

Technical Bulletin

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April 2021: The European Committee for Standardization (CEN) published EN 71-3:2019+A1:2021 for Migration of Certain Elements in Toys.

Amendment 1 to EN 71-3:2019+A1:2021 is the new toy safety standard for the migration of **19 elements**. This European standard shall be given the status of a national standard, by October 2021, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn.

The major changes are:

- Adapting the new legal migration limits for aluminum for all three categories of toy materials. These revised limits for aluminum migration will become effective on May 20, 2021.

Element: Aluminium	Migration Limit		
	Category I	Category II	Category III
	2250 mg/kg	560 mg/kg	28130 mg/kg

- Clarifying the meaning of V1 and V2 in the formula for calculating Chromium (VI) migration. The equation/formula for calculating the amount of migrated Chromium (VI) has been revised, clarifying the meaning of V1 and V2 in the formula for calculating chromium (VI) migration. Further information can be found in the standard.

- Further information: [hohenstein.com/toys](https://www.hohenstein.com/toys)

