

The background of the entire page is a photograph of a welder in a workshop. The welder is wearing a dark protective mask and heavy-duty gloves. They are working on a metal structure, and a bright, intense welding arc is visible at the point of contact. The scene is dimly lit, with the primary light source being the welding process itself. Orange geometric lines, resembling a jagged arrow or a stylized 'Z', are overlaid on the right side of the image, pointing towards the welding action.

# WELDING GLOVES

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# WELDING GLOVES 101:

Not all welding gloves are created equal, that's why we've got a full range of welding gloves to keep your hands protected and your work on point, no matter what the task. To select the best welding gloves for your needs, follow the guidelines below or contact one of our helpful Business Development Associates at [business.development@superiorglove.com](mailto:business.development@superiorglove.com) for a personalized selection of appropriate gloves.

## WHAT TYPE OF WELDING?

Whether you will be performing TIG, MIG, or Stick welding, this will have an impact on the type of welding glove you select.

### TIG WELDING

TIG welding demands maximum dexterity and touch sensitivity in addition to heat protection because of the small rods and intricate work being performed. Most TIG gloves are unlined or only have a thin liner to maintain dexterity and touch sensitivity. Traditionally gloves made from deerskin provided the best dexterity but are not very as durable as elk-hide or goatskin, both offer the best of compromise.



### MIG WELDING

MIG welding produces more heat than TIG welding so a full lining is demanded and may even require extra backhand insulation. Plus, these gloves are subjected to more stress when performing their task so reinforcement and padding are added to high wear areas. More durable top grain leather like cow grain, elk, or premium goatskin are the best choice.



### STICK WELDING

Stick welding produces the most heat, spark, and splatter. The best gloves are made with heavyweight split-cow leather with full heavy liners, and may require additional aluminized or foam insulation depending on the job. Other high performance features include one piece back on all models with leather strapped thumbs, and wide palm patch in high wear areas on some.

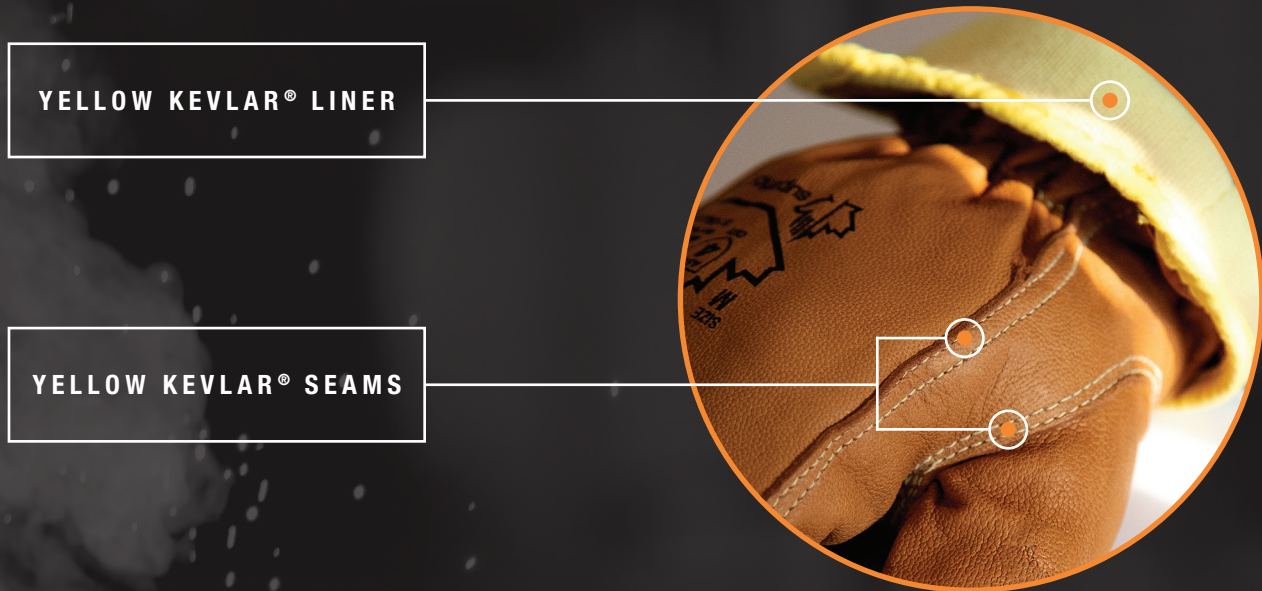




## IS KEVLAR® STITCHING WORTH THE COST?

Whenever you have the opportunity, you should always choose a welding glove with Kevlar® stitching.

While most welding gloves are made from heat-resistant material, the threads used to stitch those gloves together are often cotton or nylon – both fabrics that can ignite quite easily.



## WHAT IF CUT HAZARDS ARE ALSO A THREAT?

Heat isn't the only risk when welding – handling metal with sharp or jagged edges can be par for the course. To protect yourself from cut hazards, you'll want to choose a glove that includes a Kevlar® lining.

## DOES THUMB STYLE MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN COMFORT?

This comes down to personal preference, but in our experience thumb styles such as the wing and keystone tend to be the most ergonomically shaped and provide the best comfort.



### WING THUMB

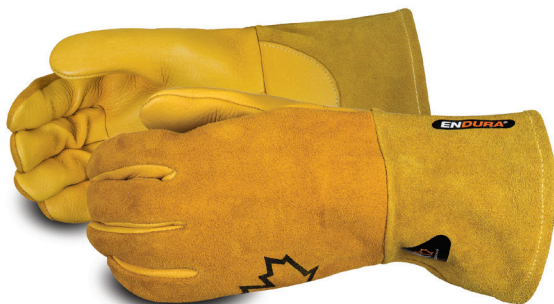
Thumb sewn to the side of the glove



### KEYSTONE THUMB

Thumb is sewn in as a separate piece

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**#305GE | M-2XL**

PREMIUM ELK-HIDE TIG "VERY SOFT YET DURABLE"

- Excellent touch sensitivity & dexterity



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**Kevlar®****Applications & Industries:**

TIG / MIG Welding

ENDURA®

**#370CTIG | S-2XL**

STANDARD GOATSKIN TIG "OUR MOST POPULAR MODEL"

- Very durable with good touch sensitivity

**Applications & Industries:**

Fine MIG or TIG Welding, Stainless Steel Welding

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**#398GLBB | M-2XL**PREMIUM SHORT CUFF GOATSKIN TIG/MIG  
"GOOD DEXTERITY & HEAT PROTECTION"

- Backhand lined for heat, padded palm, & reinforced wear areas
- This style is also available in a gauntlet version with 6" long cuffs (#398GLBG)



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**Kevlar®****Applications & Industries:**

TIG Welding

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**#398FLLBG | M-2XL**

PREMIUM COWHIDE MIG "EXCELLENT HEAT PROTECTION &amp; GOOD DEXTERITY"

- Fully lined for medium to high heat protection, plus padded palm & reinforced wear areas



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**Kevlar®****Applications & Industries:**

MIG Welding





ENDURA®

**#505RB | ONE SIZE**

SPLIT COWHIDE STICK WELDER "GOOD ALL ROUND PROTECTION"

- Premium grade leather with high puncture and heat protection



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**Kevlar.****Applications & Industries:**

Welding

ENDURA®

**#505BUWS | ONE SIZE**

SPLIT COWHIDE STICK WELDER "OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE &amp; EXCEPTIONAL VALUE"

- Our most durable stick welder with top grade leather, wide palm strap, & Kevlar sewn



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**Kevlar.****Applications & Industries:**

Welding

ENDURA®

**#685BFi | ONE SIZE**

HI-HEAT STICK WELDER "TAKES PROTECTION TO THE NEXT LEVEL"

- Heavily insulated including backhand aluminized liner for use in high heat applications and foundry work



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**Kevlar.****Applications & Industries:**

High-Heat Welding

ENDURA®

**#505ALB | ONE SIZE (XL)**

SPLIT COWHIDE STICK WELDER "OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE &amp; EXCEPTIONAL VALUE"

- Ultraviolet radiation protection from Tri-Tan leather, deluxe cotton palm & wool backhand liner



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**Kevlar.****Applications & Industries:**

Welding



ENDURA®

**#399GKGL5 | S-3XL**

GOATSKIN TIG / MIG WELDER "SURPRISINGLY GOOD DEXTERITY"

- Good for use in low heat applications with ANSI A4 Cut & ARC Flash HRC Level 4 rating
- Also available with an "Oilbloc" water resistant treatment (#399OBGKG5)

**Applications & Industries:**

TIG / MIG Welding

ENDURA®

**#398KGLBG | M-2XL**

COWGRAIN MIG WELDER "THE ULTIMATE UNIVERSAL WELDING GLOVE"

- Very durable, comfortable and fully lined for medium to high heat protection

**Applications & Industries:**

Welding

ENDURA®

**#3980BPB | M-4XL**

GOATSKIN PUNKBAN MIG WELDER "ELIMINATES PUNCTURE & BURN MIG WIRE INJURIES"

- New unique solution to MIG wire puncture that can result in severe burn injuries.
- Hand specific, check when ordering

**Applications & Industries:**

MIG Welding, Stick Welding

ENDURA®

**#505KGWS | S-2XL**

DELUXE SPLIT COWHIDE STICK WELDER "MAXIMUM PROTECTION & PERFORMANCE"

- High heat protection with ANSI 5 cut & Level 5 puncture rating. Plus, only stick welding glove available in 5 sizes (S thru 2XL)

**Applications & Industries:**

Welding





CONTENDER™

**#KPXW | 10", 18", 22"**

PROTEX FLAME & CUT RESISTANT SLEEVE "VERY COOL & COMFORTABLE PROTECTION"

- Two layers of protection against burn & laceration. ANSI Cut A2 rating & 600' maximum flame resistance. Available in lengths 10" to 22" with or without thumbhole

**Applications & Industries:**

Welding

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**#KG/C | XS-XL**

CONTENDER FLAME & CUT RESISTANT SLEEVE "HIGH FLAME & CUT PROTECTION"

- Cotton plaited Kevlar composite yarn for comfort, ANSI A4 cut protection. Available in 2 lengths, 18" & 22", with or without thumbhole

**Applications & Industries:**

Welding

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**#KBKB1T | 9", 14", 18", 22"**

CONTENDER PREMIUM FLAME & CUT RESISTANT TAPERED SLEEVE "MAXIMUM FLAME & CUT PROTECTION"

- Black Kevlar Composite Monoacrylic wrapped yarn providing maximum protection against burn with ANSI A4 cut rating
- Tapered fit with STAYz-Up™ Bicep elastic. Available in 5 bicep widths in 3 lengths, 14", 18" & 22", with or without thumbhole

**Applications & Industries:**

Welding

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**#SPL4 | ONE SIZE**

LEATHER SPATS "PROTECTION FOR EXPENSIVE BOOTS"

- Velcro leg closure & elastic sole strap for easy donning

**Applications & Industries:**

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