

## IMPORTANT NOTICES

The main closures and restraint mechanisms of these gloves should always be securely fastened when in use whilst riding a motorcycle or the gloves' ability to provide protection in the event of an accident may be severely reduced. Never ride with main closures open during hot weather.

- If the environmental conditions render these gloves excessively and distractingly uncomfortable, a switch should be made to an alternative product.
- The materials in this product may feature a combination of leather, polyester and nylon fibres. These materials are not known to be harmful to the wearer when the product is used in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- At the end of its service life, these gloves can be sent to a specialist facility for recycling, or alternatively can be destroyed by incineration.
- Keis gloves are intended for use by motorcyclists and may not be appropriate for use in other activities. The manufacturer shall be absolved of all liability arising from injury, howsoever caused, where the gloves or their components have been misused, modified, replaced or removed.

## Alterations

Do not alter or tamper with the construction of your motorcycle gloves, as this may reduce their ability to protect your hands in an accident.

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# Instructions on use, care and maintenance of Keis Heated Motorcycle Gloves - in regards to EU Personal Protection Equipment Regulation 2016/425

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Keis motorcyclists' gloves have been assessed against the requirements of the EU Personal Protective Equipment Regulation 2016/425, following testing at SATRA Technology Centre, Wyndham Way, Telford Way, Kettering, NN16 8SD, United Kingdom; by reference to the manufacturer's specifications and to the following standards:

- EN 13594: 2015 – "Protective gloves for motorcycle riders – Requirements and test methods"
- EN 420: 2003+A1:2009 – "General requirements for protective gloves"



**EN 13594:2015**

EN 13594:2015 specifies two performance levels for motorcyclists' gloves. The requirements for Level 1 gloves are lower than those for Level 2 gloves. The EN 13594:2015 pictogram (above) denotes that Keis gloves are intended for use by motorcyclists, have achieved performance level 1 and feature knuckle protection ("KP"—knuckle protectors are optional for level 1 gloves, but must be fitted to level 2 gloves). The gloves also carry the "CE" mark (EU type examination certification issued by SATRA Technology Centre European Notified Body Number 0321) to denote their compliance with the requirements of the PPE Regulation as a Category II PPE product.

### Using your motorcyclists' gloves for the first time

Gloves should be a snug, but not tight or restrictive fit when new. Initial tightness will ease as the gloves stretch with wear. Gloves should not be loose when new. Check that you are able to operate all of your motorcycle's hand controls safely and effectively. Ensure that wrist and cuff straps, where fitted, are always securely fastened, using the Velcro closures provided. Pull the strap through the buckle until the wrist of the glove feels a snug (but not tight) fit around your own wrist. Knuckle protection should sit over the knuckle joints and should not be uncomfortable or affect safe operation of the motorcycle's controls. If you are unable to achieve a comfortable fit, an alternative size of gloves may be required.

Size range: XXS/6 – XXXL/13

### Protection provided by these gloves

Motorcycle gloves are intended to give protection against ambient conditions without unduly reducing the user's dexterity in operating the motorcycle's controls and switches. In addition, the gloves are intended to give mechanical protection to the hands and wrists in the hazards common to motorcycle accidents, which are impacts with the motorcycle, conflicting vehicles, road furniture, and/or the road surface. Gloves cannot guarantee protection from more serious injuries, although they may assist in reducing the severity of some such injuries. Protection against some hazards is impossible.

### Cleaning and maintenance information



- Wipe clean with a damp cloth containing only tap water. Do not soak.
- Store flat and allow to dry away from direct heat and sunlight.
- Do not bleach, machine wash, dry clean, tumble dry or iron.

Please refer to the label attached to the gloves for details of material content.

### Wet gloves:

Insert absorbent paper into the gloves and place in a warm, ventilated environment.

### Maintenance & replacement

When used in accordance with these instructions; depending on the type and frequency of use, your gloves should normally remain serviceable for between 2½ and 5 years. Inspect regularly for obvious wear or broken stitches. Replace the gloves if either occur. Replace your gloves after any accident which has caused damage to the leather or broken stitches.

### Use with additional personal protective equipment

For all-over protection, in addition to gloves you should always wear a safety helmet (applicable standards include ECE 22.05) and CE marked boots (EN 13534), and jacket and trousers or one-piece/two-piece suit (EN 13595 or prEN 17092).

### Use in adverse climatic conditions

In extreme conditions consider wearing thin insulating inner gloves and/or waterproof overgloves. We recommend the use of S100 Waterproof Spray to help maintain the waterproofing of these gloves.