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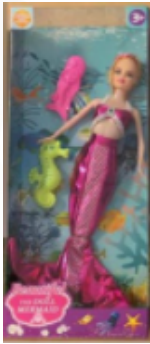



Alert No.	Notifying Country	Product	Product Photo	Hazard/ Risk	Measures Adopted
A12/1017/17	Spain	Plastic toy boat Country of origin: China		Choking The small plastic anchor comes off the boat, generating a small part. A small child may put it in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN71-1.	Import rejected at border (By: Importer)
A12/1018/17	Spain	Foam ball Country of origin: China		Choking Small pieces can easily be torn from the ball. 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 EN71-1.	Import rejected at border (By: Importer)
A12/1019/17	Slovakia	Soft Toy Country of origin: China		Choking The eyes, the nose and the bell can easily be detached from the toy. A small child may put these 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 EN71-1.	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures. Warning consumers of the risks (By: Retailer)
A12/1021/17	Slovakia	Soft Toy Country of origin: China		Choking The eyes and the bell can easily detach from the toy. A small child may put these 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.	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures (By: Distributor)





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A12/1022/17	France	Soft Toy Country of origin: Ukraine		Choking, Injuries The small magnet with a high magnetic flux and the fibrous stuffing material are accessible due to the weakness of certain seams. Both can be put in the mouth and swallowed by small children, causing choking. If a child swallows the magnet and other metal objects, they could attract each other, causing intestinal blockage or perforation. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive or European standard EN71-1.	Recall of the product from end users (By: Retailer)
A12/1023/17	France	Toy bow and arrow Country of origin: China		Injuries The kinetic energy of the projectiles fired from the crossbow is too high which can lead to eye injuries. 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 (By: Distributor)
A12/1024/17	Slovakia	Soft Toy Country of origin: China		Choking The eyes, the nose and the bell can easily be detached from the toy. A small child may put these 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 EN71-1.	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures. Warning consumers of the risks (By: Retailer)
A12/1028/17	Poland	Rattle Country of origin: China		Choking The rattle may break and release small parts which can be swallowed by small children. 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)

Alert No.	Notifying Country	Product	Product Photo	Hazard/ Risk	Measures Adopted
A12/1031/17	Spain	Toy drum Country of origin: China		Choking Small parts (springs) can detach easily from the drum. 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.	Import rejected at border (By: Retailer)
A12/1038/17	United Kingdom	Expandable toy Country of origin: China		Choking, Injuries The tail can be easily torn from the unicorn and may be put into the mouth and swallowed by children. As the toy expands, it can cause fatal occlusion of the respiratory track or intestinal blockage of children. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Destruction of the product (By: Manufacturer)
A12/1044/17	Poland	Toy gun set Country of origin: China		Choking The suction cups can easily detach from the projectiles. If a child puts the projectile in the mouth, for instance in order to wet it so that it sticks better to a surface, the suction cup may 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)
A12/1046/17	France	Children's garden rake Country of origin: Germany		Injuries The teeth of the rake are not sufficiently protected. A child playing with the rake may injure itself of the projecting parts in such a way that the rake's teeth pierce the skin or even puncture on organ. 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 (By: Importer)

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A12/1048/17	The Netherlands	Bath Toys Country of origin: China		Choking The suction cups can easily be detached from the toy, 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
A12/1049/17	The Netherlands	Children's jigsaw Country of origin: China		Choking Small parts can easily detach from the jigsaw. A small child may put them in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toys Safety Directive and the relevant European Standard EN 71-1.	Recall of the product from end users (By: Distributor)
A12/1050/17	Spain	Musical toy Country of origin: China		Choking The wheels can easily break, releasing small parts. A small child could put these small parts in the mouth and choke on them. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toys Safety Directive and the relevant European Standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border
A12/1052/17	Spain	Beach set Country of origin: China		Choking Small pieces of plastic can detach from the toy lorry. A child could put them in the mouth and choke on them. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toys Safety Directive and the relevant European Standard EN 71-1.	Import rejected at border (By: Importer):
A12/1056/17	Spain	Ride-on toy Country of origin: China		Cuts, Injuries The horse is not sufficiently stable and tilts easily so a child could fall off. In addition, the toy has a sharp part (washer), which could cause cuts. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toys Safety Directive and the relevant European Standard EN 71-1.	Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)

Alert No.	Notifying Country	Product	Product Photo	Hazard/ Risk	Measures Adopted
A12/1060/17	Spain	Plastic doll Country of origin: China		Chemical The plastic material of the doll contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: >20% by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP, and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles.	Import rejected at border (By: Importer)
A12/1064/17	Poland	Rattle for pushchair Country of origin: China		Choking The cord breaks easily, generating small parts (beads). 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.	Warning consumers of the risks, Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)
A12/1066/17	Spain	Plastic doll Country of origin: China		Chemical The plastic material of the doll contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: >20% by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles.	Import rejected at border (By: Importer)
A12/1072/17	United Kingdom	Ride-on toy Country of origin: China		Injuries The plush fabric of the toy can easily be removed and allow access to the internal mechanical parts and driving mechanism. If inserting extremities and moving the toy at the same time, a child may suffer injuries through crushing or pinching between moving parts. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standards EN 71-1.	Destruction of the product (By: Importer)

Alert No.	Notifying Country	Product	Product Photo	Hazard/ Risk	Measures Adopted
A12/1074/17	Spain	Beach toy set Country of origin: China		Choking The pin holding the bucket handle can break easily. A small child may put this small part 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.	Import rejected at border
A12/1075/17	Spain	Plastic doll Country of origin: China		Chemical The plastic material of the dolls' heads contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value >20 % by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. The doll with reference 9061 also contains di-isononyl phthalate (DINP) (measured value: 6.27 % by weight). According to the REACH Regulation, the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while the phthalates DINP, DNOP and DIDP are prohibited in toys and childcare articles that can be placed in the mouth by children.	Import rejected at border
A12/1077/17	Spain	Toy xylophone Country of origin: China		Choking The white pins connecting the sound bars to the base detach easily, 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.	Import rejected at border
A12/1080/17	Malta	Doll Country of origin: Spain		Chemical The doll's shoes contain di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value 17.4 % by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. According to the REACH Regulation, the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles.	Recall of the product from end users (By: Importer)

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A12/1081/17	Malta	Plastic doll Country of origin: China		Chemical The elastic hairbands contain di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value 0.15% by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles.	Recall of the product from end users (By: Importer)
A12/1083/17	Czech Republic	Rattle toy Country of origin: China		Choking The ball closing the ring can break easily, generating small parts. A small child can 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
A11/0111/17	Slovakia	Soft toy Country of origin: China		Choking The fibrous stuffing material of the toy is easily accessible due to the weakness of certain seams. The stuffing material may cause choking if put in the mouth by children. 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,

*Source: <http://ec.europa.eu/rapex>

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.

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Recall Summary – US Toys / Children Products

CPSC Recall List (August 2017)

Recall No.	Notifying Country	Product	Product Photo	Hazard/ Risk	Remedy
17-192	U.S.	Children's magnetic building sets Country of origin: China		Choking The building sets corner welds can break, allowing the panels and frames to separate and release magnets during play. When released, exposed magnets can create a choking hazard.	Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled building sets and take them away from children. Contact the firm to receive a prepaid shipping label for returning the recalled sets for a free replacement set including shipping.
17-207	U.S.	Rattle toy Country of origin: China		Choking The wooden rings on the hammer rattles can crack	Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled baby rattles and contact BRIO for instructions on how to receive a full refund or a replacement product of similar value.
17-216	U.S.	Baby plush stacking toys Country of origin: China		Choking The toys have fabric hats and bows that can detach	Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled toys and take them away from children. Contact Hallmark to receive a prepaid shipping label for returning the recalled toy and for a \$40 Hallmark Gold Crown gift card.

*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.

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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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