

# GLOVE TERMS

## LININGS:



**INSULATED VS. LINED**  
*Lining* is directly adhered to the outer glove material, whereas *insulation* adds an additional layer between the two.

## THUMB & CONSTRUCTION STYLES:

### REVERSIBLE STYLES

Generally used for liners and string knit styles, reversible gloves are often seamless for comfort. They can be worn on either hand offering convenience and increased wear life. The thumb is positioned precisely at the side of the glove.



### GUNN CUT

Finger side-seams are located toward the back of the glove adding comfort and increasing wear life. A separate piece of material forms the ring and middle fingers and is sewn into the palm at the finger base.



### WING THUMB

Material is cut from the same piece as the palm following the natural shape of the hand with the thumb extending to the side.

### CLUTE CUT

Seamless palm constructed from a continuous piece of material. The finger seams are located toward the palm side of the glove, with the back seams running parallel from finger crotch to wrist.



### STRAIGHT THUMB

Thumb is partially cut as one piece with the palm, and extends straight from the wrist. Ideal for close-fist applications.



### KEYSTONE THUMB

Thumb is constructed separately, and then inset into the palm. This design allows for superior comfort and flexibility, perfect for leather drivers.

## CUFF STYLES:



**ADJUSTABLE WRIST** Popular due to its flexibility providing both a secure fit and easy removal. The hook and loop closure and elastic band is a premium feature on our Boss® Guard™ series of styles.

**KNIT WRIST** Keeps dirt and debris out while providing a secure fit. Helps keep hands warm by preventing air from getting inside or escaping. Conveniently fits under clothing sleeves.

**BAND TOP** Provides light-duty wrist protection and allows air to circulate around the hand. Easy on/off.

**OPEN CUFF** Glove material extends below the wrist for an open design, making the gloves easy to slip on and remove. Commonly used in leather drivers & general purpose styles.

**SAFETY CUFF** Provides added protection to the wrist area in addition to ease of movement. A number of safety cuffs are rubberized to help repel moisture and increase wear life.

**GAUNTLET CUFF** An extended safety cuff, generally 4.5" to 5" or longer offering added protection to the wrist and forearm. Commonly used for chemical, welding, hot mill, and leather palm styles.

**TURTLENECK** An extension added to the cuff to increase overall glove length.