

Children's Product Recall Trends Report

For EU, USA and AUS
2021 Quarter 4



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EU – Type of Risks & Number of Cases Reported



Physical risks

Type of risks	No. of cases reported
Choking, Suffocation	3
Choking	2
Injuries	2
Suffocation	2
Damage to sight, Injuries	1
Entrapment, Suffocation	1
Strangulation	1



Chemical risks

Type of risks	No. of cases reported
Bisphenol A	6



EU – Countries / Territories with Most Notifications Submitted

- For this quarter, 7 of the 30 EEA member countries submitted a total of 18 notifications for children’s products.
- France (6) has the most number of notifications
- Other EU countries include: Austria, Hungary and Portugal with 1 notification each.



France (6)



Ireland (4)



Finland (3)



Denmark (2)



Other EU countries (3)

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USA – Type of Risks & Number of Cases Reported

Type of risks		No. of cases reported
Fall		1
Drowning		1



USA – Recall Figures



1 Injury reported.

10+
THOUSAND units
(approximately 0.78%) of the affected products were children's products



25 reports received

1.28+
MILLION units affected by recalls across all product industries*



USD 35 to USD 250 unit cost per recalled product

* Hardlines, softlines, toys & children's products



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AUS – Type of Risks & Number of Cases Reported

Type of risks		No. of cases reported
Choking, injury or death	  	1

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Reference Links

- [Weekly Safety Gate report](#)
- [List of Safety Gate contact points](#)
- [Guideline for management of Safety Gate](#)



CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

Reference Links

- Recent CPSC Recall: <http://www.cpsc.gov/en/Recalls/>
- CPSC Recall Handbook: <http://www.cpsc.gov//PageFiles/106141/8002.pdf>
- CPSC Violations: <https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/Violations/>

Source: Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC), <http://www.cpsc.gov/>



PRODUCT SAFETY AUSTRALIA

Reference Links

- Recent Product Safety Australia Recall: <http://www.recalls.gov.au/>