

Table 4 - Testing and Inspection Intervals for Electrical Equipment

(CAUTION: This page must read in conjunction with [AS/NZS3760:2010](#) as a whole, and particularly clause 2.1)

Type of environment and/or equipment (a)	Interval between inspection and test				
	Equipment including Class I and class II equipment, cord sets, cord extension sets and EPOD's	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 every use, which ever is the longer	6 months	12 months	12 months
2.) Environment where the equipment or supply flexible cord is subjected to flexing in normal use or is open to abuse 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 hostile environment.	5 Years	3 months	6 months	2 Years	2 Years
4.) Residential type areas: hotels, residential institutions, motels, boarding house, halls, hostels accommodation houses, and the like.	2 Years	6 months	6 months	2 Years	2 Years
5.) Equipment used for commercial cleaning	6 months	Daily or before every use, which ever is the longer	N/A	6 months	N/A
6.) Hire Equipment: Inspection Test and Tag	Prior to hire	Including push-button test by hirer prior to hire		N/A	N/A
	3 months	N/A		3 months	3 months
7.) Repaired, service and second-hand equipment.	After repair or service which could affect electrical safety, or on reintroduction to service. Refer to AS/MZS 5762.				