Arco has been providing safety gear for over 125 years, in that time we’ve learned it’s not just safety gear...

It’s getting you home safe at the end of the day.

An innovative colour and number system for managing cut hazard protection.

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Arco Cut Control System

Handling injuries are the most common workplace injury accounting for around a third of all workplace injuries. Handling injuries include trapped fingers and cuts from sharp objects.

An estimated 1.2 million working days per year are lost due to handling injuries. The estimated average number of days lost for each injury was 8.8 days (HSE)*.

Arco understand that there are many different types of gloves offering various levels of cut protection and it can be difficult to understand and specify the correct type of glove for your application.

With this in mind Arco has developed a new range of gloves offering mechanical protection that also includes a visual indicator of the level of cut protection the glove offers. The new Arco Cut Control System makes it possible to see instantly what level of cut protection is being worn. Having a number on the glove also removes any confusion as different brands have alternative colours for the different levels of protection.

Peace of mind, without the confusion

Arco’s new Cut Control System uses a clear colour/number coding system. Gloves are colour coded to illustrate the level of cut protection that they provide, plus as an additional visual aid each glove also features a clear number to confirm the level of cut protection.

You can now carry out your visual inspections with confidence and ease. The colour/number combination is a convenient and failsafe solution which ensures both safety and efficiency.

Excellent mechanical protection

This new range of gloves features specifically sourced cut resistant threads blended together with other quality materials to provide excellent levels of cut protection, abrasion resistance and comfort.

Choice of coatings

Depending on the application and site conditions, the wearer can choose either a PU coating for dexterous handling and great abrasion resistance, or a Nitrile coating, better suited for more robust applications and all round grip.

Arco Cut Control colour and number combination - gloves you can trust.

* The figure 1.2 million days was between 2011 and 12. www.hse.gov.uk/statistics
Selecting the right glove

Ensuring your workforce is kitted out with an effective cut protection system is absolutely paramount in the fight against hand injury. With the Arco Cut Control System, we’ve made it easier than ever to choose the right gloves for the right job.

Consisting of a range of six gloves, with two different coatings and three levels of cut protection all conforming to EN388 standard, this high specification system offers tailor-made cut-defence in both damp and dry conditions. Colour and number coded for instant visual identification. This can be quickly carried out by checking the colour of the palm coating as well as the number on the back of the glove.

You can be confident not only that the correct glove is being used on site, but that the correct level of protection is being used in the designated areas.

With the Arco Cut Control System, you can be sure that your workforce can get on with the task in hand whilst minimising exposure to common hand injuries that can hold up projects and cause expensive delays.

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Arco Cut Control System: Red
EN 388 Cut Level 1 Protection

The cut 1 protection gloves in the Cut Control System provide the lowest level of protection against cuts and sharps. Both gloves have the same comfortable knitted liner but you will need to choose the most appropriate coating based on the environment where the gloves will be used, different coatings provide different grip in wet and dry surfaces.

Arco Cut Control System: PU Red 1

Light and dexterous manual handling glove includes a knitted liner so the wearer benefits from a comfortable and secure fit and a PU coating to provide good grip and abrasion resistance in dry conditions.
- Will help to reduce minor hand injuries during tasks that may traditionally have used bare hands
- Lightweight, seamless knitted liner makes the gloves comfortable to help with wearer compliance
- PU coating provides excellent grip and abrasion resistance in dry conditions
- Dexterous knitted liner provides a close, secure fit
- White liner with red coloured number one allows for easy visual check to ensure correct level of protection is being worn

Ideal for
- Fine product assembly work • Electronics • Precision work
- Warehousing • General handling • Automotive • Light engineering
- Construction (dry trades) • Transport

Arco Cut Control System: Nitrile Red 1
EN 388 Cut Level 1 Protection

Lightweight handling glove with excellent dexterity, comfort and fit and a moisture resistant Nitrile coating to the palm and fingertips - ideal for working in damp conditions.
- Cut 1 protection helps reduce minor hand injuries during tasks that may traditionally have used bare hands
- A lightweight, seamless knitted liner makes the gloves flexible and very comfortable helping wearer compliance
- Nitrile coating provides excellent grip and abrasion resistance in damp conditions
- Dexterous knitted liner provides a close, secure fit
- White liner with red coloured number one allows for easy visual check to ensure correct glove is being worn

Ideal for
- Warehousing • Maintenance • Cables and pipework
- Construction (dry and wet trades) • Transport & haulage
- Light engineering
Arco Cut Control System: **Amber**

**EN 388 Cut Level 3 Protection**

The cut level 3 gloves in the Cut Control System provide mid-level protection against cuts and sharps. Both gloves are made from high performance cut resistant threads blended with other quality materials which provide abrasion resistance and comfort. Both gloves also provide excellent comfort, value for money and real dexterity.

### Arco Cut Control System: Nitrile Amber 3

**EN 388 Cut Level 3 Protection**

This glove offers excellent dexterity, comfort and fit plus extended glove life. The nitrile coating provides excellent abrasion resistance in damp conditions.

- Mid level cut protection in a lightweight glove provides the benefit of cut 3 protection without additional thickness in a glove
- Dexterous liner which provides a close, secure fit
- Seamless liner provides comfortable cut 3 level protection which will help with compliance
- High mechanical strength means the glove will not tear in tough working environments
- Nitrile coating provides excellent grip and abrasion resistance in damp conditions
- White liner with amber coloured number three allows for easy visual check ensuring the correct glove is being worn

**Ideal for**

- Materials handling
- Maintenance
- Light engineering
- Automotive
- Construction trades
- Telecommunications
- Steel erection

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Arco Cut Control System: **PU Amber 3**

The seamless knitted liner ensures a comfortable and close fitting glove with cut level 3 protection; there’s a PU coating to the palm and fingers which provides excellent abrasion resistance in dry conditions.

- Mid level cut protection in a lightweight glove for cut 3 protection without additional thickness in a glove
- Seamless liner provides comfortable protection which will help with compliance
- High mechanical strength means the glove will not tear in tough working environments
- PU coating provides excellent abrasion resistance in dry conditions
- White liner with amber coloured number three allows for easy visual check to ensure correct glove is being worn

**Ideal for**

- Sheet metalwork
- Warehousing
- Maintenance
- Telecommunications
- Automotive
- Construction trades
- Transport
- Engineering

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**Cut resistant threads**
Arco Cut Control System: Green
EN 388 Cut Level 5 Protection

The cut level 5 gloves in the Cut Control System provide the highest level of cut protection available. These gloves offer the best protection from sharps and are made from a blend of high performance cut resistant threads and glass fibres. The knitted liner offers outstanding levels of comfort and dexterity. A choice of coating allows the wearer to select the one most suitable for their application.

Arco Cut Control System: PU Green 5

Thread technology and PU coating enables even the finest tasks to be completed with the safest level of protection; cut 5.

- Offers the highest level of protection against sharps; cut 5, using blended cut resistant fibre technology
- Dexterous liner provides a close, secure fit
- Seamless liner provides comfortable protection, helping improve compliance
- High mechanical strength means the glove will not tear in tough working environments
- PU coating provides excellent grip and abrasion resistance in dry conditions
- White liner with green coloured number five allows for easy visual check to ensure correct glove is being worn

Ideal for
- All day tasks needing Cut 5 protection
- Automotive
- Maintenance
- Construction trades
- Glass handling
- Engineering assembling

Arco Cut Control System: Nitrile Green 5
EN 388 Cut Level 5 Protection

Excellent level of cut protection whilst retaining the essential requirements of comfort and dexterity. Rugged Nitrile coating to the palm area gives moisture resistance and hard wearing durability.

- Offers the highest level of protection against sharps; cut 5, using blended cut resistant fibre technology
- Seamless liner provides comfortable protection which will help increase compliance
- Nitrile coating provides excellent grip and abrasion resistance in damp conditions
- Nitrile palm coating is water resistant to keep your hands dry while you work
- High mechanical strength means the glove will not tear in tough working environments
- Dexterous fabric provides a close, secure fit
- White liner with green coloured number five allows for easy visual check to ensure correct glove is being worn

Ideal for
- Warehousing
- Maintenance
- Cables and pipework
- Construction (dry and wet trades)
- Transport & haulage
- Light engineering
- Sheet metalwork
- Automotive
- Maintenance
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- Glass handling
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