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Solutions for the Research segment

Gloves and apparels engineered for **Protection, Compliance and Comfort**



Did you know?

30% of people who have experienced a hand injury were wearing the wrong kind of glove.

(Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics)

21% of workers have been injured on more than one occasion in the lab.

Only 40% of researchers surveyed reported wearing PPE at all times when working.

(Source: The Laboratory Safety Institute)

Product guideline for your application

Application

	Molecular Biology	Biochemistry	Chemistry	Analytical Chemistry	Virology	Genomics	Proteomics	Forensic Science	Non-Sterile Pharmaceutical Production
	Main Technique		Primary Risk		Secondary Ris	sk			
	Electrophoresis		Chemicals		Contamination		•	b .	
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HIGHER RISK APPLICATIONS	Chemical Synthesis				Contamination				Kimtech™ A7 P+ Laboratory Coat
¥ ¥	Pathology				Contamination	Po	Kimtech™ laris Nitrile™	Kimtech™ Purple Nitrile™	
	Toxicology		Chemicals		Biohazard	Х	tra™ Gloves	Xtra™ Gloves	
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NS	Cell Culture		Contamination Contamination		Sensitive Instrume	ents			
LOWER RISK APPLICATIONS	Microscopy				Sensitive Instrume	ents			
PPLI	Spectroscopy		Contamination		Sensitive Instrume		Kimtech™		
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Kimtech[™] Laboratory Gloves – Chemical Risk selection guide

 Product Code	Description	Sizing	Chemical Protection EN ISO 374-1	Biohazard Protection EN ISO 374-5	AQL	Glove Length	C	hemical
62100 - 62104	Kimtech™ Polaris™ Xtra Nitrile Gloves	XS - XL	Type B (JKOPT)	Virus	0.65	30cm	+	HIGHEST Chemotherapy & High Risk Applicatins
62000 - 62004	Kimtech™ Polaris™ Nitrile Gloves	XS - XL	Type B (JKOPT)	Virus	0.65	25cm		HIG Chemot High Risk
97610 -97614	Purple Nitrile™ Xtra™ Gloves	XS - XL	Type B (JKT)	Virus	0.65	30cm	CAL PROTECTION LEVEL	nical splash
90625 -90629	Purple Nitrile™ Gloves	XS - XL	Type B (JKT)	Virus	0.65	24-25cm	MICAL PROTE	Moderate chemical splash
62880 - 62884	Opal™ Nitrile Gloves	XS - XL	Type B (KPT)	Virus	1.5	24cm	CHEMI	
99210 - 99214	Sterling™ Nitrile Gloves	XS - XL	Type C (K)	Virus	0.65	24-25cm	ı	LOWEST Low risk - Light splash

Chemical Permeation Data

- Visit www.kimtech.eu, from the top menu select Resources and then Chemical Permeation.
 - Select up to 4 gloves to compare or select a specific chemical.
 - Select either breakthrough times in minutes, or classification.



- Submit and download your PDF.

On our website you can also find these additional resources:

- Detailed product descriptions, including Technical Data Sheets, Declaration of Conformity and Food Contact Declaration of Compliance
- Certificates and information on PPE legislation
- <image><complex-block><complex-block><form>

- Literature

Protect your Science and the Scientists

Enhance your lab environment by using Kimtech[™] Products, designed for precision tasks and exacting performance.

IF IN USE



Bulky gloves or double-donning

- Routine lab procedures such as pipetting, working with microscopes, operating microtomes, and using cell counters can put researchers at risk for repetitive motion injuries
- Wearing bulky gloves or multiple pairs at one time can reduce dexterity and increase the time it takes to complete a task



Exposed forearms

Slip and fall risks

most common

• Chemical splashes can lead to skin irritations or burns

• Falls are a leading cause of workplace

injury, with slip-and-fall events being the

 No environment is immune to these incidents, not even the most rigorously controlled settings

UPGRADE TO THIS

Kimtech[™] Nitrile gloves

- Offering high dexterity and comfort for a variety of applications
- Designed to protect Scientists from Chemical Splash and Micro-Organism Hazards
- Non detectable level of chemical accelerators to mitigate risk of skin irritations

Kimtech[™] A7 P+ Lab Coats

- Comfortable to wear, breathable, silicone and latex free
- High mandarin collar for your neck and extra long arms with thumb loops and elasticated cuffs cover the gap between glove and sleeve



Kimtech[™] A8 Shoe Covers with Unitrax

- 4X more grip than leading alternatives
- Seamless bottom for better comfort
- 3 sizes for a custom fit

WypAll® Wipers

- Our range of WypAll® wipers are strong and absorbent, single use wipers, perfect for routine cleaning
- Hygienically packed they can be dispensed with ease

Kimtech[™] Science[™] Delicate Task Wipers

- For delicate equipment, surfaces, optics and materials, our low-lint and high absorbency white wipes have you covered
- Light duty, white-coloured wipes made from 100% pure fibre
- Chemically inert and anti-static





Used PPE in the waste bin

- In many labs, used PPE is discarded with the normal waste
- High usage of products can lead to high waste disposal fees and impact compliance with sustainability goals
- RightCycle by Kimberly-Clark Professional®
- Can divert used PPE waste from landfill and convert is into new consumer goods
- Helps the lab meet its sustainability metrics









Basic wipers

- Unprotected wipers are likely to be contaminated
- Less effective in absorbency, cleaning surfaces and reducing waste

 Microscopes, testing equipment and glassware need to be clean to conduct experiments

Equipment and Glassware cleaning

• Dirty equipment can impact productivity and scientific results

What is The RightCycle Programme by Kimberly-Clark Professional[™]?

Sustainability matters to you and to us. That's why we created The RightCycle[™] Programme, the first large-scale recycling programme for nonhazardous lab, cleanroom and industrial waste. Since 2011, we've helped hundreds of customers divert more than over 2000 tons of waste. We can do the same for you by turning your used singleuse apparel and gloves into patio furniture and other useful products.

At Kimberly-Clark Professional[™], we're always working to reduce the environmental impact of our products. Reducing our dependence on the world's natural resources leaves more for the future, for our children, for the planet and for our businesses. We strive to help customers like you reach your zero waste-to-landfill goals. The RightCycle[™] Programme is part of this commitment and one very important way for us to work together, one ton of waste at a time.

In EMEA, the programme is available in the UK, Ireland, France, Spain, Germany, Austria, Belgium, Netherlands and Switzerland.

RightCycle

Giving nonhazardous, singleuse apparel and gloves a new life.

"For me, the biggest appeal about The RightCycle™ Programme is that it's the start of an EPR, an Extended Producer Responsibility, for a material that we don't often think about. Gloves are a high-volume, fast-moving commodity used by almost every industry. Once people start getting good at recycling primary commodities, such as paper and plastic, we're going to have to move to secondary commodities. Gloves bring you to that next level."

— Shantanu Pai Assistant Sustainability Researcher, Illinois Sustainable Technology Center (ISTC)

Over 2000 tons & counting waste diverted since 2011

Apparel items and gloves are worn in your facility.

Used products are collected and shipped to our recycling centers. Used products are sorted and processed into plastic pellets.



Materials are molded into new plastic products and durable goods.



For more information, visit: https://www.kimtech.eu/rightcycle



Kimtech[™] Laboratory Products Selection Guide

	Product Code	Size / Format	Total Case content	Material	Characteristics	ISO or Class	Regulatory	Chemical Splash Protection	Micro-organisms Protection	Food Contact	Recyclable
Laboratory Range											
Kimtech™ Laboratory	Gloves									K	56
Kimtech™ Polaris™ Nitrile Gloves	62000 to 62004	XS to XL	10 x 100 ⁽⁵⁾ gloves	Nitrile	textured fingertips	ISO 6 or higher Class C/D	PPE Cat III	EN ISO 374-1 Type B (JKOPT)	EN ISO 374-5 Virus	Approved	(1)
Kimtech™ Polaris™ Xtra Nitrile Gloves	62100 to 62104	XS to XL	10 x 50 gloves	Nitrile	textured fingertips	ISO 6 or higher Class C/D	PPE Cat III	EN ISO 374-1 Type B (JKOPT)	EN ISO 374-5 Virus	Approved	(1)
Purple™ Nitrile Gloves	90625 to 90629	XS to XL	10 x 100 ⁽⁵⁾ gloves	Nitrile	textured fingertips	ISO 6 or higher Class C/D	PPE Cat III	EN ISO 374-1 Type B (JKT)	EN ISO 374-5 Virus	Approved	(1)
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Opal™ Nitrile Gloves	62880 to 62884	XS to XL	10 x 200 ⁽⁷⁾ gloves	Nitrile	textured fingertips	ISO 8 or higher	PPE Cat III	EN ISO 374-1 Type B (KPT)	EN ISO 374-5 Virus	Approved	$\langle 0 \rangle$
Sterling™ Nitrile Gloves	99210 to 99214	XS to XL	10 x 150 ⁽⁶⁾ gloves	Nitrile	textured fingertips	ISO 6 or higher Class C/D	PPE Cat III	EN ISO 374-1 Type C	EN ISO 374-5 Virus	Approved	$\langle \rangle$
Kimtech™ Lab Coats											
A7P+ Lab Coat	97700 to 97740	S to 2XL	15 lab coat	Laminated SMS ^[4]	individually packed	ISO 8 or higher	PPE Cat III	Type 6 (PB)	EN 14126:2003		$\langle \! \circ \! \rangle$
Kimtech™ Science Wip	oes										
Precision Wipes (White)	7551	30 x 30 cm	15 boxes x 196 sheets	Paper	1 ply	ISO 8 or higher					
Precision Wipes (White)	7552	11,5 x 21 cm	30 boxes x 280 sheets	Paper	1 ply	ISO 8 or higher					
Delicate Task Wipes (White)	7557	20 x 21 cm	24 boxes x 100 sheets	Paper	2 ply	ISO 8 or higher					
Delicate Task Wipes (White)	7558	20 x 21 cm	15 boxes x 200 sheets	Paper	2 ply	ISO 8 or higher					

* For more details on the products please refer to the corresponding technical data sheet

⁽¹⁾ PE: polyethylene

 $^{\scriptscriptstyle (2)}\,\mathsf{PE/PET:}$ polyethylene/ polyethylene terephtalate

⁽³⁾ PP :polypropylene

⁽⁴⁾SMS : spunbond - meltblown- spunbond

⁽⁵⁾ 10 x 90 for size XL ⁽⁶⁾ 10 x 140 for size XL

⁽⁷⁾ 10 x 170 for size XL

If non-hazardous, this product can be recycled through The RightCycle Programme by Kimberly-Clark Professional[®], an innovative recycling programme that diverts non-hazardous Kimtech[™] branded nitrile gloves and coveralls from landfill. The programme is available in the UK, Ireland, France, Spain, Germany, Austria, Belgium, Netherlands and Switzerland.

For more information visit www.kimtech.eu For technical assistance contact us at kimtech.support@kcc.com

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