


FACT SHEET

NON-COMPLIANT USB CHARGERS, TRAVEL ADAPTORS AND POWER SUPPLIES

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Electrical safety regulators have been made aware of an increase in the supply of non-compliant USB chargers, travel adaptors and power supplies following a recent fatality. These types of products should be bought from reputable stores.

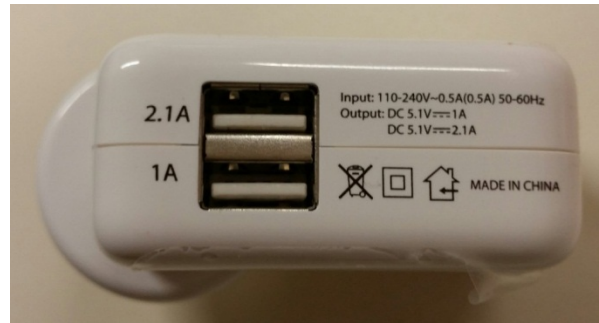
USB chargers, travel adaptors and power supplies **must be approved** by a recognised certification body and display the Regulatory Compliance Mark (RCM)  or an approval number on the product. These products **must have** insulated pins of the correct configuration; there **must not** be holes in the pins.

Non-compliant chargers

Charger with un-insulated and incorrect pin configuration, that requires a travel adaptor



No RCM or approval number



Non-compliant chargers & travel adaptors

No approval marks, un-insulated pins & pins with holes



Compliant chargers, travel adaptor & power supplies

Chargers with insulated pins and no holes



Travel adaptor with approval number



Power supply with RCM



Charger with approval number

