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## Market Surveillance of Footwear and Leather Goods in Some Regions of China from July to September 2024

Children shoes, shoes for elderly, athletic shoes, leather shoes and sandals, casual shoes, handbags & backpacks, luggage and leather garments had been inspected and reported from Jul. to Sep. 2024 in some regions of China. The inspected regions include Shanghai, Jiangsu, Zhejiang, Jiangxi, Shandong, Guangdong, Fujian, Sichuan etc. Please see table below for information:

No	Category	Region	Total No. of batches	No. of non-compliant batches	Rate of compliance	Non-compliant parameter(s)
1	Children shoes	Guangdong #	/	5	/	Shank performance, Abrasion resistance, Phthalates, Formaldehyde
			/	6	/	Banned azo dyes, Phthalates, Abrasion resistance, Heavy metals
		Shanghai	40	7	82.5%	Physical and mechanical safety performance, Phthalates
		Liaoning	30	1	96.7%	Labeling
		Suzhou Jiangsu	35	1	97.1%	Abrasion resistance
		Nanjing Jiangsu	20	1	95.0%	Outsole hardness
		Ningbo Zhejiang	55	24	56.4%	Abrasion resistance, Heavy metal, Phthalates
		Wenling Zhejiang	11	2	81.8%	Labeling
		Qingdao Shandong	26	0	100%	/
Xiamen Fujian	8	0	100%	/		
2	Shoes for elderly	Guangdong	/	2	/	Labeling, Colorfastness to rubbing on insock and lining, Banned azo dyes
		Zhejiang	35	1	97.1%	Whole shoe flexing resistance
		Qingdao Shandong	5	2	60.0%	Labeling
		Wuxi Jiangsu	10	0	100%	/
3	Athletic shoes	Zhejiang	72	1	98.6%	Abrasion resistance
		Ningbo Zhejiang	7	2	71.4%	Labeling
		Nantong Jiangsu	17	1	94.1%	Abrasion resistance
4	Leather shoes	Guangdong	/	8	/	Labeling, Whole shoe flexing resistance, Shank longitudinal stiffness, Shank hardness, Shank length lowest limit, Shank bending resistance
		Nantong Jiangsu	35	2	94.3%	Shank length lowest limit, Shank longitudinal stiffness
		Chengdu Sichuan	35	1	84.0%	Shank hardness
5	Leather sandals	Zhejiang	51	3	94.1%	Shank length lowest limit, Shank longitudinal stiffness, Heel hardness
		Chengdu Sichuan	20	0	100%	/
6	Rubber shoes	Guangdong #	/	1	/	Labeling
7	Plastic shoes	Guangdong #	/	1	/	Labeling
8	Casual shoes	Guangdong #	/	5	/	Formaldehyde, Abrasion resistance, Colorfastness to rubbing on insock and lining
9	Rain boots	Guangzhou Guangdong	3	0	100%	/
10	Footwear ^	Guangdong #	/	3	/	Shank bending resistance, Heel attachment strength, Heel harness
		Liaoning	20	0	100%	/
11	Handbags & Backpacks	Guangdong #	/	8	/	Shaking impact resistance, Seam strength, Banned azo dyes
		Nantong Jiangsu	20	1	95.0%	Shaking impact resistance
		Ningbo Zhejiang	5	0	100%	/
^ Did not disclose the footwear type						
# Did not disclose number of batches inspected						

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12	Luggage	Guangdong #	/	2	/	Shaking impact resistance
		Zhejiang	90	31	65.6%	Shaking impact resistance, Falling impact resistance, corrosion resistance
		Ningbo Zhejiang	10	0	100%	/
		Nantong Jiangsu	25	4	84.0%	Shaking impact resistance
		Nanjing Jiangsu	20	2	90.0%	Shaking impact resistance
		Xiamen Fujian	30	4	86.7%	Shaking impact resistance, Seam strength
13	Wallets	Guangdong	/	2	/	Formaldehyde
14	Leather garments	Guangdong	/	1	/	Colorfastness to rubbing
		Guangzhou Guangdong	15	0	100%	/
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