

# Hand Protection

ISEA is the trade association for manufacturers of industrial hand protection.

ISEA members have a seat at the table when standards are being written that affect their products; they get a first look at changes in standards, they influence the development of new standards, and they are kept informed of developments on standards around the world. ISEA developed the first American National Standard for glove selection criteria, ANSI/ISEA 105, and the Hand Protection Group is represented on other standards technical committees in the US and worldwide. ISEA works with NIOSH on research to improve glove sizing and fit for specific worker populations.

ISEA gives members a full-time Washington office. They are kept up to date on important developments affecting their companies, and are identified with a respected and responsible organization that is an advocate for product standards and worker safety.

ISEA members use the association to learn from each other, and work together to improve markets. Information services are tuned to member companies' needs.

In addition to bringing companies together in the Hand Protection Group, ISEA membership is a link to the larger world of safety equipment, both in the US and around the world. Companies receive regular bulletins and reports on standards, government policies and proposals, and market intelligence. They participate in the association's Annual and Fall Meetings, where the industry comes together to share information and insight. Members' products are listed in a *Buyers Guide*, published in print and in a searchable on-line database.

For 75 years, ISEA has set the standard for personal safety equipment manufacturers, supporting and promoting the business interests of its member companies, united in the goal of protecting the health and safety of people worldwide.

## ISEA Hand Protection Group Member Companies

Ansell Protective Products  
Best Glove, Inc.  
Camelbak/SW Motorsports  
DSM Dyneema  
DuPont  
Encon Safety Products  
Ergodyne  
Lakeland Industries  
Magid Glove and Safety  
MCR Safety  
North Safety Products  
OccuNomix  
OK-1 Manufacturing Co.  
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## Hand Protection Standards

American National Standard from ISEA:

ANSI/ISEA 105-2005 - *American National Standard for Hand Protection Selection Criteria*

ISEA is represented on the following standards committees and panels:

ANSI A10 - Safety Requirements for Construction and Demolition Operations  
ANSI Z49 - Safety in Welding and Cutting  
ANSI Z10 - Occupational Health and Safety Systems  
ASTM F23 - Committee on Protective Clothing  
NFPA Technical Correlating Committee - Fire & Emergency Services Protective Clothing & Equipment  
NFPA Technical Committee on Hazardous Materials Protective Clothing and Equipment  
US TAG to ISO TC 94 - Personnel Safety - Protective Clothing and Equipment, SC13 - Protective Clothing

For more information on the advantages of ISEA membership to your company, contact ISEA at 703-525-1695, or go to our Web site at [www.safetysystem.org](http://www.safetysystem.org).