



Description:

The 70040 Foot Grounders are specifically designed to identify operators who work in RoHS lead-free areas. They provide a continuous ground path between an operator and a properly grounded ESD protected flooring. These foot grounders are designed for use on standard shoes. They can be easily adjusted to fit most individuals. Desco's foot grounders have a lining that prevents carbon marks on shoes. Foot grounder model 70040 has a discrete one megohm resistor built into the contact strip. The product has been tested to ESD STM97.2 - Floor Materials and Footwear Voltage Measurement in Combination with a Person. It is a suitable ESD footwear component in Flooring - Footwear System when used as the primary grounding method (3.5×10^7 ohms per ESD STM 97.1 Floor Materials and Footwear-Resistance Measurement in Combination with a Person.)

Components:

- A. 0.152 cm thick, two-layer laminated rubber heel. Inner layer is green neoprene, and outer black layer is conductive neoprene.
- B. 0.952 cm wide, 76.2 cm long grey nylon ribbon contains 8 electrically conductive carbon suffused fibers, reversible, may be positioned on either side of foot.
- C. 0.952 cm wide green genuine "non-selvedged" Velcro® non-elastic hook material.
- D. 0.952 cm wide green genuine "non-selvedged" Velcro® stretch loop material, for quick and easy attachment to foot.

UL listed for safety and date coded.

Tab to cup resistance:
10E6 Ohms @ 100 volts



Notes:

"When the use of a wrist strap system is impractical, the [ESD] floor and [ESD] footwear shall be the primary means of ESD control. When the floor is used as part of a grounding system, a minimum of ... two feet shall provide a path to EPA ground." (EN 61340-5-1 paragraph 5.2.4 & 5.5)

"When ESD footwear is used, it should be noted that ESD footwear alone cannot achieve protection, but needs to be used in conjunction with a suitable ESID floor." (EN 61340-5-2 Paragraph 5.2.8 Footwear)

"When the footwear/floor systems are used as the primary means of grounding personnel, the resistance of the combination shall be determined by the ESD co-ordinator, and is recommended to be between 7.5×10^5 ohms and 3.5×10^7 ohms." (EN 61340-5-1 paragraph 5.2.8 "Table 1 NOTE 2")

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70040	Foot Ground, Heel, 1 megohm resistor, RTG: 10E6 Ohms

Our UL listed foot grounders are rated at 250 VAC. It is not recommended to use them where exposure to line voltages above 250 VAC is possible. **Caution:** The foot grounder is for ESD control. It will not reduce or increase your risk of receiving electric shock when using or working on electrical equipment.



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FOOT GROUND, HEEL, LEAD-FREE AREA



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