. One that perfectly fits the application for which it's needed. This step-by-step guide explains how to use the information provided to efficiently select the appropriate hand, arm or body protection.

Step 1 – Choose the type of protection

Determine which type of protection is required for your application. Our products are divided into two types of protection: hand/arm protection and body protection.






























Step 2 – Identify the risk

Based on the risk involved, choose the correct protection category and segment. This will result in a range of appropriate gloves, sleeves, suits and/or accessories.

Protection type	Protection category	Protection segment	Page
HAND AND ARM PROTECTION 	Mechanical protection	 Multi-purpose	27
		 Cut protection	46
		 Oil-repellent	79
		 Special purpose	92
	Chemical and liquid protection	Chemical solutions	112
		Single use solutions	146
Protection type	Protection category	Protection segment	Page
BODY PROTECTION 	 Gas and vapour protection	Limited/single use	178
		Re-usable	179
	 Ventilated/air-fed protection	Limited/single use	191
		Re-usable	193
	 Liquid spray and splash protection	Limited/single use	196
		Re-usable	208
	 Particulate or low hazard liquid protection	Limited/single use	212
	 Chemical flame retardant protection	Limited/single use	230
 Diving protection	Re-usable	233	

INDUSTRY ICON LEGEND

For every product, check the icons below to find out the recommended industries. You can also consult our industry guide which provides a selection of products per industry (p. 239).

 Aerospace	 First responder	 Mining
 Agriculture & viticulture	 Food processing & services	 Oil processing & refining
 Automotive	 Glass	 Pharmaceutical & life sciences
 Automotive Aftermarket	 Industry	 Public utilities
 Building & construction	 Janitorial services	 Recreational diving
 Chemical	 Law enforcement	 Recycling
 Defence	 Logistics & warehousing	 Shipping
 Diving	 Machinery & equipment	 Surface rescue
 Electronics	 Maintenance	 Transport
 Fire & rescue	 Metal fabrication	

BRANDS

Our brand portfolio is composed of six core brands: **ActivArmr®**, **AlphaTec®**, **EDGE®**, **HyFlex®**, **MICROFLEX®** and **TouchNTuff®**. Product offerings are comprised of versatile hand, arm and body protection solutions that provide superior comfort, performance and protection, no matter what industry or application. Consult our product index to view all products classified by brands (p. 254).

Brand	Category	Positioning	Features and benefits
ACTIVARMR®	Specialised protection	ActivArmr® gloves and safety wear provide protection for risky applications in extreme conditions.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multiple segments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thermal protection Impact protection High-risk applications
AlphaTec®	Chemical & liquid protection	AlphaTec® gloves and clothing provide complete assurance in chemical-risk environments.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chemical protection Multi-hazard protection technology Wide selection of materials and polymers Supported and unsupported gloves Multi-duty selection Wet/dry grip options for gloves
EDGE®	Mechanical, chemical & product/worker protection	EDGE® gloves provide dependable, functional and affordable solutions.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mechanical protection Chemical and liquid protection
HyFlex®	Mechanical Protection	HyFlex® gloves and sleeves empower workers to perform safely and productively when faced with industrial risks.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multiple segments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cut protection Multi-purpose Oil protection Engineered for comfort
MICROFLEX®	Product & worker protection	MICROFLEX® disposable gloves go beyond protection to take worker comfort, performance and productivity to new levels through proprietary technologies that deliver improved grip, enhanced chemical resistance and ergonomic designs for a superior fit.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increased barrier integrity (0.65 AQL on many styles) Enhanced strength and durability Dual certification (EN 455 Medical and PPE) on many gloves Wide polymer selection Range of colours and sizes
TouchNTuff®	Product & worker protection	TouchNTuff® disposable gloves provide superior tactility and resilience for work in industrial, lab and controlled environments.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enhanced chemical splash protection Broad clean/sterile offering Silicone-free construction Wide polymer selection

WORKER EXPERIENCE INNOVATION

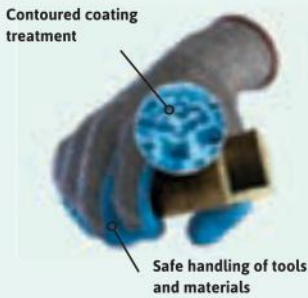
Over the years, Ansell has pioneered many innovations in glove design that have become industry standards. Transforming global insights about end user needs into technology-based solutions that enhance workers' comfort, performance and protection is the hallmark of our innovation.



Performance technologies

ANSELL GRIP™ Ansell Grip Technology

ANSELL GRIP™ Technology is a coating treatment that minimizes the force required to grip dry, oily and wet tools or materials, reducing hand and arm fatigue while improving dexterity, safety and productivity.



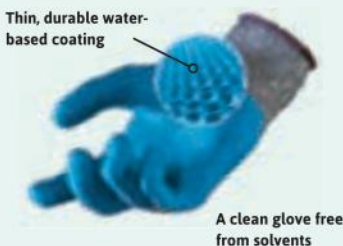
ERGOFORM™ Ergonomic Design Technology

ERGOFORM™ Technology enables Ansell to design safety solutions that support musculoskeletal health during repetitive tasks to improve worker performance.



FORTIX™ Abrasion Resistance Technology

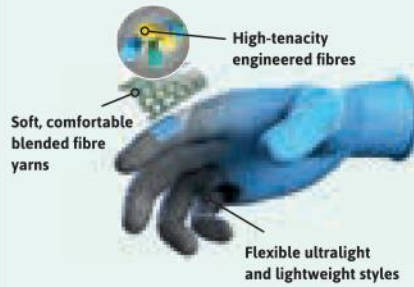
FORTIX™ Technology enhances the coating performance by integrating a resilient polymer formulation throughout the glove coating and/or in targeted high wear areas to extend the working life of the glove while improving worker comfort.



Protection technologies

INTERCEPT™ Cut Resistance Technology

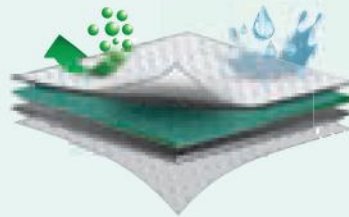
INTERCEPT™ Technology blends engineered, synthetic and natural fibers into high-performance yarns that provide high cut protection in targeted areas of cut risk, along with great comfort and high dexterity.



MICROCHEM™ Chemical Barrier Technology

MICROCHEM™ Chemical Barrier Technology combines polymers in proprietary blends or multi-layer structures specific to their application, providing superior protection to wearers in Chemical, Biological, Radiological and Nuclear (CBRN) environments.*

Multi-layer barrier to particulate, liquid and gaseous chemicals



*Products & materials do not offer protection from ionizing radiation hazards

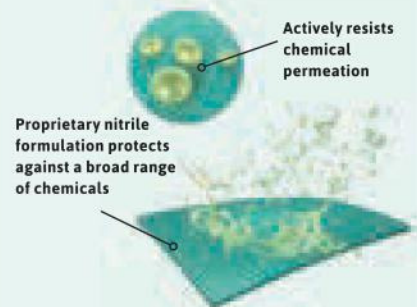
RIPEL™ Liquid Repellence Technology

RIPEL™ Technology is a repellent surface barrier that prevents oils, lubricants, chemicals or other liquids from making even incidental contact with the wearer's skin.



TNT™ Chemical Splash Resistance Technology

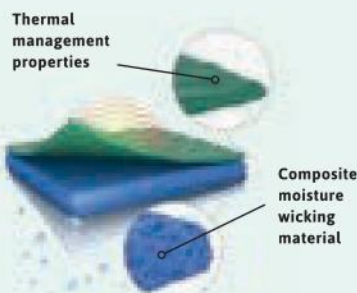
TNT™ Technology is a proprietary polymer formulation that provides superior splash resistance against a wide range of hazardous chemicals, for durable protection with a soft, comfortable feel.



Comfort technologies

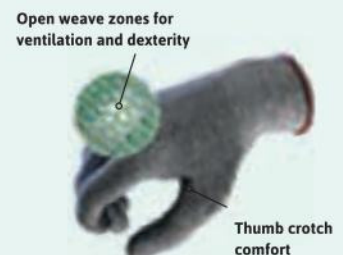
AQUADRI™ Moisture Management Technology

AQUADRI™ Technology features a composite material that wicks perspiration into its micropores and disperses heat for a drier, cooler and more comfortable fit.



ZONZ™ Comfort Fit Technology

ZONZ™ Technology uses selected yarns and varying knit construction to optimize overall glove fit and enhance hand movement for higher dexterity and reduced fatigue.



OUR UNIQUE VEND-READY PACKAGING

With an innovative vending concept and comprehensive global support, safety and convenience go hand in hand.

40 branded styles available including HyFlex®, AlphaTec® and TouchNTuff®

Successfully placed in over 50,000 vending machines worldwide

Compatible with most leading vending machines including helix and carousel

Shrink-wrapped folded gloves ensure a tight package for consistent vending

No more guessing what glove style and size you are selecting from the machine

Patent-pending folding technique assures consistent dispensing of product



Global support

- All global distributor locations and factories can source the same products
- Global sales support team
- Providing just-in-time delivery with inventory in strategic locations throughout Europe and Asia
- Fully integrated into our Ansell Guardian® methodology, including sales data, rationalisation analysis and product placement optimisation

A vending concept that benefits your business

- Saves on labour costs by eliminating repackaging
- Consistent length, width and thickness measurements reduce refill time
- Proven dispensing of product reduces downtime of vending machines
- Sell sheets with detailed specifications

LOOK FOR THE ICON

Every product available in vend-ready packaging is stamped with the vending icon in the product pages.



VENDING

OUR VEND-READY PORTFOLIO

Brand and style	Coating material	Liner material	Sizes	Page
Mechanical protection				
Multi-purpose				
HyFlex® 11-618 VP	Polyurethane	Nylon	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	30
HyFlex® 11-800 VP	Foam nitrile	Nylon	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	34
HyFlex® 11-812 VP	Foam nitrile	Nylon, Spandex	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	30
HyFlex® 11-818 VP	Foam nitrile	Nylon, Spandex	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	29
HyFlex® 11-840 VP	Foam nitrile	Nylon, Spandex	5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12	33
HyFlex® 48-101 VP	Polyurethane	Nylon	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	36
Cut protection				
HyFlex® 11-425 VP	Water-based polyurethane and nitrile	Seamless liner with INTERCEPT™ Technology yarn	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	66
HyFlex® 11-518 VP	Polyurethane	Nylon, Spandex, Dyneema® Diamond Technology	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	50
HyFlex® 11-531 VP	Foam nitrile	Seamless plaited liner with INTERCEPT™ Technology yarn	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	51
HyFlex® 11-537 VP	Foam nitrile	Seamless plaited liner with INTERCEPT™ Technology yarn	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	51
HyFlex® 11-539 VP	Foam nitrile	Seamless plaited liner with INTERCEPT™ Technology yarn	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	51
HyFlex® 11-541 VP	Foam nitrile	Seamless liner with INTERCEPT™ Technology yarn	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	49
HyFlex® 11-724 VP	Polyurethane	Seamless liner with INTERCEPT™ Technology yarn	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	55
HyFlex® 11-727 VP	Polyurethane	Seamless plaited liner with INTERCEPT™ Technology yarn	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	58
HyFlex® 11-731 VP	Polyurethane	Seamless plaited liner with INTERCEPT™ Technology yarn	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	52
HyFlex® 11-735 VP	Polyurethane	Seamless plaited liner with INTERCEPT™ Technology yarn	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	64
HyFlex® 11-751 VP	Polyurethane	Seamless plaited liner with INTERCEPT™ Technology yarn	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	64
HyFlex® 11-931 VP	Nitrile, Polyurethane	Dyneema® Diamond Technology, Nylon, Spandex	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	53
HyFlex® 11-937 VP	Nitrile, Polyurethane	Dyneema® Diamond Technology, Nylon, Spandex	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	53
HyFlex® 11-939 VP	Nitrile, Polyurethane	Dyneema® Diamond Technology, Nylon, Spandex	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	53
EDGE® 48-701 VP	Polyurethane	HPPE, Nylon, Spandex	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	70
EDGE® 48-705 VP	Polyurethane	HPPE, Nylon, Spandex	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	70
HyFlex® 70-118 VP		Kevlar®	Sleeve	61
ActivArm® 80-600 VP	Natural rubber latex	Kevlar®	7, 8, 9, 10, 11	73
Oil-repellent				
HyFlex® 11-919 VP	Nitrile	Nylon	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	81
HyFlex® 11-927 VP	Nitrile	HPPE, Nylon	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	86
HyFlex® 11-947 VP	Nitrile	Seamless liner with INTERCEPT™ Technology yarn	7, 8, 9, 10, 11	87
Special purpose				
HyFlex® 48-130 VP	Polyurethane	Carbon fibre, Nylon	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	94
ActivArm® 78-101 VP		Spandex, Thermolite®	7, 9	102
ActivArm® 80-813 VP	Foam neoprene	Glass fibre, Modacrylic, Kevlar®	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	98
ActivArm® 97-011 VP	Nitrile	Acrylic, Polyester	8, 9, 10, 11	105
Chemical and liquid protection				
AlphaTec® Solvex® 37-676 VP	Nitrile	Flocked	7, 8, 9, 10, 11	119
AlphaTec® Solvex® 37-695 VP	Nitrile	Flocked	7, 8, 9, 10, 11	119
AlphaTec® Solvex® 37-900 VP	Nitrile	Flocked	7, 8, 9, 10, 11	121
AlphaTec® 58-270 VP	Nitrile	Nylon	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	116
AlphaTec® 58-330 VP	Nitrile	AQUADRI™	7, 8, 9, 10, 11	115
AlphaTec® 58-530W VP	Nitrile	Nylon	7, 8, 9, 10, 11	117
AlphaTec® 58-535W VP	Nitrile	Nylon	7, 8, 9, 10, 11	117
TouchNTuff® 92-600 VP	Nitrile	Nitrile	6.5-7, 7.5-8, 8.5-9, 9.5-10	154

COMPLYING WITH NEW PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT REGULATION

In February 2016, the European Council and European Parliament amended and approved a new PPE Regulation proposed by the European Commission. Regulation 2016/425 has come into effect on 21st April 2018 with a one year transition phase, replacing Directive 89/686/EEC.

The new regulation does now apply to private use as protection against heat (e.g., oven gloves) and to distributors selling PPE products. It provides additional conformity assessment requirements, such as the need for an internal production control system and valid type examination certificates for a maximum of 5 years. The regulation also provides specific requirements for every economic operator involved in the supply chain, as well as additional documentation requirements linked to the instructions for use and conformity declarations.

The new PPE regulation now specifies three categories based on risk definitions.



Category I

Minimal risk

For PPE of simple design offering protection from low-level risks, (e.g., janitorial gloves) manufacturers are permitted to test and certify PPE themselves.

Category II

Risks other than those listed in Categories I and III

PPE designed to protect against intermediate risk (e.g., general handling gloves which require cut, puncture, and abrasion protection) must be subjected to independent testing and certification by a notified body. Only these approved bodies may issue a CE mark. Without a proper CE mark, the PPE may not be sold or used. Each notified body has its own identification number. The name and address of the notified body that certifies the product must appear on the instructions for use that will accompany the PPE.



Category III

Very serious risks, which may cause death or irreversible damage to health

PPE designed to protect against the highest levels of risk (e.g., chemicals, biological agents, electric shock and live working) must also be tested and certified by a notified body. In addition, the quality assurance system used by the manufacturer to guarantee homogeneity of production must be independently checked. The body carrying out this evaluation must also appear on the instructions for use and be identified by a number that appears alongside the CE mark. In this example, the number 0493 represents Centexbel.

COMPLYING WITH OTHER REGULATIONS

Ansell and REACH

All Ansell products fully comply with the legal requirements of REACH and its amendments. We ensure the pre-registration of all required chemicals used in our products and are actively looking for ways to replace SVHC chemicals subject to regulation, prior to their restriction or ban.

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Category III

Very serious risks, which may cause death or irreversible damage to health

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COMPLYING WITH OTHER REGULATIONS

Ansell and REACH

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The Ansell REACH statement can be found on our website and more information is available through the Ansell customer service or regulatory department.

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COMPLYING WITH NEW PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT REGULATION

In February 2016, the European Council and European Parliament amended and approved a new PPE Regulation proposed by the European Commission. Regulation 2016/425 has come into effect on 21st April 2018 with a one year transition phase, replacing Directive 89/686/EEC.

The new regulation does now apply to private use as protection against heat (e.g., oven gloves) and to distributors selling PPE products. It provides additional conformity assessment requirements, such as the need for an internal production control system and valid type examination certificates for a maximum of 5 years. The regulation also provides specific requirements for every economic operator involved in the supply chain, as well as additional documentation requirements linked to the instructions for use and conformity declarations.

The new PPE regulation now specifies three categories based on risk definitions.



Category I

Minimal risk

For PPE of simple design offering protection from low-level risks, (e.g., janitorial gloves) manufacturers are permitted to test and certify PPE themselves.

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