

# uvex

Making the difference  
in the mining sector

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protecting people





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# uvex partnering in mining

**uvex safety Australia is a global leader in innovation with extensive worldwide expertise in providing multiple product-based and industry-specific solutions, as well as services tailored to individual customer needs for open-cut and underground mining.**

The team at uvex safety Australia understands the diverse technical demands and the global market factors that drive the mining industry. We also understand the critical need to offer flexible and unique solutions, while staying abreast of changing needs and standards. As a global PPE manufacturer and supplier with regional operations, we are uniquely qualified to deliver such capabilities.

uvex safety is committed to develop, manufacture, and supply PPE which is capable in meeting even the most stringent standard requirements and industry specific needs. We also realize the importance of having the highest level of customer support and product training. With continually reliable expertise, outstanding products, and a speedy and accurate distribution network, we continue to be trusted by some of the largest companies around the world.

uvex safety understands that everyone has varying levels of knowledge regarding safety equipment, which is why we offer a range of services to support your business. For this reason, our dedicated and specialized technical sales team are on hand throughout Australia to offer practical advice and information along with a wider package of print and digital material, and videos that encompass the trial and evaluation process; selection guides, product care and maintenance and injury awareness, which are all available upon request.





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# protecting people – indicative of the highest standards in quality

**Our customers, you, are faced with a vast range of Brands and Providers offering a near infinite array of products and services – all competing for your time.**



At uvex we understand that to secure your attention – to be considered as a viable partner, we must be able to provide evidence of a differentiated approach to needs resolution which simultaneously:

- Supports and enables the implementation of Health and Safety strategy
- Facilitates the highest level of PPE compliance
- Provides innovative, extended life PPE
- Surrounds the product with customised training and knowledge transfer which supports strategy delivery
- Through PPE compliance – enforces company image videos that encompass the trial and evaluation process; selection guides, product care and maintenance and injury awareness, which are all available upon request.





# why uvex?

**A systematic approach to adding value supported by relevant metrics.  
We will not consume your time if we cannot make a real difference.**



# manufacturing and technological expertise

**The company generates almost 80% of its entire value in proprietary production sites in Germany and Europe. uvex-safety develops and produces innovative industrial safety products, which meet the most demanding conditions.**

## Manufacturing expertise in protective eyewear

Pioneering lens coating technology:

- Unrivalled permanent lens coating technology for the highest level of optical clarity, even after repeated cleaning.



COATING NAME	DESCRIPTION	WORK ENVIRONMENT
uvex supravision <b>sapphire</b>	Extremely scratch resistant on both sides of the lens with nanotechnology for easy clean	Highly <b>abrasive</b> dirty and <b>dusty</b> environment
uvex supravision <b>excellence</b>	Extremely scratch resistant on the outside and permanent anti-fog on the inside of the lens	<b>Strenuous activity</b> in <b>dusty</b> and <b>abrasive environments</b>
uvex supravision <b>THS</b>	Superior anti-fog on both sides of the lens	<b>Constant</b> movement between areas of <b>different temperature</b> and <b>humidity</b>

## Innovative safety gloves “Made in Germany”

Use of high quality natural and functional fibres:

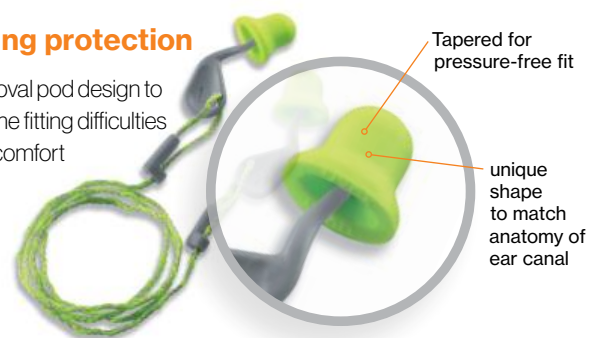
- good skin compatibility
- high wearer acceptance

Tested products, free from harmful substances:

- uvex pure Standard (very good skin compatibility, dermatologically tested)
- Certified in accordance with Oeko-Tex® Standard 100 (e.g. product class II)

## Hearing protection

Unique oval pod design to overcome fitting difficulties and discomfort



## Carbon neutral manufacturing plant in Sweden





# protection for mining

**Falling debris? Uneven ground? Abrasive material handling? Airborne dust? uvex provides optimum solutions for multiple head to toe applications. The safety experts at uvex understand the needs of the mining industry and can provide clear advice to help customers select the right PPE.**

## **Innovative safety spectacles for all mining industry applications**

The **uvex pheos cx2** provides reliable protection against mining site dust, and features an ergonomic eye shield for exceptional comfort – even during long-term wear.



## **Flexible safety gloves to enable your team to get to grips with the task at hand**

The **uvex phynomic XG glove** fits like a second skin, and features an innovative coating for extra grip when handling oily workpieces.



## **Reliable protection against extreme levels of noise**

Thanks to its extra-soft ear cushions, the **uvex K4** is exceptionally comfortable – while the eye-catching hi-vis design improves wearer visibility.



# working sustainably

**At uvex, we want to realise our vision of protecting people in a sustainable way. As a manufacturer with a high in-house production rate, we can influence most aspects of the value creation chain. In uvex plants, we've implemented almost 300 measures and projects to improve our sustainability performance.**



In production, we consider the environmental impact of all of our processes:

- over 90% of the energy we consume is green energy – generating annual CO<sub>2</sub> savings of more than 7000 tonnes
- our earplug production process is waterless and virtually CO<sub>2</sub>-neutral
- we have introduced complex energy recovery systems to reduce our energy consumption
- our safety shoe production department is certified in line with ISO-14001; this is the first area of our company to obtain this certification

For a number of years, uvex has followed its own social code, implemented a prohibited substances list and applied a comprehensive quality management system:

- binding social standard for all suppliers – based on globally recognised standards such as those of the ILO or SA 8000
- 85 regularly audited core suppliers
- consistent implementation of defined measures across the world by trained uvex employees
- more than 10,000 hazardous substances checks carried out each year along the entire value creation chain
- systems that surpass legal requirements
- 80 employees dedicated to ensuring that all products are of optimum quality
- 11 locations across the world with DIN-ISO-9001 certification



**As a family company, we place high value on continuity and the responsible use and deployment of social, environmental and economic resources – to protect our environment, society, and the health of our customers.**



# customer support

**We provide our customers with the information and support required to optimise product selection and to maximise the 'wearer experience', without compromise.**

uvex-safety is committed to the design and production of product ranges which respect the maxim that 'one size does not fit all' - enabling PPE solutions to be tailored to individual requirements - delivering absolute consistency of protection and performance levels.

We surround our products with an array of services with support PPE decision makers in selection and safety strategy implementation ensuring that PPE wearers derive maximum benefit in terms of protection and 'issue-free' wearability.





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## The Royal Australian Navy Alpine Snowsport team is protected by uvex

Protecting people who protect us – the perfect partnership uvex safety  
Australia and the Royal Australian Navy Alpine Snowsports team (NAS).

A partnership built on Leadership Quality Enthusiasm.

Whether in an industrial situation or on the top of a snowy mountain,  
both athletes and industrial workers deserve the most innovative  
protection available in the market today.

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