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Recall Summary – European Toys

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Alert No.	Notifying	Product	Product Photo	Hazard/ Risk	Measures
A11/00061/21	Country Poland	Toy Scooter (Country of Origin: China)		Entrapment There are accessible gaps between moving parts of the scooter's handlebar. Consequently, a finger of a child may be trapped and injured. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety	Adopted Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/01152/21	Slovakia	Children's Cot (Country of Origin: Poland)		Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1. Injury The locking mechanism of the drop side may not work properly and the distance between the floor and the drop side in its lowest position is too small. This may cause injury to children	Recall of the product from end users
A12/01155/21	Poland	Pull-along Toy		playing next to the bed unattended. The product does not comply with the requirements of the General Product Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 716-1. Choking, Strangulation Small parts can easily detach	Withdrawal of the product
		(Country of Origin: China)		(caterpillar's feelers). Consequently, a small child may put them in the mouth and choke on them. Furthermore, the cord of the toy is too long. It may get wrapped around a child's neck and lead to strangulation. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	from the market
A12/01161/21	Latvia	Finger Magnet (Country of Origin: China)		Injury The product has a high magnetic flux and can easily break into fragments. If a child swallows two or more of them and/or other metallic objects, they could attract one another causing intestinal blockage or perforation. 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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A12/01166/21	Poland	Toy Scooter		Entrapment, Injury	Withdrawal of
				There are accessible gaps between	the product
		(Country of		moving parts of the scooter's	from the
		Origin: China)		handlebar. Consequently, a finger of a	market
				child may be trapped and injured. The	
			9	wheels are too small and could get	
			SI	stuck in holes on the ground.	
				Additionally, the scooter's frame lacks	
				the mark indicating the minimal	
				insertion depth of the handlebar, which	
				might be insufficiently inserted and	
				detached while a child is riding the	
				scooter. In both cases, a child can lose	
				balance and fall off, leading to injuries.	
				The product does not comply with the	
				requirements of the Toy Safety	
				Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	
A11/00062/21	Denmark	Wooden			Withdrawal of
ATT/00062/21	Dennialk	Swing		Entrapment, Injury The product has accessible openings	the product
		Swing	10-10-1	and accessible holes, in which children	from the
		(Country of	8	can be trapped or get injured. The	market
		Origin:	8 8	product does not comply with the	market
		Unknown)		requirements of the Toy Safety	
		Officitiowiti)		Directive and the relevant European	
				standard EN 71-8.	
A12/01187/21	Poland	Plastic Toy	1 2 1 2 1	Strangulation	Withdrawal of
				The toy is elastic and can be	the product
		(Country of	A STAN	considerably stretched during use. A	from the
		Origin: China)	Company and Company	child could swing the toy around the	market
			ALC SUSS/	head and twist it around the neck,	
				causing strangulation. The product	
				does not comply with the requirements	
				of the Toy Safety Directive and the	
				relevant European standard EN 71-1.	
A12/01188/21	Poland	Toy Tent	1	Cut, Fire, Injury	Withdrawal of
			NAMES DEA DIRECTAMER	The product poses a risk of fire due to	the product
		(Country of	RAMESEDLADITULIA	the high flammability of the material of	from the
		Origin: China)		the tent. If a child is inside the tent	market
			And the second s	while it catches fire, the child in it may	
			A manufacture of the	suffer burns. A child may also break the	
				tent's frame and get injured or cut	
				because of sharp elements of the	
				broken frame. The product does not	
				comply with the requirements of the	
				Toy Safety Directive and the relevant	
				European standards EN 71-1 and	
				EN 71-2.	





A12/01195/21	Croatia	Soft Toy	The second secon	Choking	Destruction of
		(Country of Origin: China)		Due to the weakness of certain seams, the fibrous stuffing material of the toy is easily accessible. Furthermore, small parts (plastic eyes) can detach from the toy. A child may put the stuffing or 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.	the product
A12/01199/21	Hungary	Plastic Doll (Country of Origin: China)	Shee See	Chemical The product contains an excessive amount of di-2-ethylhexyl phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 33% by weight) and dibutyl phthalate (DBP) (measured value: 0.15% by weight). These phthalates may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to their reproductive system. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Recall of the product from end users
A12/01201/21	Hungary	Plastic Doll Set (Country of Origin: China)		Chemical The product contains an excessive amount of di-2-ethylhexyl phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 27% by weight) and dibutyl phthalate (DBP) (measured value: 0.14% by weight). These phthalates may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to their reproductive system. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Recall of the product from end users
A12/01208/21	Denmark	Wooden Rattle (Country of Origin: Denmark)	- Contraction of the second se	Choking, Injury The product has a protruding part. If a child puts the toy in the mouth and falls face down, the protruding part could obstruct the airways, causing choking and injuries around the pharynx or trachea area. 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
A12/01209/21	Denmark	Wooden Rattle (Country of Origin: Unknown)	Scheibenring Britstate Bri	Choking The small parts (in the rings) can easily detach. A small child may 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.	Recall of the product from end users



A12/0121C/21	Deland	M/bistle Terr	 Chaling	Mith drawal of
A12/01216/21	Poland	Whistle Toy (Country of Origin: China)	Choking The toy is too small. A child can put it in the mouth and choke on it. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety	Withdrawal of the product from the market
			Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	
A12/01217/21	Poland	Toy Guitar (Country of Origin: China)	Chemical, Choking, Strangulation The toy breaks easily and releases small plastic parts. A child may put them in the mouth and choke on them. The battery compartment can be easily opened, leaving batteries accessible. A child may ingest them, which could cause damages to the gastrointestinal tract. Finally, the strap of the toy guitar has no quick release mechanism. If worn around the neck, it could form a loop and be trapped, leading to strangulation. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standards EN 71-1 and EN 62115.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/01218/21	Poland	Plastic Toy (Country of Origin: China)	Chemical, Choking The battery compartment can be easily opened, leaving batteries accessible. A child may put them in the mouth and ingest them, which may lead to choking if they enter the airways, or could cause damages to the 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
A12/01221/21	Finland	Plush Toy (Country of Origin: China)	Choking The product has small parts (the eye of the snake) which can easily detach. A child may put them in the mouth and choke on them. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and of the relevant European standard EN 71-1.	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures
A12/01222/21	Finland	Key Ring (Country of Origin: China)	Choking The product has a small part (key chain) that can easily detach. A child may 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.	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures

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A12/01226/21	Poland	Plastic Doll (Country of Origin: China)	Firmats	Chemical The toy contains bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: up to 17.9% 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
A11/00066/21	Denmark	Trampoline Sprinkler (Country of Origin: Sweden)		Injury The product lacks the instructions for use and a warning label to warn against using the trampoline in wet conditions. When the trampoline gets wet, it can cause injuries. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standards EN71-1, 2 and 3.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/01234/21	Poland	Plastic Doll (Country of Origin: Unknown)		Chemical The toy contains bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: up to 40.6% 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
A12/01235/21	Lithuania	Plastic Doll (Country of Origin: China)		Chemical The plastic material of the product contains an excessive amount of bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) and Di-n-octyl phthalate (DNOP) (measured values: up to 47% and 3.7% by weight, respectively). These phthalates may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to their reproductive system. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.	Withdrawal of the product from the market
A12/01241/21	The Netherlands	Pacifier Clip (Country of Origin: The Netherlands)	Carologica Carol	Choking The product can easily break releasing small parts. A small child may put them in the mouth and choke on them. The product does not comply with the requirements of the General Product Safety Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 12586.	Withdrawal of the product from the market

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A12/01242/21	The	Toy Bow and		Choking	Withdrawal of
	Netherlands	Arrows		The arrows' suction cups can be easily	the product
		(Country of		detached. If a child puts them in the mouth, the suction cups could detach	from the market
		· /			market
		Origin: China)	and obstruct the airways. The produc		
				does not comply with the requirements	
				of the Toy Safety Directive and with the	
				relevant European standard EN 71-1.	
A12/01243/21	The	Wooden		Choking	Withdrawal of
A12/01243/21	The Netherlands	Wooden Carrousel		Choking Small parts (the buttons) can easily	Withdrawal of the product
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A12/01243/21				Small parts (the buttons) can easily	the product
A12/01243/21		Carrousel		Small parts (the buttons) can easily detach from the toy. A small child may	the product from the
A12/01243/21		Carrousel (Country of		Small parts (the buttons) can easily detach from the toy. A small child may put them in the mouth and choke on	the product from the
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Safety Gate: the EU rapid alert system for dangerous non-food products

"Safety Gate", the EU rapid alert system (formerly known as "RAPEX"), enables the rapid exchange of information 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 https://ec.europa.eu/safety-gatealerts/screen/webReport#weeklyReports. 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's Products

CPSC Recall List (Aug 2021)

Recall No.	Notifying Country	Product	Product Photo	Hazard/ Risk	Remedy
21-181	USA	Teether Rings with Decorative Fabric and Plush Attachments (Country of Origin: China)	8 8 8 8 8 8	Choking The finished wooden ring can break into small parts, posing a choking hazard	Consumers should immediately take the recalled teethers away from children and contact Hallmark to receive a \$25 gift card towards any product at Hallmark Gold Crown Stores or online
21-183	USA	Mountain Bicycles (Country of Origin: Indonesia)	O'Ò	Fall and Crash The bottom bracket can break during use, causing the user to lose control, posing fall and crash hazards.	Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled bicycles and contact Marin Bikes for instructions on receiving a free replacement bottom bracket and scheduling a free repair.
21-185	USA	8-Pack Scent Stamper Pens (Country of Origin: China)		Skin Irritation The purple Scent Stamper Pen has elevated levels of benzyl alcohol, posing a risk of skin irritation.	Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled Stamper Pens and return them to a Primark store for a full refund.
21-187	USA	Tucker & Tate Children's Socks (Country of Origin: China)		Choking The sock's pom pom can detach, posing a choking hazard to young children.	Customers should immediately stop using the recalled children's socks and contact Nordstrom to receive a full refund.
21-188	USA	Ocean and Safari Animal Wooden Tray Puzzles (Country of Origin: Thailand)		Choking The octopus and elephant puzzle pieces can break, posing a choking hazard to young children.	Consumers should immediately take the recalled puzzles away from children and contact Wee Gallery for a refund in the form of a \$35 gift certificate for the purchase of any Wee Gallery product.



21-773	USA	Rossignol 2018 and 2019 Model Year All Track DH Bicycles (Country of Origin: Taiwan)	OFO	Fall Cracks can form at the head tube area of the bicycle, where the fork connects to the bicycle. This can cause the frame to fail and allow the fork and front wheel to unexpectedly separate from the rest of the bicycle, posing a fall hazard to riders.	Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled bicycles and contact Rossignol for information on receiving a free replacement front triangle of the bicycle frame. Rossignol is contacting all known purchasers directly to arrange for free replacement parts and installation.
21-775	USA	Infant Bath Seats (Country of Origin: China)	8	Drowning The bath seats fail to meet the federal safety standard for infant bath seats, including requirements for stability and leg openings, and can tip over while in use, posing a drowning hazard to babies.	Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled infant bath seats and contact Frieyss for instructions on returning the bath seats with free shipping to receive a full refund. Frieyss is contacting all known purchasers directly.
21-777	USA	"Cutie Spoovel" Children's Eating Utensils (Country of Origin: China)		Choking The handle of the Cutie Spoovel utensil can break off and release small parts, posing a choking hazard to young children.	Consumers should immediately take the recalled utensils away from children, dispose of them, and contact Ryan and Rose to receive a full refund or a \$20 shop credit. Ryan and Rose is directly notifying all known purchasers of the product recall.

*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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Recall Summary – Australia Toys / Children's Products

ACCC Recall List (Aug 2021)

PRA No.	Notifying Country	Product	Product Photo	Hazard/ Risk	Remedy
2021/19145	Australia	Montessori Barbell- shaped and Cage-shaped Wooden Rattles		Suffocation Hazard The rattles do not meet the requirements of the mandatory standard "Consumer Protection Notice No. 14 of 2003 - Consumer Product Safety Standard: Toys for children up to and including 36 months of age". Small parts may pose a choking or suffocation hazard for young children, which can lead to severe injury or death.	Consumers should dispose of the rattles and contact Little Ones Collective for a refund. Consumers are asked to notify Little Ones Collective so that the safe disposal of the products can be monitored.
2021/19146	Australia	Wooden Rattles Toys, Available in Two Different Designs		Suffocation Hazard The product may not comply with the size and shape requirements of the mandatory safety standard "Consumer Protection Notice No. 14 of 2003 - Consumer Product Safety Standard: Toys for children up to and including 36 months of age". The product may pose a choking or suffocation hazard for young children, which can lead to severe injury or death.	Consumers should dispose of the rattles and contact Little Ones Collective for a refund. Consumers are asked to notify Little Ones Collective so that the safe disposal of the products can be monitored.
2021/19148	Australia	Doona Liki Foldable Trikes Liki Trike S1 - Flame Red Model no: SP550RG Liki Trike S3 - Flame Red Model no: SP510FR Liki Trike S5 - Racing Green Model no: SP530FR		Injury and Fall These products have some of the features of a stroller, but are unsafe for use as a stroller to transport children as they do not have the safety features required under the mandatory standard "Consumer Product Safety Standard for Prams and Strollers (Consumer Protection Notice No 8 of 2007, as amended on 14 February 2019)". If used as a stroller to transport children, the products may cause injury to a child if the product rolls in an uncontrolled manner or if the child falls out of the product.	Consumers should contact Mighty Ape Australia via email to arrange for the product to be returned for a refund. Mighty Ape will provide a return reference and label for the product to be returned at no cost to the consumer.

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2021/19153	Australia	Zippie Voyage Early Intervention Stroller Model No: EIZ16, EIZ18 Serial No : ZV1-007000- ZV1-016036, ZV18-000001- ZV18-002220 and ZV18- 02062 GTIN: 000169580536 47 Model No: EIZ14 Serial No: ZV- 001340 to ZV- 006153 GTIN: N/A	Injury and Fall The seating system is not adequately attached to the stroller base. The seating system may slide off the base and fall to the ground. If the seating system falls, this may result in an injury to a child.	Sunrise Medical will contact affected consumers in writing to arrange and provide a repair kit that will include a new safety tether.
2021/19155	Australia	Magnetic balls	Internal Injury The product contains small, high- powered magnets. The product exceeds the maximum allowable magnetic flux index set by the permanent ban on certain small, high powered magnets, prescribed in Consumer Protection Notice No 5 of 2012 "Imposition of permanent ban on small, high powered magnets". If a child swallows more than one small, high powered magnets. If a child swallows more than one small, high powered magnet, the magnets can stick together across the walls of the child's intestine or other digestive tissues, which can lead to internal injuries and even death. The magnets may pose a choking hazard to young children (small parts).	Consumers should immediately stop using the product and contact Pixie's Fidgets to receive a full refund of the purchase price.





2021/19182	Australia	Mamakiddies Happy Dino Portable		Risk of Entrapment and Falls The product does not comply with the mandatory standard "Trade	Consumers should immediately stop using the portable
		Travel Cot	DINO-BLUE	Practices Act 1974 - Consumer Protection Notice No.4 of 2008 - Consumer Product Safety Standard for Children's Portable Folding Cots."	travel cot and contact Pharmrec Trading Pty Ltd to arrange for a replacement or a full refund.
				The portable travel cot poses a risk of entrapment and falls, which could result in serious injury or death of an infant or a young child.	

Australian Product Safety System

The Australian product safety system is to maximize the safety of good by the cooperation of consumers, businesses and agencies. This policy sets out the principles adopted by the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) for prioritizing and addressing product safety risks.

Under the Australian Consumer Law, a responsible Minister can order a compulsory recall when there are hazards on the products. A voluntary recall could be conducted to remove the product from the marketplace when the suppliers become aware of unsafe or defective products.

The ACCC administers a national recalls system for recalls of specific and general consumer products, and publishes all product recalls on the website https://www.productsafety.gov.au/recalls.

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STC (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)

Australia Requirements

- AS/NZS 8124
- Consumer Protection Notice No. 6 of 2010 DEHP

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