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The CENELEC questionnaire procedure, performed for finding out whether or not the International Standard IEC 903 : 1988 could be accepted without textual changes, has shown that some common modifications were necessary for the acceptance as European Standard.

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## SPECIFICATION FOR GLOVES AND MITTS OF INSULATING MATERIAL FOR LIVE WORKING

### 1. Scope

This standard is applicable to insulating gloves and mitts.

Unless otherwise stated the use of the term "glove" only includes gloves and mitts.

- 1.1 Six classes of gloves, differing in electrical characteristics, are provided and are designated Class 00, Class 0, Class 1, Class 2, Class 3 and Class 4.
- 1.2 Six categories of gloves, differing in properties related to acid, oil, ozone, mechanical strength (higher level), and a combination of all are provided and designated A, H, Z, M and R respectively and, for extreme low temperature, Category C.

### 2. Definitions

Within the scope of this standard, the terms hereafter have the following significance:

<i>Palm</i>	part of glove covering the face of the central inside hand
<i>Wrist</i>	the narrowest part of the glove above the cuff
<i>Contour glove</i>	a glove shaped at the upper part of the cuff in such a way as to facilitate the bending of the arm
<i>Fork</i>	part of glove at the junction of two fingers, or finger and thumb
<i>Curved glove</i>	a glove on which the fingers are slightly bent in a position corresponding to the position the hand forms while holding an object
<i>Lined glove</i>	a glove with an inside lining of textile material attached to the elastomer
<i>Composite glove</i>	a glove composed of several attached or superimposed layers of different colours and/or different types of elastomer
<i>Mitt</i>	a glove which has less than four finger enclosures
<i>Cuff</i>	part of a glove from the wrist to the open part of the glove
<i>Cuff roll</i>	the roll or reinforced edge of a glove at the cuff
<i>Colour splash</i>	a splash, smear or streak of contrasting colour evident on the inside or outside surface of the glove that was deposited during the dipping operation and is vulcanized into the glove as part of the homogeneous compound
<i>Puncture</i>	a disruptive breakdown through a solid insulant (IEV * 121-03-13)
<i>Flashover</i>	an arc by-passing an insulating body (IEV 121-03-14)
<i>Nominal voltage</i>	a suitable approximate value of voltage used to designate or identify a system (IEV 601-01-21)
<i>Elastomer</i>	a generic term that includes rubbers, latex and elastomeric compounds that may be natural or synthetic or a mixture or a combination of both

\* See the International Electrotechnical Vocabulary (IEV) (IEC Publication 50).