## INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

## **PANTHER**

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MODEL: PANTHER





## FIREFIGHTER PROTECTIVE GLOVE ACCORDING TO EN 659:2003+A1:2008

- Palm: waterproof cowhide with leather reinforcement
- Backhand: non-flammable Nomex® fabric with a leather reinforcement on fingers and knuckles
- · Knitted Kevlar® lining from DuPont
- Waterproof and breathable Hipora membrane
- Cuff: made of non-flammable Nomex® fabric with Velcro tapes and reflective material
- 3M reflective stripes (yellow/silver/yellow) on back of gauntlets
- · Deflectable velcro fastener at the cuff entry

The protective gloves meet the requirements of the European PPE re-gulation (EU) 2016/425 and protect against risks that are covered by the standards on which the certification is based. Applied standards are EN 659:2003+A1:2008 (protective gloves for firefighters) and EN 420:2003+A1:2009

#### DESCRIPTION

The PANTHER model offers ideal properties for all applications. Safe work is optimally guaranteed by the use of Nomex® and Kevlar materials, among others. The palm is made of cow grain leather and is additionally reinforced. The backhand is made of non-flammable Nomex® fabric and has leather reinforcement on the fingers and knuckles. The cuff is also made of Nomex® fabric and is additionally equipped with a Velcro strap as well as 3M reflective stripes (yellow/silver/yellow) on the back. The palm uses a waterproof and breathable Hipora membrane and knitted Kevlar® lining.

#### **APPLICATION**

- 1. The gloves should be used according to its purpose.
- 2. Before every use, the gloves should be checked for possible damage.
- 3. Damaged gloves reduce the protective properties. The gloves should be kept clean.
- 4. Gloves that have become wet must not be dried by means of heating equipment.
- 5. Improper use of gloves can cause serious injuries or burns. In this case, the manufacturer assumes no responsibility.

As a user of the gloves, please observe the following instructions:

The gloves are only a part of the protective equipment for use. They protect the hands against heat and fire. However, they must not come into contact with open flames. At the same time, the gloves protect against mechanical risks such as abrasion, cuts, tearing and punctures.

In cases where there is a risk of getting caught in moving machine parts, gloves should not be worn.

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	REQUEST	RESULT				
Abrasion resistance	3	3				
Cut resistance Backhand	2	4				
Cut resistance Palm	2	3				
Tear resistance	3	3				
Stitch Strength	3	3				
Dexterity	1	4				
TDM	Α	В				
Burning behaviour	4	4				
Convective heat	min. 13.0s	19,3 (back)				
Radiant heat	min. 22.0s	24,0				
Contact heat, dry 250°	min. 10,0s	26,5				
Contact heat, wet 250°	min. 10,0s	15,0				
Heat shrinkage	<_5%	-0,8				
Weld strength	min. 350 N	840				
Take off glove, dry	<_3s	1s				
Take off glove, wet	<_3s	2s				
Chemical Penetration	no penetration	pass				



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## CERTIFICATION

Notified certification body for personal protective equipment: (PSA): MIRTAKONTROL d.o.o.

Gradiska 3-HR-10040 ZagrebDurava

Notified body 2474

Test report No. OZO271-CPT003/20

## **GLOVE SIZES**

The glove sizes correspond to the application.

The gloves cover the hand and, depending on the cuff length, parts of the forearm.

#### **STORAGE**

Store in a ventilated room, preferably protected from light and dry

## LIABILITY

We accept no liability for damage caused by the non-targeted use of the PPE or by any use that does not comply 100% with the instructions for use given below. Please contact the manufacturer for further information regarding care instructions, repair and safe disposal methods.

## **CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS**

Please take the following from the sewn-in identification label

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The results stated in the test report are based on laboratory tests carried out exclusively on unused gloves. Transferring the results to gloves after care treatment requires appropriate tests to be carried out

The glove offers protection against puncturing with pointed objects in the sense of DIN EN 388:2016, but there is no protection against pointed objects such as injection needles.

The glove offers some protection against accidental contact with chemicals, but is not a protective glove against chemicals and microorganisms in the sense of DIN EN 374-1:2016+A1:2018. We also point out that firefighter gloves should fit with the sleeves of the protective clothing so that the skin is not exposed when the arms are stretched out.

#### **CHECK**

An optical check for dirt and damage is essential. Damaged gloves must be discarded. The expiration time depends on the degree of wear, use and area of application.

The clothing has a shelf life of at least 5 years from the date of manufacture. Non-compliance with the notes/regulations listed in this manual and individual stress during use may reduce the durability of PPE.

## WASH INSTRUCTIONS

## **PICTOGRAMS**

EN 420:2003+A1:2009 EN 659:2003+A1:2008





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## **DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY**

The declaration of conformity for this protective glove can be found at: www.penkert.com