

This washing recommendation applies to the following product lines:

HAVEP High Visibility

The "High Visibility clothing" is certified according to European Regulation (EU) 2016/425 for personal protective equipment and has a user instruction that comes with each garment. Also in this instruction, some general (washing) advice is mentioned.

In general:

- By following the washing and maintenance instructions, you will extend the life of the garment and better retain its protective properties. This should preferably be done at a professional industrial laundry.
- Wash signage clothing separately and preferably sort laundry by color and/or soiling.
- Wash clothing regularly to prevent fixation of stains. Never store clothing in a soiled condition. Clothing should not be stored in solvents, washing solutions, disinfectants or de-staining products.
- For colored clothes, use a detergent without optical white.
- Accessories: close zipper and velcro closures during the washing process to avoid damage during washing (and pressing, if necessary).
- DO NOT iron the reflective bands and the sealing emblems.
- Over-drying should be avoided (turn off dryer when clothing is dry). This can damage the fabric and cause excessive shrinkage.
- Make sure the dryer is not overloaded and the outlet temperature is 80°C maximum. Therefore, always wash and dry clothes consisting of the same fiber composition/ratio.

Wash symbols household laundry in label:



Deviations from these symbols are possible, due to lining or haberdashery, for example. Check the label in your clothing to see which washing instructions apply.

Industrial washing ISO 15797: 75° C

The fabric has a flame retardant finish. The cloth and reflective tape has been tested for washing and drying according to ISO 15797 at 75° C.

Water repellent finish:

To maintain the repellent properties, the following instructions apply:

- Wash clothing with a water-repellent finish separately.
- It is important that all detergent residues from previous rinses are removed. Soap residue can adversely affect the repellency.
- Do not use fabric softeners
- Ironing makes a positive contribution to reactivating the repellent properties (note: do NOT iron emblems and reflective bands).
- The repellent properties will diminish after a number of washes. To maintain these properties, the fluorocarbon finish should be reapplied approximately every 5 washes in your laundry (but it may be done after every wash). These agents are added in the last rinse cycle. Consult your detergent supplier for appropriate products and instructions.