

Table 4 - Testing and Inspection Intervals for Electrical Equipment

(CAUTION: This page must be read in conjunction with AS/NZS53760:2010 as a whole, and particularly clause 2.1)

Type of Environment and/or Equipment (a)	Intervals between inspections and tests				
	Equipment including Class I and Class II equipment, cord sets, cord extensions sets and EPOD's (b)	Residual Current Devices (RCD's)			
		Push Button Test - By User		Operating Time and Push Button Test	
		Portable (c)	Fixed (c)	Portable (e)	Fixed (f)
1. Factories, workshops, places of work or repair, manufacturing, assembly, maintenance or fabrication.	6 months	Daily, or before everyuse, whichever is longer	6 months	12 months	12 months
2. Environment where the equipment or supply flexible cord is subjecting to flexing in normal us OR is open to abuse OR is in a hostile environment .	12 months	3 months	6 months	12 months	12 months
3. Environment where the equipment or supply cord is NOT subject to flexing in normal use and is NOT open to abuse and is NOT in a hostile environment .	5 years	3 months	6 months	2 years	2 years
4. Residential type areas: hotels, residential institutions, motels, boarding houses, halls, hostels accomidation houses, and the like.	2 years	6 months	6 months	2 years	2 years
5. Equipment used for commercial cleaning .	6 months	Daily, or defore each use, whichever is longer.	N/A	6 months	N/A
6. Hire equipment: Inspection	Prior to hire	Including push-button test by hirer prior to hire		N/A	N/A
Test and Tag	3 months	N/A		3 months	12 months
7. Repaired, serviced and second-hand equipment	After repair or service which could affect electrical safety, or on reintroduction to service, refer to AS/NZS 5762				