

Kev Blue® XT Welding Gloves

The Kev Blue® XT has all the features of the famous Kev Blue®, extended to a total length of 680mm for serious lower and upper arm protection. In certain welding situations, the Kev Blue® XT can be worn with an apron and still offer very good full frontal protection without the need for a welding jacket or welding sleeves.

Features

- Manufactured from soft, premium, selected butt leather
- Additional leather reinforcing covering the palm and thumb area
- Extra reinforced knuckle bar strip across the back of the hand
- Contact heat resistance level 2 - 250C for 15 seconds (EN407)
- Wear seams are welted for additional protection and wear life
- Sewn with heat resistant aramid thread for extra durability
- Length: 680mm.

Materials

- Grade A Butt Leather
- Cotton fabric lining
- Aramid thread stitching.

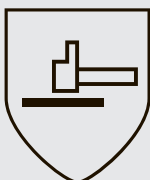
Certifications and Standards

These Gloves are certified by Intertek SAI Global to:
 AS/NZS 2161.2:2020
 AS/NZS 2161.3:2020
 EN 12477:2001+A1:2005 Welding Glove Type A+B
 EN 388:2016
 EN 407:2020



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 EN 12477:2001+A1:2005:
 Type A+B
 EN 1149-2:1997

Part Number	Size	Length (mm)
300RKBXT	LRG	680

Certified to today's standards

Why Elliott Australia certifies its welding gloves to EN 407:2020

Elliott Australia was the first company certified by Intertek SAI Global to EN 407:2020. Our welding gloves are **independently certified by an accredited third party**, not self-declared.

Our welding gloves are certified to:

- **EN 407:2020:** Protective gloves against thermal risks (heat and flame), current edition
- **EN 12477:2001+A1:2005:** Protective gloves for welders
- **AS/NZS 2161.2:2020:** General requirements (sizing, dexterity, innocuousness)
- **AS/NZS 2161.3:2020 and EN 388:2016:** Mechanical risks (abrasion, cut, tear, puncture)

Our EN 12477 welding glove classification uses results from **the current editions of EN 407 and EN 388**.

Why this matters for your workforce

Some welding gloves on the Australian market are rated, and a few certified, to AS/NZS 2161.4:1999 for heat and flame. That standard is **identical to EN 407:1994** and has never been updated. EN 407 has since been revised twice, in 2004 and 2020.

EN 407:2020 rates a glove on its **lowest single result** instead of an average, and it uses a tougher flame test. A glove also can't claim the top heat ratings until it has proven its flame resistance. The methods have changed, so a rating under the 1999 standard can't be compared directly with an EN 407:2020 rating.

Our gloves were already tested to EN 407:2020. We've now moved the certification to match, so **the standard on the cuff is the one the glove was tested to**.

Arc welding protection

Kev Blue® XT meets **EN 12477's optional requirement for arc welding**. No conductive parts, such as metal rivets, pass through the glove, and electrical resistance through the material is above 10^5 ohms, tested to EN 1149-2. No welding glove protects against electric shock from faulty equipment or live work, and resistance drops when a glove is wet, dirty or sweaty.

Independently certified means independently accountable

A third-party certificate isn't a marketing claim. Intertek SAI Global has reviewed the test reports, the materials, the manufacturing and the labelling, and confirmed the glove meets every applicable clause (licence SMK41830). When you specify an Elliotts welding glove, you can stand behind the rating, because someone independent already has.

