

Recall Summary – European Toys

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Alert No.	Notifying Country	Product	Product Photo	Hazard/ Risk	Measures Adopted
A12/0883/18	Spain	Plastic doll with accessories Country of origin: China		Chemical The plastic material of the doll's head contains bis (2-ethylhexyl phthalate (DEHP) (measured value more than 20% by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Import rejected at border
A12/0892/18	Hungary	Puzzle mat Country of origin: China		Choking The mat has detachable small parts. Small children could put the small parts in the mouth and choke on them. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Recall of the product from end users, Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0893/18	Spain	Toy guns Country of origin: China		Choking The suction cup of the projectile can easily detach. If a child puts the projectile in the mouth, the suction cup could detach and obstruct the airways. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive or the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border
A12/0895/18	Spain	Plastic doll with accessories Country of origin: China		Choking The sides of the cot and the zip slider of the bag come off easily, generating loose small parts. A child can put these small parts in the mouth, which may block the airways and cause choking. The product does not comply with the requirements of Toy Safety Directive or the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border

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A12/0897/18	Spain	Soft toy Country of origin: China		Choking Parts of the hands of the toy come off easily generating small parts. If a child puts them in the mouth, they may block the airways, causing choking. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive or the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border
A12/0898/18	Spain	Balls with elastic cord (yo-yo balls) Country of origin: China		Strangulation The balls have an elastic cord that is longer than the maximum permitted length. If a child wraps the cord around the neck, there is a risk of strangulation. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive or the relevant European standard, EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border
A12/0908/18	Italy	Slime toys Country of origin: China		Chemical The product contains boron (measured value up to 1103 mg/kg) and chromium VI (measured value up to 0.054 mg/kg). Ingestion or contact with an excessive quantity of boron may harm the health of children by damaging the reproductive system. Chromium (VI) is carcinogenic upon ingestion. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-3.	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures
A12/0913/18	Czech Republic	Plastic doll Country of origin: China		Chemical The plastic material of the doll's head contains bis (2-ethylhexyl phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 18 % by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A11/0053/18	Hungary	Tricycle Country of origin: China		Injuries There are accessible gaps between the moving elements of the tricycle. While driving the tricycle, the child's fingers might get trapped in the openings and the child could be injured due to the movement. The product does not comply with requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the European Standard EN 71-1.	Recall of the product from end users, Withdrawal of the product from the market

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A11/0054/18	Hungary	Tricycle Country of origin: China		Injuries There are accessible gaps between the moving elements of the tricycle. While driving the tricycle, the child's fingers might get trapped in the openings and the child could be injured due to the movement. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Recall of the product from end users, Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0916/18	Spain	Toy Xylophone Country of origin: China		Choking Small parts may easily detach from the toy. If a child puts these small parts in the mouth, they could block the airways. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border
A12/0917/18	Finland	Squeeze toy Country of origin: China		Choking Small parts of plastic material can be detached from the toy. A small child can put the small parts in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Recall of the product from end users
A12/0929/18	France	Kick Scooter Country of origin: China		Entrapment There are accessible gaps between moving parts of the scooter. As a consequence, fingers can become trapped. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Recall of the product from end users
A12/0930/18	France	Wooden toy train Country of origin: Unknown		Choking Small parts (coupling hooks, wheels of all the carriages, funnel of locomotive, tops of the locomotive and a carriage) can easily detach from the toy. A small child may put them in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Recall of the product from end users

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A12/0931/18	France	Water balloons Country of origin: China		Chemical The amount of nitrosatable substances released by the balloons is too high (measured value up to 1.78 mg/kg). Nitrosamines can be carcinogenic via inhalation, ingestion or dermal exposure. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0932/18	Spain	Toy Guitar Country of origin: China		Choking The pegs of the guitar come off easily, generating small parts. If a child puts the small parts in the mouth, it could block the child's airways. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border
A12/0933/18	France	Fidget Spinner Country of origin: China		Burns, Chemical The battery compartment can easily be opened without the use of any tools and the button cell batteries inside are easily accessible. The battery can also easily overheat if the parts with different polarities are short-circuited. Children might put the button batteries in the mouth and swallow them, causing damage to their gastrointestinal tract or they could suffer burns from the hot surface of the fidget spinner. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 62115.	Recall of the product from end users (By: Importer)
A12/0934/18	Spain	Beach Toy Country of origin: China		Choking The blue ice-cream mould breaks easily, generating small parts. If a child puts the small parts in the mouth, they could block the airways. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border

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A12/0935/18	Spain	Musical toy telephone Country of origin: China		Choking The number buttons come off easily, generating small parts. If a child puts these small parts in the mouth, they could block the airways. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border
A12/0940/18	Austria	Toy whistle Country of origin: China		Damage to hearing The sound level of the whistle is too high. If the toy is used close to the ear, it could cause damage to hearing. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0941/18	Austria	Toy whistle Country of origin: Germany		Damage to hearing The sound level of the whistle is too high. If the toy is used close to the ear, it could cause damage to hearing. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0946/18	Lithuania	Plastic doll Country of origin: China		Chemical The plastic material of the doll contains diisodecylphthalate (DIDP) (measured value: 13.3% by weight). This phthalate may cause possible damage to the liver. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures
A12/0947/18	United Kingdom	Children's fancy-dress costume Country of origin: China		Strangulation There are cords with free ends in the neck area of the fancy-dress costume. These can become trapped during various activities of a child, leading to strangulation. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European Standard EN 14682.	Recall of the product from end users (By: Importer)

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A12/0951/18	France	Pram chain Country of origin: Germany		Choking The wings of the fairies and other small parts detach easily. A small child might put them in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0953/18	Spain	Plastic doll with accessories Country of origin: China		Chemical The plastic material of the doll's head contains bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value more than 20 % by weight) and diisononylphthalate (DINP) (measured value: 10.8 % by weight). These phthalates may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system and the liver. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Import rejected at border
A12/0954/18	Austria	Toy dart game Country of origin: The Netherlands		Damage to hearing The sound level of the toy is too high. It could cause damage to hearing. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Recall of the product from end users
A12/0956/18	Spain	Wooden musical toys Country of origin: China		Choking Small parts can easily detach from the toys. Furthermore, the handle of the maracas rattle protrudes. A child could put the small parts or the protruding handle in the mouth, which could block the airways and cause choking. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border
A12/0959/18	France	Puzzle mat Country of origin: China		Choking Small parts can easily be detached from the toy. A small child may put them in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Recall of the product from end users

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A12/0964/18	Poland	Plastic doll Country of origin: China		Chemical The doll's head contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 7 % by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)
A12/0965/18	Germany	Wooden toy Country of origin: Hong Kong		Chemical The amount of nickel released from the hub caps on the wheels is too high (measured value: up to 9.96 µg/cm ² /week). Nickel is a strong sensitizer and can cause allergic reactions if present in articles that come into direct and prolonged contact with the skin. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Recall of the product from end users, Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)
A12/0966/18	Finland	Fidget spinner Country of origin: China		Injuries The battery compartment can easily be opened and the button cell batteries inside are easily accessible. Children might put them in the mouth and swallow them, causing damage to their gastrointestinal tract. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 62115.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0967/18	Poland	Plastic doll Country of origin: China		Chemical The dolls' head contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 17 % by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)

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A12/0968/18	Poland	Toy Guitar Country of origin: China		Strangulation The toy guitar is equipped with a strap intended to be worn fully or partially around the neck. The strap can get trapped during various activities of a child and create a loop around the child's neck. The absence of a quick release mechanism enabling the child to detach the strap can lead to strangulation. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)
A12/0969/18	Poland	Toy gun Country of origin: China		Choking The suction cup of the projectile can easily detach. If a child puts the projectile in the mouth, the suction cup could detach and obstruct the airways. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive or the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)
A12/0979/18	Poland	Toy Guitar Country of origin: China		Strangulation The strap of the toy guitar does not have a quick release mechanism. If worn around the neck, it could form a loop and become trapped, leading to strangulation. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)
A12/0980/18	Poland	Plastic rattle Country of origin: China		Choking The handle of the rattle is too long. A child may put it in the mouth where it could get stuck and obstruct the airways. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)
A12/0981/18	Poland	Plastic rattle Country of origin: China		Choking, Cuts The rattle's handle is too long. A child may put it in the mouth where it could get stuck and obstruct the airways. The toy has sharp edges that may cause cuts. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)

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A12/0982/18	The Netherlands	Wooden Toy Country of origin: India		Choking Small parts (the wheels) can easily detach from the toy. A young child may put a small part in the mouth, which could as a result get stuck and blocks the airways. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0985/18	The Netherlands	Balloons Country of origin: Spain		Chemical The amount of nitrosamines (0.13 mg/kg) released by the balloons is too high. Nitrosamines are genotoxic carcinogens via inhalation, ingestion or dermal exposure. A child can get exposed to them by putting the balloon in the mouth. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-12.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0986/18	The Netherlands	Balloons Country of origin: Spain		Chemical The amount of nitrosamines (0.11 mg/kg) released by the balloons is too high. Nitrosamines are genotoxic carcinogens via inhalation, ingestion or dermal exposure. A child can get exposed to them by putting the balloon in the mouth. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-12.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0987/18	The Netherlands	Balloons Country of origin: Mexico		Chemical The amount of nitrosamines (0.39 mg/kg) released by the balloons is too high. Nitrosamines are genotoxic carcinogens via inhalation, ingestion or dermal exposure. A child can get exposed to them by putting the balloon in the mouth. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-12.	Withdrawal of the product from the market

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A12/0988/18	The Netherlands	Balloons Country of origin: China		Chemical The amount of nitrosamines (0.14 mg/kg) and nitrosatable substances (3.22 mg/kg) released by the balloons is too high. Nitrosatable compounds can be converted into nitrosamines, which are genotoxic carcinogens via inhalation, ingestion or dermal exposure. A child can get exposed to them by putting the balloon in the mouth. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-12.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0989/18	The Netherlands	Balloons Country of origin: Mexico		Chemical The amount of nitrosamines (0.18 mg/kg) released by the balloons is too high. Nitrosamines are genotoxic carcinogens via inhalation, ingestion or dermal exposure. A child can get exposed to them by putting the balloon in the mouth. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-12.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0990/18	The Netherlands	Balloons Country of origin: China		Chemical The amount of nitrosamines (3.38 mg/kg) released by the balloons is too high. Nitrosamines are genotoxic carcinogens via inhalation, ingestion or dermal exposure. A child can get exposed to them by putting the balloon in the mouth. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-12.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0991/18	The Netherlands	Balloons Country of origin: China		Chemical The amount of nitrosatable substances (3.38 mg/kg) released by the balloons is too high. Nitrosatable compounds can be converted into nitrosamines, which are genotoxic carcinogens via inhalation, ingestion or dermal exposure. A child can get exposed to them by putting the balloon in the mouth. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-12.	Withdrawal of the product from the market

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A12/0992/18	Austria	Football horn Country of origin: China		Damage to hearing The sound pressure level of the toy is too high (>119 dB). This could lead to permanent impairment of hearing. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0994/18	The Netherlands	Balloons Country of origin: China		Chemical The amount of nitrosamines (14 mg/kg) and nitrosatable substances (12 mg/kg) released by the balloons is too high. Nitrosatable compounds can be converted into nitrosamines, which are genotoxic carcinogens via inhalation, ingestion or dermal exposure. A child can get exposed to them by putting the balloon in the mouth. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-12.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0995/18	The Netherlands	Balloons Country of origin: China		Chemical The amount of nitrosamines (0.7 mg/kg) and nitrosatable substances (3.7 mg/kg) released by the balloons is too high. Nitrosatable compounds can be converted into nitrosamines, which are genotoxic carcinogens via inhalation, ingestion or dermal exposure. A child can get exposed to them by putting the balloon in the mouth. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-12.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0996/18	The Netherlands	Balloons Country of origin: China		Chemical The amount of nitrosamines (0.14 mg/kg) and nitrosatable substances (1.12 mg/kg) released by the balloons is too high. Nitrosatable compounds can be converted into nitrosamines, which are genotoxic carcinogens via inhalation, ingestion or dermal exposure. A child can get exposed to them by putting the balloon in the mouth. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-12.	Withdrawal of the product from the market

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A12/0997/18	Italy	Finger paint kit Country of origin: China		Microbiological The total count of aerobic bacteria in the dark blue paint is too high (measured quantity: 4x10 ⁵ cfu/ml), among which some opportunistic pathogens were detected. These bacteria represent a risk of contracting infections as the product may come in contact with open wounds, mouth, hands or eyes. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive.	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures
A11/0060/18	Hungary	Tricycle Country of origin: China		Injuries There are accessible gaps between the moving elements of the tricycle. While using the tricycle, the child's fingers might get trapped in the openings and be injured due to the movement. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Recall of the product from end users, Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/0999/18	Spain	Toy shopping trolley Country of origin: China		Choking The wheels of the trolley break easily, generating small parts. A child could put these in the mouth and choke on them. The product does not comply with the Toy Safety Directive or the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border
A12/1000/18	Spain	Toy gun Country of origin: China		Choking The suction cups on the bullets come off easily. A child could put them in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border
A12/1001/18	Spain	Toy kitchen set Country of origin: China		Choking Several small parts easily detach from the different utensils. A child could put one of these in the mouth and choke on them. The product does not comply with the Toy Safety Directive and the requirements of the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border

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A12/1002/18	Spain	Beach toy set Country of origin: China		Choking Several components of the kit break, creating small parts. A child may put the small parts in the mouth and choke on them. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border
A12/1004/18	Croatia	Plastic doll Country of origin: China		Chemical The doll contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value 7.4 % by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Destruction of the product, Import rejected at border
A12/1008/18	Austria	Referee kit Country of origin: China		Choking, Damage to hearing The sound pressure level of the toy is too high (>125 dB). This could lead to permanent impairment of hearing. In addition, the whistle can easily detach from the lanyard. A child could put it in the mouth and choke on it. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/1012/18	Austria	Referee kit Country of origin: Unknown		Damage to hearing The sound pressure level of the toy is too high (>118 dB). This could lead to permanent impairment of hearing. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/1015/18	Austria	Whistle Country of origin: Belgium		Damage to hearing The sound pressure level of the toy is too high (>122 dB). This could lead to permanent impairment of hearing. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market

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A12/1022/18	Austria	Squeezable toy Country of origin: Germany		Choking Small parts (the legs and wings) can easily be detached from the toy. A small child could put the small parts in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European Standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/1024/18	The Netherlands	Balloons Country of origin: Spain		Chemical The amount of nitrosamines (0.15 mg/kg) released by the balloons is too high. Nitrosamines are carcinogenic via inhalation, ingestion or dermal exposure. A child can get exposed to them by putting the balloon in the mouth. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European Standard EN 71-12.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/1025/18	The Netherlands	Soft toy Country of origin: China		Choking The eyes can easily detach from the soft toys, generating small parts. A small child may put them in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/1029/18	The Netherlands	Educational toy Country of origin: China		Choking Small parts can easily detach from the toy. A small child may put them in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/1030/18	The Netherlands	Wooden toy Country of origin: China		Choking Small parts can easily detach from the toy. A small child may put them in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures

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A12/1031/18	The Netherlands	Soft toy Country of origin: China		Choking The eye(s) of the tiger can be easily detached. A child could put them in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures
A12/1032/18	The Netherlands	Musical toy Country of origin: China		Suffocation The propeller can break easily, generating a small part. A small child may put the small part in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive or the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures
A12/1033/18	Poland	Toy Dog Country of origin: China		Chemical, choking The battery compartment can easily be opened without the use of any tools and the button cell batteries become easily accessible. A child might put them in the mouth and swallow them, causing choking or damage to the gastrointestinal tract. Furthermore, small parts may be detached from the toy. A small child may put them in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standards EN 62115 and EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)
A12/1036/18	Cyprus	Toy gun set Country of origin: China		Choking The suction cups of the projectiles can easily detach. A child could put them in the mouth and choke on them. The product does not comply with the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European Standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/1037/18	Cyprus	Toy gun set Country of origin: China		Choking The suction cups can detach easily from the projectiles. A child could put them in the mouth and choke on them. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European Standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market

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A12/1038/18	Cyprus	Chemical Country of origin: China		Chemical The button batteries are easily accessible as they are loose inside the packaging of the toy. Small children could put them in the mouth, causing damage to internal organs including the oesophagus and the stomach. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standards EN 62115.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/1041/18	Cyprus	Plastic doll Country of origin: China		Chemical The button batteries are easily accessible as they are loose inside the packaging of the toy. A small child may put these in the mouth, which could cause damage to the child's gastrointestinal tract or choking if swallowed. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 62115.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/1045/18	Spain	Beach toy set Country of origin: China		Choking Different parts of the toy can break, generating small parts. A child can put the small part in the mouth, where it could block the airways. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border
A12/1046/18	Spain	Plastic doll set Country of origin: China		Chemical The plastic material of the doll contains di (2-ethylhexyl phthalate (DEHP) (measured value more than 20% by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Import rejected at border
A12/1049/18	Poland	Toy bow and arrow set Country of origin: China		Choking The suction cup of the projectiles can easily detach. If a child puts a projectile in the mouth, the suction cup could detach and obstruct the airways. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)

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A12/1052/18	Lithuania	Plastic toy aeroplane Country of origin: China		Choking Various small parts can be detached from the toy. A child may put a small part into the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures
A12/1055/18	Czech Republic	Plastic doll Country of origin: China		Chemical The plastic material of the doll contains di (2-ethylhexyl phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 15.4 % by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/1056/18	Czech Republic	Plastic doll Country of origin: China		Chemical The plastic material of the doll's head contains di (2-ethylhexyl phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 14.9 % by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/1057/18	The Netherlands	Wooden toy Country of origin: Thailand		Choking Small parts can come loose from the toy. A small child may put them in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A11/0061/18	France	Rattle ball Country of origin: China		Choking The inner fibrous stuffing material is easily accessible through the seam. A child could take out the stuffing, put it in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the Toys Directive.	Recall of the product from end users

Alert No.	Notifying Country	Product	Product Photo	Hazard/ Risk	Measures Adopted
A11/0062/18	France	Soft toy Country of origin: Unknown		Choking The seams on the back of the unicorn are too weak. They could be easily opened, making the fibrous stuffing material accessible. A child may take out the stuffing, put it in the mouth and choke on it. The product does not comply with the Toy Safety Directive and the requirements of the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Recall of the product from end users
A11/0064/18	France	Bath toy with LEDs Country of origin: Unknown		Damage to sight The lights of the red and blue LED are too powerful. Direct viewing of the lights could damage sight. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 62115.	Recall of the product from end users

RAPEX – Rapid Exchange of Information System

The Rapid Alert System enables the rapid exchange of information (RAPEX) between **31 European countries** and the European Commission on non-food dangerous products found on the market posing a risk to health and safety of consumers.

A weekly overview of the alerts on those products is published in English for free on <http://ec.europa.eu/rapex>. The measures taken in the notifying country in order to restrict their marketing or use can be ordered by national authorities ("compulsory measures") or be taken directly by producers and distributors ("voluntary measures").

The official contact points of the Member and EFTA-EEA States provide the information published in these weekly overviews. Under the terms of Annex II.10 of the General Product Safety Directive (**2001/95/EC**) responsibility for the information provided lies with the notifying party. The Commission does not take any responsibility for the accuracy of the information provided.

Recall Summary – US Toys / Children’s Products

CPSC Recall List (Jul 2018)

Recall No.	Notifying Country	Product	Product Photo	Hazard/ Risk	Remedy
18-188	US	Children’s pajamas Country of origin: China		Burning The children’s pajamas fail to meet the flammability standard for children’s sleepwear, posing a risk of burn injuries to children.	Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled sleepwear, take it away from children and contact the manufacturer for a full refund.

*Source: www.recalls.gov

CPSC

The United States Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) is an independent agency of the United States government. To provide better service in alerting the American people to unsafe, hazardous or defective products, a “one stop shop” for U.S. Government recalls, www.recalls.gov, has been created. Publics can report unsafe products to CPSC by using the platform.

The recall list is divided into seven categories: Consumer Products, Motor Vehicles, Boats, Food, Medicine, Cosmetics and Environmental Products. Generally, the recall was conducted, voluntarily by the company, under CPSC’s Fast Track Recall program. Fast Track recalls are initiated by firms who commit to work with CPSC to quickly announce the recall and remedy to protect consumers.

STC (The Hong Kong Standards and Testing Centre) is a not-for-profit, independent testing, inspection and certification organization. With a global network of ISO/IEC 17025 accredited testing laboratories and over 50 years of experience in consumer product testing, we can meet your conformity assessment needs with highly efficient and reliable service. Our testing scope and capabilities related to toys and children's products include but not limited to:

EU Requirements

- EN 71
- Phthalates (EC) no. 1907/2006
- Nickel Release (EC) no. 1907/2006
- Total Cadmium (EEC) no. 91/338
- Lead in Jewellery product (EC) no. 836/2012
- Azo-dye (EC) no. 1907/2006
- Bisphenol-A (2014/81/EU)
- DMF (Dimethylfumarate) (EU) no. 2011/135
- Flame retardants TCEP, TCPP, TDCP (2014/79/EU)
- Package Waste Directive (94/62/EC)

US & Canada Requirements

- ASTM F963
- CPSIA
- California Proposition 65
- 16 CFR 1501
- ASTM F2923 (Children's jewellery)
- ASTM F2999 (Adult's jewellery)
- US Toxic in Packaging Clearinghouse (TPCH)
- CCPSA - Toys Regulations (SOR/2011-17)

Japan Requirements

- Japan Toy Safety Standard (ST)
- Japan Food Sanitation Law (JFSL)

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