

Instructions for use - SECUREX - Protective mask category FFP2

Instructions

Standard:

This product complies with the standard EN149:2001+ A1:2009 for respiratory protective devices - Half mask for filtering to protect against particles. These filter masks are classified and labelled as category III personal protective equipment according to the European Commission (EU) Regulation 2016/425 on PPE.

Intended use:

The **SECUREX** mask is classified as category FFP2. It protects against particles, mist, smoke and oil-based aerosols. The packaging protects the mask before use. Effectively protects against pollen. The mask can only be used for personal protection, not for medical purposes. Do not use the mask when fighting fires or in potentially explosive atmospheres.

Tight fit test

1. cover the mask carefully with both hands without changing the seal
2. strong exhalation
3. readjust the nose clip in case of leakage in the nose area. Repeat the tightness test.
4. check and adjust the fit of the straps in case of leakage at the edge of the mask.

Repeat the fit test.

If you cannot achieve a proper seal fit test, do not enter the danger zone, inform your superiors.

Warning and restriction

- Always make sure that the product:
 - Suitable for the application,
 - is correctly created,
 - is worn in the danger zone during the entire stay
 - Replaces, if necessary

Correct selection, training, use and, if necessary, cleaning are the prerequisites for the product to protect the user from certain airborne hazardous substances.

- Non-observance of all instructions for the use of the mask and/or incorrect use while in the danger zone can affect the health of the user and lead to serious illness or permanent damage.
- Observe national regulations and all information supplied with the mask when selecting and using it correctly.
- Before use, the user must be trained in the proper use of the mask in accordance with national regulations.
- This product does not protect against gases and vapours.
- Do not use the mask in environments with less than 19.5% oxygen.

- Do not use the mask in environments with unknown hazardous substances or concentrations exceeding the maximum permitted levels.
- Do not use the mask if facial hair around the sealing edge prevents the mask from sealing properly.
- Leave the contaminated area immediately if:
 - a) Breathing is difficult
 - b) dizziness or other symptoms occur
 - c) The mask is damaged
 - d) the smell or taste of the dangerous substance or irritation occurs
- Dispose of and replace the mask if it is damaged, the breath resistance is greatly increased or at the end of a shift.
- The mask must never be modified or repaired.
- The mask is intended for single use only and must be disposed of in accordance with national regulations.

Transport and storage

The particle masks have a storage period of 2 years. The end of the storage period is indicated on the packaging. Always make sure before use that the product is still within the storage period. The product should be stored clean, dry and in the temperature range of +10°C and +30°C at a maximum relative humidity of 70%. Use the original packaging for storage and transport. Do not expose to direct sunlight.

Instruction manual:

Before putting the mask on, make sure your hands are clean and the mask is not damaged. Respiratory protection is only effective if it is correctly selected, adjusted and worn throughout your stay in the danger zone.

1. With the backside up, unfold the mask by pulling the upper and lower sides apart to form a bowl. Use the chin strap for this.
2. Shape the nose bridge by bending it slightly in the middle.
3. Make sure that the mask is completely unfolded.
4. Grasp the mask with one hand so that the open side faces the face. Take one of the two headbands in the other hand. Put the mask on with the nose up under the chin and pull the straps behind the ears.
5. Use both hands to adjust the nose clip to the shape of your nose to achieve a good and secure fit. Squeezing the nosebow with one hand could cause the nosebow to buckle, causing the mask to leak and reduce its effectiveness.
6. The seal, the mask in the face, should be checked before entering the workplace.