

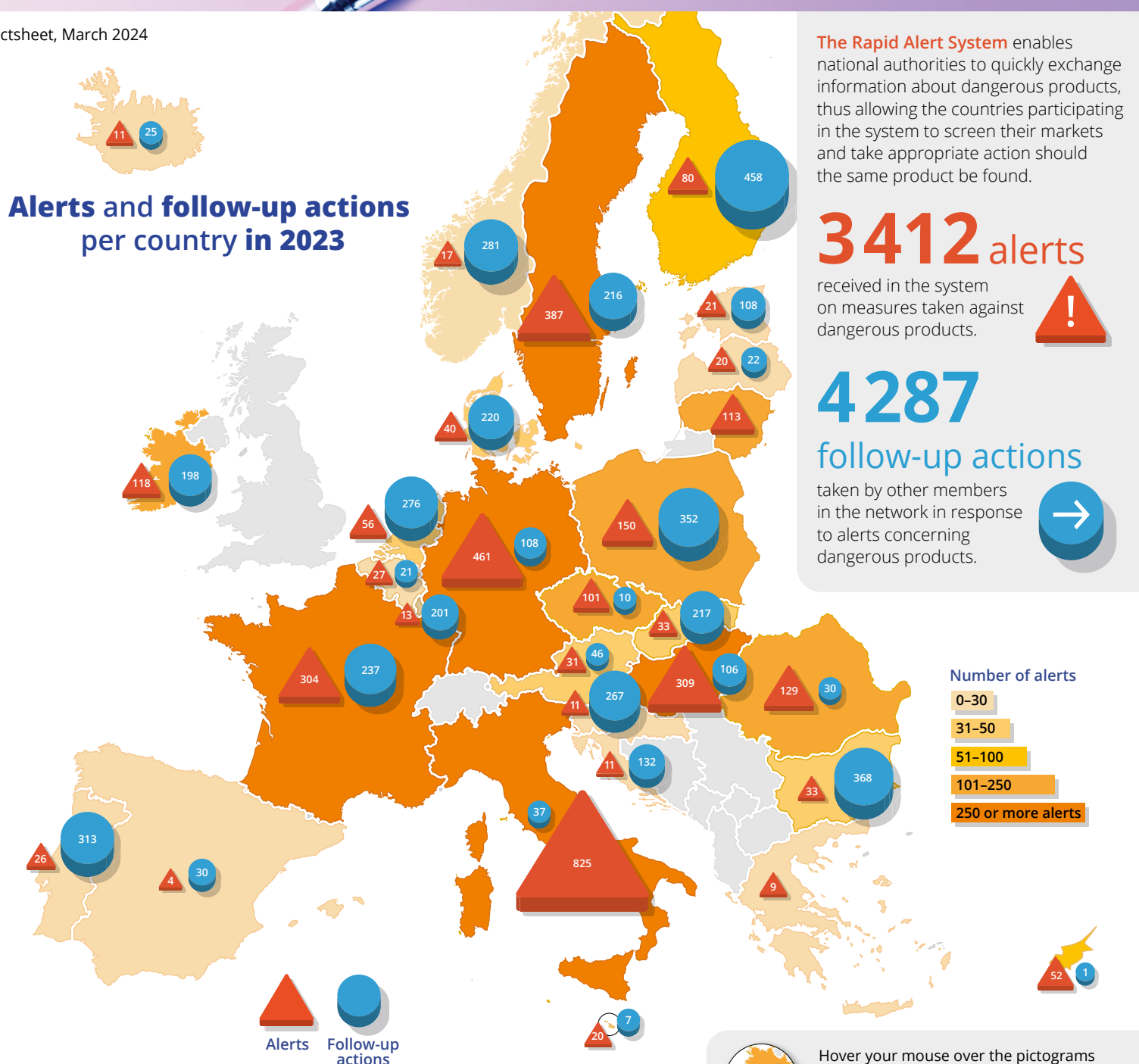
SAFETY GATE 2023

the EU Rapid Alert System for dangerous non-food products



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Factsheet, March 2024



	THE THREE MOST COMMON PRODUCT CATEGORIES NOTIFIED			THE THREE MOST COMMON RISKS NOTIFIED		
 European Union	32%  Cosmetics	13%  Toys	12%  Motor vehicles	51%  Chemical	21%  Injuries	8%  Choking
 Austria	26%  Cosmetics	19%  Toys	16%  Clothing, textiles and fashion items	35%  Injuries	26%  Chemical	16%  Strangulation
 Belgium	33%  Motor vehicles	30%  Clothing, textiles and fashion items	15%  Toys	59%  Injuries	19%  Strangulation	11%  Burns
 Bulgaria	39%  Clothing, textiles and fashion items	24%  Furniture	21%  Childcare articles and children's equipment	82%  Injuries	33%  Strangulation	9%  Electric shock
 Croatia	55%  Toys	18%  Electrical appliances and equipment	18%  Childcare articles and children's equipment	36%  Choking	18%  Chemical	18%  Injuries
 Cyprus	38%  Clothing, textiles and fashion items	29%  Toys	12%  Electrical appliances and equipment	42%  Chemical	37%  Injuries	13%  Electric shock
 Czechia	33%  Toys	25%  Cosmetics	16%  Lighting chains	67%  Chemical	22%  Electric shock	4%  Health risk / other
 Denmark	60%  Pyrotechnic articles	23%  Electrical appliances and equipment	13%  Toys	50%  Burns	28%  Damage to hearing	28%  Damage to sight
 Estonia	33%  Jewellery	29%  Chemical products	14%  Clothing, textiles and fashion items	76%  Chemical	14%  Injuries	10%  Strangulation
 Finland	30%  Toys	23%  Electrical appliances and equipment	13%  Machinery	33%  Chemical	28%  Electric shock	24%  Choking
 France	36%  Motor vehicles	29%  Toys	8%  Electrical appliances and equipment	34%  Injuries	32%  Chemical	23%  Choking

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 Germany	51%  Motor vehicles	11%  Jewellery	5%  Machinery	49%  Injuries	20%  Chemical	17%  Fire
 Greece	33%  Lighting chains	33%  Clothing, textiles and fashion items	22%  Toys	67%  Chemical	33%  Electric shock	33%  Fire
 Hungary	68%  Cosmetics	9%  Toys	7%  Machinery	73%  Chemical	11%  Injuries	8%  Burns
 Iceland	73%  Clothing, textiles and fashion items	18%  Toys	9%  Childcare articles and children's equipment	82%  Injuries	82%  Strangulation	9%  Choking
 Ireland	34%  Childcare articles and children's equipment	16%  Electrical appliances and equipment	9%  Cosmetics	37%  Choking	22%  Chemical	19%  Fire
 Italy	80%  Cosmetics	13%  Clothing, textiles and fashion items	3%  Chemical products	87%  Chemical	11%  Injuries	7%  Strangulation
 Latvia	35%  Toys	25%  Childcare articles and children's equipment	20%  Chemical products	40%  Chemical	40%  Injuries	15%  Electric shock
 Lithuania	35%  Toys	19%  Electrical appliances and equipment	16%  Clothing, textiles and fashion items	40%  Chemical	19%  Electric shock	19%  Injuries
 Luxembourg	38%  Motor vehicles	31%  Toys	23%  Protective equipment	69%  Injuries	23%  Health risk / other	15%  Chemical
 Malta	45%  Cosmetics	30%  Childcare articles and children's equipment	20%  Toys	45%  Chemical	25%  Choking	25%  Injuries
 Norway	24%  Clothing, textiles and fashion items	18%  Electrical appliances and equipment	12%  Cosmetics	53%  Chemical	53%  Environment	12%  Burns

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 Poland	54%  Toys	13%  Motor vehicles	11%  Electrical appliances and equipment	30%  Chemical	21%  Injuries	20%  Choking
 Portugal	73%  Motor vehicles	15%  Electrical appliances and equipment	12%  Gas appliances and components	62%  Injuries	19%  Fire	12%  Electric shock
 Romania	63%  Cosmetics	24%  Clothing, textiles and fashion items	6%  Electrical appliances and equipment	63%  Chemical	18%  Strangulation	13%  Injuries
 Slovakia	27%  Machinery	24%  Lighting chains	15%  Electrical appliances and equipment	42%  Electric shock	42%  Injuries	12%  Fire
 Slovenia	36%  Toys	18%  Childcare articles and children's equipment	18%  Machinery	45%  Choking	27%  Injuries	18%  Chemical
 Spain	75%  Cosmetics	25%  Other	-	50%  Injuries	25%  Chemical	25%  Health risk / other
 Sweden	36%  Electrical appliances and equipment	16%  Jewellery	10%  Toys	57%  Chemical	56%  Environment	1%  Microbiological
 The Netherlands	45%  Toys	11%  Furniture	9%  Electrical appliances and equipment	27%  Choking	21%  Injuries	20%  Strangulation

Percentages are related to the total number of alerts per country. One alert can include more than one risk.



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