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protection contre les coupures et les coups de couteaux à
main (ISO 13998:2003)

Schutzbekleidung - Schürzen, Hosen und Westen zum
Schutz gegen Schnitte und Stiche durch Handmesser (ISO
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Foreword

This document (EN ISO 13998:2003) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 162, "Protective clothing including hand and arm protection and lifejackets", the secretariat of which is held by DIN, in collaboration with Technical Committee ISO/TC 94/SC 13 "Personal safety — Protective clothing and equipment".

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