

BRISTOL FIRE HOOD

USER INFORMATION

Marking



EN13911:2017

The garment conforms to EN 13911:2017 Protective clothing for firefighters – Requirements and test methods for fire hoods for firefighters.

Usage

When the fire hood is worn together with a breathing mask, as usual for firefighters, it shall be donned as follows:

- 1 Put on the hood
- 2 Pull facing opening over the head so that the hood lies around the neck like a scarf
- 3 Put on the mask
- 4 Pull the lower edge of face opening over the chin upwards
- 5 Pull upper edge of face opening over the head to the front
- 6 Arrange the jacket over the hood yoke pulling collar upright
- 7 Arrange the face opening around the mask
- 8 Put on the helmet

Note! Always check the hood before use and check the interfaces are correct with other PPE

Compatibility

The hood was tested and approved according to EN13911:2004 Annex A & B together with other PPE as follows:

Annex A

Dräger Panorama Nova, Futura F2, FPS 7000.
MSA Auer 3S, Auer Ultra Elite A 37.
Interspiro S-N, Spiromatic-N

Annex B

Two firefighters in firefighting garments (EN 469) with helmet (EN 443), protective gloves (EN 659), boots, respiratory equipment, compressed air cylinder of (11 kg) perform work movements according to EN 13274-2:2001-04.

Note! It is recommended that the users should check compatibility with their own equipment.

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APPLICATION

This hood has been designed for use during firefighting operations and associated activities. When using the hood it should always be worn under the coat to provide complete protection at the interface. The hood has been designed to cover the head and the head of the breathing apparatus face piece and interfacing with the facemask to protect all areas of the head and neck not covered by the protective clothing.

MATERIALS

The main materials used in this hood are inherently flame resistant. Prior to testing to EN13911, where pre-treatment is required; the materials were subject to 5 wash/dry cycles. This number of cycles does not relate directly to the life expectancy. Continued fitness for purpose is dependent on inspection and maintenance in accordance with EC Directive 89/656/EEC

CLEANING



To ensure long-term performance, a maximum 40°C reduced action wash in a computer controlled programmable industrial machine is recommended.

Use only near neutral, non-ionic detergent.

Not suitable for tumble drying, air dry only.

Decontamination of garments should only be carried out by trained experts or Bristol Uniforms Ltd. The garments should be bagged securely when transported to prevent cross contamination.

Repairs should only be carried out by Bristol Uniforms Ltd or an approved repairer.

STORAGE

Hoods should be stored in a dry place and after use must be dried before placing back in storage.

Whenever possible store away from direct sunlight or other UV radiating sources of light, as this can degrade the colour, also away from any direct fume sources.