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## Single-use medical examination gloves —

### Part 1: Specification for gloves made from rubber latex or rubber solution

*Gants en caoutchouc pour examen, non réutilisables —*

*Partie 1: Spécifications pour gants fabriqués à partir de latex de caoutchouc ou d'une solution de caoutchouc*



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The main changes compared to the previous edition are as follows:

- some general and editorial changes have been made in [4.1](#), [4.3](#), and [Clause 5](#);
- the measurement of length has been corrected from the *second finger* to *middle finger* in [7.1](#), paragraph 2;
- the NOTE has been changed to main text in [7.3.3](#);
- the value has been corrected in [Table 3](#);
- some general and editorial changes have been made to [Annex A](#);
- the limit of powdered gloves has been included;
- [Figures 1](#) and 2 of the previous edition have been replaced with [Figure 1](#);
- updates have been made to the powdered surface and powder-free surface;
- the statement on aging gloves over six months old has been updated.

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