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NEW EDITION

Third Edition of CAN/ULC-60903-15 (IEC 60903:2014, MOD)

LIVE WORKING - ELECTRICAL INSULATING GLOVES

ULC Standards is pleased to announce the publication of the Third Edition of CAN/ULC-60903-15 (IEC 60903:2014, MOD), Live Working – Electrical Insulating Gloves. This Standard has been approved by the ULC Standards Committee on Live Working (S400A) and has been published under the date of June 2015.

This adoption with Canadian deviations of the Third Edition is an update to the Second Edition. The modifications include revision of the clause on marking to remove the double triangle symbol, the deletion of Annex B (normative) regarding the double triangle symbol, and the insertion of a new clause in Annex A (informative) regarding minimum proof test voltage value and associated markings.

This Standard is applicable to electrical insulating gloves and mitts that provide protection of the worker against electric shock. This standard also covers electrical insulating gloves with additional integrated mechanical protection, referred to in this document as "composite gloves".

Changes for the Third Edition include:

- clarification of the requirements and tests for long gloves;
- introduction of a new special property for gloves resistant to leakage current;
- removal of the requirement for an area to mark the date of inspection;
- the d.c. electric tests are no longer included in the normative part of the document but a proof test is suggested at the production level in a new informative Annex E;
- preparation of the elements of evaluation of defects, and general application of IEC 61318:2007;
- introduction of a new normative Annex H on classification of defects; and
- introduction of a new informative Annex I on the rationale for the classification of defects.

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