



WELL *pak*

Health

a Pluspak Brand

WITH OVER
40 YEARS OF
PACKAGING
EXPERIENCE,

WELLPAK IS COMMITTED TO
PROVIDING YOU WITH EXPERT
ADVICE AND CUSTOMER
SERVICE TO SUIT YOUR
MEDICAL BUSINESS NEEDS.

We cater to customers across all spectrums of the Healthcare industry who require Healthcare Consumables, including all hospital and healthcare providers. Here at WELLpak our job is to provide quality, affordable packaging with exceptional customer service.

The world is a changing place and we at WELLpak want to do our part. We have intensely assessed the market and have sourced the highest quality products, at the lowest cost for your healthcare brand alternatives.

WELLpak's long lasting supplier relationships and larger economies of scale will enable WELLpak to provide you with some of the most competitive products in the market.

WHY CHOOSE WELLPAK?

- Quality products at the most competitive prices
- 40 years experience in supply of some of Australia's largest corporate companies
- 40 years experience in logistics
- Track record in global supply of products
- Integrated supply imports, transportation, warehousing/inventory, local delivery
- Extremely flexible and quality services
- All products meet or exceed Australian Specifications & accreditations
- Complete Supplier Evaluation and Selection
- Audits (CSR, Modern Slavery, ISO)



GLOVES- LATEX,
SURGICAL, NITRILE,
VINYL, DISPENSER



MEDICINE CUPS



SHOE & SLEEVE
COVERS



WIPES & SCOURERS



FACE MASKS



WASHROOM ITEMS



GOWNS, APRONS &
COVERALLS



TESTING DEVICE
ANTIGEN RAPID TESTS.



WASTE BAGS & BIN
LINERS

WELLpak Nitrile

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Suitable for Medical, Dental and Food Handling
- Provides a high level of resistance to cuts and abrasions
- Excellent splash protection against harmful chemicals
- High resistance to fats, oils and detergents
- Superior durability and strength (3 times more puncture resistant as latex and vinyl gloves)
- Ambidextrous with great dexterity
- HACCP Australia endorsed safe for food handling
- Nitrile eliminates the potential of allergic reactions to rubber proteins that are found in latex gloves
- Low modulus formulation allows a comfortable fit

- Provides superior resistance to blood-borne pathogens
- TGA approved
- Non Sterile
- Meets ASTM D6319 standards

APPLICATION

- Non-sterile medical, quality control, lab & clinical areas
- Clean room manufacturing and maintenance
- Food processing, preparation and handling
- Cleaning industry & light maintenance
- Manufacturing and engineering operations where protection is required against harmful chemicals
- Suitable for Medical, Dental and Food Handling



ITEM NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	SPECIFICATION
1407NPF-B-L	Wellpak Blue PF Nitrile Glove-L	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1407NPF-B-L-CTN	Wellpak Blue PF Nitrile Glove-L-Carton	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1406NPF-B-M	Wellpak Blue PF Nitrile Glove-M	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1406NPF-B-M-CTN	Wellpak Blue PF Nitrile Glove-M-Carton	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1405NPF-B-S	Wellpak Blue PF Nitrile Glove-S	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1405NPF-B-S-CTN	Wellpak Blue PF Nitrile Glove-S-Carton	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1408NPF-B-XL	Wellpak Blue PF Nitrile Glove-XL	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1408NPF-B-XL-CTN	Wellpak Blue PF Nitrile Glove-XL-Carton	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton



WELLpak Latex



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ITEM NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	SPECIFICATION
1402LPF-W-L	Wellpak White Pwd Free Latex Glove L	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1402LPF-W-L-CTN	Wellpak White Pwd Free Latex Glove L-Carton	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1401LPF-W-M	Wellpak White Pwd Free Latex Glove-M	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1401LPF-W-M-CTN	Wellpak White Pwd Free Latex Glove-M-Carton	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1400LPF-W-S	Wellpak White Pwd Free Latex Glove-S	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1400LPF-W-S-CTN	Wellpak White Pwd Free Latex Glove-S-Carton	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1403LPF-W-XL	Wellpak White Pwd Free Latex Glove-XL	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton
1403LPF-W-XL-CTN	Wellpak White Pwd Free Latex Glove-XL-Carton	100pcs/Inner. 10 Inners/Carton

Handcare Vinyl Gloves

Handcare Vinyl Non Sterile Gloves, are economically priced suited to large scale healthcare and medical space, when providing comfort, dexterity and good sizing.

Size	POWDERED		POWDER FREE	
	Clear/Natural	Blue	Clear/Natural	Blue
Small	100VPWC-S	110VPWB-S	105VPC-S	115VPFB-S
Medium	101VPWC-M	111VPWB-M	106VPC-M	116VPFB-M
Large	102VPWC-L	112VPWB-L	107VPC-L	117VPFB-L
Extra Large	103VPWC-XL	113VPWB-XL	108VPC-XL	118VPFB-XL
Pack Details	100pcs/Inner Dispenser Box - 10 Boxes/Ctn			
Glove Length	240mm			

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Ambidextrous with great dexterity
- Latex Free gloves -have no latex allergic reaction effect
- HACCP Australia endorsed for safe food handling

APPLICATION

- Healthcare, medical dentists, veterinary
- Food processing, handling and preparation
- Cleaning Industry



Handcare Latex Gloves

PAK latex Examination Non Sterile Medical Disposable Gloves provide great dexterity, comfort and strength for use in medical, food handling, cleaning and medical space environment.

Size	POWDERED		POWDER FREE	
	White/Natural	Blue	White/Natural	Blue
Small	500LPWC-S	515LPFB-S	505LPFC-S	518LPFB-S
Medium	501LPWC-M	516LPFB-M	506LPFC-M	517LPFB-M
Large	502LPWC-L	517LPFB-L	507LPFC-L	518LPFB-L
Extra Large	503LPWC-XL	518LPFB-XL	508LPFC-XL	519LPFB-XL
Pack Details	100pcs/Inner Dispenser Box - 10 Boxes/Ctn			
Glove Length	240mm			

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Low powdered latex construction for easy donning.
- Superior durability and strength
- Ambidextrous, great dexterity and texture for extra grip
- Blue colour for increased visibility and food hygiene
- Powder Free gloves suits low residual requirements
- HACCP Australia endorsed safe for food handling

APPLICATION

- Non Sterile Medical, Lab, clinical & quality control areas
- Food preparation, handling and processing.
- Cleaning Industry& light maintenance
- Available in powder free for no residue



Handcare TuffNite Nitrile Gloves

Handcare Nitrile Non Sterile Powder Free Examination Gloves provides a high level of comfort, durability and protection with 3 times more puncture resistance than latex and vinyl gloves.

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Provides high level of resistance to cuts and abrasions
- Excellent splash protection against harmful chemicals
- High resistance to fats oils and detergents
- Superior durability and strength (3 times more puncture resistance as latex and vinyl gloves)
- Low Powdered for easy donning
- Ambidextrous with great dexterity
- Latex Free-have no latex allergic reaction effect
- HACCP Australia endorsed for safe food handling

APPLICATION

- Non sterile medical quality control, lab and clinical areas
- Clean room manufacturing and maintenance
- Food processing preparation and handling
- Cleaning industry and light maintenance
- Suitable for dual gloving
- Manufacturing and engineering operation where protection is required against harmful chemicals

Size	Blue	Black	Purple	Green	Yellow
Small	605NPFB245-S	6600TNBLK-S	6610TNP-S	6630TNG-S	6620TNY-S
Medium	606NPFB245-M	6601TNBLK-M	6611TNP-M	6631TNG-M	6621TNY-M
Large	607NPFB245-L	6602TNBLK-L	6612TNP-L	6632TNG-L	6622TNY-L
Extra Large	608NPFB245-XL	6603TNBLK-XL	6613TNP-XL	6633TNG-XL	6623TNY-XL
Extra XL	609NPFB245-XXL	6604TNBLK-XXL	6614TNP-XXL	6634TNG-XXL	6624TNY-XXL
Pack Details	100pcs/Inner Dispenser Box - 10 Boxes/Ctn				
Glove Length	240mm				
Latex Free - Ideally suited for those who are allergic to latex					



Handcare TuffNite Nitrile Xtracuff Gloves

Handcare Nitrile Extra Cuff Non Sterile Powder Free Examination Gloves -provides additional protection with extra long glove of 290mm with all the benefits of a durable nitrile construction.

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Low powdered for easy donning
- Ambidextrous with great dexterity
- Latex Free - gloves have no latex allergic reaction effect
- Blue colour for increases visibility & food hygiene
- HACCP Australia endorsed safe for food handling

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Size	Blue
Small	615NPFB290-S
Medium	616NPFB290-M
Large	617NPFB290-L
Extra Large	618NPFB290-XL
Extra XL	619NPFB290-XXL
Pack Details	100pcs/Inner Dispenser Box - 10 Boxes/Ctn
Glove Length	290mm
Latex Free - Ideally suited for those who are allergic to latex	

Handcare Vytrile Gloves

Handcare Vytrile gloves-A revolutionary new synthetic blend of nitrile and vinyl which feels more like latex, providing reliable performance and excellent protection. Vytrile offers the best advantages of both materials, stronger than vinyl glove and softer and more flexible than a nitrile glove.

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- A revolutionary new synthetic blend of nitrile and vinyl
- Ambidextrous with great dexterity
- Advanced latex free formulation
- Powder Free gloves suits low residual users
- Better puncture resistance than vinyl gloves
- HACCP Australia endorsed for safe food handling

APPLICATION

- Pharmaceutical and Laboratories
- Dental
- Food Services
- Healthcare
- Industrial Services

Size	Blue
Small	175VPFB-S
Medium	176VPFB-M
Large	177VPFB-L
Extra Large	178VPFB-XL
Pack Details	100pcs/Inner Box - 10 Boxes/Ctn
Glove Length	260mm

Handcare Vet Gloves

Handcare Vet gloves- Extra thick for extra protections suited to veterinary usage and other general usage including food production where extra length is required.

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Shoulder length LDPE gloves 90cm
- Ambidextrous with great dexterity
- Smooth strong disposable orange colour for high visibility
- Powder Free gloves suits low residual users

APPLICATION

- Veterinary
- Food Processing
- Waste handling

Size	VET (Orange)
Unisize	449VET
Pack Details	100pcs/Inner Box - 10 Boxes/Ctn
Glove Length	90cm

Glove Holders

Glove holders to suit disposable glove dispensers
100pc pack.

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Clear plastic holder allows clear visibility of glove box.
- Multi directional filling.
- Made from high impact plastic.

APPLICATION

- Suits Handcare and equivalent disposable gloves.



Size	Clear
Single Holder	957GDS
Pack Details	Sold individually

Holds ONE glove dispenser box



Shoe covers

A range of shoe covers for a wide variety of users.

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- PE water proof, CPE for heavy duty & PP non skid.

APPLICATION

- Healthcare, Hospitals, Laboratories, Food processing, industrial and maintenance.

Type	White	Blue	Pack Details
Shoe PE Regular (Plastic)	426PEBCW	420PEBCB	2000 Pcs/Ctn
Boot Cover (Heavy Duty Plastic)	-	435CPEBC	500 Pcs/Ctn
Boot Cover PEBCB	-	437PPPEBCW	500 Pcs/Ctn
PP Non-Skid (Non Woven Paper)	-	424NWCBCB	1000 Pcs/Ctn



Sleeve covers

A range of single use & re-useable sleeve covers.

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Available in various colours for coding of areas and sizes.

APPLICATION

- Healthcare, Hospitals, Laboratories, Food processing, clean rooms, non sterile medical.



Type	White	Blue	Other Colours	Pack Details
PE (Plastic)	430PSCC	431PSCB	Yellow Purple Red Green	4340PSCY 4341PSCP 4342PSCR 4343PSCG 100Pcs/Inner - 2000Pcs/Ctn
PP (Non Woven)	-	433PPSCW		100Pcs/Inner - 500Pcs/Ctn
PVC (HD PVC)	432PVCSC	-		100Pcs/Inner - 500Pcs/Ctn



Disposable Surgical Masks

KEY FEATURES

- EN14683:2019
- Grade: Surgical (Sterile)
- Material 3Ply
- Ear Loop Tie-on
- Splash Resistant Pressure (kPa):= >16
- Microbial Cleanliness (cfu/g): <=30

3-Ply Disposable Masks

KEY FEATURES

- Standard
- Grade: Medical (Non sterile)
- Material: 3Ply
- Bacterial Filtration Efficiency: >95%



Aprons

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Available in various colours for coding of areas and sizes
- A range of body covers for a variety of users.

APPLICATION

- Non sterile medical, Food handling, cleaning room.

Disposable Aprons	Size (mm)	White	Blue	Other Colours	Pack Details
Apron PE-Economy-Roll	700 x 1200	419APWR	-	Red 4930APRR	100pcs/roll 10rolls/ctn
Apron PE-Std-Hang Pack	810 x 1350	415APW	-	Other colours on request	100pcs/pk 5pk/ctn
Apron PE-Std-Hang Pack	960 x 1450	410APW-HP	411APB-HP	Yellow 4180APY-HP Purple 4181APP-HP Red 4182APR-HP Green 4183APG-HP	100pcs/pk 5pk/ctn
Apron PE-H/Duty-Hang Pk	960 x 1250	-	492APB-HP	Other colours on request	100pcs/pk 5pk/ctn
Apron PE-H/Duty-Hang Pk	960 x 1450	414APW40	417APB40	Other colours on request	50pcs/pk 5pk/ctn
Reusable Aprons					
Apron PVC	900 x1200	413APVCW	413APVCB	Other colours on request	25pcs/ctn
Apron TPU	900 x1200	412ATPUW	412ATPUB	Other colours on request	25pcs/ctn



Gowns

A range of body covers for a variety of uses.

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- PP products offer great upper body protection, breathable, with velcro fasteners
- Plastic products are waterproof for both indoor and outdoor use

APPLICATION

- Food processing, industrial and maintenance

Type	White	Blue	Pack Details
Dust Coat PP-Velcro & NO Pocket	374DDCPP	376DDPPB	50pcs/ctn
Visitors Coat PE	373VCPEW	-	100pcs/ctn
Poncho PE (Sleeves & Hoods)	363PEPW	363PEPW	100pcs/ctn

Coveralls

A range of coveralls for a variety of uses.

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Provides full body protection indoors & outdoors
- Hooded, two way zipper

APPLICATION

- Food processing, industrial and maintenance
- Paint shops, chemical handling & horticulture

Type	Details	Code
PP	PP Provides good protection in a lighter weight coverall	370DCPP
SMS	SMS Triple layered, outer layer tough abrasive resistance	371DCSMS
PECP	Tyvek Equivalent Class 5/6	379DCTY
Colour	White/Blue/Orange	
Size	S-5XL	
Pack Details	50Pcs/Ctn	

SafetyCare Scrub Suits

SafetyCare Scrubs suits are two piece (top and pants) in a range of colours and sizes great for traditional uniform replacements in food processing, industrial, cleaning ect. Great cost saving and more hygienic than traditional uniforms.



FEATURE & BENEFITS

- More economical and hygienic than traditional uniforms
- Large range of colours for area separation
- Hooded, for head protection
- Also water resistant suits available on request

APPLICATION

- Food processing, industrial and maintenance
- Chemical handling and horticulture
- Paint shops

Type	Colours	
Scrub Suits PP	White	Tops & Pants sold separately Please call for item codes
	Blue	
	Orange	
	Red	
	Yellow	
Size	M-8XL	
Pack Details	100Pcs/Ctn	

Medical Waste Bags

Available in a range of sizes, these clinical waste bags are ideal for any medical facility or area that requires clinical waste collection.

Ordering Part Number	Product Description	Size
GB5433-250	54LT - Heavy Duty	613 X 900 X 33 /250
GB7230-250	72LT - Heavy Duty	760 X 900 X 33 /250
GB8033-200	80LT - Heavy Duty	780 X 950 X 33 /250
GB12030-150	120LT - Heavy Duty	1200 X 1000 X 33/150
GB24035-100	240LT - Heavy Duty	1500 X 1200 X 33/100



Bin liners

Bin Liners to suit variety of using in cleaning, healthcare, industrial food industry.

Type	Colour	Pack Pcs/Pack	Pack/Ctn	Code
KITCHEN TIDIES				
18Lt White Kitchen Tidy	White	50	20/1000	925KT18W
27Lt White Kitchen Tidy	White	50	20/1000	BINL 27 WHITE
27Lt Black BinL	Black	50	20/1000	BINL 27 BLACK
36Lt White BinL	White	50	20/1000	BINL 36 WHT STAR SEAL
BIN LINERS				
54Lt Black BinL	Black	50	20/1000	BINL 54 BLACK
72Lt AP BinL	Black	50	5/250	BINL 72 AP
73Lt BinL Flat Seal	Black	50	5/250	BINL 73 HD
73Lt LDPE BinL clear	Clear	50	5/250	BINL 73 LDPE
Bin Liner 75 Black	Black	50	5/250	BINL75
80Lt Black Bin Liner	Black	50	5/250	BINL 80 HD C/FOLD
80Lt Nat H/Duty BinL	Natural	50	5/250	BINL 80 H/DUTY
90Lt Black Garbage Bag	Black	50	4/250	BINL 90LT
WHEELIE BIN LINERS				
BinL Blk 120Ltr	Black	25	4/100	BINL 120 100PCS
120Lt Black BinL	Black	50	4/250	BINL 120 AP BLACK
240Lt Black BinL	Black	25	4/100	BINL 240 HD BLACK
240 LDPE BinL clear	Clear	25	4/100	BINL 240 LDPE
120 Natural BinL	Natural	50	4/250	BINL 120 AP NATURAL
240 HDPE All Purpose Black Roll	Black	25	8/200	942WB240HB
Please note size may be subject to availability				

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Available in various sizes and thicknesses
- Sustainable options also available

APPLICATION

- Cleaning in hospitals, healthcare, industrial cleaning maintenance





Medicine Cups

- Quantity: 100 Pieces (1 Sleeve)
- Capacity: 30mL
- Graduated: 2.5mL to 30mL
- Colour: Clear
- Material: Polypropylene
- Non-Sterile
- Single Patient Use
- Washable
- Sleeves are sealed for easy distribution

Wipes

Wipes to suit both healthcare services and general waste applications. Colour range allows for hygienic colour coding reducing risk of cross contamination.

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Tough, durable & highly absorbent
- Wide range of packs sizes
- Colour coded to avoid cross contamination

APPLICATION

- Cleaning healthcare, industrial, food maintenance

Type	Colour	Size	Pack	Code
Heavy Duty Wipes	Blue	300 x 500mm	45m Roll 80pcs	WPHDLB
	Green	300 x 500mm	45m Roll 80pcs	WPHDLG
	Red	300 x 500mm	45m Roll 80pcs	WPHDLR
	Yellow	300 x 500mm	45m Roll 80pcs	WPHDLY
	Brown	300 x 500mm	45m Roll 80pcs	WPHDLB
Pack Details		6 Rolls/Ctn		



Sponge & Nylon Scourers

A combination of regular duty scouring pad and absorbent polyether foam for efficient cleaning of dirty surfaces.

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Hard wearing available in various sizes

APPLICATION

- Cleaning

Type	Size	Code	
Sponge Scourer	15x10x35cm	SP150	
Pack Details	10 Pcs Inner Poly Bag - 180Pcs/Ctn		
Type	Size	Code	Pack Details
Scouring Pads	9.5 x 17.5 x 0.5cm	917NS	5Pcs Inner Poly Band - 500Pcs/Ctn
	23 x 15 x 0.5cm	919NS	5Pcs Inner Poly Bag - 240Pcs/Ctn

Steel Scourers

Stainless steel scouring pads for the food service and cleaning industry.

Type	Size	Code
Stainless Steel Scouring Pads	50 grams	SC50
Stainless Steel Scouring Pads	80 grams	SC70
Pack Details	6 Pcs Inner Poly Bag - 144Pcs/Ctn	



Washroom Items

Full range of toilet tissues

FEATURE & BENEFITS

- Available in various sizes and thickness

APPLICATION

- Bathroom tissues suit for all establishments requiring and quality bathroom product

Type	Colour	Pack Detail	Code
STANDARD TOILET ROLLS			
Recycled 400 sheet 2ply Toilet Tissue Individually Wrapped	White	48 Rolls/Ctn	C4-3966
PAK Virgin Deluxe Toilet Tissue 2ply 400 sheets/roll individually wrapped	White	48 Rolls/Ctn	C4-4001
Toilet Papers 2ply Bleached 700 sheets	White	48 Rolls/Ctn	C4-7001

JUMBO TOILET ROLLS			
Pak Premium Virgin Jumbo Roll 2ply 300m	White	8 Rolls/Ctn	C4-3000

Type	Size	Colour	Pack Detail	Code
INTERLEAF HAND TOWEL				
Interleaved Towel	150 Sheet	White	2400 Sheets	990MF150
Slimfold	200 Sheet	White	3200 Sheets	991MF200
Compact	120 Sheet	White	2400 Sheets	CALL

CENTRE FEED HAND TOWEL				
Centre Feed 19cm x 6	19cm x 6	White	6 Rolls	CALL
Centre Feed 23cm x 6	23cm x 6	White	6 Rolls	CALL
Centre Feed 19cm x 4	19cm x 4	White	4 Rolls	CALL
Centre Feed 23cm x 4	23cm x 4	White	4 Rolls	CALL

ROLLS HAND TOWEL				
Hand Towel Rolls	80m	White	16 Rolls/Ctn	993HR
Hand Towel Rolls	90m	White	16 Rolls/Ctn	993HR90
Hand Towel Rolls	100m	White	16 Rolls/Ctn	993HR100

*Please note size may vary subject to availability. Dispensers also available.





Covid 19 Antigen Rapid Tests

Rapid Antigen Test provides COVID-19 screening results in 15 – 20 minutes. The Clungene Covid-19 Antigen Rapid Test is a SARS-COV-2 immunoassay screening device for the qualitative detection of a nucleocapsid protein, an antigen, which form part of the SARS-CoV-2 virus.



INTENDED USE

The Clungene COVID-19 Antigen Rapid Test is a lateral flow immunoassay intended for the qualitative detection SARS-CoV-2 nucleocapsid antigens in nasopharyngeal swab or nasal swab from individuals who are suspected of COVID-19 within the first seven days of symptoms.

Each Clungene COVID-19 Antigen Rapid Testing Kit includes:

- Test Cassette, which holds the test strip where detection of the SARS-COV-2 nucleocapsid antigen take place.
- Extraction Reagent Tube.
- Collection swab
- Waste bag
- IFU/Product insert

The Clungene COVID-19 Antigen Testing Kit is listed with the TGA – ARTG Identifier 333341. The Clungene COVID-19 Antigen Rapid Screen Test is listed as and IVD Class 3 in the Australian Register of Therapeutic Goods, ARTG

Please call Stacey on 0448 068 473
(or email stacey.kies@pluspak.com.au) with your enquiries on
any of the above products.

Supporting Information For Our Customers

WHAT ARE THE GLOVES MADE FROM?

Natural Rubber Latex: A natural material (from the Hevea tree) that resists a number of chemicals such as acids, bases, alcohols and diluted aqueous solutions. Natural rubber latex offers fair protection against undiluted ketones and aldehydes.

The inherent physical properties of natural rubber latex allows the material to be resistant to cuts and punctures while remaining extremely flexible. In some rare instances products containing natural rubber latex may cause allergic reactions in some people.

If latex sensitivity is known or suspected, switching to Nitrile, Neoprene, or PVC is often recommended. Synthetic Rubber Compounds Nitrile offers good protection against bases, oils, many solvents and esters, grease and animal fats. Nitrile is not recommended for ketones and some organic solvents. Excellent resistance to snags and punctures, abrasions and cuts.

Neoprene: (polychloroprene) is resistant to a broad range of oils, acids, caustics and solvents, but is less resistant to snags, punctures, abrasions and cuts than nitrile or natural rubber.

Polyvinyl Alcohol (PVA): Very high resistance to aliphatics, aromatics, chlorinated solvents, esters and most ketones. Also resists snags, punctures, abrasion and cuts but quickly breaks down when exposed to water and light alcohols.

Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC): Good protection against many acids, caustics, bases and alcohols. Not recommended for ketones and many other types of solvents. Good abrasion and cut resistance, but some styles are susceptible to cuts.

Polyethylene (PE): Economical protection from chemicals, oils, fats, punctures and abrasion. Component materials comply with FDA regulations for food contact.

Polyurethane (PU): Resists bases, acids, alcohols, grease and animal fats. Not recommended for most types of organic solvents. Excellent resistance to snags, punctures, abrasions and cuts. In the form of a foam, it can be a highly effective insulating liner inside some types of supported gloves.

LCP Film: This polyolefin/polyamide multi-layer film is one of the most chemical resistant materials available and is used in the construction of Barrier gloves. Highly resistant to a wide range of hazardous materials, but very low resistance to physical damage.

Polyester/Cotton Blends (Poly/Cotton): Used in various combinations as a yarn from which protective products can be woven or knitted. Can also be coated with various compounds. In shredded form, poly/cotton is often used as a flock lining material in some types of unsupported gloves. In the form of felt and similar materials, it may be used as an insulating liner inside some types of supported gloves.

Kevlar®: Five times stronger than steel by weight, this cut resistant aramid fibre is easily formed into yarns that can be woven into a variety of glove and sleeve styles. Kevlar® is known for its strength and heat resistance, but is not recommended for use in abrasive applications. Additionally, laundering Kevlar® in bleach is not recommended.

Spectra®: This polyolefin fibre is known for its strength and cut resistance. It is easily formed into yarns that can be woven into a variety of light, medium and heavy duty gloves and sleeves. Spectra® is a popular choice for the food industry as it can be bleached to kill bacteria.

WHAT DOES THE CE MARKING MEAN?

It does not mean quality. It does mean that the product meets certain essential requirements defined by a European Directive and that products with CE marking may be traded freely throughout the EEC.

SOME CE MARKING HAS NUMBERS. WHAT DO THE NUMBERS MEAN?

In the case of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), the numbers after the CE marking refer to a Notified Body which has been involved in the Type Examination of the product according to the PPE Directive 89/686/EEC.

The presence of numbers indicate that the product is complex design intended for protection against hazards which present a risk of mortal danger or irreversible harm.

HOW DO I IDENTIFY THE RIGHT CHEMICAL RESISTANT GLOVE?

First, obtain a copy of the materials safety data sheet for the chemical you are working with. This will tell you the main ingredients of the chemical. You may then refer to the manufacturers chemical resistance data which will report protection indices for the chemicals.

But note that the Standard for chemical protection, BSEN374, only tests permeation and does not include information about degradation. If you need help with interpretation of the data then contact the WELLpak Technical Department.

I HAVE HEARD THAT NATURAL RUBBER GLOVES CAN CAUSE LIFE-THREATENING ALLERGIC REACTIONS!

It is now known that a significant number of people have developed an allergy to the protein which is present in natural rubber. Current estimates of the numbers of people in the general population are less than 1%, but a higher prevalence of allergy exists in certain work groups such as hairdressers and healthcare.

In some cases the symptoms can be life threatening in that anaphylactic shock could occur. For those people who are diagnosed as allergic to natural rubber latex protein, then the solution is to avoid contact with natural rubber products.

The industry has reacted to this problem, and WELLpak natural rubber gloves are produced by new processes which lowers the levels of protein such that the risk of sensitisation is much reduced.

Alternatively, WELLpak has a range of synthetic rubber gloves which enable end-users to avoid contact with natural rubber protein.

IS THE POWDER ON POWDERED GLOVES A HAZARD TO HEALTH?

No. The powder on disposable gloves is made from medical grade cornstarch which does not present a hazard to the wearer. The reason for concern over powder is that when used on a natural rubber glove, it can act as a carrier for latex protein. If powder is a major concern for your company, then powder-free disposable gloves are available.

WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN NATURAL RUBBER & SYNTHETIC RUBBER?

Natural rubber as the name suggests is a natural material obtained from the rubber tree, Hevea Brasiliensis; whereas synthetic rubber is made from petroleum based products.

There are many different types of synthetic rubber; those most commonly used are nitrile rubber (or acrylonitrile-butadiene rubber to give the full name), polychloroprene (often referred to as Neoprene which is the tradename for Du Pont's polychloroprene), plasticised PVC (or vinyl) is often included in the list of synthetic rubbers.

Others include butyl and Viton rubber. Each synthetic rubber has distinct chemical and physical properties. Although, natural rubber still retains its reputation for strength and comfort



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