

Safety Alert

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In this report, we bring together information on mandatory and voluntary consumer product recalls originated from China, HongKong and Taiwan, which are issued by governmental bodies from Europe, USA and Canada. For businesses, notably for product manufacturers, this report aims to enable them to move more swiftly to address a safety problem, thereby reducing the number of incidents causing injury, and the costs associated with them. This could lower the safety risks, which could, in turn, lower insurance costs for producers.



Situation in last two weeks

An overview is given of notifications by product category and type of risk from October 25, 2014 to November 7, 2014. It should be noted that some notified products presenting more than one risk. Numbers of notification by product category are:

- Children's products & toys (24)
- Electrical & electronics (18)
- Softlines(8)
- Hardlines (6)
- Miscellaneous (2)

Figure 1. Numbers of notifications by product category

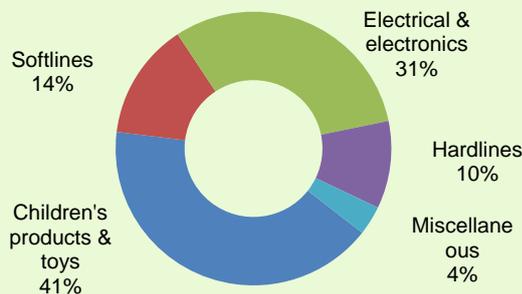
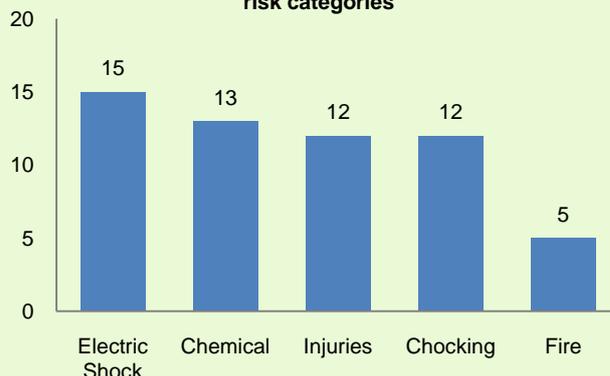


Figure 2. The five most frequently notified risk categories



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Details for product notification

Product Category: Children's products and toys			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Czech Republic	<p>Product: Pull-along toy</p> <p>Brand: Huang Da</p> <p>Name: Funny - Pull Line Play Set</p> <p>Type/number of model: Item No. 2201 , Item No 4515598 (on label)</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode:8713145157981</p> <p>Description: Pull-along toy with two wagons with wheels. The first wagon is in the shape of an animal and the second wagon is a blue plastic moving house. The product is supplied in a cardboard box with transparent plastic parts in the front.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Choking</p> <p>The small ears of the plastic animal and a small ball in the wheels can easily detach. If small children put them in the mouth, they may obstruct the airways.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive, and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures</p>
EU/United Kingdom	<p>Product: Wooden maracas</p> <p>Brand: Wilko</p> <p>Name: Wooden Maracas</p> <p>Type/number of model: 130828</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 3197189</p> <p>Description: Three decorative designs of wooden maracas - bee, ladybird and caterpillar.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Choking</p> <p>The design of the maracas could easily be confused with a baby's rattle due to the bright colours and size. The handle of the maracas is too long: children may put it in the mouth where it may 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.</p>	<p>Voluntary measures:</p> <p>Recall of the product from end users</p>

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Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Latvia	<p>Product: Rattle</p> <p>Brand: Unknown</p> <p>Name: Bao Bei Zhiyue</p> <p>Type/number of model: REF: 13923</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 5901680139231</p> <p>Description: Plastic rattle in the form of a violin, yellow/red with a green ball.The rattle is supplied in transparent packaging.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Choking</p> <p>The handle of the rattle is too long: children may put it in the mouth where it may 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.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Temporary ban on the supply, offer to supply and display of the product</p>
EU/Finland	<p>Product: Soft toy with suction cup</p> <p>Brand: Tykkimäki</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: Article No. 20130005</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: A soft toy soldier dressed in a camouflage uniform with a hat and black shoes. On the hat there is a red star. A suction cup is attached to the hat of the soldier with a white string.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical, Choking</p> <p>The product contains 30% by weight of di(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage of the reproductive system. According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles. The transparent plastic suction cup can be easily detached. 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.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Import rejected at border</p>

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EU/Finland	<p>Product: Soft toy with suction cup</p> <p>Brand: Tykkimäki</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: Article No. 20130006</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Yellow and turquoise plush toy horses. Yellow horse has a light red mane and tail and the turquoise horse has yellow mane and tail, both made of yarn. Horses have white muzzle and brown hooves. Eyes are stitched. On the side of the horses is written: "I love you". A transparent suction cup is attached to the head of a horse with a white string.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Choking, Chemical</p> <p>The transparent plastic suction cup can be easily detached, a small 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. The product contains 31% by weight of di (2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage of the reproductive system. According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Import rejected at border</p>
EU/Latvia	<p>Product: Toy truck</p> <p>Brand: Goo Toys</p> <p>Name: Sand Toys</p> <p>Type/number of model: Item No. 114635/139-3</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 2011031146351</p> <p>Description: Plastic toy truck with tools in various colours, to play in the sand. The product is supplied in a mesh bag with a label attached.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Choking</p> <p>A small plastic ring can easily detach. If small children put it in the mouth, it can 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.</p>	<p>Voluntary measures:</p> <p>Destruction of the product</p>

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EU/Finland	<p>Product: Bouncing animals</p> <p>Brand: Unknown</p> <p>Name: Pomppuponi (Bouncing Pony)</p> <p>Type/number of model: Article no. 245729</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Bar code: 6410412457295</p> <p>Description: Rubber bouncing animals in the form of a pink pony and a zebra. The pink bouncing pony has a white mane and tail and a black saddle. The bouncing zebra has a black mane and tail and no saddle. Both have black hooves and black bridle.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Choking, Strangulation</p> <p>The small air valve can easily come off. A small child could put it in the mouth and choke on it. The bridles, which can also come off easily, may form a large flat loop. It is possible for a child to get caught in the loop while playing and this may cause strangulation. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Import rejected at border</p>
EU/Spain	<p>Product: Toy car</p> <p>Brand: Menta Limón</p> <p>Name: Racing team -502 Racer</p> <p>Type/number of model: M - 14103</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 8435217601979</p> <p>Description: All terrain toy vehicle. Description of packaging: plastic bag. On the top of the bag there is the wording 'Toys' and a label with the importer details, reference and barcode.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Choking</p> <p>The toy may break easily releasing small parts. If the small parts are placed in the mouth by children and swallowed there is a risk of choking. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Import rejected at border</p>

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Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Spain	<p>Product: Soft toy with key-ring</p> <p>Brand: Menta Limón</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model:</p> <p>Ref.N° :14240/14245/14246/14252/14256/14260/14261/14264/14268/14270 .</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 8435217602068, 8435217602075, 8435217602082,, 8435217602099, 8435717602105, 8435217602112,, 8435217602129, 8435217602136, 8435217602143 , 8435217602150</p> <p>Description: Key-rings in the form of different soft toy animals, ending in a suction cup. A label is attached indicating the importer's details, the model and the barcode. Packages for wholesale contain 20 units.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Choking</p> <p>The eyes, nose and suction cup of the toys can be detached easily and put in the mouth by small children, which could pose a risk of choking. In addition, at least one unit in each package, regardless of the model of toy, comes with open seams, leaving the fibrous material used to stuff the toy accessible. A child could put the filling in his/her mouth, which would cause an obstruction to the airways. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Import rejected at border</p>
EU/Italy	<p>Product: Toy rifle with accessories</p> <p>Brand: Cigioki</p> <p>Name: Forze Speciali (Special Forces)</p> <p>Type/number of model: Unknown</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 8034048114544</p> <p>Description: Rifle with accessories, including projectiles and suction cups, supplied in a cardboard and plastic packaging.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The suction cups in the projectiles contain di-2-ethylhexyl phthalate (DEHP) above the permitted levels (measured value: 16% 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.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures</p>

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Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Lithuania	<p>Product: High-chair</p> <p>Brand: Unknown</p> <p>Name: STAR Baby</p> <p>Type/number of model: HC31-4 (Blue), HC31-5 (Green), HC31-6 (Green)</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 4752062029074, 4752062029081, 4752062029098</p> <p>Description: Folding high-chair available in three different models and colours. The product has a padded seat and backrest and removable tray, footrest flap and two wheels at the rear. The product has security fasteners for the shoulders, waist and crotch, with plastic buckles. The chair has the following dimensions: length 67.5 cm, depth 78 cm, height 98.5 cm, weight 10 kg. It is packed in a cardboard box.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Injuries</p> <p>The footrest flap is not sufficiently resistant and if the child stands on it, it may tip downwards and the child could fall. Moveable parts and gaps are accessible to children who may put their fingers inside, with a risk of injuries and entrapment. The locking mechanism of the moving parts is not sufficiently resistant and may not ensure stability while the child is on the high-chair. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14988.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures</p>
EU/Italy	<p>Product: Plastic doll</p> <p>Brand: Cigioki</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: Unknown</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 8034048066961</p> <p>Description: Doll in green dress with flower patterns, supplied in blue cardboard packaging with plastic display.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The head of the doll contains di-2-ethylhexyl phthalate (DEHP) above the permitted levels (measured value: 28% 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.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures</p>

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EU/Latvia	<p>Product: Inflatable swim seat</p> <p>Brand: Unknown</p> <p>Name: Baby Boat</p> <p>Type/number of model: Unknown</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Inflatable swim seat (size 62x46 cm (24"x18")) in red colour with colourful printed decorations, packed in a transparent bag. In the package there is a leaflet with an age warning symbol.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Drowning</p> <p>Children may capsize in the seat and their head may go under water. Swim seats must not give the impression that they are toys and must not have child attractive appearance. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 13138-3.</p>	<p>Voluntary measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market, Destruction of the product</p> <p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Temporary ban on the supply, offer to supply and display of the product</p>
EU/Latvia	<p>Product: Toy pushchair</p> <p>Brand: KAI YUAN DA TOYS</p> <p>Name: Doll Stroller</p> <p>Type/number of model: REF:17338</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 5901680173389</p> <p>Description: Pink toy pushchair for dolls with pink printed textile seat. The frame of the pushchair is made of metal and plastic parts. The product is packaged in a plastic bag with an attached sticker.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Injuries</p> <p>The pushchair collapses easily when pressure is applied to the seat, with consequent risk of injury due to entrapment, mainly of fingers, between moving parts. The free pipe ends of the pushchair frame have abrasive edges which could cause injuries. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European Standard EN 71-1.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>

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EU/Italy	<p>Product: Toy police set</p> <p>Brand: Cigioki</p> <p>Name: Set Polizia</p> <p>Type/number of model: Unknown</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 8034048114582</p> <p>Description: The toy consists of four pistols with related accessories, presented in plastic packaging.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product 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. According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures</p>
EU/Italy	<p>Product: Toy rifle and accessories set</p> <p>Brand: Cigioki</p> <p>Name: Set Speciale Polizia</p> <p>Type/number of model: Unknown</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 8034048114605</p> <p>Description: The toy consists of a rifle with related accessories, presented in plastic packaging.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 3% 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.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures</p>

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Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Spain	<p>Product: Inflatable beach ball</p> <p>Brand: ATOSA</p> <p>Name: Beach Ball- SpongeBob</p> <p>Type/number of model: Ref. 87693</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 8422259083320</p> <p>Description: Inflatable beach ball with SpongeBob design.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Choking</p> <p>The air-valve cap detaches easily from the ball and if placed in the mouth by small children there is a risk of choking. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>
EU/Germany	<p>Product: Plastic toy duck</p> <p>Brand: KIG</p> <p>Name: Yo Yo Duck</p> <p>Type/number of model: Article No 330/0700</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Lot: 10187, 4250052672335</p> <p>Description: Toy duck made of soft plastic, containing a ball with motion-activated light. An elastic cord with a rubber ring is attached to the duck. The product is supplied without packaging, a label is attached.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Choking</p> <p>The plastic of the duck can easily tear off leaving the small flashing ball accessible. If put in the mouth by small children, it may cause choking. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.</p>	<p>Voluntary measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p> <p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Recall of the product from end users</p>

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Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Czech Republic	<p>Product: Squeeze toy</p> <p>Brand: EXCLAIMED TOY</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: ITEM NO: TN40535</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: EAN: 8418868405356</p> <p>Description: Plastic squeeze toy in the form of a shark in blue colour with a white belly, 28 cm long.</p> <p>Packaging: white plastic net with paper label.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The plastic material of the toy contains bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) above the permitted levels (measured value: 3.2% 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.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>
EU/Czech Republic	<p>Product: Squeeze toy</p> <p>Brand: Unknown</p> <p>Name: Screaming animal</p> <p>Type/number of model: ITEM NO:TN 40537</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: EAN : 8418868405370</p> <p>Description: Plastic yellow squeeze toy in the shape of a seahorse with white chest and black/white eyes, about 20 cm, packed in plastic net.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The plastic material of the toy contains bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) above the permitted levels (measured value: 9.7% 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.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>

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Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Slovakia	<p>Product: Set of plastic dolls</p> <p>Brand: Unknown</p> <p>Name: Fashion doll</p> <p>Type/number of model: NO.228 (on the package) STC293316 (on the label)</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 6991202933163 (on the label)</p> <p>Description: Set of two plastic dolls, a man in a suit and a woman in a dress. Packed in a transparent plastic blister with a paper back.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The dolls contain bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured values up to 32.6% 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.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures, Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users</p>
EU/Czech Republic	<p>Product: Charms for loom bands</p> <p>Brand: Unknown</p> <p>Name: Colourful Accessories - Endless Flexible</p> <p>Type/number of model: Unknown</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: EAN: 3905000009701</p> <p>Description: 18 pieces of colourful loom band charms in soft plastic, different shapes and colours (hearts, flowers, butterflies, stars etc.).</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The charms contain bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) above the permitted level (measured value: 6.8% by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage of the reproductive system. According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>

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EU/Latvia	<p>Product: Plastic doll</p> <p>Brand: Gong Sheng Toys</p> <p>Name: Hello Baby</p> <p>Type/number of model: No.391, Art No.: 62310002</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 4752067048780</p> <p>Description: Plastic man doll in a red suit. The product is supplied in a transparent plastic bag with a cardboard tag on the top.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product contains di-n-octylphthalate (DNOP) above the permitted levels (measured value: 26.4% by weight). According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DINP, DNOP and DIDP are prohibited in toys or childcare articles that can be placed in the mouth by children.</p>	<p>Voluntary measures:</p> <p>Destruction of the product</p>
EU/Finland	<p>Product: Plush toy</p> <p>Brand: Spen</p> <p>Name: Souvenirs From Finland</p> <p>Type/number of model: Article number: 9167/J03-2</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 6426600091677</p> <p>Description: A reindeer plush toy made of grey and white fake fur. The hooves are dark brown. The reindeer has plastic eyes and a white beard. The legs have a metal wire inside of them.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Choking</p> <p>The small plastic eyes can easily come off. If small children put them in the mouth, they may obstruct the airways. In addition, the metal wire inside the legs can easily break: this may lead to accessible sharp metal edges which could cause injuries. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Import rejected at border</p>

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Product Category: Electrical and electronics			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Slovakia	<p>Product: Night light</p> <p>Brand: GMC</p> <p>Name: Lampka Nocna</p> <p>Type/number of model: LAMPA3</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Night light with an integrated mains plug and a power switch. The light shade is made of textile material. Packed in a transparent plastic blister with cardboard backing.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>The light shade and the bulb can be removed by hand when the night light is plugged into a mains socket outlet. As a result, live parts can be touched during bulb replacement. The material of the lamp is not resistant to heat and may deform. As a result, the user may have direct access to live parts. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant standard EN 60598.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures,</p> <p>Warning consumers of the risks</p>
EU/Slovakia	<p>Product: Night light</p> <p>Brand: Huayu</p> <p>Name: Moon Lamp</p> <p>Type/number of model: QS-05</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Night light with an integrated mains plug and a power switch. Packed in a transparent plastic blister.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>The light shade and the bulb can be removed by hand when the night light is plugged into a mains socket outlet. As a result, live parts can be touched during bulb replacement. The material of the lamp is not resistant to heat and may deform. As a result, the user may have direct access to live parts. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant standard EN 60598.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures,</p> <p>Warning consumers of the risks</p>

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Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Hungary	<p>Product: Hair straightener</p> <p>Brand: Brown</p> <p>Name: Ion Hair-Perming Appliance</p> <p>Type/number of model: SY-618</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Hair straightener with blue plastic housing and white ceramic plates. Packaging: colourful cardboard box.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock, Fire</p> <p>Wires with only basic insulation are accessible and the dimensions of the plug are not correct. As a result, live parts of the product may become accessible for users. The cross sectional area of the core of the wires is less than required and in case of a short circuit the internal wires may overheat. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60335.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users</p>
EU/Hungary	<p>Product: Hair straightener</p> <p>Brand: Tycoon</p> <p>Name: Electric Ionic Hair Straightening Iron</p> <p>Type/number of model: TY-288</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 6 932346 818886</p> <p>Description: Hair straightener with blue plastic housing and white ceramic plate. Packaging: colourful cardboard box.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock, Fire</p> <p>Wires with only basic insulation are accessible and the dimensions of the plug are not correct. As a result, live parts of the product may become accessible for users. The cross sectional area of the core of the wires is less than required and in case of a short circuit the internal wires may overheat. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60335.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users</p>

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Product Category: Electrical and electronics			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Hungary	<p>Product: Head torch</p> <p>Brand: DN (Dong Nan)</p> <p>Name: Multipurpose Head Lamp</p> <p>Type/number of model: LD-078C</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 6 945324 40019</p> <p>Description: LED head torch supplied with a charger ("TRAVEL CHARGER" with marking: S/N:uR2W415HS/T). Packaging: cardboard box.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>The electrical insulation of the charger is inadequate. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60335.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>
EU/Hungary	<p>Product: Night light</p> <p>Brand: Phenom</p> <p>Name: Night Light with Switch</p> <p>Type/number of model: JBB-DJ03 (on the product), 20262 (on the packaging), 20262OR (on the label)</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 5 999552 698306</p> <p>Description: Night light which can be plugged directly into a socket outlet. Blister packaging.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>The lamp cover and the bulb can be removed when the night light is plugged into a mains socket outlet. As a result, live parts can be touched during bulb replacement. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60598.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>

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Product Category: Electrical and electronics			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Hungary	<p>Product: Light bulb</p> <p>Brand: Radium</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: C7 E12</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Incandescent light bulb with E12 cap.</p> <p>Packaging: blue cardboard box.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>The light bulb has an E12 cap. Live parts become accessible when the light bulb is used in a different sized lamp holder. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60432.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users</p>
EU/Slovakia	<p>Product: Night light</p> <p>Brand: Horoz Electric</p> <p>Name: Energy Saving Fluorescent Night Light</p> <p>Type/number of model: HL 985</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 5901477322549</p> <p>Description: Night light with a yellow plastic base, with an integrated mains plug and power switch. Packed in a transparent plastic blister with cardboard backing.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>The material of the lamp is not resistant to heat and may deform. As a result, the user may have direct access to live parts. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 61598.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users</p>

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Product Category: Electrical and electronics			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Slovakia	<p>Product: Night light</p> <p>Brand: Horoz Electric</p> <p>Name: LED Night Lamp</p> <p>Type/number of model: HL 991L</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 5901477322617</p> <p>Description: Night light with a white plastic base, with an integrated mains plug and power switch. Packed in a transparent plastic blister with cardboard backing.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>The cover can be easily separated from the base. The material of the lamp is not resistant to heat and may deform. As a result of both defects, the user may have direct access to live parts. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 61598.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users, Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures</p>
EU/Finland	<p>Product: LED Lamp</p> <p>Brand: Zodiak</p> <p>Name: LED lamppu</p> <p>Type/number of model: SELB21-6</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 6438168079875</p> <p>Description: LED lamp. Sold in a white cardboard box. Electrical specifications: DR - 6W - E27, 220-240V, 50/60 Hz, 60mA, 3000 K.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>The insulation of the LED lamp is not sufficient and the creepage distance from the live parts to the accessible metal frame is not sufficient. A person can touch part of the product that is at live due to the defects and receive an electric shock and be electrocuted. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60598.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users</p>

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Product Category: Electrical and electronics			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Finland	<p>Product: MP3 player with battery charger</p> <p>Brand: König</p> <p>Name: Cassette shaped MP3 player</p> <p>Type/number of model: Battery charger n° : LD-005</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 5412810111749</p> <p>Description: Cassette shaped MP3 player supplied with a battery charger. Sold in a white transparent package. Electrical specifications: Input:100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz Output: DC 5V, 500mA</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>The insulation of the battery charger supplied with the MP3 professional music player is not sufficient, furthermore the creepage distance between the primary and secondary winding is not sufficient. A person can touch part of the product that is at live due to the defects, receive an electric shock and be electrocuted. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standards EN 60065 and EN 50075.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users</p>
EU/Spain	<p>Product: Outdoor lamp</p> <p>Brand: Happy Garden</p> <p>Name: Lanterna - per esterno</p> <p>Type/number of model: 507565</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 8015361323288</p> <p>Description: Outdoor luminaire, with protective grille, 60W, E27, 230V, 50Hz, IP54. It comes in a cardboard box bearing the wording "Lanterna per esterno. Happy Garden".</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>A large amount of water can infiltrate the interior of the product thus accessing live parts. If touched, it could cause an electric shock. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60598.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>

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Product Category: Electrical and electronics			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Spain	<p>Product: Power supply with USB ports</p> <p>Brand: König</p> <p>Name: High Performance USB Hub</p> <p>Type/number of model: CMP-USBHUB56 and CMP-USB2HUB50</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Adapter/charger, with four or seven USB ports, intended for use with tablet computers. It is packed in a clear plastic blister pack.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Fire</p> <p>The plastic housing of the product is not sufficiently resistant to catching fire. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 61598.</p>	<p>Voluntary measures:</p> <p>Recall of the product from end users</p>
EU/Hungary	<p>Product: Portable radio</p> <p>Brand: LEOTEC</p> <p>Name: Obsessed With Sound</p> <p>Type/number of model: LT-Q2</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 2010101600021</p> <p>Description: FM/MW/SW portable radio, made of black and silver plastic with a telescopic metal antenna. The radio operates both on mains and batteries (UM-1). Dimensions of product: 7 cm x 17 cm x 12 cm Technical parameters: AC 220V / 50Hz; DC 3V (UM-1 x 2); IP20; CLASS II. The product is supplied in colourful cardboard box.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>The product poses a risk of electric shock because: - the soldered wire connections at mains voltage are not mechanically secured and can thus become free; - the terminals of the plug inside the product casing unit can be touched; - the live parts of the mains cable can be touched since the dimensions of the socket outlet and the flat plug are not suitable. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60065.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users</p>

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Product Category: Electrical and electronics			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Finland	<p>Product: External hard drive with power supply</p> <p>Brand: König</p> <p>Name: USB2.0 to IDE/S-ATA adapter</p> <p>Type/number of model: Model n° : 34W-5-12</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 5412810111749</p> <p>Description: External hard drive supplied with a power supply unit. Sold in a white cardboard box. Electrical specifications: 100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 0.5 A, Class I. Output: 12 V d.c., 2 A; 5 V d.c., 2 A.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>The insulation of the power supply unit is not sufficient, furthermore the clearance /creepage distances between the primary and secondary circuits are not sufficient. A person can touch part of the product that is at live due to the defects, receive an electric shock and be electrocuted. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60950.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users</p>
EU/France	<p>Product: USB power supply</p> <p>Brand: Casa</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: Casa: 460411 (Jays model SD-0505006)</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 2000004604110</p> <p>Description: Black plastic adapter with mains plug (entry) and USB port (exit). Blister pack.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Electric shock</p> <p>The electrical insulation is not adequate. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 61558.</p>	<p>Voluntary measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users</p>

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Product Category: Electrical and electronics			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
USA	<p>Product: Flashlight</p> <p>Brand: Unknown</p> <p>Name: Flashlight</p> <p>Type/number of model: Unknown</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: The projector is a flashlight with cap that holds special lenses to project messages and images onto a wall or other surfaces. The flashlight handle is black with the word Halloween and pictures of a skull and a jack o' lantern printed in white.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>The flashlight can overheat and melt the plastic handle, posing a burn risk to the user.</p>	<p>Consumers should immediately stop using the flashlight, remove the batteries and return it to the customer service desk at any Meijer store or contact Meijer for a full refund.</p>
USA	<p>Product: USB Chargers</p> <p>Brand: Unknown</p> <p>Name: 3-in-1 USB phone charger</p> <p>Type/number of model: USB29B</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: The 3-in-1 USB charging cable is used to charge iPhone4S/4G/3GS/3G, iPhone5, iPad mini/iPad4 and android phones. The 10-foot white cord has a USB plug on one end. The other end has 3 plugs: 30-pin plug for the iPad First Generation and iPhone 4S and earlier models; Lightning plug for the iPhone5 and later models and the iPad 2 and later models; and mini USB plug.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>The charger can overheat while in use, posing a fire hazard.</p>	<p>No injuries or property damage were reported. Authorities didn't immediately take measures.</p>

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Product Category: Softlines			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Hungary	<p>Product: Children's sleeveless jacket</p> <p>Brand: H&S</p> <p>Name: Mellény ("vest")</p> <p>Type/number of model: L-832C</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Sleeveless jacket for children with hood and two pockets. The removable hood is decorated with artificial fur and has an elastic drawstring with plastic toggles. When the hood opening is at its largest, the drawstring forms a protruding loop. Size: 98-128.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Strangulation</p> <p>The product has protruding loops and toggles in the neck area that could become caught, causing the child to be strangled. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users</p>
EU/Cyprus	<p>Product: Girls' bikini</p> <p>Brand: Power Flower</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: F542</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Green bikini intended for children of 5-6 years. The bikini has functional cords in the neck and in the waist areas.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Strangulation, Injuries</p> <p>The functional cords in the neck and in the waist areas can become trapped during various activities of the children, causing strangulation or injuries. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>

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Product Category: Softlines			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Romania	<p>Product: Children's clothing set</p> <p>Brand: Happy Tree</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: HR 9612</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Purple sport suit intended for children up to 3 years, consisting of two pieces in purple colour. The top has two pockets and a zipper, and on the front there is the inscription "High School Fashion". The top also has a hood that has a sliding cord of 230 mm in length with free ends provided with metal accessories.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Strangulation</p> <p>The product has drawstrings in the hood which can easily become trapped in fixed objects if the child moves quickly causing the child to be strangled. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>
EU/Ireland	<p>Product: Children's cardigan</p> <p>Brand: Young Dimension</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: 7708121 , 7708138</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Children's cream-coloured duffle cardigan with long belt attached at one side.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Injuries</p> <p>The belt in the waist is too long and could pose accidental entrapment leading to injuries.</p>	<p>Voluntary measures:</p> <p>Recall of the product from end users</p>

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Product Category: Softlines			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Cyprus	<p>Product: Children's shorts</p> <p>Brand: Alex & Paul</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: YL-ALEX/GSH 50300</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Shorts in light blue colour intended for children up to 12 years of age. The garment has two decorative cords in the waist area, with an approximative length of 300 mm.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Injuries</p> <p>The product has decorative cords in the waist area which can become trapped during various activities of a child. A loop can be created and injuries to the child may occur. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>
EU/Cyprus	<p>Product: Children's clothing set</p> <p>Brand: Bouny Baby</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: Art.: AH-2215</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: Children's clothing set consisting of a white t-shirt and multi-coloured short trousers intended for children up to 6 years old. The trousers have two functional cords in the waist area.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Injuries</p> <p>The functional cords in the waist of the trousers may become trapped during various activities of a child, causing injuries. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>

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Product Category: Softlines			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Finland	<p>Product: Work gloves</p> <p>Brand: Würth Blue</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: Item N° : WP106ASA</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 6416562336220</p> <p>Description: Work gloves made of white and black leather with light brown textile trimmings. The text "Würth blue" is printed on the wrist.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The products pose a chemical risk because the white leather contains Chromium (VI) (measured value: up to 5.5 mg/kg). Chromium (VI) is classified as sensitising and may trigger allergic reactions. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Personal Protective Equipment Directive.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Import rejected at border</p>
EU/Spain	<p>Product: Girls' bikini</p> <p>Brand: TRIBORD</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: Item no 1813.125, Ref. 707.804</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 3608459815601</p> <p>Description: Girls' bikini without packaging. The lower part of the bikini is pink with a decoration on one side and decorative cords in the waist area. The top is also pink with a decorative fringe. The bikini is intended for girls around 10 years of age.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Injuries</p> <p>The long cords in the waist area of the bikini may become trapped during various activities of children, causing injuries. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>

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Product Category: Hardlines			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Finland	<p>Product: Trolley jack</p> <p>Brand: AWD</p> <p>Name: Floor Jack</p> <p>Type/number of model: 135-330 mm, 2000 kg, AWD009002</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: EAN 6418914616080; 2014-1-15</p> <p>Description: Trolley jack, red frame, standing on 4 black plastic wheels.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Injuries</p> <p>The jack, when it is loaded with the rated load, lowers too fast and in an uncontrolled manner which could lead to the user being injured. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Machinery Directive and the relevant European standard EN 1494.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>
EU/Finland	<p>Product: Decorative fireplace</p> <p>Brand: Mastermark</p> <p>Name: Tabletop fireplace</p> <p>Type/number of model: Article n° : T27582A4X/WY840B-20</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: 6430023003681</p> <p>Description: The tabletop fire consists of a black iron base and clear cover glass. The bioethanol tank is made of stainless steel and is placed in the middle of iron base. This tabletop fire includes white decorative stones and an extinguisher. White decorative stones are adjusted on the iron base round fuel tank. Cover glass is 17 cm long and base is 10 cm.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Burns, Fire</p> <p>The table fire has an unsafe structure: the fuel tank leaks from its upper junction when it is filled full. The leaked fuel may get into the space with stones, in which case the decorative stones made difficult to extinguish the fire. That may lead to a situation where flames can cause burns and fire.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Import rejected at border</p>

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Product Category: Hardlines			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Finland	<p>Product: Trolley jack</p> <p>Brand: Tamforce</p> <p>Name: Hydraulic trolley jack</p> <p>Type/number of model: LC22001, 127-330 mm, 2000 kg</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Serial number: kll1307005155, EAN-code: 64328410221</p> <p>Description: Trolley jack. red frame, standing on 4 black plastic wheels.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Injuries</p> <p>The jack, when it is loaded with the rated load, lowers too fast and in an uncontrolled manner which could lead to the user being injured. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Machinery Directive and the relevant European standard EN 1494.</p>	<p>Voluntary measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>
EU/Finland	<p>Product: Trolley jack</p> <p>Brand: Motoral</p> <p>Name: 2000 kg Hallinosturi</p> <p>Type/number of model: Mplus 2000, TA820012, 50644020, 135-330 mm</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Serial number: 2013007965, EAN 6417196620563</p> <p>Description: Trolley jack with black frame, standing on 4 black plastic wheels.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Injuries</p> <p>The jack, when it is loaded with the rated load, lowers too fast and in an uncontrolled manner which could lead to the user being injured. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Machinery Directive and the relevant European standard EN 1494.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>

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Product Category: Hardlines			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
USA	<p>Product: Folding lounge chair</p> <p>Brand: Unknown</p> <p>Name: 4Seasons folding lounge chair</p> <p>Type/number of model: 400085136029, 400085136036, 400085136043</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: The chairs are made of steel tube frames and textilene fabric with attached head cushion in orange, turquoise or brown. The chairs are approximately 3 feet 6 inches tall.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>The chair can tip or recline too quickly, posing a fall hazard.</p>	<p>Consumers should stop using the chairs and should destroy them by carefully cutting out a 5 inch by 5 inch piece of the fabric on the seat of the chair, rendering the chairs unusable, and removing the manufacturer's tag from the back of the chair. 4Seasons will provide a full refund to all consumers who present the cut-out fabric and tag.</p>
USA	<p>Product: Modular Storage Bars</p> <p>Brand: Unknown</p> <p>Name: Modular Storage Bars</p> <p>Type/number of model: 491996 (long) and 491997 (short)</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: The recall includes wall-mounted storage bars made of medium-density fiberboard with an oak wood finish that allow hanging storage accessories to be attached. The storage bars were sold in two sizes; long and short. The long bar is 36 inches in length and the short bar is 23.5 inches in length.</p> <p>Country of origin: Hong Kong</p> 	<p>When weight is applied to the storage bar, the screws holding the mounting plate can pull out of the bar allowing the storage bar to fall, posing an injury hazard.</p>	<p>Consumers should immediately stop using the storage bars and return them to any Cost Plus World Market or World Market store for a free replacement.</p>

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Product Category: Miscellaneous			
Notifying country	Product	Risk	Measures adopted by notifying country
EU/Germany	<p>Product: Tattoo ink set</p> <p>Brand: Hao Tattoo</p> <p>Name: 1)Bright Black 2)True Magenta 3)Dark Chocolate</p> <p>Type/number of model: Unknown</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>Description: A tattoo ink set, total of 54 x 5 ml. plastic bottles fitted with a dropper attachment and self-adhesive labels.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The products contains arsenic, lead, aromatic amine 4-methyl-m-phenylendiamine, cooper and nickel above the permitted levels (measured values: arsenic: up to 8.78 mg/kg; lead: up to 14.2 mg/kg; aromatic amines: up to 3600 mg/kg; copper: up to 163 mg/kg; nickel:36.1 mg/kg). According to the Council of Europe Resolution ResAP (2008) on requirements and criteria for the safety of tattoos and permanent make-up, the levels of lead and arsenic should not exceed 2 mg/kg, whereas the nickel levels in tattoo inks must be as low as technically achievable as nickel has a high allergenic potential. Aromatic Amines as 4-methyl-m-phenylendiamine with carcinogenic effects should neither be present in tattoos and permanent make-up products nor released from azo-colourants.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Import rejected at border, Other</p>
EU/Italy	<p>Product: Single-use tattoo needle with grip</p> <p>Brand: Professional Body Supply</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: Lot.: 0614, Ref.: 1007RL, 2017/06</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Lot.: 0614</p> <p>Description: Tattoo needle with grip declared as sterile and for single use in medical packaging backed with plasticised card; the lot number, sterilisation process (EO gas), expiry date and brand are given on the packaging.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Microbiological</p> <p>The sterilisation of the product is deficient, consequently when the needle is injected into the skin, there is a risk that micro-organisms, including pathogens, enter the body and produce an infection. The products do not comply with the relevant national legislation.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures:</p> <p>Import rejected at border</p>