

TECHNICAL DATA

FOOTWEAR REQUIREMENTS NFPA 1971, 2018 EDITION

ITEM	PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENT
Performance Requirements	ASTM F2413 Performance Requirements are used for impact, compression, and
Specified in ASTM F 2413, 2011	puncture resistance with exception that flex resistance to cracking is evaluated at
edition	1,000,000 cycles
Thread Melting	No melting below 260°C (500°F)
Abrasion Resistance	Soles and heels tested and the relative volume loss shall not be greater than 250 mm ³ (.015 in ³)
Conductive Heat Resistance (Test 2)	Temperature of insole surface in contact with feet not to exceed 44°C (111°F)
Cut Resistance	Footwear uppers – distance of blade travel <20 mm (.8 in.)
Electrical Insulation	No current leakage in excess of 3.0 mA
Eyelet & Stud Post Attachment	Detachment strength of 294 N (66 lbf)
Flame Resistance	Whole boot flame test; requirement is maximum afterflame of 5.0 seconds; shall not
	melt or drip; and shall not exhibit any burn-through.
Heat and Thermal Resistance	No melting, separating, or ignition. No water penetration and all components must
	remain functional.
Label Durability	Legibility test after abrasion & heat
Ladder Shank Bend Resistance	Ladder shanks or whole sole equivalents shall not deflect more than 6 mm (1/4 in)
Liquid Penetration	Upper material composite and seams; 1 hour duration; no penetration
Corrosion Resistance	All metal show no more than light surface corrosion; ferrous metals no corrosion of
	base metal, hardware to remain functional
Puncture Resistance	Footwear uppers shall not puncture under applied force of 60 N (13 lbf)
Viral Penetration	Footwear upper material composites and seams; no penetration for 1 hour
Slip Resistance	Footwear shall have a coefficient of friction of 0.40 or greater
PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO STRUCTURAL FOOTWEAR ONLY	
Radiant Heat Resistance	Temperature of upper surface in contact with skin not to exceed 44°C (111°F)
(Thermal insulation – structural	
only)	
Conductive Heat (Thermal	Second degree burn time minimum 10 seconds, time to pain minimum 6 seconds
insulation – structural only)	
PERFORMANCE REQUIREM	MENTS APPLICABLE TO PROXIMITY FOOTWEAR ONLY
Radiant Heat (Proximity only)	Temperature of upper lining surface in contact with skin not to exceed 44°C (111°F)
Conductive Heat Thermal	Temperature of upper lining surface in contact with skin not to reach 44°C (111°F) in
Insulation – proximity only)	ten minutes or less